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Alfred Luing Obituary.

Alfred Luing was born in Barton, England, March 6, 1835 and died in Rhodes, Iowa, June 29, 1915.

He was united in marriage to Isabella Wyatt in Barton, Eng. Jan. 25, 1860. To this union were born eleven children, Mrs. Anna Ball, and William Luing of Collins; Mrs. Fanny Davis and George Luing of Rhodes; Henry, of Peterson; and Earnest of Baxter, Iowa; John of Canby and Fred of Porter, Minn. Two boys and one girl died in infancy.

He and his wife came from England to Wisconsin April 30, 1860, and to Iowa, Feb. 21, 1864, living in La Moille and State Center until 1876 when they moved to a farm 5 miles southeast of Collins,—where they lived happily until Jan. 22, 1909, when his wife died. Since then he has made his home with his children.

He has always lived a good christian life and was anxious and ready to go. He leaves 31 grand children, 13 great grand children and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

The funeral services were held in the Willow Creek church, conducted by Rev. Wilkinson assisted by Rev. C. S. Hanson. A choir from Rhodes sang very sweet and consoling songs.

He was tenderly laid to rest in Collins Cemetery by the side of his dead wife, Thursday July 1st. The pall bearers were John Haas, John Blumenschein, John Hidy, J. M. Jones, John Long and Henry Alepach.

Deceased was held in high esteem. He was honest in word and act, was a faithful and loving husband and father, and a good neighbor and friend. A large circle of neighbors and friends sincerely sympathize with the bereaved family.
