[Cristman, Edward L.]

EDWARD CHRISTMAN

Edward L. Cristman, 80, of the Masonic Home, formerly of Lansing St., Herkimer, died Saturday [31 Dec 1960] in the Masonic Home.

He was born Sept. 6, 1880 in Herkimer, son of Walter and Mary Harter Cristman.

He married Lena Waldroff [Waldorff?] May 2, 1906 in Herkimer. Mrs. Cristman died July 23, 1947.

Mr. Cristman was a former conductor on the Herkimer Trolley Line and was later a finisher for the Standard Furniture Co. until his retirement in 1945. Mr. Cristman operated a garage on Lansing St., Herkimer.

He was a member of the Universalist Church, Herkimer; Herkimer Lodge No. 423, F&AM, and the Fort Dayton Steamer Co.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Brandes, Binghamton; one granddaughter, four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Gray, Herkimer, and Mrs. W. Hoffman Thompson, Utica.

The funeral will be at 1:30 tomorrow from the Fenner Funeral Home, 115 Court St., Herkimer. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Herkimer.

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