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Mrs. Ross Coutts Passes Away After A Lingerin*g* Illness

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Mrs. Rosena Stobbart Coutts, wife of Ross V. Coutts, passed away Tuesday night in a local hospital after a lingering illness. The announcement of her death, while not unexpected, will bring grief to the many good friends whom she has made during her long period of residence in Grinnell.

Memorial services were held this afternoon in the Smith funeral home in charge of Rev. W. F. Overhulser, her pastor. Vocal music was provided by Edward Bohstedt, who was accompanied on the organ by Mrs. Howard Lawrence. Mrs. Vesta Flaherty, Mrs. Verna Garrigan and Mrs. Alma Wilson were in charge of the flowers and casket bearers were Carl E. Child, Russell Clindinin, George Kelley, Robert Lincoln, Charles Hink and Paul V. Wilson. Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

Mrs. Coutts was born in Keokuk and was married to Ross V. Coutts in Independence, Mo., on June 27, 1908. She had been a resident of Grinnell for forty years. She was a member of Elmira chapter No. 40, O.E.S. of Keokuk, the White Shrine of Jerusalem and the Courtesy club of this city.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, George. Surviving are her husband, Ross V. Coutts, three sisters, Mrs. Harriet Wright of Keokuk, Mrs. Ada B. Brown of Chicago and Mrs. Elizabeth D. Smith of Kansas City, Mo., and two brothers, Frank H. Stobbart of Osceola and Ross H. Stobbart of Chariton.

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