

Monday, January 20, 1969

Grinnell Native Dies In Newton

Charles Halterman of Newton, a native of Grinnell, died Sunday evening, Jan. 12, at his home at the age of 67.

The son of Charles D. and Lillian Brown Halterman, Mr. Halterman was born Aug. 2, 1901, in Grinnell. On May 30, 1926, he married Marie Holstrom in Des Moines.

Mr. Halterman moved to Newton in 1922 where he was employed as a barber. For more than 20 years he had played the role of Santa Claus for Newton children.

Survivors include his widow; one son, Charles D. Halterman III of Santa Ana, Calif.; two granddaughters, Helen and Karen Halterman; a brother, Marion Halterman of Grinnell; and two sisters, Mrs. Marvel DeJong and Mrs. Lola Rortch, both of Grinnell.

Mr. Halterman was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers, and two sisters.

Services for Mr. Halterman were held Wednesday, Jan. 15, at the Toland-Wallace Funeral Home in Newton. The Rev. Rob-

ert Willhoite, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated.

Burial was in Newton Memorial Park cemetery.