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Anna Clorea Stark was born at Hale, Mo., June 19, 1900, and departed this life January 31, 1936, at the age of 35 years, 7 months and 12 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure her husband, Wm. Stark, two little daughters, Louise and Lucille, three brothers, R. L. Grimsley, of Washington, D. C., R. W. Grimsley of San Diego, Calif., and Wendell, of Kansas City, also two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Price, Mulberry, Ark., and Mrs. Sam Hutcherson, of Clarence, Mo.

Her mother and father, both passed away when Clorea was a small girl. After that she made her home with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutcherson, until her marriage to William Stark.

She united with the Christian church in Kansas City at the age of seventeen and was a devoted believer until her death. She was a kind and loving mother and loyal wife.

The remains were brought to Clarence Sunday from her home in Quincy where she passed away, after a short illness caused from accidentally striking the top of her head which produced a hemorrhage, causing a blood clot.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at the Clarence Christian church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Rolla Sears. The interment was in Maplewood cemetery.

The pall bearers were Geo. H. Griffin, Noble Gosney, Edwin Collins, James Riley, Newt Switzer and Vernor Copenhagen. The funeral director was Ed Blockham of Quincy.

L. PETERMAN

Prominent Young Business Man And Manager of North Missouri Lumber Co.

William Lewis Peterman, son of Mrs. L. J. Peterman and the late Mr. Peterman, was born on a farm five miles south of Clarence September 21, 1899, passed away at the family residence at 10:45 a. m. Thursday, December 19, 1935.

He graduated from the Clarence High school in 1918, soon after enlisted in the U. S. Navy and spent eleven months overseas during the World War. After returning home he attended Gem City Business College at Quincy from which he graduated in 1921. He began working for the North Missouri Lumber Company in 1922 under H. C. Soldan and became manager when Mr. Soldan was transferred to Hannibal some years ago. As a business man he was recognized as one of the most prominent and promising of Clarence.

On September 1, 1921 he was married to Miss Lee Hagland, daughter of E. W. Hagland, now editor of this paper, and to this union one child, Helen Irene, was born June 11, 1922.

His untimely death was the cause of ill health extending over a period of several years. The funeral was held at the family home at 2:30 Friday afternoon, when Rev. F. E. Mapel offered prayer and both the Clarence A. F. & A. M. and I. O. O. F. Kluges performed retentive ceremonies.

Those left to mourn his passing are his wife and daughter and his widowed mother besides other relatives and friends.

The pall bearers were: A. W. Leonard, Frank S. ... W. H. ... William ... J. O. ... and Olive Adams.

Interment was in Maplewood cemetery. The large crowd present and the banks of flowers were a tribute to him.

Those out of town present were: Dr. Phillips, of Tulsa, Okla.; Mrs. Nance Peterman, Mrs. J. H. ... and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White of Kansas City; Mrs. J. W. Thompson; Mrs. J. G. Thompson; J. G. ... Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Moore and Mrs. Mabel Mathews, of Macon; H. C. Soldan of Hannibal; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mauph, of Shelbina.

LAST RITES OF CHARLES ALBRIGHT

The funeral of Charles Albright was held at Brookfield on Thursday, Nov. 12th, having passed away on Tuesday. The body was brought to Clarence for interment where at the grave in Maplewood cemetery a short service was held, conducted by Rev. Stapleton.

He was born August 9, 1897, in Clarence, where he was reared, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Albright. For 12 years he was employed at the Wine elevator here, also three years with Missouri Power & Light Co., moving from here ten year ago to Brookfield where he continued to work for the Missouri Power & Light Co. Charles was a good workman and had many friends in Clarence.

He leaves to mourn his passing a wife, parents, two sisters and two brothers, one sister having preceded him in death on Feb. 3, 1922, two step children.

The pall bearers were: Harold McCormick, J. J. Daugherty, J. E. Brooks, F. W. Lisby, Ward Blake, Earl Foggin and Garland Dehner, of Brookfield.

Obituary

Silas Wood, 80 years old, a life long resident of Monroe and Shelby counties, died at his home near Enterprise Tuesday, July 14 at 12 o'clock noon. His wife preceded him in death about 35 years ago. A family of six children were just growing into teen age and Mr. Wood's love and devotion to his family thruout the years was a beautiful thing to see. This man was old fashioned in his Christian faith and lived closely to the ideals of honesty and virtue.

An only brother Enoch M. Wood, who for many years has lived on an adjoining farm and who still survives, is today bereft of his dearest friend. These two brothers were bound to each other with a "David and Jonathan" devotion, unmarred by any unpleasantness.

During the three years or more of affliction, Mr. Wood was tenderly cared for by his three faithful daughters with no thought of self, only the comfort of their beloved father, and for this tender care and devotion Mr. Wood was ever appreciative.

A good neighbor, an upright citizen, a Christian gentleman, a devoted father. Much could be written of the good deeds of this good man. Sufficient to say Jefferson community has sustained a very great loss in his passing.

A short funeral service was conducted at the home Thursday morning by Revs. Chas. Daniel and Frank Mapel. Burial at Leesburg cemetery.

DEATH OF SILAS MARION WOOD

Silas Marion Wood passed away at his home four miles south of Clarence Tuesday, July 14. He had been in ill health for the past several years and his condition had been critical during the last few months.

He was born in Monroe county June 18, 1856, the son of Elisha and Susana Wood. For the past fifty years he had resided on his farm in Shelby county, south of here. He was a member of the Methodist church.

