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Charles Howard Dies In Nebraska

Charles H. Howard, 71, of North Platte, Neb., formerly a resident of Grinnell, died late Saturday evening in Omaha, Neb., following a brief illness.

The son of Bert and Jennie Lemke Howard, Mr. Howard was born in Grinnell on June 19, 1900. He had lived in Grinnell most of his life moving to North Platte 17 years ago.

While in Grinnell Mr. Howard was a driver for the Greyhound Bus Co. and the Denver Chicago Truck Lines. In North Platte he was a caretaker at the North Platte Fairgrounds.

Survivors include his two daughters, Mrs. Marvin (Betty) Sisson of Grinnell and Mrs. Merle (Donna) Keup of Chariton; two grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren; as well as two sisters and one brother—Mrs. Harry (Grace) Jones of North Platte, Neb.; Mrs. Hazel Doud of Kellogg, and Fred Howard of Hillsdale, Ill., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services for Mr. Howard will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home with the Rev. Hugh A. Shiveley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Organist will be Mrs. Leonard Pearce.

Pallbearers will be Keith Bortell, Herbert Carter, Gerald Flanagan, George W. Johnson, Fred Schmidt, and Don Sparks.

Burial will be made in Hazelwood Cemetery with the Smith Funeral Home in charge.