

Martha George

(DWIGHT)

H-R February 27, 1988
Martha J. George, 66, of 1317 Third Ave., Grinnell, died Thursday, Feb. 23, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Raleigh Gordon, interim pastor of the Grinnell First Baptist Church, officiating. Organist was Alice Renaud, and pallbearers were Kenneth Dutemple, Donovan Evans, Jack Morrison, LaVerne Schmidke, Curt Vos and Bud Wolfe.

Burial was in Hazelwood Cemetery.

The daughter of Verne and Marjorie Taylor Mumford, she was born July 22, 1922, at Chariton. She was a 1940 graduate of Chariton High School and later attended Chariton Business College.

She was married to Dwight George Jan. 29, 1942, at Princeton, Mo. While living in Chariton she worked at the Chariton Wholesale Company and Spurgeon's Store. She taught Sunday School at the Chariton Christian Church.

The couple lived in Washington, Iowa, before moving to Grinnell in February 1948. Mrs. George worked as a claims processing clerk and a receptionist at Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Co. from 1959 to 1980.

She is survived by her husband, Dwight; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; one brother, Gerald Mumford of Ida Grove; and two sisters, Ruth Cooper of Monroe and Mary Jessip of Chariton. She was preceded in death by her parents and one son, Robert D., who died in 1975.