

E Grant Reavis G-14
4-5-1932
Funeral Held

The funeral of Elijah Grant Reavis was held in the Baptist Church Saturday afternoon, and was conducted by Rev. William Welsh. A quartet composed of Donald Schooley, Glen and Carl Huff, and Joseph Haupt sang two beautiful numbers. Interment was at the Blue Point cemetery.

Elijah Grant Reavis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reavis, was born Aug. 24, 1868 in Yadin County, South Carolina, and died at the Community hospital in Grinnell on March 31, 1932, being 63 years, seven months, and seven days.

He came with his parents to Grinnell from the east in the spring of 1880, and has resided in this county practically ever since. He was married to Eva Frye of Grinnell on April 14, 1909. To this union ten children were born, seven boys and three girls. They are Theodore, Maurice, Clarence, Glen, Gertrude, Lela, Russell, George, Wilbur, Wilma. For many years Mr. Reavis was an employe of Spauldings, but of late years had been employed by the Grinnell Washing Machine Corporation.

He leaves to mourn the loss, his wife and the children already mentioned. Also his father, Mr. J. W. Reavis; three brothers and three sisters, Mrs. A. E. Beety of Ill., A. C. Reavis of Seattle, Wash., J. T. Reavis of Grinnell, Joseph Reavis of Tama, Mrs. A. D. Rayl of Sugar Creek, and Mrs. Charles Bauerle of Ill.

Mr. Reavis was a man well respected in the community, and his presence will be missed.