

Monday, January 1, 1968

Mrs. York Dies; Funeral Thursday

Mrs. Leila Nagle York, 72, of 1433 Spencer St., Grinnell, widow of Everett L. York, died early this morning (Tuesday) at Grinnell General Hospital East.

The daughter of Lee and Elizabeth Bell Nagle, Mrs. York was born Aug. 22, 1895, at Milton, Ia. She attended the Red Oak, Iowa, schools and later graduated from Cornell College at Mt. Vernon, Ia.

On Sept. 25, 1918, at Red Oak, she was united in marriage with Everett Lauren York. To his union were born one son, Lauren L. York of Tulsa, Okla., and one daughter, Mrs. H. E. (Marjorie) Crowe of Cedar Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. York lived on a Montana ranch when first married. In about 1920 they moved to Greene, Iowa, for a short time and later they lived in LeGrand, Iowa, where Mr. York was the bank cashier.

Mr. York then became active in the lumber business and he managed lumber yards at Oxford, Ia., and the former Nagle Lumber Co., at Cedar Rapids. In 1929 they moved to Grinnell where he owned and operated the York Lumber Company and was active with the Grinnell Federal Savings & Loan Association.

Mrs. York was a member of the

Grinnell Methodist church and the WSCS of the church, Chapter BM of the P.E.O., the D.A.R., Order of Eastern Star, the Priscilla Club, Phi Rho Lambda Club, and the Gamma Phi Beta sorority.

Mrs. York is survived by her son and daughter; four grandchildren—David York, a student at Knox College in Galesburg, Ill.; Kathryn York, a student at Trinity University, San Antonio, Texas; Elizabeth York at home in Tulsa; and Cynthia Leigh Crowe, at home in Cedar Rapids; and one sister—Mrs. C. E. Olander of Wichita, Kan.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers—George and Leland Nagle; and her husband on June 24, 1963.

Funeral services for Mrs. York will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday at the Grinnell Methodist church with the pastor, the Rev. Chester Custer, officiating.

Organist will be Mrs. Willard Heffner. Pallbearers will be Raymond L. George, Burton C. Holmes, Lawrence G. Keeney, Hugh McCleery, O. Dale Smith, and Francis W. Tomasek.

Burial will be in Hazelwood cemetery in Grinnell.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home until 9 a.m. Thursday and thereafter at the Grinnell Methodist church.

Those desiring may make memorial donations to the Grinnell Methodist church.

(Everett L.)