

Monday, December 21, 1964

Edith Brubaker Funeral Services

(David)

Mrs. Edith M. Brubaker, 88, of Rte. 1, Grinnell, died early Friday morning at a Des Moines hospital where she had been a patient since a recent fall. She had also been ill the past few months.

Services were held this afternoon (Monday) from the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Chester E. Custer, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Vocal music was provided by Mrs. Noel Taylor, accompanied by Mrs. Rhee Auman at the organ.

Pallbearers were Kenneth Adkins, Glenn Dexter, Virgil Johnson, Floyd Richman, Frank Ritter and Arnold Septer. Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Pettibone and was born in Iowa county on May 31, 1876. Following her education, she was united in marriage with David C. Brubaker in Marion, Iowa.

To this union were born eight children: Mrs. John (Mabel) Norman of Chariton, Mrs. Gilbert (Fern) Andrews of Cedar Rapids, David Brubaker of Cedar Rapids, Oscar Brubaker of South English, Mrs. Evelyn Tesser of Des Moines, Mrs. Pauline Adkins of Des Moines, Leroy Brubaker of Searsboro, and Keith Brubaker of Guthrie Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Brubaker came to Grinnell with their family in 1926 where he was employed in farming and plumbing. He preceded her in death in August of 1943.

She is survived by her eight children, 20 grandchildren, and 31 great grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband, one grandchild, and two great grandchildren.