

MEMORIAL.

[Notices of deaths, except preachers and preachers' wives, must not exceed 140 words. Verses of poetry are not admissible in the "Memorial" columns.]

KILLEN.—James W. Killen was killed by a railroad train in Springfield, Ohio, Jan. 6, 1897, aged 58 years and 5 days. His death was a very great shock to his family and the community. He was a good man, and was highly respected and honored by all who knew him. In 1862 he enlisted in Co. C, 28th Iowa Volunteer Infantry, and served in the commissary department under General Grant until honorably discharged at the close of the war. He leaves a wife, two sons, and one daughter to mourn.

RAGAN.—Wm. David Ragan died in Springfield, Ohio, Jan. 11, 1897, aged 67 years, 1 month, and 4 days. He was married to Miss Rebecca Doughty, Dec. 17, 1863, with whom he lived happily until death. To them were born six sons and one daughter, all of whom are living and realize keenly the greatness of their loss. He, with his family, moved to Springfield, Ohio, about eleven years ago. Since that time he had been a very faithful member of the United Brethren Church. His end was peace.

G. W. AKSOLD.

OLNEY.—Elizabeth Ray Olney died at Pleasant Corners, Ohio, Dec. 8, 1896, aged 62 years, 11 months, and 13 days. She was married to Burton Olney, at their Virgilia home, Dec. 8, 1850, and soon after moved to their late home near this place. She was a member of the church here, and was patient and enduring under very great burdens. Her husband and two children preceded her to the other world. Five children, two brothers, and one sister survive.

J. F. BROWN.

YERGER.—Elizabeth Yerger, widow of the late Ephraim Yerger, died at Freeburg, Snyder Co., Pa., Nov. 14, 1896, aged 75 years, 3 months, and 7 days. She had been a great sufferer for the last few years. Her husband preceded her to the spirit world about eleven years. Five children are left to mourn her departure.

RICE.—Susannah Rice, widow of the late Nicholas Rice, died at Fremont, Snyder Co., Pa., Dec. 21, 1896, aged 81 years, 11 months, and 13 days. She was the mother of twelve children, six of whom are still living. Her husband died about forty years ago. She was an example of patience and resignation.

OSCAR G. ROTH.

BILLINGTON.—Wm. Billington died in North Marlon, Ind., Dec. 23, 1896, aged 67 years, 11 months, and 23 days. His last words were, "I am going home to rest."

H. J. RUSSELL.

JONES.—E. Pearl Jones died in Maitland, Mo., Dec. 26, 1896, aged 10 years, 2 months, and 11 days.

J. BAYS.

RICE.—John Rice died at his home, in Buchanan, Mich., Dec. 30, 1896. He was born in Stark Co., Ohio, and came to the State of Michigan with his parents when three years old, and spent his life in Berrien County. He was converted more than thirty years ago, and for a number of years was a member of the Baptist Church. When he settled in Buchanan he joined the United Brethren Church, and he lived a truly devoted Christian life. No sorrow, no losses, no affliction could ever shake his abiding confidence in the Christian religion. In his death the Church has sustained a great loss. He leaves a number of children and a devoted wife to mourn.

J. F. BARTMESS.

COCHRAN.—Mrs. Minnie De Moss Cochran died at Wheatland, Cal., Dec. 1, 1896, aged almost 27 years. She was the charming contralto singer of the celebrated De Moss Family Lyric Bards, who have entertained the thousands of music lovers in all parts of America and Europe. She was born in Walla Walla County, Wash. The sorrow-stricken relatives had the body embalmed, and accompanied it to their home at De Moss Springs, Sherman County, Oregon, where the interment took place. She expressed faith in Christ at the age of seven years, and lived an upright Christian life. Later she joined the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, and in 1887 was baptized by her uncle, Elder C. B. Davis. She was the second daughter of Prof. James M. and Elizabeth A. De Moss, and granddaughter of Rev. Henry Bonebrake of precious memory.

