Former Nevada Man In Fatal Rail Accident

Des Moines, Ia., July 30—INS
Morris Hidy, 52, of Des Moines, died today of injuries received when he was run over by a Rock Island engine at the railroad yard here last night.

Morris Hidy lived in Nevada thirty years ago, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hidy, who moved to Nevada from Collins. During the time the family lived here the father traveled for a wholesale grocery house. The Morris Hidy mentioned in the above dispatch is the same Morris Hidy who left Nevada thirty or more years ago.

The parents are dead but Morris, who had been employed by the Rock Island as a freight checker for a score of years, leaves besides his immediate family, two sisters, Mrs. Viola Rounds of Mankato, Minn., and Mrs. Flora Allen of Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Mates Rounds stopped in Nevada this morning on their way to Des Moines, where they had been called following the fatal accident.
Obituary

Jess F. Higgins, son of Riley T. and Clara Higgins, was born and grew to young manhood on a farm southeast of Des Moines. He passed away Jan. 6, 1937, at his home near Collins, Iowa, aged 43 years, 7 months and 14 days.

He was married to Ethel Rozella Black of Shenandoah, Iowa, Oct. 3, 1917. To this union five children were born: Jack, age 18 years; Clareta, age 16; Lin Don, age 12; Roger, age 9, and George, age 6.

They moved to Collins three years ago from a farm near Indianola.

Mr. Higgins was a man well liked by all who knew him. He was an ideal man to raise a family because of his clean habits and mode of living. He joined the M. E. church in 1915.

Besides his wife and five children surviving him are his father, Riley T. Higgins; one sister, Dollie Heston of Seymour, Iowa, and one brother, Ray Higgins of Des Moines, Iowa.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 9, at 12 o'clock in the Collins Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Ida Irene Roberts. Interment was made in the Avon, Iowa, cemetery.