GRAINGER BUCK
Collins

Grainger Parker Buck, 94, of Collins died of pneumonia Friday at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Collins United Methodist Church. Burial will be at Evergreen Cemetery there.

Mr. Buck was born in Welton and had lived in Rhodes before moving to Collins in 1942. He was a retired farmer and a member of Fervent Masonic Lodge, Collins Lions Club, Za-Ga-Zig Shrine and Scottish Rite Consistory.

Surviving are his wife, Ila; two daughters, Barbara Kingman and Dorothy Atwood, both of Collins; two stepdaughters, Carol Head of Madison, N.J., and Linda Lein of Cedar Falls; a son, Christopher of Minnetonka, Minn.; a stepson, William Atwood of Collins; 21 grandchildren; and 32 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call from 4 to 9 p.m. Monday at the church, where a Masonic service will be held at 7:30 p.m. and where the family will be present from 6 to 8 p.m. Fredregill Funeral Home in Collins is handling arrangements.

Services held for Grainger P. Buck, 94

Grainger Parker Buck, 94, of Collins died Friday, Feb. 6, at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames of pneumonia.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, Feb. 10, at the Collins United Methodist Church in Collins.

Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery at Collins.

Obituary

Grainger Buck was born in Welton on April 21, 1903 to Herbert and Sarah (Parker) Buck. He was united in marriage with Avilda Wood on Feb. 3, 1926 at Blairstown; she preceded him in death in November of 1974. He was united in marriage with Ila Crabb Atwood on May 10, 1975 at the Little Brown Church in Nashua. He moved to Collins from Rhodes in 1942. He had farmed in the Collins area, retiring in 1982. He was a member of Fervent Lodge #513 A.F. and A.M. of Collins, the Collins Lions Club, and Za-Ga-Zig Shrine and Scottish Rite Consistory, both of Des Moines.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Avilda; a son, William Buck; and two grandsons.

Survivors include his wife, Ila Buck of Collins; two daughters, Mrs. Barbara (John) Kingman and Mrs. Dorothy (Gene) Atwood, both of Collins; a son, Christopher Buck of Minnetonka, MN; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Janet (John) Garrett of Stuart; 21 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; a stepson, William Atwood of Collins; two stepdaughters, Carol Head of Madison, NJ and Linda Lein of Cedar Falls.

The Fredregill Funeral Home in Collins handled the arrangements.