

ROCKFELLOW, JOHN HENRY

Birth

January 17, 1857 in
Sigourney, Keokuk Co.,
Iowa



Death

July 10, 1922, Walnut Twp.,
Commerce, Polk Co., Iowa

Standard Certificate of Death
Polk Co., Iowa
77-7

John Henry Rockfellow
Residence: Walnut Twp., Commerce, Polk Co., Iowa
Date of birth: January 17, 1857 in Iowa
Date of death: July 20, 1922
Place of death: Walnut Twp., Commerce, Polk Co., Iowa
Cause of death: Cancer of liver
Age: 65yr 6mo 3da
Wife: Francis Rockfellow
Father: Henry Rockfellow
Mother: Charlotte Clark, born in Ohio
Informant: Loral J. Rockfellow
Place of burial: Orilla Cemetery
Funeral Home: R. R. McBride, 1005, High St., Des Moines, Iowa
Physician: A. L. Cochran, Cumming, Iowa

Cause of Death

Cancer of liver

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 107
Lot was sold to J. H. Rockfellow on August 20, 1920

Father

Henry Eugene Rockfellow

Mother

Charlotte Jane Clark

Marriage

John H. Rockfellow to Frances Morgan

Census

1860 – Lancaster Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Page 1025; Post Office, Lancaster; July 30, 1860
Dwelling 2045; Family 2050

Rockafellow, Henry	65	Farmer	NJ
		Real estate, \$1300; Personal \$1400	
Charlotte	48		OH
Elizabeth	17		OH
Clark	14		OH
John H.	04		IA
Jacobs, Noah	17	Day labor	IN
Smith, Avaline	24	Domestic	IN

1870 – Lancaster Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Page 367B; Post Office, Sigourney; August 9, 1870
Dwelling 56; Family 56

Rockfellow, Henry	73	Farmer	NJ
		Real estate, \$2600; Personal \$1614	
Charlette	58	Keeping house	OH
George	44	Farm labor	IN
John H.	13	Farm labor	IA

1880 – Jackson Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; ED161; Page 213D; June 7, 1880
Dwelling 116; Family 116

Rockafellar, John	23	Farmer	IA	NJ	OH
Fanny	25	Keeping house	IA	KY	IN
Henry	83	Father	NJ	NJ	NJ

1885 – Manning Twp., Carroll Co., Iowa
Dwelling 203

Rockfellow, John H.	27		
Frances E.	29		
Loral	04		

1895 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA
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 Born January 1860	IA	NJ	OH
Fannie	41	2 children; 2 living Born February 1859	IA	IN	IN
Laurel	19	farm labor Born December 1880	IA	IA	IA
Jordan, Pearl	21	niece – Born March 1879	IA	IL	OH

1905 – Warren Co., Iowa

Rockfellow, J. H.	46	married	IA	NJ	OH
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1910 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED212; Page 6A; April 22, 1910

Dwelling 53; Family 54

Rockfellow, John H.	54	retail merchant Married 30 years	IA	US	US
Fanny	55	2 children, 1 living Married 2, 30 years	IA	KY	IN

1915 – Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa; Post Office, Orillia, Iowa
Card #450

Rockfellow, John H.	57	Grocer merchant	IA	IA	IA
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1920 – Walnut Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 185; Page 8B; January 24, 1920

Dwelling 188; Family 189

Rockfellow, John H.	65	merchant general	IA	NJ	OH
Fannie	65		IA	IN	IN

Misc.

John H. Rockfellow was appointed Post Master on December 17, 1919 at Commerce, Polk Co., Iowa.

John H. Rockfellow was appointed Postmaster on May 20, 1893 at Orillia, Warren Co., Iowa

Funeral Home

History of WarrenCounty – 1908; Linn Twp.; Page 332

J. Rockefeller was station agent for the Chicago Great Western Railway, Orillia, Iowa. He was also postmaster for the one rural route established in 1902. He was General Store and Implement dealer in Orillia.