

rites held Wednesday for James Yount, 78

Final rites were held Wednesday May 5 at 1:30 p.m. at Longenecker Funeral Home in Eldora for James G. Yount, 78, a former New Providence business man who passed away at the Eldora Hospital Sunday, May 2. He had entered the local hospital following a stroke on April 9.

Rev. Marvin Hoeksema of the New Providence Friends Church officiated with burial in the Union Cemetery at Newton.

James Gifford Yount was born Aug. 15, 1886, at Lexington, Nebr., the son of William and Mary Jane Yount. He was married on Oct. 25, 1930, to Dorothy Van Steenberger at New Providence. Former residents of Newton, the couple moved 28 years ago to New Providence, where they operated a grocery store and a cafe for 18 years. Mr. Yount was a veteran of World War I.

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They also lived at Rhodes, Melbourne, Collins and Baxter and he practiced as a veterinarian in these towns.

Survivors include Mrs. Yount of New Providence; 2 daughters, Frances Yount of Eldora and Barbara Yount of Mason City; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Frances Yount of Gering, Nebr.; three nieces; and one nephew.

He was preceded in death by his parents and ten brothers and sisters.