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Local Rites For Former Resident Lou Windhurst

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A former resident of the Grinnell-Ewart vicinity, Lou A. Windhurst, 85, succumbed Tuesday at Claremont, Minn., where he had made his home with a daughter for the past 31 years.

Funeral services were held this afternoon (Thursday) from an Owatonna, Minn., funeral home. Graveside rites and burial will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at Hazelwood cemetery with the Rev. Ralph J. Houghton, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church officiating. Smith Funeral Home will be in charge of local arrangements.

Born Dec. 9th, 1875 near Ewart, he was the son of George and Matilda Windhurst. He resided near Grinnell and Ewart for many years. On Feb. 22nd, 1899, he was united in marriage with Ida Mae Beeler at the family home 6½ miles south of Grinnell.

To this union were born five children: Mrs. Elsie Vagstad of Claremont, Minn.; George F. Windhurst of Daly City, Calif.; Carl W. Windhurst of Sydney, Australia; John Windhurst of Bandon, Ore.; and Louis A. Windhurst of Oakland, Calif. Also surviving are six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife on Aug. 30th, 1911; and two brothers.

Mr. Windhurst was a member of the Presbyterian church.