for 40 years. In 1947 Homer began farming in the Green Mountain area until his retirement in 1975. He and his companion Mary McOmber lived in Colo for 18 years. Homer loved working with wood, gardening and his many fishing trips to Canada. He was a member of the Iowa River Church of the Brethren. Homer is survived by his son Loren (Kaye) Bovee of Marshalltown, his daughter Dee Pickerell of Omaha, Nebraska, his son Dennis J. (Darlene) Bovee of Ames, his daughter Carol A. (Larry) Perry of Marshalltown, his daughter-in-law Kathy Bovee of Marshalltown, his companion Mary McOmber of Marshalltown, his sisters Cora (Lawrence) Halter of Baxter, Ruth Beach of Bettendorf, Ethel (Lowell) Stiles of Hemet, California, Betty (Richard) Miller of Grants Pass, Oregon, his brother Fred Bovee of Hemet, California, his twelve grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Homer was preceded in death by his parents, his son Ronald in 2001, his son-in-law Raymond Pickerell, his two sisters Ada Wikle, and Grace Ireland, and his three brothers-in-law Jack Wikle, Raymond Ireland, and Lowell “Rex” Beach.

Albert Bentson
born: March 15, 1915
Died: May 19, 2004
Services will be held at: Following cremation at the Pursel-Davis Funeral Home & Crematory graveside memorial services will be held at 10:30 A.M, on Monday, May 24, 2004, at Iowa Veterans Home Cemetery. Memorials may be directed to the family in his name.

Albert C. Bentson is survived by: son: David (Diane) Bentson, Danville of California; four granddaughters and sister: Phyllis Bentson; of Potaluma, California. He is preceded in death by his parents and 2 sisters