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**Obituaries**

**JESSE MILEY** is a graduate of Phoenix Union High School, Phoenix college and the University of Arizona. He was a lifelong resident of Freeport, died in a Freeport hospital Saturday night. He was a sales and design engineer for the W. H. Eddy Electric Products Co. for four years and only a month ago started work for Motorola, Inc. Survivors include two brothers and two sisters, L. F. of Freeport, Brent of Madison, Wis., Mrs. Edna Eliza Lodge, Theta Tau fraternity, Michael of Freeport and Mrs. Law Motel, Shiloh. Service will be in the Walker Mortuary at 2 p. m. Tuesday (OST). Dr. Earl Hartman, pastor of West View United Brethren Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Silver Springs Cemetery.

**EDGAR F. WINBERRENER** Edgar F. Winberrener, a former resident of Freeport, died Saturday night in his home at Elgin. He was born Aug. 2, 1906, in Frank Winberrener. He had been employed in the sales department of the Edgen Water Softener Co. His marriage to Ella Winberrener took place in Freeport Oct. 2, 1936. Survivors include his wife, and one son, Dean, at home. His father lives in Rockford, a brother and a sister also survive. Phil is in the Norris Rober Funeral Home, Elgin. Cremation service will be at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday at Grand View Cemetery, north of Freeport.

**OSCAR J. KUNTZ** Oscar J. Kuntz, a native of Stephenson County, died May 14 at Pine Rock, near Lake View, near Tower, Minn., after a long illness. He was a son of James and Clara (Hagg) Kuntz, and was born in Stephenson County in 1878. He was educated in Stephenson County College and graduated from Dakota College. His marriage to Margaret South took place July 5, 1903, in LaSalle, Ill. He served as manager for the Adams Canning Company here for 22 years and later was employed by the city street department. Twelve years ago he retired, and with his wife, moved to Minnesota to make their home with a daughter, Sara. Survivors include his wife, James Oscar Kuntz, Freeport, and two daughters, Mrs. Jack (Betty) McIntyre of Hialeah, Fla., and

**ELIZABETH** — John Grant Tippett, St. Elizabeth's sister, died at 3:30 p. m. Sunday in a Freeport hospital where she had been for the past month. She fell ill some at that time and briefly a hip. He was born Jan. 31, 1863, in William, a town now abandoned, three miles west of Elizabeth, the son of William and Jane King Tippett. He attended Elizabeth school and in March 14, 1883, he married the former Cecilia Torres at Galena, Ill. His wife died in 1926. The couple farmed in the western community until 1915 when they retired and moved to Elizabeth. Tippett was a member of the Methodist Church of Elizabeth. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Fred (Max) Munster at their home with a daughter, Sara. Mrs. Harold S. (Gertrude) Galbraith of Elizabeth and two grand children. He was preceded in death by his

**NEILSON F. WIRTZ** GALENA—Neilson F. Wirtz, a lifelong resident on the Le-Bureau County farm east of here, where he was born, died there Sunday morning following a long illness. He was born at the farm June 10, 1883, son of John S. and Mary Jane Frisdon Wirtz, Os. Oct. 12, 1922, he was married to the former Magdalen Schwaizer. Survivors include his wife, one son, Wesley, at home, and a daughter, Lucille, Miami, Fla. He was a member of the First Methodist Church. Funeral service will be Wednesday at 2 p. m. (CST) in Nash Funeral Home, with the Rev. David L. Taylor, pastor of First Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Norris Rober Funeral Home, Elgin. Cremation service will be at 7 p. m. tonight.

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