

Bernard Paulsen Died Suddenly Early Saturday

Well known farmer
succumbed to heart
attack at his home

Bernard Paulsen, well known farmer living just west of Blair, died shortly after 7:00 Saturday morning, the victim of a heart attack. He had been in failing health for a number of months.

The Blair Rescue Squad was called to his farm home and he was rushed to the Blair Hospital but death had come before help could be given.

The deceased was born at Blair June 16, 1917 and was 54 years of age. He had farmed all of his life.

He was married to Norma Nelson, daughter of the late J. T. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson and for a time he worked with his father-in-law in the raising of purebred hogs. In recent years he has spent most of his effort on farming.

He is survived by his wife, Norma, and by four children. There are three sons, Darryl, Dale and Dean. A daughter, DeAnne is also at home. There are three grandchildren.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Nelson of Blair and Mrs. Richard Sorensen (LaVern) also of Blair.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed as the Pilot-Tribune went to press at noon Saturday.

SERVICES FOR BERNARD PAULSEN TUESDAY, NOV. 7

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 7th for Bernard Paulsen, well known farmer of the Blair area, who died suddenly at this home December 4th. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Services were held at the First Lutheran Church in Blair with the Rev. Robert Albers officiating. Burial was made in the Blair cemetery.

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Pallbearers at the funeral were Warren Fuhlrodt, Paul Vahle, Manley Fischer, Reynold Kubie, Francis Quick and Darrell Anderson.

BERT MILLER DIED AT SAN DIEGO THURSDAY, NOV. 18

Bert E. Miller, a former Blair man, died last Thursday, November 18th at San Diego, California. He was the brother of the late W. H. (Bill) Miller and Etta B. Smith, both of Blair.

Mr. Miller farmed on the bottoms east of Ft. Calhoun for many years before moving to California in the late 30's. He was well known in Ft. Calhoun where he at one time served as Mayor.

In California he was employed for many years as a superintendent in a tuna cannery but had retired from this work several years ago. He was 83 years of age at the time of his death.

He is survived by his widow, Virginia, by a son, Stanley Miller and by two daughters, Joyce and Peggy. There were a number of grandchildren.

Interment was made in California.

PEARL PACE DIED SUDDENLY AT HOME MONDAY, DEC. 13

Pearl Pace, a resident of the Blair area for the past 30 years, died suddenly at his home last Monday, December 13th. Death was attributed to a heart attack. The Blair Rescue Squad was called to take him to the Blair Hospital but help was to no avail.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace have lived on the former Prentice Smith farm just east of the Bono School on the bottomlands north of Blair.

He was born at Garrison, Nebraska April 24, 1902 and was, therefore, 69 years of age at the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, Claribel and by two sons, Earl M. Pace of Ralston, Nebraska and Roy N. Pace of Omaha. Earl Pace, it will be recalled, was a high school principal of the Blair schools for several years before going to the Ralston school system.

In addition to the two sons who survive, there are five grandchildren.

Also surviving are two brothers, George Pace of California and Virgil Pace of Omaha. There are three sisters, Mrs. Ethel Osterlander of Polk, Nebraska; Mrs. Velma Olson of Genoa, Nebraska; and Mrs. Doreen Mohr of Columbus, Nebraska.

Funeral services were held at the United Methodist Church in Blair on Wednesday, December 15th with the Rev. Charles Gates conducting the service. Burial, under the direction of the Campbell Mortuary was made in the Bellwood, Nebraska cemetery.

Pallbearers were Ralph Kuhr, Bill Carson, H. L. Cole, Arthur R. Keller, Jack Petersen and Richard Sheets.

SERVICES FOR CHARLES F. MARTIS WERE HELD TUESDAY

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 14th for Charles Frederick Martis, a resident of Rural Route 2, Blair.

Mr. Martis, an employee of the Wilkinson Manufacturing Co. in Ft. Calhoun, died at the Blair Hospital last Saturday, December 11th. He was 66 years of age, having been born in Omaha March 24, 1905.

He is survived by his wife, Jennie and by a son and a daughter. The son is Charles Martis, Jr. of Blair and the daughter is Mrs. Sam (Madelyn) Smith, also of Blair. There are five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Campbell Mortuary with the Rev. Sanford Sorgen conducting the service. Burial was made in the Blair cemetery. Pallbearers were Warren Johnson, Jacob Ericksen, George Sroka, Henry