

## Elisha Elliott, A Real Pioneer, Passes Away

One of the real pioneers of Rock Creek township passed away when Elisha Elliott died at his home Wednesday night at 10 o'clock. If he had lived until the 27th of this month Mr. Elliott would have been 84 years old.

The funeral will be held Saturday at 1 o'clock from the Rock Creek church.

Mr. Elliott had made his home in the same neighborhood since he came there with his parents when he was a baby less than a year old.

Mr. Elliott was born at Rushville, Iowa. He is survived by four children, one step-son and a sister, besides his widow. Children are Charles R. Elliott who lives on a farm five miles north of Grinnell, Edgar A. Elliott of Rock Creek township, Lee Elliott of Des Moines and Lula Parmley also of Rock Creek. The stepson, James Carpenter, has been making his home with his parents. One sister, Mary Elliott, of Grinnell, also survives him.

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## Another Old Settler Found

Attention has been called to some of the earliest settlers in this region. Perhaps the one who has been in this vicinity the longest is Elisha Elliott who was born in Rock Creek township in February, 1849, and still lives on the farm where his father settled. He was the first birth in Rock Creek township and attended school at Center No. 5 and has voted there all his life. He has probably lived in this section longer than any other person.

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