**Rev. David L. Cox Is Called To His Reward**

Rev. David L. Cox, former pastor of the Newburg Church of God, passed away at his home in Green City Saturday night following several weeks' illness. He had been in failing health several months. He had completed more than fifty years in the ministry when he retired.

David L. Cox was born February 7, 1854, in Jasper county, Ia., and passed away April 9, 1938, at the age of 84 years, 2 months and 2 days. He was the oldest of a family of 11 children.

In 1880 he was united in marriage with Miss Josephine Lassiter who passed away June 30, 1890. To this union five children were born. One son, Emery Marvin, died in the World War. The living children are Lizzie May and Pearl of Des Moines, Ia., W. M. Cox of Milen, and Elday Louis Cox of Grinnell, Ia.

On July 19, 1891, he was married to Mrs. Dora Hongland, to which union two children were born, Raymond Cox of Kenneth, Kan., and Mrs. Charles Bear of Green City.

Besides the above named children he is survived by one brother and four sisters; a step-daughter, Mabel Hongland; 31 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and many friends and followers. The body was taken to Newburg Sunday morning. Funeral services were conducted in the Church of God, with burial following in the cemetery there under direction of Glenn E. Kent.

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