Elmer

Henry A. Elmer, 83, of Maribel, died Sunday at Holy Family Hospital, Manitowoc, where he had been a patient for five weeks.

Funeral services will be a 10:15 a.m. Wednesday at Sauer Funeral Home and at 10:30 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Kellnersville. The Rev. E. A. Radev will officiate and burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Elmer was born Nov. 15, 1885, in Town of Cooperstown, son of the late Wenzel and Barbara Skwor Elmer. He attended elementary schools in the township and farmed before operating a grocery and general merchandise store. He served as Maribel postmaster from 1922 until 1934 and operated a service station from 1934 until 1946.

Mr. Elmer was a former member of the Manitowoc County Board of Supervisors and had also served as the township treasurer. He married Anna Lodel in 1913 and she died in 1918. In 1922 he married Kathryn Spurney Christel. He was a member of the Holy Name Society.

Survivors include his wife: three sons, Alvin and Wencil of Maribel, and John of San Antonio, Tex.; two daughters, Mrs. Norbert (Anita) Greenwood, of Rt. 1, Maribel, and Sister M. Vianney of St. Ann High School, Escanaba, Mich.; a stepson, Ralph Christel, of Manitowoc: a brother, Charles, of Milwaukee; 15 grandchildren, and a great grandchild. Three brothers, five sisters and a grandson preceded him in death.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 3 p.m. Tuesday where at 7:45 p.m. the parish Rosary will be recited and at 8 p.m. by the HNS.