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MS **Nelle Whitaker**  
**services today**

Nelle G. Whitaker, 76, of 116 Reed St., Grinnell, died Monday at her home. 2-2-76

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. today at the James-Schlaanske Funeral Home, with Del Coppinger of Newton and the Rev. Tom Good of the Oak Grove Friends Church officiating. Organist will be Mrs. Willard Heffner, and pallbearers will be Virgil Jones, Charles L. Kaufman, Thomas Lowry, Laverne Morrison, Kenneth Palmer and Harold Whitaker. Burial will be at Hazelwood Cemetery.

Should friends desire, memorials in Miss Whitaker's name may be made to the coronary care unit of Grinnell General Hospital.

The daughter of David W. and Lugenia Nebergall Whitaker, she was born Oct. 29, 1899, near Killduff. She attended rural school near her home and at Grinnell High School. She was graduated from Capitol Commercial College in Des Moines.

For 40 years, she was employed by Standard Oil of Indiana in Chicago, Ill. Following her retirement, she continued to live in Chicago, moving to Grinnell in 1970 to make her home with her sister, Verna.

Survivors include a brother, Rolla J. Whitaker of Grinnell, and a sister, Verna M. Whitaker, also of Grinnell. She was preceded in death by her mother and father; two brothers, Bert and Lee Whitaker; and two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Donai and Mrs. Hazel Adams.