

Z. R. Neale, 81 Years Old, Dies Thursday

Native of Cooper County—Passed Away—Funeral Held Sunday

Z. R. Neale, 81 years old, a native of Cooper County, died at the home of his son, T. W. Neale, in Boonville Thursday morning, April 23, death being due to infirmities of old age. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Boonville Presbyterian church, conducted by the Rev. Clinton Cox of Chicago, a son-in-law of Mr. Neale. Burial was made in Walnut Grove cemetery. Pallbearers were G. W. Jewett, J. T. Hickam, Anderson Brady, Otto Schmidt, Henry Allen, and Dr. O. W. Cochran.

Z. R. Neale, son of the late Rev. Minor and Nancy Amick Neale, was born Aug. 25, 1849, near Otterville. His father was a pioneer minister of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and one of the earlier preachers of that denomination in Cooper and Monteau counties. Mr. Neale attended school at Mt. Zion, and was a farmer and stockman practically all his life. He was married to Miss Mary E. Fluke March 18, 1875, who preceded him in death Feb. 9, 1929. They were the parents of six children: John M., who died in infancy; William M., of Boonville; Ollie E., Flint, Mich.; Troy W., Boonville; Mrs. Stella R. Cox, Chicago; and Mrs. Dorsey Mae Viertel, Boonville. He also leaves eleven grandchildren, three brothers, and two sisters.