Elmer F. Nerge Elgin

Elmer F. Nerge, 67, of 518 Van St., employed as a foreman for Woodruff and Edwards Foundry the past 37 years, died Sunday in Sherman Hospital following a lingering illness. Born Dec. 23, 1895, in Schaumburg, he had made his home in Elgin the past 37 years. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church of Elgin, a member of the Men's Club of the church, a former member of the board of Christian Education of St. John's School and a member of Post 57, American Legion. He was preceded in death by his parents, one sister and one brother. Survivors include the widow, Dorothea; one daughter, Mrs. Elmer (Evelyn) Hill of Union; one son, Kenneth of Elgin; nine grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Elmer (Emily) Batt and Mrs. Arthur (Eleanor) Krueger, both of Elgin, and Mrs. Herman Beyer of Aurora, and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at 1:30 Wednesday in Schmidt Funeral Home with the Rev. E/T. Groteheschen officiating. Burial will be in Lake Street Memorial Park. Friends may call at the funeral home. A memorial has been established for Elgin Cardinal Association for Retarded Children.

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