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Monday, April 13, 1970

William Taylor Services Tuesday

William E. Taylor, 52, of 932 Park St., Grinnell, died Saturday evening at his home.

The son of Leslie Clyde and Ethel Gertha Taylor, he was born at Delta, Iowa, on June 1, 1917.

He attended the Delta schools and at age seven moved to Grinnell with his family. He is a graduate of Grinnell High School. He enlisted in the Air Force during World War II, and following his discharge returned to Grinnell and worked at the glove factory here. Later he worked for the Iowa Highway Commission.

He was a member of Focht-Tenant Post No. 53 of the American Legion and B.P.O.E. Elks Lodge 1266.

He is survived by a brother, Keith of Wichita, Kan.; two step-brothers, Lyle and Kenneth Driskell of San Francisco; two step-sisters, Lela Zirbel and Dorothy Rawls, also of San Francisco; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three brothers—Kent, Kenneth and Rex—and a sister, Mrs. Ferné Davis.

Services for Mr. Taylor will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. J. Eugene Young, pastor of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Hazelwood Cemetery.