

Thursday, August 27, 1961

## Dale Butler Dies Tuesday; Rites Friday

Dale W. Butler, 31, rural Tama, passed away Tuesday afternoon.

Funeral services for Butler will be Friday at 2:00 p.m. at the James-Schalinske Funeral Home. The Rev. Laverne Streich, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, will officiate and interment will be in the Ivy Hill cemetery at Malcom. Military graveside rites will be conducted by the Focht-Tennant Post No. 53, American Legion of Grinnell.

The son of Carl and Lucille Ahrens Butler, he was born on October 23, 1932, at Grinnell. He attended the Montezuma schools and was a graduate of the Montezuma High School.

During the Korean War, he served for three years with the U. S. Marine Corp. serving overseas in Korea, where he was wounded and was awarded the Purple Heart.

Following his discharge, he returned to his parents' home near Malcom and also attended Upper Iowa University at Fayette.

He was united in marriage to Mary Long on October 14, 1956, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Grinnell. Following their marriage they farmed in the Malcom area for four years, lived in Grinnell for a year, and for the past two years lived near Tama. He was employed by the Kiowa Corporation at Marshalltown.

He was a member of the St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Tama.

Survivors include his wife Mary; three sons, Randall, Richard and Michael; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Butler of Grinnell; and three brothers, Wayne of Ladora, and Ronald and Willis, both of Malcom.