
James Brown services held

James W. Brown, 79, of 565 N. Third Ave., E., Newton, formerly of Grinnell, died Monday morning, March 7, at Skiff Memorial Hospital in Newton.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Westfield Cemetery, with the Rev. Damon Reese of the Calvary Baptist Church officiating. Friends may call the Smith Funeral Home for additional information.

The son of Fred and Emma Thompson Brown, he was born

Sept. 29, 1903, in Newton. He had lived in the Grinnell, Kellogg and Newton areas all his life. He had been employed at the Grinnell Livestock Exchange for many years.

Mr. Brown is survived by his stepdaughter Margie Trease of Newton; four step-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Marie Strange of Valva, N.D.; Cecile Bartosiewicz of Milwaukee, Wis.; and Nelle Miller of California.