At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Powels, in Weston, Oregon, June 16, 1916, Mrs. Elizabeth Hall, widow of the late Wm. Hall, of that place, passed away, aged eighty-nine years and thirteen days. Funeral was from the Methodist church, Sunday, June 18th, at 2 p. m., Rev. N. D. Woods conducting the services, interment in Masonic cemetery by the side of her late husband. Mrs. Hall's life was an inspiration. To know her, was to love her for her good and loving deeds and kindness to all. She was the mother of a large family, and a good and faithful wife, and with her love and patience, endeared herself to all who knew her. She was a pioneer in all counties where she lived. She was converted and joined the Methodist church quite early in life and always lived a good Christian life.

Elizabeth McQuiston was born in Tuscanas county, Ohio, June 3, 1827. At the age of sixteen, with her parents, John and Nancy Bowers McQuiston, she moved to La Grange county, Indiana, where on August 29, 1844, she was united in marriage to William Hastings Hall, of Canton, Stark county, Ohio. In November, 1857, with their family, they moved to Jasper county, Iowa, where they resided until March, 1888, when they moved to Umatilla county, Oregon, where they spent the remainder of their days. On August 29, 1894, they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Twelve children were born to them, five of whom preceded their mother to the spirit world. Those remaining are: Mrs. Sarah Powels, Weston, Ore., Chas. E. Hall, Leavenworth, Kans., Mrs. Alice N. Hanna, Meacham, Oregon; C. F. Hall, Valeria, Iowa; Eugene H. Hall, Council Bluffs, Iowa; E. P. Hall, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Abbie M. Richardson, Pendleton Oregon. There are forty-six grand children, thirty-six great grand children, and four great great grand children. Mrs. Hall was one of a family of twelve children, she and her sister Margaret being twins. Two brothers and one sister survive her—Silas McQuiston, Des Moines, Iowa; James McQuiston Sugar City, Idaho, and Mrs. Martha McWherter, Collins Iowa.

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