

Rites Wednesday For Erna Shafer

H.R. 2-17-55
Funeral services for Erna Shafer, 84, longtime resident of the Grinnell community, were held Wednesday afternoon at Smith Funeral Home.

Rev. C. E. Kingsley, minister of the First Baptist church, officiated at the final rites at which organ selections were played by Edward Bohstedt.

Pallbearers were Charles and George Abney, George German, George Hamilton, Alex Manson and Shirley Sisco. Interment was in Pleasant township cemetery at Ewart.

Mr. Shafer died shortly before noon Monday, Feb. 14.

Born at Oskaloosa, July 4, 1871, he had resided in this area throughout most of his lifetime.