## He Lived 1932 Long and Well

H. L. Triplett Passes Away Suddenly at His Home at 3:50 O'Clock Sunday Morning

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Mr. Triplett Would Have Been 73 Years Old Sept. 25—Had Lived in Grinnell Since 1882

H. L. Triplett, for many years one of Grinnell's wellknown citizens, came to the end of life's journey Sunday morning at 3:50 o'clock. Saturday he was at work as usual in his planing mill but complained during the afternoon of not feeling well and went home. A treatment relieved him somewhat but the pain persisted and he refused to go to bed that night, preferring to sit in his favorite chair or walk about the house. He was sitting in the chair when he suddenly leaned forward and was dead instantly.

Funeral services will he held from the home at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Appropriate music will be rendered by Mrs. McCunniff and Mrs. Vaughn and Rev. E. M. Vittum will offer prayer. Services will be in accordance with the impressive ritual of the Odd Fellows.

Mr. Triplett was born near Princeton, Ill., and would have been seventy, three years old had he lived until Sept. 25. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Triplett. When he was nine years old the family moved to Brooklyn

where he made his home until 1882, moving to Grinnell just after the famous cyclone. Mr. Triplett was a carpenter and has built himself into many Grinnell homes. He was an honest and able workman. For a number of years he was superintendent of buildings and grounds at the college and was in charge of the construction of many cement walks on the campus, "Trip" was a great favorite with the students and was included in many of their activities.

Some years ago he established the Triplett planing mill just back of the York Lumber Co. and made his home near by in the old J. B. Grinnell house which he had bought and moved to its present location and made over into an apartment house.

Mr. Triplett is survived by his devoted wife, whom he married in 1917, three daughters, Mrs. Avis Lane of Santa Barbara, Calif., Mrs. Clara Hickey and Mrs. Ray Shields of Hollywood, and a son, Harry, of Galatia, Ill., also by three brothers, Monsieur Triplett of Brooklyn, Aquilla of Amarillo, Texas and Dr. Lou Triplett of Pasadena, Calif. Mrs. Hickey, Mrs. Shields and Harry Triplett of the children, a brother-in-law, Fred Littlefield, of Hutchinson, Kas., Harry Barber, a son of Mrs. Triplett, and family of Fairfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holland of Des Moines, Mrs. Holland being a niece, were among those from out of town who attended the funeral today.