On Dec. 1, 1928 he was united in marriage to Mildred Evans, of Searsboro, Iowa. The past 18 years he was in charge of the rural mail route at Searsboro.

He was a member of the I.O.O.F. Lodge of Searsboro and the Masonic Lodge of Lynville.

Preceding him in death were his father and an infant brother.

He leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Mildred, his aged mother of Montezuma, his sister, Velma Cogley of Anamosa, Iowa, two brothers, Lorraine of Bellingham, Wash. and Mayo of Winnipeg, Canada; along with a large number of other relatives and a host of friends.

In addition to regular church services, Masonic rites were extended at the church and the cemetery, and American Legion rites, including the playing of Taps at the graveside.