

Services for
ms Anna E. O'Brien 12/31/72

Anna Elizabeth O'Brien, age 96, of 918 Spring St., died Friday morning at Grinnell General Hospital following a lengthy illness. She was born Feb. 18, 1875, in Gladbrook, the daughter of Cornelius Mathew and Margaret Seberth O'Brien. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic. She received a B.A. degree from Grinnell College in 1911.

Anna E. O'Brien lived in Grinnell for 75 years, during which time she held bookkeeping positions with Grinnell Savings and Loan Co., the Broadway Dept. Store and the North Market. She had also taught school in Chester

Township and worked in the Stewart Library for 4 years. She retired in 1962.

She is survived by two sisters: Pearl Oswald, of Troutman, S. C., and Mary Jones, of Bladensburg. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews including W. K. Richardson and C. J. O'Brien, of Grinnell; Cliff O'Brien, of Newton; and Mary O'Brien, of Cedar Rapids. She was preceded in death by her parents, four sisters and five brothers: Katy O'Brien, Elizabeth Richardson, Barbara Mills, Margaret McSpadden, Samuel, William Edmond, Charles and Jack O'Brien.

Requiem mass will be said 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Grinnell, with the Rev. Leo J. Kuebrich, pastor of the church officiating.

Pallbearers will be Wesley Ahrens, Pierce Comerford, Cyril Gallagher, Robert E. Hamilton, John Hoterkin, and Edward McNally.

Vigil service for Anna E. O'Brien will be held 7 p.m. this evening at the Smith Funeral Home. Burial will be made in St. Mary's Cemetery in Oskaloosa. Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home.