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nee Minnie Shearer

## Final Rites Sunday For Mrs. J. B. Kimberley

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COLO — Funeral services for Mrs. J. B. Kimberley, who died early Wednesday morning will be held 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Goodenow. Burial will be in the Peoria cemetery.

It is requested by the family that no flowers be given for the services, but those desiring to do so may give to a memorial fund, which will be used for the church in Mrs. Kimberley's memory.

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## Mrs. J. Kimberley Is Taken by Death

12-30-1948

COLO — Mrs. J. B. Kimberley, 78, died 4 a.m. this morning at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Goodenow, here in Colo where she had made her home for the past 14 years. She had been an invalid the past four and a half years. Mrs. Kimberley was born in Collins and spent her entire life in the Collins and Colo communities.

Funeral services are pending.

Surviving are nine children. She was preceded in death by her husband the late J. B. Kimberley, in 1921, and one child.

Final rites were held Sunday, Jan. 2, for Mrs. Minnie Kimberley, widow of the late J. B. Kimberley, whose death occurred last Thursday morning. Short, impressive services were conducted from the home in Colo, with the Rev. E. J. Berreth, pastor of the Colo Evangelical United Brethren church, bringing a most comforting message to the family and friends.

Interment was in the Peoria cemetery, south of Maxwell, by the side of her husband.

The following grandsons acted as pallbearers: Melvin, Frank and James Kimberley, Ronald Altes, Dick Maxwell and Harold Brinkman.

Mrs. Minnie Kimberley was born in Collins township, Aug. 10, 1870, a daughter of the late Silas and Elizabeth Jane Shearer, pioneer residents of this vicinity.

Attending Normal Institute at Nevada, Ia., she taught school a number of years.

On March 21, 1891, she was united in marriage to John B. Kimberley, also of Collins, who preceded her in death in November of 1921. To this union 10 children were born, the first son dying in infancy.

Those surviving are: Frank W. of Regina, Sask., Canada; Isaiah M. of Maxwell; John B. of Arlington, Virginia; Fred H. of Collins; Ruth (Mrs. S. B. Goodenow) of Colo; Mildred (Mrs. N. H. Brinkman) of Colo; Minnie (Mrs. Don Maxwell) of Washington, Ia.; Harold S. of Colo; Kathryn (Mrs. J. D. Armstrong) of Ames, Ia.

Also surviving are 24 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, three sisters—Mrs. Orrie Helts of Collins, Mrs. Catherine Diggins of Colo and Mrs. Harriett Frazier of Hot Springs, S. Dak.;

three brothers—L. D. Shearer of Collins, Walter Shearer of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Sanford Shearer of Los Angeles, Calif. Three brothers and one sister preceded her in death.

The passing of this good woman, loving mother and fine neighbor is mourned also by a host of friends.

Mrs. Kimberley lived her entire life in the Collins vicinity until 14 years ago when she moved to Colo. The last four and a half years, during which time she was an invalid, she was under the constant care of her daughter Ruth and Dr. Goodenow. She passed away early Thursday morning, Dec. 30, 1948, at the age of 78 years, 4 months and 20 days.

Mrs. Kimberley was a member of the Colo Methodist church. The memorial fund in her memory will be used in that church.

The family extend their grateful thanks to all who contributed to this memorial.

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