

Charles Henry Elledge, the son of one of the early settlers of Pike county, passed away November 1 at home of his daughter, Mrs. Alva Hobbs in Trenton, Mo. Just one month ago he celebrated his 90th birthday with all his children with him.

He was the son of Uriah and Delia Ann Kellogg Elledge of Griggsville. It was Uriah Elledge who built the first log cabin in Griggsville on the spot where the post office now stands. Charles was born on the farm east of town now owned by John Warton. He was one of four children. A brother, Fred and two sisters Florence and Annabelle preceded him in death.

Mr. Elledge was married to Jane (Jennie) Wilfor Jan 22, 1888 at Galt, Mo. They came to make their first home in Griggsville and lived here until 1918 when they moved to Galt, MO. and lived on a farm until Mrs. Elledge passed away Aug. 28, 1926. He moved back to the home he owned in Griggsville in 1931 and stayed here for six years. He then returned to Galt, MO where he lived alone until his health failed last January. He went to the home of his daughter where he passed away.

He is survived by four children. Two passed away in infancy. Surviving are one son Wilford Elledge of Faribault, Minn., three daughters, Mrs. Gertude Shaw of Griggsville, Mrs. Florence Hobbs of Trenton, Mo., and Mrs. Annabelle Bolser of East Monline, Ill. He also leaves to mourn his passing, 20 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews. He will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

Funeral services were held in the Payne Funeral home in Galt, M. at 2 o'clock Wednesday, November 3. Burial was in the Berry cemetery at Galt.