

## Mrs. W. H. Burroughs 8-14- 1931 Funeral Today

Funeral services for Mrs. W. H. Burroughs, who passed away Wednesday morning, are being held this afternoon conducted by Rev. E. M. Vittum. A short service is being held from the home on west Sixth avenue at 2:30 o'clock and then from the Christian church at Kellogg at 3:00 o'clock. Burial will be in the Silent City cemetery at Kellogg.

Pallbearers will be Michael Coon, Charles Woodward, Frank Hammer, and Willard Parsons.

Phebe Jane Lipperd was born in the village of Elrod, near Versailles in southeastern Indiana on April 19 in 1850, and passed on to the higher life at her home in Grinnell Aug. 12, 1931, at the age of eighty-one years, four months.

She was united in marriage to Wm. H. Burroughs, April 19th in 1869, and together they moved to Jasper county, Iowa, to establish one of the pioneer homes in this state and county which was then very sparsely settled and where a neighbor only three to five miles away was considered near at hand. They at once secured for themselves a tract of land about 2½ miles east of Kellogg on which a small cabin had been built, and began developing it into a farm home. There they lived and reared their family until the five children were grown, and until 1919 when they retired, sold the farm, and located in Grinnell.

Mrs. Burroughs leaves surviving her three sisters, Mrs. Mary C. Hammer of Kellogg, Iowa, Mrs. Lydia Pryor, of Catalina, Calif., and Mrs. Jennette Moore of Oklahoma City, Okla., and two brothers, Moses Lipperd of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Henry Lipperd of Oklahoma.

She had five children, James Burroughs, of Newton, Iowa, Elsworth E. Burroughs who lost his life in an accident in North Dakota in September, 1906, Mrs. W. R. Cain of Pasa-

dena, California, Mrs. Ada Belle Gottschall of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Eleanor E. Burroughs of Grinnell. She also has surviving her thirteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

It would not be at all like her to boast, or even speak of her life accomplishments, but those of us who have known her longest and most intimately can not but be impressed with her unflinching cheerfulness, and her untiring faithfulness in helping everyone within her reach, and this in addition to the unusual care of her own family. When doctors and nurses were few and far between, and sickness overtook any of the neighbors, they all soon learned to whom to appeal for help and all they had to do was to let "Mother Burroughs" know about it and she was right on hand to help and to stay until no longer needed, and she was never too busy at home to go, and go cheerfully.

On moving to Grinnell she united with the Congregational church of which she has ever since been a faithful and consistent member.