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Cornelius Cawman Craver, was born in Gloucester county, New Jersey, June 19, 1841, and died Nov. 1, 1919, at his home southwest of Deep River at the age of 78 years, 4 months and 12 days. He came to Iowa in 1856 and later settled on a farm in Poweshiek county, near what is now Searsboro. He was united in marriage on Feb. 28, 1867, to Elizabeth Light, a daughter of an Iowa pioneer. To this union was born three daughters, and four sons, all of whom are still living but Mrs. E. T. Stackhouse of Mandan, S. D. Mr. Craver was a Civil war veteran enlisting in 1862 with Co. C, 28th Iowa volunteer infantry, and served during the war. He was a member of the Methodist church, A. F. and A. M., the O. E. S. and the G. A. R. Death came after an illness of several weeks. He leaves a widow, four sons, J. W. and F. M., of St. Joseph, Missouri; C. G. of Arizona, and Thos. R., of Deep River; two daughters, Mrs. E. A. Henzie of Claremont, Calif., and Mrs. M. Holderness of Deep River; four brothers, J. A., of New Sharon; Jacob, of Centerville, Jarvis of Sioux City, and Thos. N. of New Sharon, and two sisters, Mrs. Dells Rowell and Mrs. C. M. Thomas both of this city.