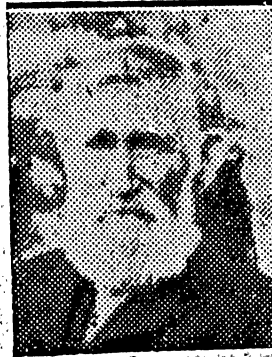


Henry Oliver Dies In His 95th Year

Had Been Resident of Strathroy
27 Years; Wife Died on Same
Date Year Ago



A respected resident of this district for many years, Henry Oliver, died Jan. 11 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Merwin Patterson, Caradoc Township. He had made his home there since the death of his wife, who died on the same date a year ago.

Mr. Oliver, who was in his 95th year, was born in Lincolnshire, England, and came to Canada with his parents when he was nine years of age, the family settling at Komoka. Following his marriage on July 4, 1878, to Miss Ellen Hoskin, the couple lived for five years at Delaware before taking up land in Bosanquet. After living there 12 years, they moved to Adelaide Township, where they farmed for 17 years. Then for 27 years they lived at Strathroy, and the couple celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary 18 months ago.

Mr. Oliver was a member of the United Church.

Surviving are two daughters and three sons, Mrs. Nellie Wardell, of Adelaide Township; Mrs. Merwin Patterson, Caradoc Township; Eli Oliver, Fairview, Alta.; Charles C. and George, both of Adelaide Township; also a brother, William Oliver, of Strathroy, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Riggs, of Arkona, and Mrs. George Willsie, of Calgary, Alberta.

The funeral, at which Rev. A. J. Smale, of Strathroy United Church, officiated, was held Saturday, January 13, from Denning Bros. funeral home, Strathroy, to Arkona Cemetery.

Two sons and four grandsons were pallbearers.