

# Kennard's Oldest Resident Dies At Age Of 91

*E 7-19-69*  
 J. Henry Miller, of Kennard, the oldest resident of that community for a number of years, died at Blair Memorial Hospital Monday, July 14. He had been in ill health but a short time.

Mr. Miller, an early-day grain elevator operator and farmer, spent almost his entire life in the Kennard area. He was born May 24, 1878 to Mr. and Mrs. Berthel Miller near Orum and he grew to manhood in that vicinity. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith during his childhood.

He was united in marriage to Katherine Adele Japp, January 15, 1902 and they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary fifty years later in 1952. To this union five children were born. One daughter and his wife have preceded him in death.

He became manager of the Roberts Lumber & Grain elevator at Kennard which he operated for several years. He then moved to Gretna, Nebraska where he continued with the Roberts firm operating the company's elevator. Three years later he returned to the elevator at Kennard.

For a time he farmed east of Kennard but later returned to Kennard and the grain business, working for Elmer Wright who was then the owner of the firm.

Mr. Miller was noted for his strong character and his qualities of being a gentleman, a devoted husband, a considerate father and a friend of all who knew him. He was an exceptionally ardent visitor and he enjoyed telling of the early days of Washington County

and the Kennard area. He had an unusual zest for life which he coupled with considerable traveling and a wide interest in world affairs.

He is survived by three sons and a daughter. The sons are Henry Miller, Jr. of Kennard; Howard Miller, of Blair and Ned Miller, of Sterling, Virginia. Mrs. Bessie Masters of Blair is a daughter of the deceased man.

Miss Alma Miller, of Blair, Mrs. Lora Larsen, of Blair and Mrs. Evelyn Ritter, of California are sisters of Mr. Miller. There are also six grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at Emmaus Lutheran Church at Kennard with services conducted by the Rev. Robert Albers. Burial, under the direction of the Campbell Mortuary will be made in the Kennard cemetery.

Pallbearers will be James Schneider, Roy Rosenbaum, Tor-

# MOTHER OF MRS. RABBASS TO BE BURIED IN BLAIR

*E 7-24-69*  
 Mrs. Wm. F. Schwinck of West Point, mother of Mrs. Harold Rabbass passed away Sunday, July 20th at the Blair Community Memorial Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Wm. F. Schwinck, her daughter, Mrs. Harold Rabbass (Cornelia) of Blair, a son, Willard Schwinck of Altadena, California, four grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The Campbell Mortuary is in charge of arrangements. Funeral services will be Wednesday, July 23rd, at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Blair with the Rev. Frederick Neider officiating.

Pallbearers will be Delwin, Wallace, Lorvey and Craig Schwinck, Marvin Schellenberg and Paul Rabbass.

Burial will be in the Blair Cemetery.

ago, and the late Otto Langhorst operated the general merchandise store in Fontanelle for several years. Mr. Lallman is survived by his widow, three daughters, four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren and four brothers, Herman at Winslow, Emil and Henry of Nickerson and Cecil of Arlington and two sisters, Anna and Ellen of Arlington.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wilkins

# FONTANELLE NEWS By Mrs. Curtis Lallman *P 2-21-69* FORMER FONT. RESIDENT BURIED AT ARAPAHOE

Funeral services were held at Arapahoe for F. Edward Lallman who died Tuesday in an Oxford Hospital.

Mr. Lallman was born December 6, 1880 on the family farm near Fontanelle and spent most of his youth living near here, attending the local schools and Fremont Normal College.

He and his brother, Will, who preceded him in death two months

# FORMER HERMAN LADY DIED AT GENOA

A former resident of the Herman and Tekamah area passed away Wednesday at a Genoa, Nebraska Rest Home. She was 64 year old Mrs. Geil Margurite Crannell. Mrs. Crannell had been ill for several months.

Mrs. Crannell was the former Geil Baldwin and was born in Blair, Nebraska. Mr. Crannell preceded her in death on March 18, 1964.

She is survived by two sons, Thomas Crannell of Tekamah and John Crannell of Omaha. There are two surviving daughters, Mrs. Fay Stricklett of Fremont and Mrs. Albert Koci of Fremont.

Funeral services were held at the Bader-Rozanek, Lawson Funeral Home in Fremont on Saturday, May 31. Burial was in the Blair Cemetery. *PT-6-2-69*

*6-4-69*  
**BAILEY**—Pfc. Byrle, 19 years, at Quang Province, May 25, 1969. Survivors, mother, Mrs. Darlene Bailey, of Omaha; father, Robert B. Bailey, Omaha; sisters, Mrs. Maria Anne Bailey Ball, Miss Marlene Kay Bailey; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Green, all of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Les Rosenbaum, Blair, Neb. Services 2 p.m. Friday, Countryside Community Church. Committal Forest Lawn. Family suggests memorials to Countryside Community Church. **CROSBY-KUNOLD MORTUARY** 32d Ave. and Farnam 345-1886

*7-17-69*  
**LAMP**—Hans, age 64 years, Rt. 2 Omaha. Survived by his 2 sisters, Mrs. Buster (Margaretha) Hadan, and Mrs. John (Rose) Schmidt, both Omaha; brothers, Fred Lamp, Blair, Neb., Walter, Omaha, Charles, of Riverside, Cal., William of Norfolk, Neb.; several nieces and nephews. Services Wednesday at 2 p.m. from St. John's Lutheran Church, Bennington, Neb., with Rev. Norman Schroeder, officiating. Interment, Flower Hill Cemetery. **HADAN-GOLDEN MORTUARY** Bennington, Neb. 238-2291 or 342-1060