

Mrs. T. A. Nelson of Bunceton Dies

End Came This Morning At
Her Home At 10:20
O'Clock.

FUNERAL WILL BE
HELD TOMORROW

To Be Conducted At "Eminence"
With Burial At
Masonic Cemetery.

Mrs. T. A. Nelson, Sr., died this morning at Eminence Farm, the family home, two miles east of Bunceton at 10:20 o'clock. She has been ill for nearly six months.

Funeral services will be held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and burial will be made in the Bunceton Masonic cemetery. The Rev. T. M. Macdonnel of California, former pastor, and the Rev. E. L. Painter, pastor of the Bunceton Baptist church, will conduct the services.

Mrs. Nelson is survived by six sons, L. O. of Bunceton, W. L. Nelson, congressman, Columbia, A. J., Syracuse, T. A. Jr., Boonville, Edgar C. Nelson, Boonville, and Clyde T., of near Bunceton. She also leaves twelve grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, one brother, W. J. Tucker, Kansas City, Kans., and one sister, Mrs. James E. Bowling, Medford, Oregon.

Mrs. Nelson's maiden name was Sarah Ann Tucker. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tucker, pioneer of Cooper County, and was born 4 miles northeast of Bunceton April 6, 1849. She spent her entire life in Cooper County. On December 24, 1868, she became the wife of Thomas Alpheus Nelson. They spent their entire married life on the farm where Mr. Nelson died March 21, 1921 and where Mrs. Nelson died today.

Mrs. Nelson was a life-long member of the Bunceton Baptist church, joining the Concord church in girlhood. For many years she was a teacher in the Sunday School there and later was in the Baptist church at Bunceton to which she transferred her membership many years ago. Mrs. Nelson was a woman of remarkable memory which she retained to the end of her life. She was an authority on local history and made frequent contributions to the county and farm press.

She was highly intelligent, with a circle of friends that was county-wide. She was a member of the generation that brought gentility to the young civilization of Missouri, a woman of education and refinement, and a leader in her church and community.