

[Smith, Burton P.]

BURTON P. SMITH, 89, RETIRED VALLEY FARMER

Starkville—Burton P. Smith, 89, of Starkville, died Sept. 4, 1957, in Little Falls Hospital after an illness of three weeks.

He was born in the Town of Stark, June 22, 1868, a son of Moses and Julia Stille Smith. He was a retired farmer. He married Ella Countryman, who died several years ago.

Mr. Smith was a member of Cincinnatus Lodge, F&AM, of Great Barrington, Mass.

He leaves a son, Eugene Smith of Starkville, with whom he lived; three grandchildren; three great grand children; two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Cunningham of Rochester, Mrs. Andrew Hammer of New Lebanon; a brother, Earl Smith of Camby, Ore.; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

The funeral will be at 2 Saturday from the Gray Funeral Home, Fort Plain, with the Rev. James Alcock, pastor of Universalist Church of the Messiah, officiating. Burial will be in Fort Plain Cemetery.

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