

KING, LEWIS ALVIN  
August 10, 1858-December 22, 1927

Lewis Alvin King died at his home in Wheatland, Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>. Mr. King was one of the prominent and respected farmers of this community for many years having made his home here for 14 years. The funeral was held Monday, by Rev. H.E. Shepherd, from the Methodist church and interment was made in the Wheatland cemetery. Mr. King's many friends deeply mourn his loss and heartfelt sympathy is offered his family and relatives.

Lewis Alvin, son of Richard and Mary King, was born August 10<sup>th</sup>, 1858 in Newcomers Town, Ohio where he made his home until he was about 20 years of age. January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1878, he was united in marriage to Miss Rosanna Stocker. They moved at once to Silver City, Iowa where they resided for four years. They then moved to Wessington Springs, S.D., and lived there for 14 years and then to Macedonia, Iowa for 13 years. They came to Wheatland in 1909. Of this union there were five children, Mrs. E.M. Barber, Wessington Springs, S.D., Mrs. Ida Farnsworth, Wheatland, Mrs. D.L. Nordyke, Shenendoah, Ia., Mrs. Sylvester Frain, Carson, Ia., and Walter King of Wheatland. He left 18 grandchildren, one great grandchild, three brothers, George of South Dakota, Wesley and Grant of Iowa, one sister, Mrs. Joseph Zimmerman of Urichville, Ohio. Mr. King became a Christian in early manhood and belonged to the I.O.O.F. lodge. The Watson Mortuary was in charge of funeral arrangements.