

**John L. Meisner**  
**Of Clarence Dies;**  
**Funeral Tomorrow**

John Lewis Meisner, 75, of Clarence died yesterday afternoon at a Kirksville hospital, where he had been a patient for several days. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the Greening Funeral Home in Clarence, and burial will be at Mt. Zion cemetery near Redman. The body will lie in state at the Funeral Home until the hour of services.

Mr. Meisner was born July 4, 1882 at Redman, Mo., the son of Christopher and Mary E. Weininger Meisner. He was married Dec. 8, 1904 to Miss Nellie Keel, who survives.

Mr. Meisner was engaged in farming in the Redman community until he retired some 18 years ago and moved to Clarence. He is a member of the Clarence City Council for several years, a member of the I.O.O.F. Lodge and member of the state board of the Missouri Farmers Association.

In addition to his wife of the home, he is survived by two sons, Lewis of Shelbyville and Chris M. Anabel; one sister, Mrs. Dora Dick of Anabel; and nine grandchildren.

**Jimmy Joe Mayfield,**  
**Mos. Old**  
**Dies Suddenly**

Jimmy Joe Mayfield, 8 months old son of Waymond and Mary Beth Douglas Mayfield, died suddenly at his home Saturday evening about 9:00. He was born November 11, 1958.

Graveside rites were held Monday morning at 11:00 at the Clarence City Cemetery, conducted by Rev. B. W. Groner. The Greening Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Jimmy Joe is survived by his parents, two sisters and three others.

**T. Hawkins, 84,**  
**Former Resident of**  
**Miss Vicinity, Dies**

Wiles T. Hawkins, 84, a former resident of north of Clarence, passed away at his home in Ramona, Calif., on Monday, Jan. 9.

His wife, Mrs. Bessie Hawkins, died while they lived here and is buried in Maplewood cemetery. Four children survive, Lela, Mrs. William Foster of Montana, Foster, Chester and Avery of California. After the family returned to California he remarried. His wife survives together with four children, grandchildren, at grandchildren and other relatives. He was a member of Baptist church.

Last rites and interment were held in California on Wednesday, Jan. 11.

**OBITUARY**  
**Of Dr. George F. Brewington**



Dr. George Franklin Brewington, physician for more than 58 years, succumbed to pneumonia December 7 in a Los Angeles hospital following a brief illness. He suffered a fall on Monday before Thanksgiving and seemed to be recovering from the resultant shock and pneumonia coupled with his advanced age of ninety-six years, provided fatal.

Dr. Brewington is survived by three daughters, Miss Ann Brewington, member of the faculty of Nevada Southern University, Miss Frances Brewington, public school nurse at Boulder City, and Mrs. Van Phelan, his son-in-law, former governor of California; one brother, W. B. Brewington, of Clarence, and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased was born in Clarence, Missouri, November 25, 1863. Early in his career, he taught school and later completed his medical training at St. Joseph, Missouri.

During World War I, Dr. Brewington served as an officer in the 88th Central Postal Directory, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia. Following World War II, he was awarded a Presidential citation for his medical services.

Following World War II, he located in Missouri. In 1928, the Brewingtons moved to Michigan where he was associated with the Calumet & Hecla Mining Corporation until his retirement in 1946. For several years they spent the summer in their home in Michigan and the winter in warmer climates. In 1950, they moved to Las Vegas, Nevada permanently.

Professionally, deceased was a Macon Shrine, Elk, Eagle and an American Legionnaire in recognition of his services. He was awarded many years ago a Fifty Year Pin by the American Medical Association and one by the Masonic Order. He was a member of the Christian Church.

Masonic services were held Friday morning, Dec. 12, at 10 o'clock, at Bunkers Funeral Home, and interment was in Woodlawn cemetery in Las Vegas, Nevada.

**Dwight Turner**  
**Declared Dead**  
**By Navy Dept.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner of this city have been notified by the U. S. Navy Department that their son, Dwight Harland Turner, who has been reported missing since October 1, 1958, has been officially presumed dead. According to a report, received by his parents this week it stated officially: "Dwight Harland Turner, who was officially reported missing 1 October 1958, pursuant to provisions of Section 5 P.L. 490, 77th Congress, as



amended, death presumed to have occurred on 2 Oct. 1959. The date of the report was October 2, 1959."

RM3 Turner enlisted in the United States Navy on February 23, 1955. An April 29, 1958, he re-enlisted and then just before he was reported missing he had enlisted for six more years. He was assigned to Taiwan Def. Comd. & MAAG, Taipei. He was reported missing last year after an aircraft accident at sea when he was a passenger aboard a commercial aircraft chartered by the Chinese Nationalists Government.

Dwight Harland Turner was born at Anabel, Mo., the son of Frank and Mertie H. Turner on February 12, 1938. He attended the Clarence Public Schools. Besides his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Shirley Jo Taylor of Clark, Mo., and Charlotte Buchanan of Labadie, Mo.

**Glenn Hutton,**  
**Retired Farmer,**  
**Buried at Macon**

Funeral services for Frank Glenn Hutton, 65, were held at the First Christian church in Macon Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Wilbur R. Watkins. Burial followed at Macon.

