

## Ruth Adkins rites Saturday

Ruth Ellen Adkins, 68, of Grinnell died early Wednesday morning at Grinnell General Hospital.

Services for Miss Adkins will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Smith Funeral Home, with burial at Rock Creek Cemetery.

The daughter of Horace James and Alice Lenore Tarvestad Adkins, she was born on Oct. 9, 1914, on the family farm west of Grinnell. She attended school near her home and graduated from Grinnell High School. She also

received bachelor's and master's degrees in education from Drake University.

Miss Adkins had taught for 43 years in the school system here, retiring seven years ago. Her specialty was remedial reading.

She is survived by her sister, Patricia L. Christinson of Grinnell. Preceding her in death were her parents and a brother, Alvin H. Adkins.

Miss Adkins was a member of the Victor Grange and the Grinnell-Newburg Education Association.

## Ruth Adkins services held

Funeral services for Ruth Ellen Adkins, 68, of Grinnell, who died Wednesday, April 13, at Grinnell General Hospital, were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Smith Funeral Home.

The Rev. Morris Hay, pastor of the Hickory Grove Church, officiated. Organist was Kathleen Heffner. Pallbearers were Everett Cooper, Gerold Dhondt, Virgil Doud, Scott Gruhn, Kenton Elliott and Arthur Smith.

Burial was at Rock Creek Cemetery west of Grinnell.