

Dodd, Joseph S.

d. 2 April 1943

Funeral Services For Joseph Dodd Were Held At Collins

1943

Collins, April 12—Funeral services for the late Joseph S. Dodd who passed away at his home at 3:35 p.m. on Friday, April 2, after a lingering illness, was held from the Church of Christ at Collins, Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. with the Rev. David E. Arnold, of Baxter in charge. Music consisted of two duets, "The Old Rugged Cross," and "No Not One," by the Rev. Arnold and daughter Sylvia and a solo, "God's Tomorrow," by Rev. Arnold, with Mrs. Arnold at the piano. The flowers were in charge of Mrs. Chloe Shaffer and Mrs. Ella Dodd. Burial was in the Poorbaugh cemetery east of Colfax with Arthur Dodd, Floyd Dodd, Otis Dodd, Chris Shaffer, Henry Dodd and Myrl Brown pallbearers.

The following life sketch was read at the service.

Joseph Shelby Dodd, son of William Wallace and Malinda Baker Dodd, was born in Jasper County Iowa, March 9, 1871 and passed away April 2, 1943 at the age of 72 years and 24 days. Mr. Dodd received his education in the Jasper county schools and spent all of his early life near Colfax, Iowa.

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January 1, 1893 he was united in marriage to Florence Stinson. To this union five sons and three daughters were born. Those living are Mrs. Beulah Hunter of Mingo; Lester Dodd, of Knoxville, Tenn.; Mrs. Elba DeCamp, of Newton; Mrs. Frances Burgus, of Osceola and Loyal Dodd, of Des Moines.

Mr. Dodd lived a number of years at Lorimor and later moved to Colorado and then to Wyoming where on March 18, 1919 he was united in marriage to Mrs. Pearl Smith at Sheridan, Wyo. To this union was born one son and two daughters. They are Robert Shelby in the service at Hawaii; Betty Louise and Gladys Jo, both at home. He also had one step-daughter, Mrs. LaVon Anderson, of Des Moines. Mr. Dodd returned to Iowa in 1924, the past 19 years being spent near Osceola, Colfax and Collins.

He leaves to mourn his passing his wife and the above named children, 21 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Also one sister and two brothers namely, Mrs. Pearl Jeffers of Colo; Ray Dodd of Lorimor and Orin Dodd of Ainsworth, Neb., and a large number of other relatives and friends. Early in life he united with the Bethel Wesleyan Methodist church, and he had also been a Mason for over 30 years. He spent the majority of his life in farming and the buying and selling of stock.

He was highly esteemed by all who knew him and was always ready to help any who were in need. He possessed a cheerful disposition, always looking upon the bright side of life even in the time of trouble and severe pain. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Joseph Dodd Dies At Collins After Long Illness

1943

Collins, April 3—Joseph S. Dodd, 74, died at his home here Friday at 3:35 p.m., after a lingering illness.

Funeral rites are set tentatively for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of Christ of Collins with Rev. David E. Arnold of Baxter in charge. Burial will be in the Bethel cemetery at Baxter.

The funeral services are set tentatively, with the possibility of word from the son Robert who is in Hawaii, that he will be able to come.

Mr. Dodd, who moved to Collins about 2 years ago, had lived the most of his active business life at Lorimer, but later located at Colfax for a time before coming to Collins. For the greater part of his life he had been engaged in the livestock business.

He leaves his wife Mrs. Pearl Dodd of Collins; daughters Mrs. Beulah Hunter of Mingo, Mrs. Elba DeCamp of Newton, Mrs. Francis Burgus of Osceola, Mrs. LaVon of Des Moines and Betty and Gladys Dodd at home; sons Lester Dodd of Knoxville, Tenn., and Robert Dodd of Hawaii; sisters Mrs. Pearl Jeffers of Colo, a brother Roy of Lorimer, Iowa and Oren Dodd of Ainsworth, Neb., and 21 grand children and 2 great grandchildren.

Change Time Of Joseph Dodd Funeral

1943

Maxwell, April 5—The time of the funeral rites of the late Joseph Dodds, who died at the family home in Collins, Friday afternoon, has been postponed until Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of Christ in Collins, rather than this afternoon. The services will be held at the Church of Christ and burial will be in the Roraborough cemetery east of Colfax, instead of at Bethel cemetery.