

Monday, October 31, 1966

## Roy Carter, 62, Longtime Grinnell Resident, Dies

Roy Carter, age 62, of 602 2nd Ave, passed away Sunday morning, Oct. 30, at St. Francis hospital following failing health the last few years and hospitalization the last four days. He was the son of Tom and Mae Holmes Carter and was born in Victor, Iowa, on Sept. 2, 1904. He attended the Victor public schools and after his family moved to Grinnell, he attended Grinnell high school. On August 22, 1925, he was married to Beryl Benson in Grinnell.

Mr. Carter was a well known Grinnell auto mechanic. He started his mechanic work in the former Knights Buick garage and then was employed for some 30 years by Harris Motor; Cutschall Motor; Pulis-Johnson Motor; John Woods Motor, and Lee Conner Motor, all Grinnell Ford agencies.

He is survived by his widow, Beryl; his daughter, his mother, Mrs. Tom Carter of Marshalltown, and two grandchildren, Mrs. Paul (Penny Suzanne) McDonald, Rte. 3, Grinnell, and Donald Duane Ellis of Grinnell. Also surviving is his great grandson, Paul Scott McDonald, as well as one brother and one sister: Ray Carter of Marshalltown and Mrs. Harold (Esther) Hays of Marshalltown; also one nephew, Terry Hays of Marshalltown, and several cousins. He was preceded in death by his father and two infant sisters.

Funeral services for Roy Carter will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Wayne Shireman, minister of the First Baptist church, officiating. Pallbearers will be Jerry Carter, Bill Gilbreath, Fred Schmidt, Harry Scott, Ross Swart, and Arlie Binegar. Flower bearers will be Mrs. Wayne Icenbice and Mrs. Carl Speth. Burial will be made in the IOOF cemetery at Victor, Iowa. Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home.