W. S. DE MOSS.

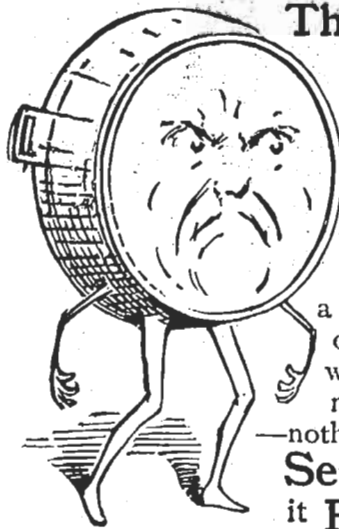
NORMAN.—Alice Norman (nee Keesey), wife of Lincoln Norman, died Jan. 12, 1897, aged 33 years and 15 days. She was converted, and joined the United Brethren Church in May, 1895, and lived a Christian life until death. She bore her affliction (consumption) with remarkable composure, being up and about the house until the day before her

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death. She died in great peace, leaving to mourn a husband, five children, an aged mother, two brothers, and many other relatives and friends. The husband and children realize their great loss, but it is her gain.

A. E. PAIR.

WETZEL.—Dorothy Wetzol died Dec. 25, 1896, aged 73 years and 28 days. She professed religion when young, and joined the German Church; but about twelve years ago she joined the United Brethren Church. During her sickness she spoke often of her home in heaven. She leaves six children to mourn.

J. H. WALLS.

ALEXANDER.—Elizabeth Alexander (nee Knotts), died Jan. 9, 1897, aged 60 years, 3 months, and 16 days. She was married Feb. 16, 1860, to David Alexander, who preceded her to that better land five years ago. She was the mother of nine children, five of whom are now living.

GEO. W. GRUBBS.

SHOEMAKER.—Paulina Francis Shoemaker (nee Vasburg), was born in Horkimer County, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1842, and died in Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 11, 1896. The only surviving heir is Rev. J. R. Shoemaker, of West Nebraska Conference, one daughter having preceded the mother to the Christian's future home. Since the death of his companion the bereaved husband and father has sought and found shelter in Jesus, and is now striving to fill the place made vacant in the Second United Brethren church of this city, where his wife was a member.

C. O. ROBB.

EARLY.—Willard Marie Early, daughter of Mrs. and Minnie Early, died Jan. 3, 1897. Her pilgrimage on earth was short. Her ever-smiling face and the loveliness which she alone possessed we say has gone, the angels say has come. She rests in the arms of Jesus, safe in his gentle care.

A. EARLY.

ALSDORF.—Minerva, wife of Adam Alsdorf, died at her home in Baldstown, Wood Co., Ohio, Jan. 15, 1897, aged 56 years, 6 months, and 23 days. She was converted and joined the United Brethren Church in 1863, remaining loyal to the Church and her God until he called her home. She leaves a husband, one son, two daughters, and a host of friends, to mourn her departure.

WM. F. BARBER.

NEFF.—Israel Neff died at his home in Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 21, 1897, aged 65 years and 7 months. He had been a member of the United Brethren Church for many years, and died a consistent, and hence victorious Christian. He was a happy Christian, and all who knew him loved his joyful services given to his Lord. His four children will miss him sorely. Dr. S. S. Neff, of Neff School of Oratory, Philadelphia, Pa., Miss Emily B. Neff, Mrs. A. L. Boochee, George L. Neff, of Carnegie Steel Company, are the bereaved family. They are all Christians, and know full well that father and mother, who have both gone over, are safe with the Christ they so much loved.

W. R. FUNK.

ROBBINS.—Flins Leber Robbins, infant child of James and Emma Robbins, was called from his earthly to his heavenly home Dec. 2, 1896, aged 3 months.

ROBBINS.—Flossie Mildred Robbins, daughter of James and Emma Robbins, died Jan. 15, 1897, aged about 7 years. The Savior, who loves children, has taken her to himself in glory. This family deserves our prayers and sympathy.

KINMAN.—Gertrude Kinman, second daughter of William and Julia Kinman, died Jan. 16, 1897, aged 6 years, 1 month, and 25 days. She was a bright, sweet little girl.

J. B. NORVIL.

JAMISON.—Samuel Jamison, son of W. R. Jamison, was born in Holmes County, Ohio, and died in Butler County, Iowa, Jan. 17, 1897, aged 56 years and 2 months. He was married to Mary Jane McKinney about thirty-four years ago. There were born to them five daughters. The second daughter, Flora Ann, who became the wife of F. E. Day, preceded her father to the better land. A wife, four daughters, a father and mother, and many other friends remain to mourn.

