

James F. Gorthy

James F. Gorthy of Courtenay twp, Stutsman Co, was born in New York in 1861, a son of David and Mary Gorthy, who came to Fargo in 1882. Then after $1\frac{1}{2}$ years took up a homestead west of Coopers town. David Gorthy went to the state of Washington in 1908.

James F. lived 15 years in Quebec Canada and came to Fargo with his parents. In 1883 he homesteaded west of Coopers town, and lived on his farm 16 years, then moved to Franklin Co, Naus. for 3 years, then to Himbleton N.D., then bought land near Spirit wood lake -

Mr. James F. Gorthy married Miss Frances O Shear, who was born in New York, at Coopers town N.D.

Their children: Freddie, Clinton, Clarence J. Mary O., Ethel D., Robert H. and Frances Janet.

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