Becky Bloomfield dead at 102

Rebecca Bloomfield, Story County's second oldest resident, died in the Story County Hospital early Wednesday morning at the age of 102.

Mrs. Bloomfield, who had been ill for the past several months, had been hospitalized recently. She was taken to her Maxwell home from the hospital Tuesday morning but became ill and was returned there Tuesday evening.

Born September 1, 1867, Mrs. Bloomfield was a little more than a month younger than Mrs. Minnie Druse of Nevada, who was born July 21, 1867.

Survivors include a son George of Collins, a son Harry of Maxwell, and a daughter, Mrs. Bessie Rankin of Maxwell; two sisters, Mrs. Ada Smith of Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, and Mrs. Clara Backous of Nevada; two brothers, Jim of Eldora and George of Corydon; 12 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, and 11 great great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at the Cooper Funeral Home in Maxwell at 1:30 Friday. The Rev. Dale Ellsworth will officiate. Burial will be in the Collins Evergreen Cemetery.

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REBECCA BLOOMFIELD

Mrs. Rebecca Bloomfield, 102, passed away about 5:30 a.m., Wednesday morning at the Story County Hospital in Nevada. Mrs. Bloomfield had been a patient in the hospital and released and just returned again Tuesday. She celebrated her 102nd Birthday on Sept. 1st.

She is survived by two sons, Harry of Maxwell and George of Collins and one daughter, Mrs. Bessie Rankin, who lived with her mother. She was preceded in death by three sons, Mose Baker, Tom and Charles Bloomfield and an infant.

Also surviving are two sisters, Ada Smith of Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas and Clara Backous of Nevada; two brothers, Jim Vasey of Eldora and George Vasey of Corydon. Also 12 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren and 11 great, great grandchildren.

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