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Rites Set Saturday For Mrs. Elston Who Dies at Age 100

A 100-year-old Elston resident, Mrs. Helen M. Elston, died at her home early yesterday three days short of her 101st birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Elston was born April 10, 1854, in Greenfield, Mass., the daughter of Don Lorenzo and Sarah Gay Moore. She came to Missouri with her parents at the age of 3. The family settled near High Point, and Mrs. Elston received her education in Monticau County schools. She was married March 17, 1875, to George Elston, who was a county judge for many years. Mrs. Elston was a member of the Baptist Church at Elston.

Survivors are two sons, Don Elston, of the home, and Dr. George B. Elston, Kansas City; one daughter, Mrs. Warren Lukens, of the home; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Elston Community Church with the Rev. H. B. Gadd and the Rev. Hugh Trotter officiating. Burial will be in the Elston Cemetery.