

FREDERICK

OBITUARY

LENA OLSON MURPHY

(Contributed)

Lena Olson Murphy, daughter of Ole B. Olson and Olena Hetland Olson, was born Dec. 16, 1880, near Grinnell and passed away March 21, 1957, after an illness of about a year.

Her parents moved to a farm near Story City when she was a small child. She attended public school and was confirmed in the Lutheran church near her home.

On Sept. 20, 1904, she was married to Frederick Murphy. They lived on the farm near Malcom which was her home for 53 years.

Five children were born to this union: Ruth, William, Harold, Raymond, and Mrs. Gladys Wisecarver.

She was preceded in death by her husband who passed away

Oct. 14, 1938; her parents; four sisters, and two brothers.

Survivors are the sons and daughters; a sister, Mrs. Carl Jacobson, and a brother, Tom B. Olson, both of Story City; and a grandson, James Wisecarver, of Malcom.

Mrs. Murphy loved her home. She bore her illness patiently and will be missed by family and friends.
