

# George Neale, 87, Died At His Home In Ft. Calhoun

Pioneer resident held  
an active interest  
in civic affairs

George Neale, a lifetime resident of Washington County and a well known farmer of the Ft. Calhoun area, died at his home in Ft. Calhoun Monday afternoon.

Mr. Neale, who was 87 years, 11 months old at the time of his death, claimed the distinction of having spent his entire life on the farm on which he died. He was born August 7, 1882, the son of pioneers who came to the area about the same time Nebraska became a state. His father had come from England in 1856.

As a farmer, Mr. Neale proved to be exceptional and successful. He farmed east of Ft. Calhoun on the bottoms for many years before the Missouri River was harnessed and floods became a thing of the past. His faith in the fertile grounds of the river bottoms bore fruit with the building of the upstream dams on the river and his farm has proven to be one of the most productive and fertile in the area.

A number of years ago Mr. and Mrs. Neale built themselves a modern home on the portion of the farm which is closest to the Ft. Calhoun City limits and they have enjoyed the place very much. He has had a long and continuing interest in the Riverview Grange and for many months, before the Grange

80 YEARS AGO  
(June 19, 1890)  
A tramp committed suicide by sitting on the tracks near Mead Station Tuesday as a fast train approached. The body, unidentified, was buried in Potter's Field. The Pilot commented, "Another is added to the long list of unknown dead."

3411 Farnam St.  
NEALE—George, age 87 years, Ft. Calhoun, Neb. Survived by wife, Pauline; 2 daughters, Mrs. Denning McArthur (Mable), Ventura, Calif.; Mrs. Vaughn Shaner (Eleanor), Burlingame, Calif.; 2 sisters, Edith, of Ft. Calhoun, Neb.; Bertha, Omaha, Neb. Services 2 p.m. Thursday, Ft. Calhoun Presbyterian Church. Sievers Service.  
OLSEN—Caroline M., 69 years, passed away in Houston, Mo., formerly of

was able to procure a hall of its own, the Neales provided the basement of their home as a meeting place for the organization.

He is survived by his wife, Pauline and by two daughters. They are Mable, Mrs. Denning McArthur, of Ventura, California and Eleanor, Mrs. Vaughn Schoner, of Burlingame, California. There are eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon (Thursday) at the Ft. Calhoun Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Keith Sackett conducting the service. Burial, under the direction of the Sievers Mortuary, will be made in the Ft. Calhoun Cemetery.

# MORRIS CHRISTENSEN DIED IN VIRGINIA SATURDAY, JULY 4

Morris Christensen, retired farmer who had been a familiar figure on Blair streets for a number of years, died Saturday, July 4th at Chesapeake, Virginia. He was visiting his son, Glenn, at the time of his death.

Mr. Christensen, who was 81 years old, was a native of Herman, having been born there April 4th, 1889. He farmed in the area west of Herman all of his life until the time of his retirement. His wife preceded him in death, having died in 1945.

He is survived by three sons and a daughter.

The sons are Dean B. Christensen of Norfolk, Virginia; Clarence Christensen, of Herman, Nebraska; and Glenn, of Chesapeake, Virginia. The daughter is Mrs. Hazel Davis, of Denver, Colorado. There are 9 grandchildren. A brother Chris Christensen and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Iverson survive him. Two brothers, Albert, of Little Falls, Minnesota and Louis, of Parkston, South Dakota, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at the Bendorf Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. Sanford D. Sorgen of the First Lutheran Church conducted the service. Burial was made in the Blair cemetery.

The pallbearers were Mac Cameron, Chris L. Andersen, Lyle Hindley, Edward Grabbe, Floyd Magill and Delmar Gosker.

50th and Ames Ave.

ROSACKER—Charles Henry, 77 years, Tekamah, Neb. Survived by son, Frederick, Wahoo, Neb., and Warren, Tekamah; daughter, Mrs. Phillip (Audrey) Miller, Omaha; sister, Mrs. C. Bull; 9 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild.  
Prayer service in Tekamah 8 p.m. Monday. Funeral in Omaha at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, 60th Ave. and Military, 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 5. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

HAMEL AND PECK FUNERAL HOME  
1103 J St., Tekamah

VOSS—Herbert E., formerly of 6310 Binney St. Survived by sister, Sophie L. Voss; 3 cousins, Mrs. Alice Hasselquist, Mrs. Dorothy Sands, Mountainberg, Ark., Mr. Paul Melotz, Omaha.  
Funeral Thursday, 2 p.m., at the KREMER FUNERAL HOME. Interment Ft. Calhoun Cemetery. Member of American Legion Benson Post No. 112.