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WILLIAM C. POWELL  
William Collom Powell was born in Cambria Co., Pennsylvania, July 10th, 1833, where all his early life was spent. In 1880 he came to Iowa but went to Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, soon after, where he bought an interest in a hotel. In 1874 he returned to Iowa buying a farm in Jasper County, on which he lived until 1887 when his health failing he sold out and came to Grinnell. Here, with the exception of two or three years spent in South Dakota, he has lived ever since. He made his home in Grinnell with his sister, Mrs. R. Schoffner, where he was loved and respected by all who knew him as an honest, upright man, a kind and loving brother and one who will be sadly missed by many relatives and friends. He always manifested great interest in religious matters but differed so radically with so called orthodox theology he felt it his duty to support that theory of the plan of human redemption he believed to be true and had no faith in the hideous doctrine that any of God's creatures should suffer endless conscious punishment. He had unbounded faith in the doctrine of restitution as taught in the Bible. He passed away Oct. 10th, 1904, and was laid to rest in Hazelwood, cemetery, Rev. Allan H. Wood conducting the services.  
J. C. P.

—William Collins Powell who resided at 1138 Elm St., died yesterday morning at 1:30 of heart trouble, aged 71 years. The services were held at the house this morning at ten o'clock and were conducted by Rev. Allen Wood of Tetonka, Iowa.

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