

Aged Woman Dies Here

7-15-1927
Mother of Mrs. Rosa Bradley Passes
Away at Home of Her Daughter
Aged Nearly Ninety Years.

BURIAL IN CEMETERY AT DEEP RIVER.

Born in Germany She Had Been Resident of This County For Seventy-Five Years.

Wilhelmina Kuhn was born in Baden, Germany, Sept. 17, 1837. Here she received her instructions in Christian doctrine; and made confession of her faith on Confirmation day. To the promise of her Master she has ever remained faithful.

When 14 years old she came to America with her parents. On Dec. 14, 1857 she was united in marriage to Mathew Kinzler in Marine City, Michigan. To this union were born eleven children, three dying in infancy. In 1876 they moved to Iowa, near Victor, where they resided on a farm. In the year 1892, Mr. and Mrs. Kinzler moved to Deep River where the husband and father died May 5, 1908. She had maintained her own home until six years ago when her age made it impossible for her to live alone and she went to make her home in Des Moines with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Simmons. A year ago she came to live with her daughter Mrs. Rosa Bradley in Grinnell, Iowa, where she died June 26, 1927, at the age of 89 years 9 months and 9 days.

She was a kind and loving mother. Her friends and neighbors were never any trouble to her and she was always careful that she should never be any trouble to anyone else. To know her was to love her. She was cared for most tenderly by her loved ones who never relaxed in their careful vigil by her side and seemed to anticipate her every wish. When the end came every trace of pain had disappeared leaving an expression of holy calm which one would think must reflect a glimpse of that beautiful home beyond the dark river.

Short funeral services were held at the home of her daughter in Grinnell whence the cortege proceeded to the Presbyterian church at Deep River, Iowa. Services were conducted by Rev. George Blagg, pastor of the M. E. church of Grinnell, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Zeanby, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Deep River. Interment was in Golden Rod Cemetery.

She leaves to mourn her loss eight children: Rosa Bradley of Grinnell, Iowa, Anna Simmons of Louisville, Ky., John of Jamestown, N. D., Matt of Keswick, Iowa, Edd of Davenport, Iowa, George of What Cheer, Iowa, Will of Ladora, Iowa, and Henry of Des Moines, Iowa. Twenty-four grand-children, 31 great grand-children, 5 great-great-grand-children.

Dearest loved one we must lay thee
In the peaceful graves embrace.
And the memory will be cherished
Till we see thy Heavenly face.