

A. J. STEVENS LAID TO REST LAST THURSDAY

Funeral services were conducted last Thursday at 2 p. m. at the home five miles south of Collins for Andrew J. Stevens, 79, who died the preceding Tuesday following a stroke suffered four days earlier.

Services were in charge of the Rev. Donald Callison of Newton, and music was furnished by Mrs. Will Morrison and Mrs. Glen Morrison. Pall bearers were Ernest Maxwell, James Hanson, Paul Borts, Frank Maxwell, Cecil Hampton and M. C. Hobson. In charge of the flowers were Mrs. Ernest Maxwell and Mrs. J. H. Boyd.

Interment was in Evergreen cemetery, Collins.

Andrew J. Stevens was born in Iowa Jan. 15, 1863, and departed this life Sept. 22, 1942, age 79 years, 8 months and 7 days. He had spent most of his life in Jasper and Story counties and had lived at the present Stevens home for the last six years.

United in marriage to Kate A. Kitchel March 14, 1898, in Jasper county, five children were born to the couple. Two sons, Howard and Herbert, preceded their father in death, having been killed in an accident.

In addition to his wife, surviving relatives include two daughters, Mrs. H. C. Johnson of Longview, Tex., and Mrs. Jack Sutteck of Des Moines, and a son, Albert J. Stevens of Mount Ayr, Ia.

Mr. Stevens had spent his entire life on the farm. He was a member of the Christian church.