

Mrs. Child Dies; Rites Friday

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Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, June 19, at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell for Mrs. Blanche Child, wife of Carl E. Child, 1432 Main St., who died Tuesday evening at Grinnell General Hospital following a lingering illness.

The Rev. Ralph Beebe of the Mayflower Home will officiate at the services. Organist will be Norman Goodbrod.

Pallbearers will be Edward McNally, Max A. Smith, Richard Ramsey, L. G. Keeney, Kyle C. Jones and I. S. Rasmussen.

Honorary pallbearers will be Eldon Olds, R. S. Kinsey, R. C. Seeland, B. C. Holmes, S. D. Preston, Richard E. Dean and George Walker.

Burial will be made in Hazelwood Cemetery.

Should friends desire, memorials in Mrs. Child's name may be made to the American Cancer Society in care of Mrs. Wayne Reams.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home.

The daughter of Andrew J. and Sarah Dice Lytle, Mrs. Child was born April 30, 1886, at Oskaloosa. She attended the country schools near her home and later graduated from William Penn Academy.

Mrs. Child came to Grinnell to teach school in 1909.

On Nov. 26, 1914, she married Carl E. Child at Oskaloosa and to this marriage two children were born.

Mrs. Child was a member of the United Church of Christ (Congregational), the DAR, the Levart Club, Chapter BM of the PEO, and when in better health, a member of the Priscilla Club.

Survivors include her husband, Carl; her two children, Robert W. Child of Northridge, Calif., and Mrs. Dwight (Margaret) A. Ink, Jr. of Rockville, Md., and eight grandchildren.

Mrs. Child was preceded in death by her four brothers—Harry, Walter, James and Elmer Lytle.