

Rites held for Mr. Harbison

H-R September 17, 1987

George Harbison, 73, of 902 Prince St., Grinnell, died Monday, Sept. 14, at Grinnell General Hospital.

Funeral services were at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Sam Reaves, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiating. Organist was Naomi Reaves, and pallbearers were Gene Campbell, Clarence Delk, Duane Klenk, Leland Meredith, Jim Puls Jr. and James Willemson. Burial was in the Westfield Cemetery south of Grinnell.

He was born on March 27, 1914, at Searsboro, the son of

John and Anna Newbury Harbison. He attended rural school.

On Aug. 28, 1937, he was married to Ellen Watkins in Grinnell. Mr. Harbison was employed as a trucker, at the Varsity News Stand, and by the Grinnell Taxi Service.

He is survived by his wife, Ellen; one daughter, Karen Rehberg of Newton; three grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and one sister, Lila E. Williamson of Montezuma. He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Michael; and a sister, Nellie Mae Harbison.