

Man Dies Of Injuries

A 74-year-old Montezuma man died Saturday at University Hospital in Iowa City from injuries received in a traffic mishap Sept. 24.

C. Fred Rayl had been hospitalized since injured when the car he was driving struck the rear of a truck on Highway 146 just south of Grinnell.

The Iowa Highway Patrol said at that time that Rayl was southbound on the highway when the accident occurred.

Services Held For Mr. Rayl

Clifford Fred Rayl, 74, a resident of Montezuma for 23 years, died at University Hospitals in Iowa City Saturday, Nov. 24.

Funeral services for Mr. Rayl were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Steffy Funeral Home in Montezuma, with the Rev. Myron Harris officiating. Burial was in Montezuma.

The son of A.D. and Mary Jane Reavis Rayl, he was born April 13, 1899, in Poweshiek County. He was raised in the Sugar Creek area, and on Sept. 12, 1917, was married to Miriam Frances Gault. The couple celebrated their 50th anniversary in 1967. They moved to Montezuma in 1950.

Survivors include a son, Donald of Shawnee, Kan.; two daughters, Mary Koger of Newton and Audrey Marsh of Kansas City, Kan.; a brother, Delbert Rayl of Searsboro; five sisters, Elsie Anderson of Sitka, Alaska, Mrs. Obie (Thelma) Criswell of Grinnell, and Opal Frehert, Edna Rayl, and Mrs. George (Ruth) Hayes, all of Sacramento,

Calif.; nine grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Miriam, who died in 1970.