In 1879 he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Elizabeth Eufner, who preceded him in death about 35 years ago. To this union six children were born, all of whom survive. They are: Misses Ina, Lelia and Meda Wood, at home; E. A. Wood, of near Leesburg; Thomas Wood, Brunswick, and Jesse Wood, Shelbina. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. E. G. Garrett of Clarence, and a brother, Enoch Wood, of south of Clarence, who has been ill for several months. He was preceded in death by three sisters.

Funeral services were held at the family home Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, with Rev. Charles Daniel of Shelbina officiating, assisted by Rev. Frank Mapel of Clarence. Interment was in the Phillips cemetery west of Leesburg.

A male quartet consisting of W. L. Hamrick, J. E. Roy, Lindsay Garlow and W. B. Clorea sang.

MRS. H. MOORE PASSES AWAY

Dicy Ella Minick was born in Cedar county, Mo., February 21, 1861. She was the daughter of William and Esther Caroline Minick. She moved to Shelby county with her parents when only six months of age. She spent all of her life here except a few years spent in Montana.

Early in life she professed her faith in Christ and united with the church at Bacon Chapel, later she transferred her membership to Wesley Chapel where she was a member until the time of her death. She was a faithful worker in the church as long as her health permitted.

Dicy Ellen Minick was married to Henry T. Moore February 21, 1882. To this union six children were born, Jesse Theodore dying in infancy. Those surviving are: Anna Barr, Mrs. Ernest Wood, of Clarence, Ernest Moore, of Macon, Willie of Novelty, and Vernon of Lubock, Texas.

The fifty-four years of their married life were a period of ever increasing devotion.

Mrs. Moore was in poor health during most of her married life but her husband never tired of waiting on her and always tried to be a comfort to her. Altho her body was very frail she always did her part in the home and was ever ready to help others.

Her last suffering was borne with patience and she expressed herself as ready to go. She departed this life at 6:30 a. m., Dec. 5, 1936.

Those who mourn have the blessed assurance that they shall see Mother again in the land beyond if they are only faithful, as she was faithful in service to her Lord.

She leaves to mourn her departure a devoted husband, five children, eleven grandchildren, four great grandchildren, three brothers, two sisters and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10:30 at Bacon Chapel conducted by Rev. O. C. Stapleton and Rev. L. C. Maggart. Burial in Bacon Chapel cemetery.

DEATH OF PIONEER CITIZEN

Lemuel Louis Simpson was born in Manhattan, Putnam county, Ind., April 3, 1840 and died at his home in Clarence, June 1, 1936, being 96 years, one month and 29 days. He was the son of Luke and Anna Simpson. He moved with his parents to Adams County Ill., when a child, and was married there Dec. 30, 1868 to Eliza Ellen Shields, who survives at the age of 86 years. They had been married 67 years, the longest married couple in the county. They moved to Missouri in 1874 and lived in several counties, moving to Shelby county about 40 years ago where they have since resided. They have lived in Clarence for about 20 years.

Two children died in infancy and the following children survive: Mrs. Alice Wallace, Knox county; Mrs. Lillian Selby, Clarence; Mrs. Anna Hopper, Cherry Box, Louis, Willard, Kans.; Frank, Hagers Grove; and Charles, of Clarence. There are 22 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren and one great, great grandchild, Marjorie Pearl Craggs, of Newark.

Mr. Simpson had been a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges, and brotherhood of R. R. Engineers. He had charge of the first train over the Q. O. and K. C. railroad out of Quincy west. He was an engineer on the Burlington out of Galesburg, Ill for about 25 years. He served during the Civil War in the Blackhawk Cavalry and was a G. A. R. He and Mrs. Simpson were made members of the W. O. S. Golden Wedding Club of Jefferson City.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Brothers, Millon and Berkeley Funeral Home with Rev. Rolla G. Sears in charge. Taps were blown by Roy E. Willey. All the pall-bearers were grandchildren. They were Frank Hopper, Cherry Box; Lester Selby, Clarence; Otto Simpson, Clarence; Claude Simpson, Willard, Kans.; Louis Simpson, Topeka, Kans.; and Weldon Simpson, Willard, Kans.

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SERVICES FOR MRS. SIMPSON

Eliza Ellen Shields was born August 25, 1849 in Adams county, Ill., the daughter of William and Sarah Shields. She passed away at Clarence, Mo., May 12, 1937 at 12:30 p. m., having met with a fatal accident. At the time of her death she was 87 years, 8 months and 17 days of age.

She was united in marriage Dec. 29, 1869 to Lemuel Louis Simpson. This union was blessed with eight children. Mr. Simpson preceded her in death June 1, 1936. Also to precede her were two infant children and the oldest child, Mrs. Carey Wallace, who passed away February 21, 1937.

Surviving children are: Louis, of Willard, Kansas; Frank, of Hagers Grove, Mo.; Charlie, of Clarence, Mo.; Mrs. Lillie Selby, of Clarence, Mo., and Mrs. Orlie Hopper, of Leonard, Mo. Two brothers, Robert Shields, of Clarence, Mo.; Adam Shields, of Pomona, Calif.; twenty-two grandchildren and thirty-nine great grandchildren and one great, great, grandchild, beside a host of other relatives and friends.

She was converted and united with the Christian church in early girlhood and lived a true christian life until her death. She was a good neighbor and friend, ever ready and willing to lend a helping hand in time of need. Her children will always remember her kind and loving council and the memory will continue to guide them as the years go by.

The funeral was conducted Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from the Christian church with interment in Maplewood cemetery, Rev. K. H. Ladman in charge.