

Akers

Mrs. Matilda Akers, a highly respected lady of Belfast township died at her home at Sipes Mills, Thursday, April 18, 1929, from infirmities due to old age. She was a daughter of Joel and Martha Palmer and was born in Belfast township, October 23, 1844, being aged 84 years, 5 months and 25 days.

She was united in marriage to James H. Akers who preceded her in death many years ago. She is survived by two children Verda, wife of J. V. Van Roden of Philadelphia and Norman Akers of Sipes Mills, one son Albert P. Akers, having preceded her to the grave 14 years ago. She is also survived by three grandsons and the following brothers and sisters: W. Scott and Suttia Palmer of Sipes Mills; Mrs. Angeline Hixon of Philadelphia, and W. W. Palmer of Connellsville, Pa. Three brothers, Sol Palmer of Connellsville, Pa. and Albert R. and Orville S. Palmer of Sipes Mills, preceded her to the Great Beyond.

Mrs. Akers was a model woman of a fine Christian character, a good neighbor, and her death has caused great sorrow among a host of friends and relatives. She was a member of the Ebenezer M. E. church for over 50 years. Kind hands and sympathetic hearts bore what was mortal of her to the silent city, while bright Angels on their golden wings amid shouts of triumph, carried back to God the beautiful life He had given.

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