

(N. B. Raymond)

MARY ROBBINS MAGOUN-RAY.
MOND.
Iowa State Register.

Mrs. Mary Robbins Raymond, wife of Mr. N. B. Raymond, formerly reporter of the Supreme Court, died at 1:55 Sunday afternoon at her home, No. 1349 West Eighth Street, aged 37 years. Death was caused by disease of one of the valves of the heart, from which she had suffered at times for several years. Besides the husband, the deceased leaves one child, Estella, aged 9 years.

The deceased was a daughter of Rev. Dr. George F. Magoun, who was for twenty-five years president of Iowa College, at Grinnell, where he is still living at the age of 74 years.

Mrs. Raymond was well known as a writer of short stories, sketches and other articles for the newspapers, many of which have appeared in the Register, of whose staff she was a member for several years prior to 1884. She was prominent in church work.

Mrs. Raymond was educated at Iowa College, and after graduation took a musical course. Later she went to Memphis, Tenn., to teach music in the Le Moyne Institute, conducted under the auspices of the American Missionary Association. She remained in that position a year or two, and while there wrote short stories and sketches for the Congregationalist of Boston and the Advance of Chicago. After her return to this state she accepted a position on the editorial staff of the Register, doing