

*Pleasant  
grove*

*Barber, Mary Martha*

**MARY MARTHA BARBER**

Mrs. Mary Martha Smith Barber, wife of Amos S. Barber was born October 21, 1870. After a brief illness of four days departed this life May 9, 1941, aged 70 years, 6 months and 18 days.

She leaves to mourn her departure two sons, George T. Barber of Needmore, RD and Francis E. Barber, living on the home place near Pleasant Grove church. Two brothers Luther Smith and Allen B. Smith and three grand sons.

Mrs. Barber, or Aunt Mary as a lot of people liked to call her, was a life long resident of her home neighborhood and through her life, a regular and faithful attendant at church. She had been for many years a member of the Needmore Methodist church. She was always active and interested in her church and was also a regular attendant at Pleasant Grove church where she was reared up.

Mrs. Barber was one of those neighborly, helpful persons, who visited the sick and was interested in everybody, who is a great loss to any community.

On May 12, funeral services were conducted by her ex-pastor, Rev. John Frehn, assisted by Revs. Lewis A. Duvall and David Hollenshead, and her body laid to rest in the beautiful Pleasant Grove cemetery. (It is in-