Mr. Hutton who had been in failing health for the past three years died at Samaritan hospital late Sunday afternoon. He was born on Feb. 15, 1889, in Macon county southwest of Clarence, the son of George M. and Sarah Whiles Hutton. On Sept. 8, 1912, he was married to Miss Anna J. Durham who survives. The family retired from the farm and moved to Macon several years ago.

Survivors in addition to his wife are two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Peaslee and Mrs. Junior Burse of Macon; two sons, George and Frank of Blue Island, Ill.; four grandchildren; and two brothers, Bal of southwest of Clarence and Warren of Macon. One brother and three sisters preceded him.

April 29, 1954

**Funeral of Mrs.**  
**Thompson, Held**  
**This Afternoon**

Mrs. Lula Moss Thompson, 95, passed away at her home in Clarence Tuesday morning after an extended period of ill health.

Mrs. Thompson was born on Aug. 19, 1858, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Green Whiles of the Bethlehem community. She lived in Clarence for many years. Her husband N. A. Moss preceded her and later she was married to Mr. Thompson who passed away a number of years ago.

Survivors include a son Vincil Moss of the home, a sister, Mrs. L. J. Peterman of Clarence; a brother, Joe G. Whiles of Macon; three grandchildren, three great grandchildren, nieces and nephews and other relatives. Three children preceded her, Mrs. Hester Moore, Leland Moss and Bryan Moss.

The body rested at the Greening Funeral Home where last rites were conducted this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 o'clock with E. R. Davis, Baptist minister, officiating, followed by interment in the Bethlehem cemetery.

**OBITUARY**  
**Katie Mae Phillips**

Katie Mae Phillips, daughter of Crist and Jane Johns was born September 11, 1882 and passed away at 1:15 a.m. at the Laughlin Hospital in Kirksville, Mo., June 20, 1959. Age 76 years, 9 months and 9 days.

She was married to William P. Phillips, March 5th, 1902. To this union, 5 children were born: Ira William who passed away in infancy; Myrtle Jane Phillips of the home; Mrs. Irene Esther Megee of Excello; Mrs. Rosa Mae Beatty of Clarence and Mrs. Mona Ruth Miles of Anabel. Besides the husband and daughters, she leaves 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. One great grandchild, Edith Jane Beatty, passed away in infancy.

She was a member of the Woodville Baptist church, having professed faith in Christ many years ago. She retained that abiding faith through the remaining years of her life, always enjoying the house of God, attending its services as long as she was able.

Although ill several years, to be with her gave one a cheerful outlook on life. She enjoyed the companionship of dear ones, neighbors and friends and left us all an example of patience and Christian Fortitude.

She will be missed from her place in the home and community. May God bless her memory.

**OBITUARY OF**  
**CHARLEY COOK**

Charley Cook, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, was born near Shelbyville, Ind., on Jan. 22, 1872 and died at his home seven miles northwest of Clarence at 2:25 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 6, at the age of 80 years, ten months, and fourteen days.

Mr. Cook moved with his parents to Macon County at the age of nine years and had spent his entire life in the Ten Mile and Bethel communities.

He was married to Lydia Dehner on Dec. 29, 1901, and to their union four children were born. They are: Malissa and Otis Cook of near the home; Mrs. Letha Ray of Glendale, Ariz. One daughter, Fern, died at the age of 18 months.

He is survived by four grandchildren, Lester Walter, who has always made his home with his grandparents, Mrs. Faylene Beams of Greencastle, Ind., Mrs. Carlton Jacobs, Sunnyslope, Ariz., and Billy Walter, Glendale, Ariz.; two great granddaughters, Sharon and Carol Beams; five brothers, John, Sam, Arthur, Ben, and Hayden of near Clarence; and one sister, Mrs. Alice Davis, Pawnee, Ill.

Funeral services were conducted at Bethel Church north of Anabel at 1:30 p. m. Monday with Elder Bryan Adair of Atlanta in charge. Burial was made in the Bethel cemetery.

Pall bearers were: Mell Turner, Marion Gipson, Okal Mitts, Paul Jensen, Lon Combs, and Bob Oliver.

Alice Combs, Iris Jensen, Ola Oliver, Marie Gipson, Cecil Turner and Mrs. Luck acted as flower girls.

Singers for the services were Mrs. Kenneth Harvey, Miss Wilma White, Russell Wood, and William Oliver, with Mrs. Raymond Brown as piano accompanist.

**Miss Annah E. Jacobs**  
**Buried Here Saturday**

Last rites for Miss Annah E. Jacobs of Kansas City were held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in Maplewood cemetery with the Rev. A. V. Renfro officiating. The body was brought to Clarence Friday night accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cassie Marley and Mrs. Marley's daughter Jennie and her son John and was taken to the Hamilton home where it rested until the next morning. Rev. Renfro said a short prayer before the cortege moved to the cemetery.

Casket bearers were J. O. Callison, Ed Hirlinger, Elmer F. Cross, L. D. Smith, Albert D. Long and Vincil Wheeler.

Other relatives attending the services were V. L. Drain and Miss Katherine Drain of Shelbyville, Mrs. Arthur Jones, her son Loy Jones, both of Shelbyville, and Mrs. Jones' daughter, Mrs. Joe Nicely of Hannibal.