

Monday, February 5, 1963

Mrs. Ewing Dies; . Rites Wednesday

Mrs. Gertrude B. Ewing, 82, died early Sunday morning (Feb. 4) at the Lone Elm Nursing Home. Before her health failed, Mrs. Ewing had made her home at 320 Sixth Ave., and at the St. Francis hospital.

The daughter of William Arehart and Frances Cripe, Mrs. Ewing was born in Napanee, Ind., on July 6, 1885, one of a family of eight children. Mrs. Ewing had made her home in Napanee and Goshen, Ind., as well as Chicago, Ill., before coming to Grinnell to make her home in 1939.

Mrs. Ewing was a member of the WCTU and the Daughters of Union Veterans as well as the First Assembly of God church in Grinnell.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Russell (Helen Charlene) Baker of Ligonier, Ind., and Mrs. Edward (Erma Agnes) Rensner of Chicago; five grandchildren, and a number of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Mrs. Ewing was preceded in death by three brothers and four sisters and a son, Lewis, who died at an early age.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ewing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Sam Reaves.