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GEORGE HARTMAN McCAUGHNEY

The death of George Hartman McCaughney occurred at St. Jerome's Hospital in Batavia on Monday evening, August 28, following a major operation performed two weeks ago. His age was 45 years.

Mr. McCaughney had apparently been in ordinary health when he consulted a physician for what seemed to be a minor indisposition, but examination resulted in his being sent to the hospital, where an operation disclosed a serious condition which resulted in his death. He had been in the hospital just two weeks.

He was a man of modest character but of exceptional abilities which were reflected in his work and in various contributions to community service. He served in the world war from February, 1918, until May, 1919, being overseas twelve months with Headquarters Company of the 77th Division. Since that time he had taken an interested and active part in the affairs of McKelton Post, American Legion.

He was born in Geneseo on Sept. 9, 1887, a son of Charles and Rose Hartman McCaughney and one of a family of seven children. He came to Perry about 17 years ago and entered the employ of the Perry Knitting Co., where he held the position of superintendent of repairs and maintenance at the time of his death. On April 20, 1920, he was united in marriage to Miss Bessie McDonald of Leicester.

Besides his wife he is survived by one daughter, Constance; a brother, Charles, and his father, Charles, of Geneseo.

Funeral services will be held at the home on Borden Avenue this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J.A. Judge of the Universalist Church officiating. Interment in Geneseo.

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