## Alexander Auten Passes Away Near Kellogg

(By a Staff Correspondent)
Kellogg, Ia., Dec. 29, Special:
Alexander Colly Auten, resident
of this vicinity for 68 years, died
at the home of his son, Frank
Auten, south of town, Tuesday
morning, Dec. 20, at the age of 94
years and 5 months.

He was born in Knox county, near Fredericktown, Ohio, July 20, 1839, and was united in marriage to Miss Lois Foote about 1861.

They came to Iowa in 1865, locating on a farm south of town, where he has since made his home.

Two sons were born of this union, Frank and Jay. He was preceded in death by the son, Jay, who died at the age of 16, and his wife who died June 9, 1920. Surviving relatives include one son, Frank, with whom he made his home; two sisters, Mrs. Myra Hall of Chicago and Mrs. Alice Cole of Fredericktown, Ohio; one brother, James Finley Auten of Fredericktown; seven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Burial was made Friday afternoon in the Slagel cemetery south of town with services at the Pleasant View M. E. church.