Andrew W Everett 1829-1912

ANDREW W EVERETT was born March 18, 1829, at New Portland. Maine, where he lived until 18 years of age and then moved to Wisconsin with his parents. Three years later he moved to Iowa residing there for fifteen years. In 1866 he came to Nebraska and the next spring located with his family on a farm west of Lyons and has resided in this community continuously since then. He died at his home west of town last Friday morning at the age of 83 years and 22 days after being confined to the house but a few days. Physically he had been quite strong but for the last few months his mind had failed fast and for several days before the end he had steadily refused to take any nourishment.

He was united in marriage to Sarah Victoria Peck in 1850 and five children blessed this union: Frank, drowned at the age of 21; Mrs. Isabelle Roscoe and Mrs. Tressie Payne of near Lyons; Irving, of Kila, Montana; and A. W. of Los Angeles. His wife, two brothers, Franklin and Benjamin, of this place, and a sister, Mrs Harvey, of Whittier, California, also survive him.

The funeral service was conducted from the home last Sunday afternoon by Rev. James G. Clark, there being a large gathering of friends and neighbors present. The interment was made in the family lot at the Lyons cemetery.

Mrs. Harvey, of Whittier, California. and Irving Everett, of Kila, Montana, arrived on Saturday to be present at the funeral.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted with their sympathy and deeds in the illness and death of our husband, father, Andrew Everett

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DEATH OF ANDREW EVERETT

Andrew Everett died at his home west of Lyons at 10 o'clock PM Friday, May 10th, 1912. He had been failing for some time and the end was not unexpected.

He was born March 18, 1812¹ at Portland, Maine were he lived until he was 18 years old. After sending three years in Wisconsin and fifteen years in Iowa came to Burt county in 1866, locating on a farm west of the Logan where he lived many years, the farm now being occupied by Chas Hillstrom.

Mr. Everett was married in 1850 to Miss Sarah Victoria Peck, who survives him, with four children—Mrs.. B. S. Roscoe and Mrs.. J. S. Paine of near Lyons, Arthur W. of Los Angeles, California and Irving of Kallispell, Montana. Their son Frank was drowned when he was 21 years old. He also leaves two brothers of that place, Franklin and B.W. Everett, also one sister, Mrs. Harvey of California. His brother Josiah, one of the earliest pioneer settlers, died a number of years ago.

The funeral was held at the residence at 2 PM Sunday, Rev. James G. Clark conducting the services and the remains interred in the Lyons Cemetery.

How rapidly these once sturdy pioneers of old are passing away. In the early days Andrew Everett was surely a public-spirited citizen, always taking great interest in opening up this new country, looking after the schools and all other public enterprises.

The pall bearers were his grandsons as follows: Irving, Frank and Alva Roscoe and Howard, Myron and Leland Paine.

¹ 1829!

May 16, 1912

Card of Thanks

To our friends and neighbors, for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, we extend our heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Sarah V. Everett

Mrs. Bell Roscoe

Irving Everett

A. W. Everett

Mrs. Tressie Paine.

June 6, 1912