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MRS. MARY A. AKERS
The community was greatly shocked last Thursday on learning of the sudden death of Mrs. Mary A. Akers near Akersville. Mrs. Akers had been in poor health for several months, but she was not confined to the house. At time of her death she had gone to an outside cellar or cave for a basket of apples and suddenly expired. The cause of her death was heart trouble. Her death has caused great sorrow, as she was known far and near for her hospitality and generosity.

Mary Whitfield Akers was born in August 1856, and was therefore, aged about 60 years 11 months. Her husband Henry C. Akers preceded her to the grave several years ago. She was a faithful member of the M. E. Church at Akersville since girlhood, and her remains were laid to rest at that place last Saturday afternoon. She leaves to mourn her loss at home a son Hon. Clarence R. Akers and a daughter Mrs. S. Ernest Walters; also a brother and sister.

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