

# THE LIFE STORY OF — William Lage, 90

William Lage, the son of Thomas and Cecelia Schnoor Lage, was born May 22, 1893, on a farm in Fairview twp. near Corley. In 1899 he moved with his parents to a farm in Douglas twp. between Harlan and Kirkman.

On May 27, 1918 he enlisted into the U.S. Army. He served his country during W.W. I as a Private First Class in the Medical Dept. and then returned to help on the family farm.

After his parents died he and his brother Hans Carl Lage continued to operate the family farm until 1957 when they moved into Harlan. After Carl died on April 4, 1969, he continued to live in Harlan and later became a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home. This has been his home since that time. He died at Myrtue Memorial hospital on Monday, Aug. 1, 1983 at the age of 90 years, 2 months and 10 days.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Hans Carl Lage. He is survived by several cousins and many friends.

Services were held at the Ruffcorn Memorial Chapel in the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan with Dr. Larry LaVelle of the First United Methodist church in Harlan, officiating on Aug. 4, 1983.

Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, Harlan with Arnold G. Andersen, Allen A. Andersen, LaVon A. Christensen, Lowell Howe, Brian Petersen and Leonard Dinesen serving as casketbearers.

Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan was in charge of arrangements.