

HEART ATTACK PROVES FATAL

Roger Shale, Well Known Lawyer, Expires Suddenly.

Roger Shale, 45 years old, widely known lawyer and former special assistant to the United States Attorney General, died at his home in Washington, D. C., Christmas day after a sudden illness. Death was ascribed to a heart attack.

Mr. Shale was admitted to the bar of the District of Columbia in 1913. He was appointed special assistant to the attorney general in 1919. In the latter capacity he participated in the preparation and trial of a number of important cases under the anti-trust law, and rendered valuable service to the law profession by compiling several volumes on "Decrees and Judgments in Anti-Trust Cases."

Mr. Shale was a native of Missouri born and reared in Clarence the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shale, but had spent the greater part of his life in Washington, D. C. He was graduated in law from Georgetown University. He was a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of the U. S., the American Bar Association, the Columbia Country Club and the National Press Club.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Mayo Shale, his mother, Mrs. Abbie Shale, four sisters, Mrs. Roy Kemper, of Macon, Mo.; Misses Corrine and Kathleen Shale of Clarence and Mrs. Ernest Rice of Paris, Mo., and two brothers, George Shale of Chicago, and Dr. Charles Shale of Macon. His father preceded him in death a number of years.

Miss Corrine Shale, George Shale and Dr. Charles Shale left for Washington, D. C. after receiving the message.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock and interment was made in Orlean, Mass.

FIND MAN DEAD IN HAY LOFT

Mr. McReynolds Dies of Heart Attack

Arthur H. McReynolds, farmer six miles northeast of Clarence, was found dead in his hay loft Thursday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. A neighbor, Shelby Foster, who noticed no signs of activity about the place and no tracks after a recent snow made a search finding the body frozen, after having been dead presumably about two days according to Coroner Musgrove who was called. He was thought to have been doing his farm chores when death came resulting from a heart attack.

Mr. McReynolds who was about 66 years of age was the only child of John and Belle McReynolds. He came to this vicinity from Withers Mill in 1935 and his wife preceded him in death in 1938.

The body was taken to O'Donnell funeral home in Hannibal and burial was Sunday at Providence cemetery at Withers Mill.

Surviving are eight step-daughters and two step-sons.

TRAGEDY ENDS YEARS OF WORRY

Former Clarence Man Shoots Wife and Self When Nerves Break Under Load of Troubles

Samuel L. Shale, son of Sam Shale, old pioneer of this community, shot his wife and then turned his pistol on himself at his home in Denver, Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Shale had been a railroad man for a greater part of his life. He left Clarence many years ago and had made his home in the west. He was 56 years of age and his wife, Maude, was 47. For eleven years, the latter has suffered from nerve and brain troubles and was practically insane at times.

Shale, who was an employee of the Union Pacific railroad, had placed his wife in several sanatoriums in hope of finding some cure for her troubles, but all in vain. To add to his troubles, he was given a lay-off by the railroad.

With all hopes of his wife's recovery gone, Shale determined to end their troubles once and for all. According to the Denver Post, he got up early Tuesday morning, obtained his revolver and, walking back into the bedroom, fired two bullets thru his wife's head. Returning to the bathroom, he placed the revolver to his own head and fired. The bullet failed to enter the brain, and Shale then went to the telephone and called the police.

When the latter arrived they found Shale wandering thru the apartment, dazed and bleeding while his wife lay dead on the floor of the bedroom. Cigarette stubs were scattered all over the apartment and seemed to indicate that Shale had worried and brooded for hours before he had finally come to the decision to end his own and his wife's troubles by death. He was taken to the hospital and every effort made to save his life.

Mr. Shale has many relatives in this community and sisters in Macon City and in Iowa.

DIES SUDDENLY IN KANSAS CITY

Joe N. Wine Was a Former Resident and Clarence Business Man.

Joseph N. Wine died very suddenly at Kansas City, where he made his home, Thursday morning at four o'clock. He was 43 years old and, the born in Macon county, spent the greater part of his life in this county.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wine, the former being one of Clarence's well known business men some 25 years ago. Mr. Wine was associated with his father and his brother in the grain business in Clarence and they operated the Clarence Roller Mills for years.

In 1912, he was married to a Clarence girl, Miss Zula Clay, and they made their home here until about ten years ago when they moved to Kansas City. In the last named place, Mr. Wine engaged in the oil business.

Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, Joseph Clayton and Roy, one brother, Frank C. Wine, of Clarence, and a half brother, Elmer Cox, of Maud.

Funeral services were held at Kansas City Saturday.

DEATH OF DR. ARNETT

Dr. Andrew Arnett, the last of one of the pioneer families of Shelby county, died at his home in Hurdland, Mo., last Friday morning after an illness of only a few days duration. Dr. Arnett, who had passed his 82nd birthday, graduated from Washington University Medical Department in 1882 and for the past 53 years he had been a practicing physician in Knox county.

