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**Mrs. Nettie A. Booth**

Mrs. Nettie A. Booth, 84, widow of the late Emory Booth, died in the Fulton County Medical Center in McConnellsburg on Monday, November 16, 1959, at 2:30 A. M. Mrs. Booth had been hospitalized for twelve days after suffering a cerebral thrombosis at her home. Although she had been in failing health for some years, her death was a great shock to her family, friends and neighbors.

Delightfully interesting with a keen sense of humor, memory and concern in current events, Mrs. Booth had been a resident of McConnellsburg for many years where she enjoyed a wide circle of friends. Mrs. Booth travelled extensively in the United States to California and made several trips to visit relatives in the west. She was especially appreciative of the beautiful. In her younger days, she made several oil painting and, until her death, cultivated her large collection of flowers.

The youngest and last of her immediate family, Mrs. Booth was born Nettie Alice Knauff in upper Ayr township on March 12, 1875. After the demise of her mother in 1908, she and her sisters moved to their newly-built home in McConnellsburg. On June 12, 1916, she was united in marriage to Emory Booth. The couple lived in Altoona until the death of her husband in 1924. Mrs. Booth then returned to her home in McConnellsburg where, with her sister she enjoyed a nice tourist business as long as her health would permit.

She was a member of St. Paul's Reformed Church of Christ and attended church when she was able.

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Left to mourn her loss are a sister-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Knauff, of upper Äyr township and several nieces and nephews. Five sisters and three brothers preceded her in death.

Funeral services were conducted on Wednesday, November 18, at 1:00 P. M., at the Gress Funeral Home in Connellsburg, with the Rev. J. Williams officiating. Interment was in the Union Cemetery, south of Connellsburg.