

Monday, January 21, 1963

Conduct Funeral Rites Today For Richard Hunter, 60

Richard Hunter, 60, of Grinnell, died Friday morning at a local hospital following an extended illness.

Funeral services were held this afternoon (Monday) from the James-Schalinske Funeral Home with the Rev. Chester E. Custer, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Vocal music was provided by William Gill, accompanied by Mrs. R. H. Auman at the organ.

In charge of flowers were Olga Roseland and Mrs. Myron Millhollin.

pallbearers were Max Chedester, Jack Chedester, Glenn Chedester, Gene Hunter, Sidney Hunter, and Gerald Foster. Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

The son of George and Christina Cawe Hunter, he was born Aug. 29, 1902, on a farm southwest of Grinnell. He attended the rural schools of Richland township and grew to manhood in that community.

On Sept. 4, 1923, he was united in marriage with Lois Chedester. Following their marriage they farmed for three years and then moved to Grinnell where they made their home, with the exception of three years, 1942 to 1945, when he was employed by the Martin Bomber Plant in Omaha, Neb.

He was employed for a year by a local garage and in 1930 started his own business, the Hunter Electrical Service, located at the west edge of the city.

Mr. Hunter is survived by his widow Lois; his son Floyd; two grandchildren, Perry Collier Hunter and Kristin Leigh Hunter, Grinnell; and three brothers, Hugh, John and James, all of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers, Thomas, George, and William.

Mr. Hunter was a member of the Grinnell Methodist church.