

Myrtle Adkins rites Saturday

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Mrs. CASH OLIVER

Myrtle Adkins, 84, of Oakland Acres died Thursday afternoon at Grinnell General Hospital where she had been a patient for two weeks.

Funeral services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. James Russell of the Grinnell United Methodist Church officiating. Organist was Kathleen Heffner. Pallbearers were Leo Ahrens, Dale Clark, Harold Haines, Larry May, Michael Mintle and Steven Mintle. Burial was at Rock Creek Cemetery.

Memorials in Mrs. Adkins' name may be made to Grinnell General Hospital.

The daughter of Grant W. and Eva Spencer Deeds, she was born March 21, 1897, at Little Geneseo, N.Y. She and her

family moved to the Grinnell area where she attended school.

On Dec. 14, 1912, she was married to Cash Oliver Adkins in Newton. The couple farmed west of Grinnell until 1935, then moved to a farm near Sheldon, Wis. They also lived in Davenport before moving to Oakland Acres in 1957.

Mrs. Adkins was a member of the Victor Grange.

She is survived by her children, Ila Mintle of Rte. 1, Malcom, Wilma May of Rte. 1, Gilman, Wanda Kiesey of Oakland Acres and Barbara Henderson of Lebanon, Ore.; eight grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren. She was preceded by her husband, a son in infancy, two sisters, and one brother.