Dr. Arnett is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Coy Arnett, a son, Gordon, of Denver, two daughters, Mrs. Francis Magruder of Pueblo, and Mrs. Millard Crawford of Hurdland. Funeral services, conducted at the graveside on Sunday afternoon, were in charge of Rev. Mack, of Quincy, a former pastor of the Christian church at Novelty where Dr. Arnett held membership. The Masonic Lodge of Hurdland with which Dr. Arnett had been affiliated for many years paid tribute to him in a brief, but impressive commitment and the great masses of beautiful flowers gave testimony to the esteem and affection in which Dr. Arnett was held.

Dr. and Mrs. Arnett were both well known in Clarence where they have spent much time with Dr. Arnett's brother, the late J. M. Arnett and wife. Dr. Arnett's last visit here was in May when he spent several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Callison and renewed his friendship with many former neighbors.

Dr. Arnett's affable, kindly disposition, his deep interest in everything pertaining to human welfare, and his great love for young people and little children made him a well known and beloved figure in the communities where he lived. He was a man of wide and accurate information and to the end of his life he read widely and maintained a keen appreciation of each new development of his profession. His understanding love for humanity made it possible for him to smile at the foibles of his friends, a sympathizer with their sorrows, admire their successes and love them always. The many who loved him will miss him greatly and will remember him with affection.

DIES AT HOME IN CALIFORNIA

Alonzo L. Griswold, Former Clarence Business Man, Died Last Wednesday.

Alonzo L. Griswold, former resident of Clarence, died at his home in Corning, Calif., last Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock after four months of illness.

Mr. Griswold is well known here and in this community as he spent the greater part of his life here and was in business in Clarence for a number of years.

He was the son of W. R. and Louise Griswold, and was born in Aberdeen, Ind., Feb. 18, 1862. The family came to Clarence March 31, 1868. At that time Clarence was a small village and was but a few months old.

Mr. Griswold grew up with the town and was engaged in business first with his father and later on with M. Dimmitt. On April 4, 1895, he was married to Margaret Carothers, who was also of this community.

In October, 1912, they moved to Corning, Calif., where they made their home until the present. Besides his widow, he leaves two sons and two daughters namely, Warren E., Ernest F., Gladys, Mrs. Arnold Fish and Ellen, Mrs. Leo Wahl, all of Corning, Calif., or nearby places.

He also leaves two granddaughters, Margaret Jane Fish and Evelyn Jean Griswold, two brothers, C. W. Griswold of Clarence, and H. A. Griswold, of Colorado Springs, Colo., and a sister, Mrs. Emma Thorn, of Corning, Calif.

Funeral services were held at Corning last Thursday afternoon.

Former Shelby Resident Dies

John W. Alexander, formerly of the Hagers Grove neighborhood, died at Supply, Okla., on November 9th of pneumonia after a short illness. He was born in Ohio some sixty years ago, the youngest of a large family of boys and girls. His wife was Miss Annie Farrell, of Clarence, who is remembered as a quite successful school teacher in the county, and who died sixteen years ago. Besides several brothers and sisters he is survived by four sons who live in Oklahoma, and two daughters who were reared in Clarence, Miss Frances, a senior in the University of Missouri, Columbia, and Mrs. Lucille Porter, of Walla Walla, Wash. Mr. Alexander was of good pioneer stock of Ohio and his widowed mother was one of the first settlers in Oklahoma. He was a lifelong church member. His remains were laid to rest beside his wife in Mount Olivet cemetery near Supply.

Death Claims Relatives of 3 Local Families

Paul Charles Dorian, 45, of Quincy, Ill., passed away in St. Mary hospital in that city last Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock following a lingering illness.

Mr. Dorian was born on Aug. 16, 1907, in Edina the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dorian. He attended school in Edina and on June 1, 1929, he married Lovie Mae Moore, daughter of Mrs. Luther Moore and the late Mr. Moore of Clarence. The ceremony was performed at Macon.

He was formerly superintendent of the Central Fibre Co. plant in Quincy, was a member of St. Mary's church, the Holy Name society and the Knights of Columbus.

Survivors are the widow; two children, Donald Dorian and Mary Lou Dorian of Quincy, and two brothers, Matthew Dorian of South Bend, Ind., and Edward Dorian of Edina.

Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Chester Moore have been with their daughter and sister-in-law and with Mr. Moore attended last rites held Monday morning from St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hodgkin and Mrs. Bernice Manford paid their respects on Sunday.

Attend Teter Funeral at Marceline

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huett went to Marceline Sunday, May 9, to attend the funeral of Ernie Lee Teter, who passed away in Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Teter lived in Clarence several years ago and was employed at Hutton & Naylor Ice Co.

He is survived by his wife and mother, both living in Los Angeles, also a daughter, Miss Helen Teter, of Fort Madison, Ia., one sister and four brothers. Burial was made at Marceline Sunday.

MRS. DOCTOR PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Clinton Doctor, the former Miss Nell Magruder, passed away at the Samaritan hospital at Independence, Mo., Sunday afternoon, July 3, at 2:00 o'clock. Death was caused by diabetes.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning at Independence. Burial was at the Mt. Moriah cemetery.

Further particulars will be given in next week's issue.