Death of James M. Agee.

James M. Agee, an aged and highly respected former resident of Pettis county, died at the home of his son, Lee Agee, in Kansas City, at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, April 29.

He was the son of a Baptist minister and was born in Flat Creek township, Pettis county, July 2, 1838, and was over 80 years old. Mr. Agee grew to young manhood in this county and for many years was engaged in the mercantile business at Dresden. His wife, now deceased, was a daughter of the late Judge W. J. Evans.

Surviving him are three sons, Gus and Lee Agee, who are engaged in the real-estate business in Kansas City, and Posey Y. Agee, of Sterling, Colo. A daughter, Mrs. Ida Robertson of Eufaula, Okla., also survives.

Mr. Agee was a member of the Christian church. He was highly esteemed by numerous friends throughout the county, where the greater portion of his life was spent.

The remains were brought to Dresden Friday morning, accompanied by the three sons and daughter, and the funeral services were conducted by Rev. D. W. Williams at the Dresden Baptist church. The interment was made in the Dresden cemetery.

The pallbearers were O. A. Stine, H. L. McCune, O. R. Bently, R. V. Gentry, John Wilson and George Steele. The floral tributes were numerous and very beautiful.