

Earl O. Bisson

Funeral services were held for Earl O. Bisson of Claremont, at the Paetz-nick Funeral Home, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., Saturday, Feb. 23, 1957. The Rev. Father E. J. Coyne officiated. Music was furnished by members of St. John's Catholic church of Groton.

Earl Bisson was born September 14, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bisson of Ingram, Wis., where he was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith.

In 1918 he came to Groton where he worked for several years, before coming to Claremont in 1928, where he had since made his home.

On December 18, 1929, he married Harriet Lilja of Claremont. To this union a daughter, (Dorothy) Mrs. Francis Lorenz was born.

Mr. Bisson, for several years followed the carpenter trade, and for 12 years was manager of the Claremont Lumber Company until failing health, caused him to retire in 1956.

Mr. Bisson passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20th, following several years of illness with cancer.

Left to mourn his departure are his wife, Harriet; son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lorenz and three grandsons, David, James and Robert Lorenz, all of Watertown; one sister, Mrs. C. E. Wilson of Cameron, Wis.; four brothers, Gorman of Groton, Roy, Leo and Oran, all of Ingram, Wis., besides several nieces, nephews and many friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister.

Honorary pall bearers were Frank Howarth and Bert Schuller, of Aberdeen, Gunnar Carlson, Arthur Vickers, Fred Anderson and George Pierson of Claremont. Active pall bearers were Robert Schuller, Howard Cutler, Homer Cutler, Carl Peterson, Harry Andrews and Rodney Barnes, all of Claremont. Burial was in the Groton cemetery.

Mr. Bisson was a kind and loving husband and father, and will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Attending the funeral from away were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lorenz and sons of Watertown, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson and Robert of Cameron, Wis.; Leo Bisson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bisson of Ingram, Wis.; Donald Bisson of Clyde, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. George Mireau of Rice Lake, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Bisson, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Peterson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahan, Randall Peterson, Jr., Mrs. Alice Gibbs, Dean