W. P. FAYLOR.

LUPOLD.—Mrs. A. Lupold (nee Fry) was born in Pennsylvania, Jan. 10, 1828, and was buried at Prairie Gem, near Aurora, Neb., Jan. 10, 1897. While in her teens she was married to John Ealy. Four of the five children born of this union, with her second husband, to whom she was married in 1868, sur-

vive her. In the death of this sister the Church sustains a severe loss. She was a faithful member for thirty-four years, and nearly all of that time a subscriber to the Telescope. During four years of poor health she did not lose interest in the denomination of her choice. When the writer last visited her she was looking forward to the time when she should fall asleep in Jesus.

WM. THOMPSON.

MCDONALD.—Pearl P. McDonald, daughter of Hiram and Rachel McDonald, died Jan. 7, 1897, aged 1 year, 3 months, and 26 days.

DELONG.—Infant daughter of Daniel and Rebecca Delong, died Jan. 15, 1897, and was buried in Prattsville Cemetery, Vinton Co., Ohio.

E. GWARTNER.

WOOD.—Simeon Wood was born in Cayuga Co., N. Y., and died near Harrisonville, Scioto Co., Ohio, Dec. 20, 1896, aged 92 years, 3 months, and 23 days. He was a member of the United Brethren Church more than sixty-three years. He lived a zealous, faithful Christian life, and spent much of his time the last twenty years reading the Bible. His death was peaceful. He leaves two daughters and many friends to mourn.

G. W. DEAVEN.

LARGE.—Sarah A. Large was born in New York City, and died Jan. 8, 1897, aged 39 years, 5 months, and 23 days. She was converted in 1861, and had since lived a Christian life. She leaves a mother, brothers and sister, and other relatives, to mourn their loss.

S. B. CLARK.

SHAFFER.—Lula Shaffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaffer, was born at Hummelstown, Pa., and died at Fort Trevorton, Pa., Jan. 4, 1897, aged 4 years, 7 months, and 6 days. She was a bright child.

LEBKICHLER.—John Lebkichler was born in Uniontown, Pa., and died near Grub Church, Pa., Jan. 16, 1897, aged 73 years, 3 months, and 26 days. He was converted and baptized in 1852 and joined the United Brethren Church, of which he was a faithful member forty-four years, or until death removed him. We did not like to part with him, but God took him.

WM. LAMET.

MCCULLEN.—Dora A. McCullen, wife of Isaac McCullen, died at Greenland, Minn., Jan. 5, 1897, aged 35 years, 3 months, and 2 days. She was an affectionate wife, a loving mother, and a kind friend, and leaves a vacant place in that home which never can be filled.

PRICE.—Jay B. Price, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price, died near Cordova, Minn., Jan. 14, 1897, aged 5 months.

FLOYD.—Noah Abram Floyd, son of Brother and Sister Floyd, died at Cordova, Minn., Nov. 28, 1896, aged 2 years, 9 months, and 8 days. The parents believe that the Lord doth all things well.

BROWN.—Minerva Elnora Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, died in Cordova, Minn., Dec. 20, 1896, aged 4 years, 4 months, and 6 days.

O. D. KOONTZ.

HUBBARD.—Josephine F. Hubbard, wife of Christopher Hubbard, of Crandall Circuit, Indiana Conference, died Jan. 7, 1897, aged 36 years, 11 months, and 17 days. She was a faithful member of the United Brethren Church. She leaves a husband, two daughters, and a host of friends, who believe their loss is her eternal gain.

LIBKA.—Benjamin Libka, son of Fred and Kato Libka, of Crandall Circuit, Indiana Conference, died Dec. 20, 1896, aged 16 years, 4 months, and 21 days. He was a good, obedient boy and gave his parents to understand before he died that his hope and trust were in God, and that he was going home.

S. HOASON.

HESSER.—Warren D., son of Charles and Sarah Hesser, died Jan. 18, 1897, aged 5 years, 10 months, and 23 days. This makes the second death in this home within four months, the father having died Sept. 20, 1896.

D. A. BOYD.

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