

ROCKFELLOW, FRANCES ELLEN

Birth

February 24, 1855 in Iowa per stone;
born February 24, 1853 per McLaren's
Funeral Home Records



Death

November 15, 1941 per stone and
November 15, 1940 per McLaren's Records

The McLaren's records must be correct as the obituary was found in The Des Moines Tribune in November of 1940.

She died at Carey Nursing Home.

Cause of Death

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 107
Lot was sold to J. H. Rockfellow on August 26, 1920

Maiden Name

Morgan

Father

William Samuel Morgan

Mother

Susanna L. "Susan" Roach

Marriage

Frances Morgan to John H. Rockfellow on September 7, 1877

Census

1856 – Richland Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Page 730
Dwelling 203; Family 203

Morgan, William	27	Farmer	OH
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Susan	28		KY
Ann E.	08		IN
Mary	06		IN
Sarah	04		IN
Frances	02		IA

1860 – Richland Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Post Office, Richland; Page 851; June 23, 1860
Dwelling 817; Family 817;

Morgan, W. S.	30	Farmer	KY
Susan	29		IN
Ann E.	12		IN
Mary E.	10		IN
Sarah	08		IN
Frances	06		IA
Lucy	03		IA
Lafayette	00 2/12		IA

1870 – Richland Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Page 419A; Post Office, South English; July 30, 1870
Dwelling 160; Family 161

Morgan, William	40	Farmer	KY
		Real estate, \$2500; Personal, \$745	
Susan	40	Keeping house	IN
Mary	18		IN
Sarah	17		IN
Francis	16		IA
Lucy	14		IA
Lafayette	10		IA
Sibertha	08		IA
Charles	04		IA
Eva	03		IA

1880 – Caldwell Twp., Appanoose Co., Iowa; ED21; Page 4; June 25, 1880
Dwelling 36; Family 36

Morgan, Samuel	64	Farmer	OH	VA	VA
Susan	61	Keeping house	OH	TN	FL
Samuel	29		IA	OH	OH
Daniel	23		IA	OH	OH
Artenecia	25		IA	OH	OH
Frances	21		IA	OH	OH

1885 – Manning, Warren Twp., Carroll Co., Iowa; Page 445
May Street
Dwelling 203; Family 208

Rockfellow, Frances E.	29		Born in Keokuk Co., Iowa		
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1895 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Page 397

Dwelling 17; Family 17
 Rockfellow, John H. 35 IA
 Francis 36 IA

1900 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED138; Page 5; June 7, 1900

Dwelling 105; Family 105
 Rockfellow, John 40 grocer – married 20 years IA NJ OH
 Born January 1860
 Fannie 41 2 children; 2 living IA IN IN
 Born February 1859
 Laurel 19 farm labor IA IA IA
 Born December 1880
 Jordan, Pearl 21 niece – Born March 1879 IA IL OH

1905 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa; Orilla, Iowa

Line 122 thru 124
 Rockfellow, J. H.
 Fannie
 L. J.

1910 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED212; Page 6A; April 22, 1910

Dwelling 53; Family 54
 Rockfellow, John 54 retail merchant IA US US
 Married 30 years
 Fanny 55 2 children, 1 living IA KY IN
 Married 2, 30 years

1915 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; Post Office, Orillia, IA;
 Card #451

Rockfellow, Francis 58 IA IA IN

1920 – Walnut Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 185; Page 8B; January 24, 1920

Dwelling 188; Family 189
 Rockfellow, John H. 65 merchant general IA NY OH
 Fannie 65 IA IN IN

1925 – Polk Co., IA; Book 1163; Line 85

Rockfellow, Loral 44 IA
 Father, John Rockfellow, born in IA
 Mother, Francis Morgan, born in IA, age 69
 Edith 40 IA
 Father, Dan Ashdown, born in England, age 78
 Mother, Eliza C. Dyett, born in England
 Dan and Eliza were married in England
 Francis 69 IA
 Father, Samuel Morgan, born in IN

Mother not given
Parents were married in Indiana

1930 – Walnut Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 125; Page 12B; April 24, 1930

Dwelling 315; Family 315

Rockfellow, Loral J.	49	storekeeper	IA	IA	IA
Edith B.	45	general store clerk	IA	ENG	ENG
Frances	76	WD – mother	IA	US	US
Jenkins, Jule	73	boarder – farm labor	IA	KY	VA
Bablerky, Charley	64	boarder - farm labor	GER	GER	GER

Came to US in 1883 – NA

1940 – Northwest Des Moines, Polk Co., Iowa; ED77-39; Page 14A; May 17, 1940

Family 266

Rockfellow, Frances	87	Wd	IA
Bablshy, Charlie	78	Lodger	Germany

Funeral Home

Valley Funeral Home

Deaths

[The Des Moines Tribune, Saturday, November 16, 1940; Page 10]

Rockfellow – Services for Mrs. Frances Rockfellow of Commerce, Iowa, will be at the Valley Funeral Home Sunday at 2 p.m. Remains at funeral home until time of service.

Obituary

[The Des Moines Tribune, Saturday, November 16, 1940; Page 3]

Mrs. Rockfellow Funeral Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Frances Rockfellow, 87, of Commerce, Iowa, will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Valley Funeral Home, West Des Moines. Burial will be in the Orillia, Iowa, cemetery.

Mrs. Rockfellow, a PolkCounty resident for 48 years, died Friday at the Carey Nursing Home following a long illness.