

Charles A Goessling

Birth: Apr. 5, 1854, Germany
 Death: Nov. 23, 1909
 Neenah
 Winnebago County
 Wisconsin, USA

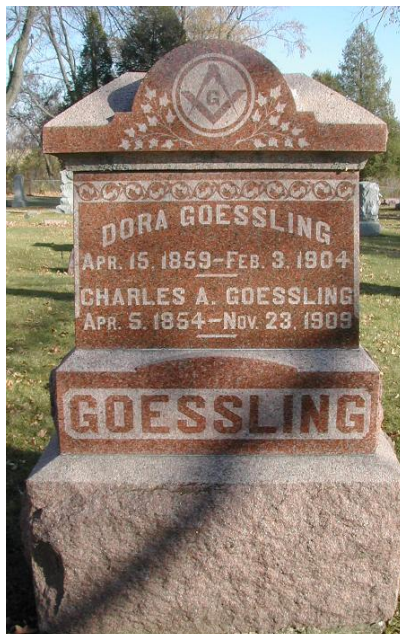
Charles Goessling Chilton Times November 27, 1909

LEADING CITIZEN OF CHILTON

This community was unprepared for the sad news that flashed over the wires Tuesday evening that Chas. A. Goessling, one of Chilton's prominent businessmen, had dropped dead on one of the principal streets of Neenah at 7:30 o'clock. Shortly after eight o'clock that evening Jas. W. Brown, chief of police of that city, called up Mayor McGrath of this city and notified him of the sudden death and the news was conveyed to the home of the wife and children. Mr. Goessling left home on Tuesday morning apparently in the best of health, his destination being Marshfield. He stopped over at Neenah to take orders for plows which he manufactures, intending to take the midnight train for the north. From the Neenah Times it is learned that he took supper at the Hotel Neenah and then left to call on a customer. He had only been absent from the hotel a few minutes when he dropped dead.

Chas. A Goessling was born in Westphalia, Germany, April 5, 1854. At the age of one year he came to America with his parents and located in the town of Rhine, Sheboygan County. Farming was his fathers occupation and Mr. Goessling remained with him until the early seventies when he went to Fond du Lac to learn the blacksmith trade. In 1875 he came to Chilton and with Geo. Steudel opened a blacksmith shop at the Center. Later the firm dissolved and Mr. Goessling was absent from the city for four years, during which time he was in business at St. Cloud. He returned to Chilton and re-established himself in the blacksmith business and in the manufacture of plows in which he was exceedingly successful. He was an excellent mechanic, well liked by his patrons and his plow manufactory grew and prospered to such an extent that it required his entire attention and on Jan. 1st of this year he disposed of his blacksmith business to Peter Endres and confined himself to the manufacture of plows.

Mr. Goessling was twice married. On May 6, 1877, Miss Dora Schultz of Watertown became his wife. Five children were born to them, all of whom are living, Robert O., and Mrs. Edw. Leverenz, Misses Hilma and Gertrude of Milwaukee and Adala of this city. Mrs. Goessling died Feb. 1, 1904, and on April 30, 1907, he was married to Miss Jennie Schlichting who survives him. Besides his immediate family he leaves one brother, Fred Goessling of St. Cloud and a sister, Mrs. Frederick Hayssen of Antigo. Though quiet and unassuming Mr. Goessling was one of the prominent business men of Chilton, doing much for this town in his unostentatious way and standing high in the community as a business man and citizen. He was an indefatigable worker and this combined with his shrewdness and business ability contributed to his financial success. His loss to the community is deeply felt and universal sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family. The funeral will be held this Saturday afternoon for the family home, the Chilton lodge No. 154, A.F. and A.M. having charge of the burial.



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Family links:

Parents:

[F. W Gossling \(1818 - 1875\)](#)

[Charlotte Lindemann Gossling \(1819 - 1892\)](#)

Spouses:

[Jennie Schlichting Goessling \(1869 - 1938\)](#)

[Dora Schultz Goessling \(1859 - 1904\)*](#)

Siblings:

[Frederick W Goessling \(1847 - 1917\)*](#)

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Jennie L. *Goessling* Hayssen (1860 - 1932)*

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Burial:

[Hillside Cemetery](#)

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