

Anna Rinnan dies at 103

Lorenz



Anna B. Rinnan, 103, of Gilman died Sunday evening, March 22, at Friendship Manor where she had lived for the past 21 years.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. John Epperson, pastor of the Grinnell Christian Church, officiating. Organist was Janice Everts, and pallbearers were Milton Dixon, Charles Edelen, Terry Housman, Dennis Weaver, Don Weaver, John Weaver, and Steven Weaver. Burial was in Prairie View Cemetery, Gilman.

The daughter of Aner and Bergit Medhus Heng, she was

born on July 29, 1883, near Gilman. She attended rural school.

On Oct. 4, 1905, she was married to Lorenz Ovedius Rinnan near Gilman. The couple farmed in the Gilman area. Mrs. Rinnan was a former member of the Gilman Rebekah Lodge.

She is survived by five children, Mildred Edelen of Garner, Dorothy Moyer of Gilman, Helen E. Weaver of Gilman, Harold of Montour and Robert of Rockford, Ill.; 22 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; one daughter, Hazel Housman; a son, Raymond; her parents; one grandson; one great-granddaughter; five brothers; and seven half-brothers and half-sisters.

A-R

March 26, 1987