

ESDAY, JUNE 3, 1930.

Charles Johnson Funeral Is Held

Charles Johnson was born in Philadelphia, Penn., on January 13, 1852, and died at Des Moines, Iowa, May 30, 1930, aged 78 years, 4 months and 17 days. When he was nine years of age he moved with his father's family to New Bedford, Illinois. Here he grew to manhood and on January 28, 1880, he was united in marriage with Elizabeth Einsele. A year later, March, 1881, he moved to Iowa and located on a farm near Sheridan in Poweshiek county. Three children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, all of whom survive. They are Mrs. Ethel Mae Sulser, Des Moines, Iowa; Frank L. Johnson, Grinnell; Glen C. Johnson, Los Angeles, Cal. Two brothers also survive, William A. Johnson and Benjamin Johnson of New Bedford, Ill. Mrs. Johnson died April 6, 1915.

Since 1903 Mr. Johnson has lived in Grinnell and vicinity. Six days before his death he went to the home of his daughter in Des Moines for medical care and treatment. Mr. Johnson was a successful farmer and was held in high esteem as a friend and neighbor by those who knew him. He was of a quiet and unassuming disposition but was a good business man and attended strictly and honorably to all his business affairs.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Grinnell on Monday afternoon conducted by the Rev. George Blagg. The hymns, "No Shadows Yonder" and "We'll Never Say Goodbye In Heaven" were sung by Mrs. J. S. McCuniff and Mrs. Roscoe Dempster. The pall bearers were Messrs. Will Alley, John Alley, N. O. Pilgrim, Will Spooner, Charles Hanson and Charley Evans. Burial was made in Hazelwood.