

JESSE L. FARRELL, 89

Jesse Lawrence Farrell, son of Rev Benjamin and Elizabeth Frantz Farrell, was born near Irwin, Jan. 9, 1885. He died at Harlan hospital on Oct. 2, 1974 at age 89 years, 8 months and 23 days. He grew to adulthood and lived in the Irwin community most of his life. He served as a custodian in the schools here for six years during the early 1940's. In 1948 Mr Farrell moved to Minn. for a period of 21 years. In 1971 he returned to Irwin and this has been his home since that time.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers — Lavern, Forest, and Ernest Farrell, by four sisters — Besse (Mrs M. Dudley), Maude (Mrs James H. Seymour), Katie (Mrs Carl Dudley) and an infant sister, Alice Vern.

Mr Farrell is survived by two nephews — Charles Farrell of Irwin and Jack Farrell of Marshalltown, by other relatives and many friends. Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m., Friday, October 4, 1974 at the United Methodist church in Irwin with the Rev J. Elmer Brunk, pastor, officiating.

Burial was at the Oak hill cemetery in Irwin with Henry Hansen, Elmer Axland, Glen Reynolds, Mayer Knudson, John Steenhusen and Peter Steenhusen serving as casket bearers.