

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1965

**Mrs. Anna Grife Rites
Held In Willmar, Minn.**

Final rites for Mrs. Anna L. Grife, a resident of the Willmar Nursing Home, were conducted Tuesday, March 16, at the First Methodist church in Willmar with the Rev. Clayton Oberg officiating. Mrs. Grife died March 13 following an illness of several years. She was 72.

Music was provided by Mrs. James Bell accompanied by Mrs. Willard Hanson, organist.

Pallbearers were Dr. Paul Dunstan, Dr. Albert Ellinger, Shirle Holverson, Lyle Mack, Allan Oberg and William Hansen.

Burial was at Olivet Cemetery in Deer River, Minn.

Mrs. Grife, the former Anna Jones, was born Jan. 27, 1893 at Barnes City. A graduate of the Cedar Falls Teachers College, she taught in the Iowa schools prior to her marriage on Sept. 1, 1915 to Chancy Grife, also of Barnes City.

She joined the Primitive Baptist Church, Barnes City, in 1922 and was an active member until her health failed about four years ago.

Having been preceded in death by her husband, she is survived by five children, Mrs. Roger Meredith (Margaret) of Hayward, Calif; John of Socorro, New Mexico; Mrs. Fred Kellet (Mildred) of Brainerd; Verne Grife of Montezuma, and Mrs. Clayton Oberg (Mary) of Willmar.

Other survivors include eight brothers and one sister, Palmer Jones of Joplin, Mo; Wesley of Bloomfield, Iowa; James of Kelly Lake and William, George, David, Louis, Woodrow and Lily Jones, all of Barnes City; 19 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.