

John S.

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J. S. (Jack) Davis Buried Thursday

The funeral of John S. (Jack) Davis was held at the Steffy Funeral Home Thursday afternoon, April 14. The Rev. Miss Myrtle Lee officiated at the rites with organ music provided by Mrs. Frank Mitchell.

Burial was in Friends Cemetery, Lynnville, with Keith Davis, Craig Stanley, Richard Davis, Glenn Brignon, Ernest Brignon and Everett Emmert serving as casket bearers.

John S. (Jack) Davis, son of John and Eliza Jane Davis, was born in Lynnville, Iowa, on Jan. 4, 1878, and died in Clinton, Iowa, on April 11. He was 78.

On Dec. 4, 1907, he married Ona James and to this union one son and one daughter were born.

The family spent many years in the Searsboro area and several years in Oskaloosa.

In 1933 they moved to Montezuma where Mr. and Mrs. Davis served as steward and matron of the Poweshiek County Home.

In 1941 they moved to an acreage near Altoona, Iowa. Since 1959 they have lived in Clinton where their daughter, Lucille, teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis observed their 58th wedding anniversary last December.

Mr. Davis was a member of the Friends Church in Searsboro.

He is survived by his wife; their two children, Lucille of Clinton, and Charles of Olympia, Wash.; a foster son, Rex Evans of Des Moines; two grandchildren, Jacqueline Lee and Jerry Dean Davis, both of Olympia; and one brother, Howard Davis of Searsboro.