

H-R March 8, 1984
Clair Porter services held

Clair Ray Porter, 73, of Salem, Ill., a Grinnell College graduate and former staff member of The Grinnell Herald-Register, died Monday evening, March 5, at Doctors Nursing Home in Salem.

Funeral services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. today at the Rogers-Atkins Funeral Home in Salem, with burial in East Lawn Cemetery there.

Memorials in Mr. Porter's name may be made to the First United Presbyterian Church of Salem or to the American Heart Association.

The son of Arthur and Sophia Prestin Porter, he was born in Iowa on Jan. 13, 1911. He was married to Mary Foster Tem-

ple on Nov. 14, 1943, in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Porter was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church at Salem. He was a veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Salem Elks Club, Knights Templar, American Legion, Masonic Lodge, Senior Citizens, Salem Toastmasters and the Rotary Club.

He had worked as a research analyst for the state of Illinois.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; one son, Bruce Porter of Champaign, Ill.; one sister, Louise Alleley; and one grandchild.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Geraldine.