

BUSINESS MAN OF OGDEN DIES

Ambrose E. Shaw Services
Set for Wednesday
Afternoon



AMBROSE E. SHAW

Ambrose E. Shaw, long prominent in Ogden business activities, died on Sunday afternoon at his home, 421 Sixteenth street, after an illness of two weeks, aged 70 years.

Mr. Shaw was born in Ogden on August 21, 1857, the third son of William M. and Diana Chase Shaw. They were pioneers of Utah, coming to Ogden in 1848 from New York state, and made their home on the property now located at the corner of Canyon road and Washington avenue. This property had remained in part in the possession of Ambrose E. Shaw up to the time of his death. He received his early education in the old Mound Fort rock school house, which was located where the Mound Fort school now stands, attending school three months during winter and working during the remainder of the year.

In 1877 he went into railroad service, but two years later he took over his father's farm for one year.

ENTERS BUSINESS

In 1879 Mr. Shaw began his career in business, working as clerk for Higginbotham & Co., with which establishment D. H. Peery was connected. It was from Mr. Peery he received his first business instruction. One of the admonitions given him and which he endeavored to apply in life was: "For young people to become successful, prosperous and happy, they must spend less than they earn; if they make 50c endeavor to save 25c."

In 1850 the firm name was changed to Higginbotham & Clark and soon afterwards Mr. Shaw purchased the Higginbotham interest and the firm was known for 10 years as Clark & Shaw. Then I. L. Clark became the sole owner of the business and Mr. Shaw continued as an employe until 1912, at which time he accepted a position with the Golden Rule Mercantile company of Ogden, and at the time of his death was their cashier.

Ecclesiastically Mr. Shaw was a devout Latter-Day Saint. For 10 years he was clerk of the Seventh ward under Bishops James Taylor and Miles L. Jones and for a number of years was associated in the supervision of the high priest class of the Seventh ward. At the time of his death he was a member of the high priest quorum of the Ogden stake.

FAMILY MEMBERS

On December 25, 1878, Rosella J. Child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Child, became his wife and to them has been born eight children, seven of whom survive, besides his wife. They are: William W. Shaw, Mrs. L. G. Morris, Mrs. John R. Watson, Mrs. E. R. Shurtliff, all of Ogden; Charles A. Shaw of Butte, Mont.; Mrs. Fred B. Harvey of Salt Lake; Mrs. Charles L. Buhler of Heber City. Twenty-four grandchildren, one great grandchild and four sisters; Mrs. L. L. Clark of Los Angeles; Mrs. O. P. Badger, Mrs. Ina Drake, and Mrs. James McFarlane of Ogden, also survive.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the Seventh ward chapel, conducted by Bishop William Arthur Budge. The body may be viewed at the home, 421 Sixteenth street, Tuesday afternoon and evening and also on Wednesday until 1 o'clock. Interment will take in the Ogden City cemetery under the direction of Larkin & Sons.