

Thursday, March 7, 1968

Former Grinnellian, Mrs. E. Peterson. Services In Ames

Mrs. Edwin W. (Mabel) Peterson, 66, a native of near Grinnell, died Tuesday morning, March 5, in Mary Greeley Hospital in Ames where she had been a patient for two weeks.

The daughter of Anna Florence and Newton J. Morgan, Mrs. Peterson was born March 8, 1901, near Grinnell and moved to Ames in 1946. She attended State Teachers' College in South Dakota, the University of Iowa, the University of Wisconsin and Columbia University and worked for the Atomic Energy Commission, the College Bookstore and the University Housing Department at Iowa State University and the ISU Statistics Lab.

Mrs. Peterson was a member of the Collegiate Methodist Church, PEO, past president of the YWCA, chairman of Missions at the Methodist Church, Vesper Service Guild and a member of the official board of the Methodist Church and the Community Council of Churches. She had previously been active in Camp Fire Wagon, the Kewanee Group of the Methodist Church and Sigma Kappa and Kappa Sigma honorary.

Survivors include her husband, Edwin W. Peterson, a former staff member at Iowa State University, now retired; one daughter, Mrs. George J. Wilhite of Darien, Conn.; one brother, Ben E. Morgan of Altona; one sister, Mrs. H. C. Fleener of Des Moines; and two grandsons.

Mrs. Peterson was preceded in death by her parents, and one brother, Rollie Morgan.

Funeral services for Mrs. Peterson were held at 1 p.m. today (Thursday) at the Adams Funeral Home in Ames with the Rev. Wilbur Wiley officiating.

Burial was in Ames, Iowa.

A memorial in Mrs. Peterson's name has been established at the Collegiate Methodist Church. The committee for Christian Relief

Edwin W.