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## Selah Cemetery.

The Selah Cemetery at the Colony is one of the nicest burying grounds that we have anywhere it is on the hill just above the Colony camp.

HUTTON VALLEY MO,
Oct. 7th. 1918.

Rev. L. S. Garrett Dear Editor I am sending you one dollar check for the CRESSET. "Please send me the WORLD'S CRESSET one year. for I dont want to do without it.

I am ever your friend,
H B. Daniel.

## War News

Clipped from some late papers.

### Americans drive 3 miles along Meuse. Huns about to abandon Flanders coast.

SHELL PLANT BLAST MAIMS AND KILLS 100.

Fire Follows Explosion at Munition Factory at Morgan N. J.

Shakes Countryside for Miles and Miles.

Aid Rushed from Cities and Towns on Every Side. Soldiers Come.

### YANKEES TAKE 4 VILLAGES IN SAVAGE FIGHT,

Illinois, Wisconsin and Eastern and Southern Men Force Foe to Kriemhilde.

Make Progress with Gauls in Champagne.

They Capture Blanc Mont and 3,000 Prisoners With Aid of Tanks.

In the fighting in Campagne the French and Americans have advanced about two and a half miles north of Auberive and about five miles northeast of Somme Py, taking a number of villages, according to the French official communication issued tonight.

The railroad town of Challerange has been evacuated, but has not been occupied by the enemy. Both artilleries are firing upon it.

Take Important Height.

With the aid of French tanks, the Americans have taken the important height positions of Blanc Mont and the Medeah farm and pressed farther northward. They took 3,000 prisoners.

PANIC IN HUN ARMIES; ROUT MAY BE NEAR

There is every indication according to authoritative naval sources of the early abandonment by the Germans of the entire Flanders coast.

The Germans already are removing their guns. The Belgian coast has been under a heavy bombardment for the past two days.

The enemy is swiftly evacuating the Lens-Armentieres salient The British are astride the Lens-Lille road.

The German position in Cambrai is critical and the fall of the town is near. British are fighting in the streets.

The retreat of the Germans in the region between Armentieres and Lens has reached a depth of six miles The enemy still is retiring slowly.

## OBITUARY.

On the 2nd. day of Oct. 1918; Mr. Samuel Gordan Merritt passed this life, to the world beyond at the age of 58 years, he left a wife, and a son, and many friends to mourn his loss. He was very suddenly taken away with heart disease, He was well and hearty and all at once, he dropped down and his head, fell upon his wife's lap, and in 10 minutes passed away.

He belonged to Christ's Chosen Church, In Love and Union, for 25 years; worked in the JAH Ville Colony for those 25 years, and was a faithful member all during this time.

He stood as a giant oak of the forest, for Christ and His Cause. And on the 3rd. at 3 O'clock, there was over one hundred followed him to his last resting place.

His Funeral services was conducted by Rev, L, S. Garrett. The Corpse was carried by 6 Pall Bearers from the house to the JAH Ville Church house by Brother's Briggs, Bowers, Mannings Moore, McCubbins and Oliver. when Rev. L. S. Garrett preached from the Text:—"Then said Jesus unto them plainly, Lazarus is dead." (St. John 11—14)

Followed by Rev. Harvey, a Minister of the General Baptist Church; after which the Corpse was viewed by the congregation, then the Corpse was taken to the Selah Cemetery, followed by his wife in a buggy, next by Miss Yates, School teacher and her schollars all in line numbering over 40, she needs much praise for her manifestation of respect for the dead.

The body was laid to rest in earth.
The soul had passed to heaven above.
He loved his Christ from his christian birth,
His spirit left like an angel dove.

For many years he served his God,
He served him true and brave,
But now he lays beneath the sod,
With flowers upon his grave.

Dear Friends we know its sad to part,
Yet grieve no more for him,
Dear wife lift up your drooping heart.
And son, live free from sin.

## News is scarce this Week on account of so much Sickness.

## We are Borne

## Upon the Strong Wings of the Spirit

...people forever. And we must say, that