

Floyd Hilgenkamp Farm In

E-7-11-68 Family For 101 Years



The Floyd Hilgenkamp farm, one of the three whose owners will be honored at the Washington County Fair this fall, has been in the family 101 years.

The farm came into the Hilgenkamp family in March, 1867, when Herman Hilgenkamp bought it from Daniel Coyle. The land had been homesteaded by Huah Coil in 1860 and later sold to Daniel Coyle, in 1865.

Peter Hilgenkamp, Herman's son, secured the land in 1900, and it came to G. W. Hilgenkamp

in 1922. Floyd Hilgenkamp got the farm in 1964, establishing an unbroken line of possession in the family.

The original tract upon which this history is based consisted of 120 acres, but this has since been expanded to 200 acres. The farm lies three miles north of the Marshall Nurseries corner on Highway 30. It is now on the new black top road which is just being completed.

The Hilgenkamps engage in general farming, milk about 20 cows,

and usually raise around 175 hogs. Last Monday, they were busy harvesting the wheat crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilgenkamp have three sons: James, 17, Dale, 14, and Gene, 12, all of whom help with the farm work.

The Floyd Hilgenkamp family are shown in the attractive kitchen of their farm home. Seated Mr. and Mrs. Hilgenkamp. Standing, left to right, James, Dale, and Gene.

Services For Mrs. French Were On Tuesday

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Funeral services for Mrs. Naomi L. French were held on Tuesday, July 16th at the First Methodist Church in Arlington.

Mrs. French, age 86, passed away on July 12 at Youngtown, Arizona. Mrs. French formerly lived in Arlington.

She is survived by three sons, Harold, of Blair; Gifford, of Arlington; and Raymond of Youngtown, Arizona. There are two surviving daughters. They are Mrs. Robert Savage, of Omaha; and Miss Ethel French of Youngtown, Arizona.

She also has three brothers and two sisters. They are Arthur Johnson, of Denver; Perry Johns

of Dewitt, Nebr.; and Ralph Johns of Youngtown, Arizona. The sisters are Mrs. Margaret Baxter of Bellevue and Mrs. Edith Grave of Omaha. There are 11 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren plus 2 great great grandchildren.

Services were held at 2:30 in Arlington with committal in the Arlington Cemetery. Rev. Dwight Steiner, of Fremont, officiated with Reckmeyer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Casket bearers were Charles French, Eugene French, Melvern Hilgenkamp, Don Bartusek, Tom Savage and Brice Bartusek.

Services For Bess Talmage Were Saturday

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Funeral services for Bess Patrick Talmage were held on Saturday, July 6th. Mrs. Talmage passed away at the Good Shepherd Home on Wednesday, July 3rd.

Mrs. Talmage was born on September 28, 1879 at Rigdon, Indiana. She was 88 at the time of her death. Her husband, Charles O. Talmage, preceded her in death.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. C. C. Sheldon of Columbus, Nebraska, and Mrs. Frank Stewart, a niece, of Blair, Nebraska.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. in the Campbell Mortuary with Rev. James R. Warn officiating. Interment was in the Blair Cemetery.