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## **William B. McKenzie, 91; was state representative**

William B. McKenzie, 91, a former state representative from North St. Paul, died Tuesday after a short illness at the Aitkin Community Nursing Home in Aitkin, Minn.

McKenzie served three terms in the House from 1959 to 1965. He was an officer of Local 77 of the International Association of Machinists.

McKenzie, who was born and raised in Kingston Township in northern Meeker County, was a World War I veteran. He settled in St. Paul and worked as a machinist and machinist supervisor at Ford Motor Co. and American Hoist and Derrick. After retiring in 1963, he became a labor arbitrator, said his son, Thomas, of North St. Paul.

In addition to his son, McKenzie is survived by his wife, Catherine, of Aitkin; sons, Lawrence and William, both of Aitkin, Dennis, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and Richard, of St. Paul; daughters Rose Marie Fleck, of Madison, Wis., Katherine Johnson, of Circle Pines, and Mary Ann Mettes, of Phoenix, Ariz., 48 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Visitation is scheduled from 3 to 9 p.m. today at the Sandberg Mortuary, 2593 7th Av. E., St. Paul. Services will begin at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at the mortuary. A funeral mass will be held at 10 a.m. at St. Peter's Church, 2590 N. Margaret St., North St. Paul. Burial will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery.

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