

OBITUARY

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MRS. JENNIE ELSCOTT
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Jennie Elscott, daughter of Gerrit B. and Artie DeKock Van Workum, was born in the Netherlands on March 20, 1873, and passed away in Skiff Memorial Hospital in Newton on January 6, 1962, having attained the age of 88 years, 9 months, and 16 days.

She was united in marriage with Henry Elscott on March 23, 1892, at Sully, Iowa, and spent most of her life in the Lynnville community.

Mrs. Elscott attended the Reformed church as often as her health permitted.

Surviving are six children: Artie (Mrs. John Jansen) of Sully, Kathryn (Mrs. Vern Stanley) of Lynnville, Guy of Pella, Henrietta (Mrs. Lewis Jansen) of Knoxville, Harry and Charlie of Lynnville; also 29 grandchildren and 66 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Preceding her in death were her husband, and four children — Mrs. Mary Kuiper, John Elscott, Mrs. Anna Monsma and Mrs. Janet Wooge.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elscott were held Tuesday, Jan. 9, in the Lynnville Friends church in charge of Rev. J. W. Garbison and Rev. Donald Wooge, the latter a grandson. A male quartette — Jacob Brand, Lyle Brand, Abe VanderBeek, and Warren Stanley—sang "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Sweetly Resting." They were accompanied by Miss Nancy Stanley.

The floral offerings were in charge of Mrs. Russell Vander Krol and Mrs. Richard Briggs. Pallbearers were Gaylord Elscott, Lester Elscott, Dale Jansen, Delmar Jansen, Dwight Monsma, and Glen Elscott. Interment was in Sully cemetery.