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**MITES FOR MRS.
SELMA PAULSEN**
NOVEMBER 2 11-16-70

Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 4 for Mrs. Selma N. Paulsen, well known Bennington farm woman. Mrs. Paulsen had died at The Methodist Hospital in Omaha on November 2 following a lingering illness.

She was born at Irvington, Nebraska, December 10, 1890 and would have been 80 years old next month. She grew to womanhood in the Irvington area and was married to Fred N. Paulsen September 29, 1909.

She was preceded in death by her husband, an infant son, her parents and two brothers, Hans Larsen and Alfred Rasmussen and by a sister, Mary Bertschinger.

She is survived by her daughters, Mrs. Herbert Splittgerber (Frances); Mrs. Arthur Schneekloth (Fern); Mrs. Elmer Holstein (Anita) and Mrs. Wesley Brown, (Sylvia.) There are 10 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Kountze Memorial Church in Omaha and burial was in the Mount Hope Cemetery. Pallbearers were grandsons: Archie Graybill, Lyle Nelson, Darrell Schneekloth, Curtis Holstein, James Brown and Ronald Brown.

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**JENNINGS WEST,
HERMAN BUSINESS
MAN, IS DEAD** 10-22-70 ✓

Jennings West, longtime business man at Herman, died Monday at Memorial Community Hospital in Blair. He had been living at Blair in retirement in recent months but had been a resident of the county for his entire life.

William Jennings West was born at Herman February 9, 1896 where he grew to manhood, entered business and spent most of his life. He was 74 years of age at the time of his death. He attended the Herman schools and as an adult entered the garage business in Herman.

He was married to Miss Mae Thompson who survives his death.

He is also survived by one son, James West of Omaha and by three daughters. They are Mrs. Arnold Rogert (Virginia) of Herman; Mrs. Jack Short (Patricia) of Houston, Texas and Mrs. John Kelly (Emma Jean) of Valley, Nebraska. There are 9 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

Fern West of Blair and Glen West of Berkeley, California are brothers of the deceased man. Sisters are Mrs. Ellender Adams, of Sherman Oaks, California and Mrs. Gail Drayer and Mrs. Opal Jansen, both of Omaha.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Herman Baptist Church with the Rev. Zack Kleinsasser conducting the service. Burial was made in the Herman Cemetery under the direction of the Campbell Mortuary of Blair.

The pallbearers were Emmett Rogert, Joe Fitch, Frank Korshoj, Roy Hansen, William Cameron and Howard Laughlin.

**BLAIR MAN, 36,
IS HEART VICTIM** ✓

William Fredrich Boehnke, a Blair carpenter, died suddenly Tuesday evening, the victim of a heart attack. He had been in good health prior to his death, according to reports.

Mr. Boehnke was born November 16, 1934 at Blair and had lived here all of his life. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Boehnke. His father preceded him in death.

Mr. Boehnke was a member of the United States Air Force for four years from 1956 to 1960. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Emma Boehnke who lives in Blair and three brothers and a sister. The brothers are Walter, of Portland, Oregon; John of Kansas City, Kansas and Robert, of Blair. The sister is Mrs. James (Elaine) Cleaver, of Modale, Iowa.

Funeral services will be held Saturday the Campbell Mortuary and burial will be in the Blair cemetery.

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**MRS. N. FRIEDRICHSEN
OF KENNARD, DIED
AT BLAIR HOSPITAL** 11-5-70

Mrs. Nic Friedrichsen, longtime resident of Kennard, died Tuesday at Memorial Community Hospital in Blair. Mrs. Friedrichsen, 71, was the wife of a retired hardware merchant of Kennard.

Alma (Petersen) Friedrichsen was born in Washington County September 15, 1899. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petersen, deceased residents of this area. She spent her entire life in this county.

She is survived by her husband, Nic, and by a daughter Shirley, now Mrs. James Long, of Blair. There are three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today, November 5th at the Campbell Mortuary at 2:00 P.M. The Rev. Arden Dorn, of Kennard, will conduct the service. Burial will be made in the Memorial Park Cemetery in Fremont.

Pallbearers will be: Clarence Sorensen, Harlan Siebert, William Petersen, Henry Petersen, Leonard Nelson and Russell Logeman.

**CLIFFORD P. SMITH
SERVICES TO BE
NOVEMBER 12TH** ✓

Mr. Clifford P. Smith died November 9th at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Smith at Lakewood, Colorado where he had resided for the past two and a half months. He had previously lived in San Diego.

Mr. Smith was born in Blair November 25, 1901 to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip J. Smith. He was married to Erminie Mundorf and they were the parents of three sons and one daughter.

His sons who survive him are Clifford W. of Lakewood, Colorado, William D. of Omaha, Eugene R. of Los Angeles and a daughter, Mrs. Joseph A. Jensen (Phyllis) of Kennard; also two sisters, Olive of Oregon and Edna of California. 11-12-70

The Campbell Mortuary is in charge of arrangements and services will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, November 12th. Burial will be in the Blair cemetery.

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