

Paper: Pantagraph, The (Bloomington, IL) Deceased: PONTIAC - The Body Of Bruce B. Clark Date: September 29, 1994

PONTIAC - The Body Of Bruce B. Clark, 98, a resident of Evenglow Lodge in Pontiac since 1977, formerly of Urbana, was donated to the Anatomical Gift Association of Illinois.

A cremation will be scheduled and a committal service will follow in Springdale Cemetery, Peoria. Duffy Funeral Home, Pontiac, is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Clark died at 11:36 a.m. Tuesday (Sept. 27, 1994) at the lodge.

He was born Aug. 29, 1896, at Peoria, a son of Willard D. and Susan Byrne Clark. He married Dorothy Beecher Sept. 3, 1921, at Peoria. She preceded him in death.

Survivors include one son, Benjamin, Fort Smith, Ark.; one daughter, Barbara Clark, Pontiac; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

One daughter and one brother preceded him in death.

Mr. Clark attended the University of Illinois and Bradley University. He was the first state of Illinois conservationist, retiring in 1963. Before that he had been a member of the erosion service for the federal government, starting as a graduate student in agronomy at the U of I.

Mr. Clark was the oldest World War I resident at Evenglow Lodge. In that war, he was a corporal in the Army Signal Corps.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Pontiac.

Memorials may be made to Evenglow Lodge or to a charity of the donor's choice.

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