

Mrs. Malissa Phipps Dies Sunday

Mrs. Malissa Phipps, of Grinnell, widow of W. F. Phipps, died at 4:30 Sunday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Sharer, 311 W. Nevada St., Marshalltown, after a brief illness. She went to Marshalltown with her son James and family to spend the Fourth of July with her daughter, and suddenly became ill on the way there. Death was caused by apoplexy.

Mrs. Phipps was born in Henry county, January 25, 1853, daughter of Thomas and Martha Davis Wood.

When she was three years old she moved to Jasper county with her parents and was married in 1869 to W. F. Phipps.

They made their home in Jasper county until the death of Mr. Phipps, June 7, 1916, when she moved to Grinnell. She was a member of the Christian church here. She is survived by five children, Mrs. C. C. Sharer of Marshalltown, M. G. Phipps of Santa Ana, Calif., and James C., T. J. and George F. Phipps of Grinnell. Two sisters, Mrs. Lydia Roth of Des Moines and Mrs. Rhoda Pickering of Kirksville, Mo., also survive her.

There was a prayer service at the home of Mrs. Sharer at one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and the funeral was held at three o'clock Wednesday from the Friends church here. Burial was at Rock Creek cemetery.