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The son of Eli and Emeline Nowman Wright, Mr. Wright was born Feb. 16, 1883 at Gardner, Ill., one of a family of ten children. He attended the local schools of Gardner and on Nov. 17, 1920, married Erma Viola Coles Wright at Crookston, Minn.

Mr. Wright had farmed in Illinois and later, for 38 years, he had farmed near Caledonia, N. Dak. In 1947 he retired and moved from North Dakota to Grinnell to be near his family.

Survivors include seven stepchildren — Mrs. Warren (Leota) Baker of Rte. 2, Grinnell, Mrs. Joe (Ida) See of Grinnell, Mrs. Harold (Bernice) Galloway of Newton, Marion Wright of Des Moines, Mrs. Leland (Marie) Robertson of Oskaloosa, Mrs. Jim (Dorothy) Hunter of near Lynnville and Oliver Wright of Fargo, N. Dak.; 24 grandchildren and 40 great grandchildren.

Mr. Wright was preceded in death by his wife on Nov. 5, 1953; one son, Nathan Elwood Wright on the USS Chicago during World War II, two grandchildren, and all of his brothers and sisters — George, James, Thomas, Oliver, Almada, Margarette, Laura Bell, Ida and Mary.

Funeral services for Mr. Wright were held at 1:30 today (Thursday) at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. J. Eugene Young, minister of the Grinnell United Methodist Church, officiating. Organist was Mrs. Willard Heffner.

Services will also be held in Hillsboro, N. Dak., at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Halverson Funeral Home. Burial will be made in Caledonia cemetery at Caledonia, N. Dak.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home for further information.

Nathan Wright Services Held

Nathan S. Wright, 86, Grinnell, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 19 at Grinnell General Hospital East where he had been hospitali-

Mrs. Hattie Johnson, Glidden's Centennial Queen, observed her 102nd birthday there on January 20. Mrs. Johnson still does her own cooking and housework.

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