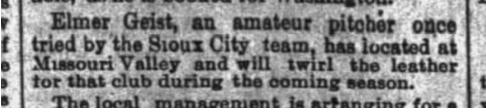
#### Elmer Geist Sioux City 1888



Sioux City Journal March 1, 1891

I.	struck out 9 men.
	Elmer Geist was born in 1864 and began
S	playing ball in 1884; played left field with
S	North Platte, Neb.; began pitching with
8	Panama, Ia., then to Earling, Ia., Manilla,
	Ia., and Omaha Cranes; then to Sioux City,
	with the Western association; next with
v	Council Bluffs' Odells. He will pitch a nasty
S	ball for the Valleys this season. The western
	players all know him and are said to be get-
_	ting their tennis bats ready.
e	L. H. Keim was born in 1863; began play-
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Omaha Daily Bee April 18, 1891

# E. E. Geist Shut Out Omaha in Historic Baseball Game

By Ellsworth Parker

ball season just around the corner and Sioux City no longer a member of the Western league, veteran followers of the national sport are spending the spring months in retrospection and many thrilling moments that constituted baseball history some two score years ago are repeated with the same zest and interest that marked their initial telling.

One of the favorite recollections of the fans who made the game popular in the 80s concerns Elmer E. Geist, who is a resident of Wessington Springs, S. D., at the present time. At the time the episode took place, Geist was a lean young Omaha youth whose talents as a successful pitcher were yet to be recognized.



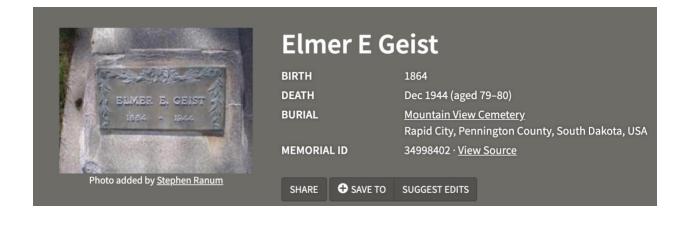
Sioux City Journal April 13, 1930

After making such an auspicious debut, it was without question that he received a permanent post with the Packers and finished the season with them. Baseball held no appeal to the stellar moundsman, however, and when he retired from activity the following season in favor of his Wessington Springs farm, countless inquiries were received by the press as to the whereabouts of the brilliant twirler.

Sioux City Journal April 13, 1930 (same article)

## Elmer Geist Dies, Funeral Monday Funeral services for Elmer E. Geist, 80, who died at home Friday morning, will be held Monday at 2 p. m. in the Behrens mortuary. The Rev. C. F. McCall, Jr., First Congregational church, will conduct the services and burial will be in Mountain View cemetery. Geist was born in 1864 in liamsport, Pa., and moved to the midwest, where he married Carrie Carver at Atlantic, Iowa, in 1886. He moved to Leigh, Neb., and then came to New Underwood in 1907, where he established a homestead. He is survived by his wife and three sons, R. L. Geist, Denver, Arthur C. Geist and Allen C. Geist, Rapid City.

Rapid City Journal Friday Dec 8, 1944



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# **Family**

#### **Parents**



#### **Conrad Geist**

1799-1878



#### **Martha Ann Baskins**

1823-1880

# Siblings **∨**

# Spouse & Children



#### **Carrie E Carver**

1870-



# Raymond Leonard Geist

1888-1963



### **Arthur Conrad Geist**

1890-



### **Allen Carver Geist**

1898-1961