

JONESPORT

MRS. ALBERTA MANSFIELD

Mrs. Alberta G. Mansfield, 90, widow of Bion D. Mansfield, died at her home Thursday after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Mansfield was born at Jonesport, March 20, 1867, the daughter of James W. and Albertine Hinckley.

She was a graduate of Castine Normal School with the class of 1886. She was a school teacher and superintendent of schools in the Jonesport District, and was influential in acquiring the first assistant teacher for Jonesport High School.

She had a music class and taught piano, carried on an extensive dairy and cattle business until 1949, and was also engaged in the hotel and store business with her husband. She was a member of the library committee and helped organize the Peabody Memorial Library and reading room.

A member of the Congregational Church, she was active and interested in all church affairs, serving as superintendent of the Sunday school, leader of the Young People's group, and the Boys' Club. She introduced and helped to establish the Farm Bureau in this town.

Mrs. Mansfield is survived by a daughter-in-law, Jeanetta Mansfield Foster, of Kenduskeag; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the Rev. Paul V. Malicote, pastor of the Congregational Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. John Gilbert. Interment was in the family lot in Greenwood cemetery. Bearers were Elmer Sawyer, Fred Adamson, William S. Church, Jr., D. O. Hall, M. O. Hall and Harvey Bagley.

BION B. MANSFIELD

JONESPORT, Nov. 21—Bion Bradbury Mansfield, 88, died at his home Nov. 11, after several months of ill health. He was born at Jonesport a son of the late Edward A. and Lois (Sawyer) Mansfield and was the last surviving member of a family of nine children.

He was a life long resident of the town.

In eadly life he continued as proprietor of the Moose-A-Bec House a business established by his parents. He conducted a general store and a sideline of grain and other supplies for the farmers. His own farm at Mason's Bay was his hobby.

He was a charter member of Moose-a-Bec Lodge Knights of Pythias.

Services were conducted Nov. 14 at the Mansfield homestead with Rev. Maldwyn Parry, pastor of the Sawyer Memorial Congregational church officiating.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alberta (Hinkley) Mansfield, and Janetta Harvey, widow of his only son Kirkland, and many nieces and nephews.