

Monday, October 7, 1963

## Miss Ruth Paine, Teacher Here For 42 Years, Dies

Miss Ruth Paine, 63, of 523 Broad Street, died early Saturday 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. Robert D. Dewey, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. Organ music was by Mrs. Kathleen Heffner.

Serving as pallbearers were James Urfer, Gordon Feiber, James Cunningham, Paul Ahrens, Robert Strawser, and John Lang. Interment was in Hazelwood cemetery.

Born at Newton on June 5th, 1895, she was the daughter of Edward G. and Bessie Douglas Paine. When she was two, her parents moved to Grinnell. She graduated from the Grinnell school and the State Teachers

College at Cedar Falls.

Miss Paine taught in the Grinnell elementary schools for 42½ years before retiring in 1960.

She was a member of the First Congregational church, the P.E.O., the D.A.R., a charter member of the Historical Society, and a member of the Community Hospital Auxiliary.

Survivors include her sister, Dorothy of Grinnell; a cousin, Frances Marquis, also of Grinnell; and an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Douglas and their two children of Grinnell.

Her parents preceded her in death.