

FROM THE CHARLESTON COURIER dated October 25, 1861:

DIED--- On Saturday, October 19th, at Price's Landing, Mr. Robert Price, aged 44 years.

The deceased was born in Southern Illinois, but removed to this State at an early age, in company with his brother, Archie Price, who has been until recently, the occupant and owner of Price's Landing.

The deceased was engaged with his brother, for several years, in the commission business and keeping a woodyard; subsequently he removed to this place and engaged in the mercantile business with Wm. F. Myrick, under the style of Price & Myrick.

After the dissolution of the firm, the deceased assisted us in the office of the Clerk of the County and Circuit Courts, until the Swamp Land Law was passed, when he was elected Superintendent of Public Works, for the County. He held this office until the law was changed, creating a Board of Public Works, of which he was made a member by the Legislature, and continued to be one until his death.

In the summer of 1855 he married a daughter of the late Major Sayers, and took up his residence near the new town of Bertrand, where he continued to reside until last spring, when he was appointed Freight Agent for the Cairo & Fulton Railroad, at Bird's Point, to which place he removed. During the summer, the Government took possession of Bird's Point, in consequence of which the road ceased doing business, and the deceased returned to Bertrand.

About a month ago, in consequence of the war difficulties in the country, Mr. Archie Price concluded to remove from Price's Landing, and disposed of his crop and effects to the deceased, who moved to the Landing.

He died of brain fever, the cause of which we shall not repeat, save it adds another to the long list of victims of the present unnatural war.

The deceased belonged to the fraternity of Free- Masons, and was buried according to the rites of that order, by Constantine Lodge, of which he was a member.

During the term of his residence in this county, we have been intimately connected with him in business relations, and in his dealings with us, and we believe with the world, he had earned for himself the high praise of being an honest man.

He leaves, to mourn his departure, a wife, several brothers and other relatives, together with a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

Among his neighbors and associates he was universally beloved and respected,--indeed, we know of no one who had more friends or fewer enemies than had ROBERT PRICE.

FROM THE CHARLESTON COURIER dated June 8, 1860:

A QUEER LAW--- The new statutes of Maryland, punishes with a fine of fifty dollars, any man or woman, girl or boy, who shall go out of the State and marry any person belonging to the State. We suppose it will be hard work to get the fine if the parties do not go back into the State again.
