Florence Heishman

Florence L. Heishman, 102, of Grinnell died Sunday, May 19, at Friendship Manor.

A funeral service will be held Thursday, May 29, at 1 p.m. at Smith Funeral Home with John Epperson, pastor of Grinnell Christian Church, officiating. Organist will be Kathleen Heffner. Casket bearers will be Greg Dimit, Larry Ellis and David and James McCluskey. Burial will be in Ivy Hill Cemetery near Malcom. Friends may call at Smith Funeral Home beginning at 12 noon Wednesday, May 28, with the family present from 6 to 7 p.m.

She was born March 13, 1901, in Kinross to Don and Emma Moore Shaw. She was raised in Keswick and graduated from Keswick High School with the class of 1920. She attended the former Iowa State Teachers' College in Cedar Falls, then taught school in the Malcom area.

She was married Nov. 30, 1921, in Des Moines to Truman C. Heishman. The couple farmed near Malcom, then moved into Grinnell in 1972. She was a housekeeper at Grinnell House and later for John and Barbara Kleinschmidt for several years.

Survivors include her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one son Jimmy Heishman; one daughter, Phyllis Anne McCluskey; one grandson, Allen McCluskey and two sisters, Alice Schultz and Donna Kroehne.