

Mrs. Mary Neitzel's Funeral Held July 7

(Chronicles)

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Neitzel, 87, were conducted July 7 at 2 p.m. at the McAninch Chapel in Victor with the Rev. C.W. Woolard of Grace Methodist Church of Brooklyn officiating.

Mrs. George Keller was organist. Soloist was Arthur Lang who sang, "In The Garden" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Burial was in the Guernsey cemetery with the following serving as pallbearers: David Neitzel, James Cline, La Verne Neitzel, Marlan Neitzel, Richard Stone and Cecil Neitzel.

Mary M. Schrader Neitzel, daughter of Albert and Cecilia Schrader, was born near Guernsey Oct. 15, 1878, and died July 5, 1966, at Baird's nursing home in Montezuma where she had lived about two years.

She was married March 10, 1897, to Charles Neitzel of Guernsey and six children were born to the couple. They farmed in the Guernsey community until retiring in 1940. They continued living in the same community until moving to Brooklyn in 1948. Mrs. Neitzel transferred her membership from the Immanuel Methodist church near Victor to Grace Methodist in Brooklyn where she was a member at the time of her death.

She is survived by a daughter and four sons. They are Mrs. Irene Holan of Chelsea, Orrie Neitzel of Brooklyn, Alva Neitzel of Victor, Lawrence Neitzel of Marengo and Eldon Neitzel of Tama. Others who survive are a brother, H.L. Schrader of Victor; three sisters, Mrs. Pearl Rieck of Brooklyn, Mrs. Lydia Davis of Montezuma and Mrs. Anna Waline of Victor. She also leaves 14 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Preceding her in death were her parents; husband, a son, Willie; four sisters; a brother; and three grandchildren.

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