

**SERVICES FOR EMEORY W. SHORT WERE HELD THURS.**

Funeral services were held Thursday, October 2, at the Bendorf Funeral Home for Emeory W. Short who passed away Sept. 28 at the Veterans' Hospital in Omaha where he had been ill for some time.

He is survived by 1 son, John

Grover, a daughter, Susan, and 2 grandsons, John, Jr., and Steven, all of New Orleans, La., and also surviving are two sisters. They are Mrs. Dorothy Plumb of York, Nebr. and Mrs. Syrilda Mundorf of Blair. One brother, Edgar Short, of Blair, also survives.

Burial was made in the Blair cemetery. Pallbearers were Harold E. Metzler, Jack Jensen, Hap Stricklett, Sammy Haller, Bud Miller and Howard Clauson.

**AMANDA HANSEN DIED AT HOSPITAL SUNDAY, OCT. 12**

Amanda Hansen, a resident of Blair for many years, died Sunday at Memorial Community Hospital in Blair. She was 88 years old.

She was born on a farm 3 miles north of Hampton, Nebraska February 11, 1881. She received her education in the Hampton rural and

town schools and later attended the Fremont Normal College which was a forerunner of the present Midland College.

In 1906 she accepted a teaching position at Dana College and for 10 years she taught music. After that she took up sewing and dress making and gave piano lessons, living on west Jackson Street until 1955. At that time she entered the Good Shepherd Home and has been a resident there since that time.

She is survived by one sister, Augusta Nielsen, who lives in Los Angeles. There are also 7 nieces and 3 nephews who survive.

Ray Lund, Ruth and Lona Lund, of Blair are nieces and nephew and they are the only local relatives.

Funeral services were held at the First Lutheran Church Wednesday, October 15th with the Rev. Robert Albers conducting the service. Burial, under the direction of the Bendorf Funeral Home, was made in the Blair Cemetery. Pall bearers were James Hansen, P. V. Hansen, Marius Hansen, Richard Zimmerman, Jr., Kermit Goll and C. C. Madsen.

**FRED C. PECK, 85, DIED HERE WED.**

Fred C. Peck, well known county man, died at Memorial Community Hospital in Blair early Wednesday, October 15th. He was 85 years of age. He was the son of Sheldon Moses Peck, an early-day settler of this area.

Mr. Peck's death followed the death of his brother, the late Ben Peck, by sixty days, Ben Peck having died August 14th of this year.

Fred Peck had been preceded in death by his wife, Dora, who died April 16th, 1965.

He is survived by his son, William F. Peck of Herman, Miss Nellie M. Peck of Blair and Mrs. Roy Seeley (Lela) of Lakewood, California. There are also four grandchildren.

A sister, Mrs. Blanche Warrick, lives in Blair.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at the First Christian Church at 2 o'clock P.M. The Rev. Richard P. Davison will conduct the service. Burial, under the direction of the Bendorf Funeral Home will be made in the Blair cemetery.

**FRED SIERT, 87, DIED TUESDAY AT RESEDA, CALIFORNIA**

Fred Siert, a long-time contractor and builder in Blair, died Tuesday at Reseda, California where he was living in retirement. He was 87 years old.

He was a native of Blair, having been born and raised here. He and his brother, Paul Siert, worked together as builders and carpenters and many homes and buildings in Blair were erected by them.

Both of the men were noted for their fine workmanship and expert cabinet work.

Mr. Siert retired from active work in 1941 and moved to California.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the Campbell Mortuary in Blair. The Rev. Richard Atherton will conduct the service and burial will be made in the Blair cemetery.

**ONE-TIME BLAIR MAN IS DEAD**

Robert Hanna, a Blair resident of a number of years ago, died at Lincoln, Nebraska early Monday morning. The Enterprise has been informed. Mr. Hanna was the son of the late A. E. Hanna, Blair photographer. His mother and his sister, Mrs. Blanche Davis are Blair residents.

**HERMAN NEWS By Mrs. Sadie Brodersen**

**HERMAN FOLKS ATTEND FUNERAL IN TILDEN, NEBR.**

Harold Lang, Mrs. Robert Brodersen, Mrs. Dennis Altekruise of Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hansen attended the funeral of their Aunt Mrs. Martin Hansen at Tilden, Nebr. Saturday afternoon.

PETERSEN — Ida Hancock, age 90 years, resident of Tekamah. Survived by son, Charles; 2 grandchildren. 3 sisters, Mrs. Alice Bovee, Tekamah, Neb., Mrs. Ursula McDonald, San Bernadino, Calif., Mrs. Irene Zerkel, Anderson, Ind.; brothers, R. K. and Roy Hancock, Tekamah, Waldo Hancock, Herman, Neb., and Robert, of Blair, Neb. Services Saturday, 2 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, Tekamah, Neb. Hamel-Peck Funeral Home in charge.

PICKARD — Mae Bittner, 80 years. 3328