

GEORGE RUDOLPH YEARNs

George Rudolph Yearns, son of Henry and Augusta Yearns, was born near Queen City, Mo., May 8, 1881 and departed this life at the Kirksville Osteopathic Hospital April 2, 1956 at the age of 74 years, 10 months, and 24 days.

On October 7, 1906 he was married to Hettie Erwin. To this union nine children were born, five dying in infancy. Surviving are Mrs. Ora (Helen) Aldridge of Downing, Mo., Eugene of Lake City, Ia., Harold and Mrs. Bill (Neva) Aldridge of Queen City.

Following the passing of their mother, May 2, 1924, their father took the part of both father and mother and provided a happy home for them until they had homes of their own.

In October 1939 he was married to Bessie Anders who passed away in December 1948.

In October 1952 he was married to Maggie Aldridge who tenderly cared for him during his two years of illness.

His father, mother, a brother and two sisters preceded him in death.

He leaves surviving, his wife, four children, 12 grandchildren, three brothers, William, Carl and Frank, one sister, Mary T. Hofen.

He was a member of the Germania Methodist church.

George lived all his life in the same neighborhood. He was a kind and thoughtful neighbor, a devoted and considerate husband and father and will be greatly missed by all.

Funeral services were conducted at St. John's Lutheran church Wednesday, April 4, 3:00 p. m. with Rev. Hollis Bowen officiating.

Music was furnished by Downing quartette.

Body bearers were Kerald Yearns, Clifford Yearns, Otto Yearns, Dean Yearns, Victor Erwin and Lavern Dunham.

Flower girls were the granddaughters.

Interment was in the Germania cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Moore Funeral Home.