

CHARLES HENRY RICKEY

Charles Henry Rickey passed away Monday, 6:00 p.m. at his home in Clarence. He had been ill of a heart ailment for the past nine months.

He was born near Athens, Ohio, May 11, 1874. He was the son of Henry B. and Susan Ford Rickey. At the age of 14 he came to Clarence where he has been a dealer in livestock for many years.

He was united in marriage to Eva B. Burkholder at Boonville, Ark. On Sunday, Nov. 13, 1949, they observed their 49th wedding anniversary.

Besides his wife he is survived by his younger sister, Mrs. Edna Larkin Cotey, of Milwaukee, Wisc. and a number of nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were three brothers, John C., Samuel H. and James A. Rickey and one sister, Mrs. Cora Woolridge. As a youth he was united with the Methodist Church at Athens, Ohio, later transferring to the Center Street Methodist Church here.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist Church with the Rev. J. A. Slover officiating, assisted by Rev. L. C. Maggort of Shelbyville at 2:00 Wednesday afternoon. Burial was in the Maplewood Cemetery.

29—Franklin Pierce Dilcamp, 90, Lentner.

31—Berdie J. Arnold, 56, Shelbyville.

September

12—Fred Henry Boling, 57, Lentner.

14—Ella Alma Winget, 57, Shelbyville.

16—Robert B. Parker, 78, Shelbyville.

17—Brenda K. Rash, 5 hours, Shelbyville.

19—Andrew Stewart, 81, Shelbyville.

19—Anna Elgin Cooper, 85, Shelbyville.

24—Gurshum Kinschline, 79, Emden.

24—Nora Magruder, 61, Shelbyville.

25—John Thomas Christine, 57, Shelbyville.

27—Henry Schwada, 81, Clarence.

27—Anna Marie Pflum, 43, Bethel.

30—Julia Ayers, 77, Shelbyville.

October

11—Aubrey M. McCully, 66, Shelbyville.

12—Eula May Orr, 64, Clarence.

19—Albert L. Roe, 77, Shelbyville.

20—Charles Bragg Wood, 82, Shelbyville.

21—Alice M. Swinney, 80, Shelbyville.

25—Henry Thomas Moore, 83, Clarence.

30—Nancy Terrell Wilson, 89, Jefferson township.

November

3—Joseph Benjamin Snider, 80, Shelbyville.

20—William Edward Couch, 70, Hunnewell.

December

1—John Rufener, 80, Clarence.

3—Mrs. Carrie Hawkins, 70, Shelbyville.

5—Mrs. Kate Worland, 84, Shelbyville.

6—Thomas L. Cooper, 76, Clarence.

7—Joseph Wm. McKinney, 52, Shelbyville.

11—Mrs. Laura Jane Kinsley, 94, Shelbyville.

14—Miss Minnie Adams, 78, Shelbyville.

14—Joseph Madison White, 82, Shelbyville.

16—Mrs. Berle Lois Tallman, 50, Hunnewell.

20—Mrs. Kittie Tungate Campbell, 80, Shelbyville.

DEATHS

MRS. TAYLOR J. ASHBY

Mrs. Taylor J. Ashby, 54, of Chillicothe, formerly of Clarence, died at 12:28 o'clock Monday morning in the Chillicothe hospital as a result of head injuries received Friday afternoon in a fall at her home. She had gone to the basement on an errand and apparently fell backwards down the steps, sustaining a fractured skull.

Born Aug. 24, 1895 in Pekin, Ill. as Helen Marie Breedlove, her parents were L. D. and the late Ida M. Albert Breedlove. The family lived in Pekin until 1910 when they came to Clarence. On Dec. 29, 1914 she was married to Mr. Ashby and the couple continued to make their home here until moving to Chillicothe in 1932. They formerly owned and operated Ashby's Food Market in Clarence. Mrs. Ashby was a member of the Methodist church here.

Surviving besides her husband and father are: three sons, Jack W. and Lawrence D. of Kansas City and George Max of Pekin, Ill.; three brothers, Charles D. Breedlove of Detroit, Mich., Dr. R. M. Breedlove of Pekin, Ill. and Lawrence A. Breedlove of Clarence. She was preceded in death by her mother and one daughter, Iris Louise.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 o'clock yesterday morning in the Elm Street Methodist church at Chillicothe with Rev. Perry P. Taylor officiating assisted by Rev. J. Frank Baker. The body was then brought to Clarence where services were conducted at 2:00 p.m. in the local Methodist church. Rev. Taylor was in charge, assisted by Rev. J. A. Slover. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery.

FUNERAL FRIDAY FOR MRS. ANNA LEE COX

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Lee Cox, 77, who died at 1:25 o'clock yesterday afternoon at her home in Moberly, will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Sept. 19, at the Fairview Church, southeast of Macon, conducted by the Rev. Charles W. Corn of Moberly.

Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery under the direction of the Snow Funeral Home in Moberly.

The late Mrs. Cox who was the widow of Lewis J. Cox, was born in the Fairview Community in Macon County where she spent her entire life until last year when she moved to Moberly.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs. J. W. Leath and Mrs. J. W. Vater, both of Moberly, Miss Myrtle Cox of Kansas City, Mrs. E. O. Kingsborough of Joplin and Miss Cleo Belle Cox of St. Louis.

Also surviving are four sons, Vesper L. Toppenish, Wash., John W. Knoxville, Ia., Paul G. of Kansas City and Herschel L. of Independence, Mo., 16 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

The late Mrs. Cox's husband died in March of 1945.

DEATHS RECORDED FOR 1943 IN COUNTY

January

- 6—Walter R. Rigsby, 68, Clarence.
8—Mary Kennerly Yost, 64, Shelbyville.
9—John Geo. Kreig, 73, Bethel.
11—William Henry Johnson, 85, Shelbyville.
14—McClelland White, 74, Jackson township.
17—Marvin Whitby, 93, Clarence.
21—Kenton I. Browne, 59, Hunnewell.
22—William Christian Kuhner, 68, Clarence.
27—Vinnie L. McDaniel, 67, Clarence.
21—Willie Katherine Blackburn, 86, Shelbyville.

February

- 1—John William Erdwins, 79, Clarence.
5—Louis F. Teter, 86, Clarence.
5—Catherine Bower, 89, Bethel.
5—Eva Ellen Griffin, 65, Shelbyville.
16—Laura B. Wilsey, 87, Clarence.
17—John Ross Tyhurst, 51, Leonard.
19—Frances Owen, 72, Clarence.
27—Clara Dimmitt Graham, 71, Shelbyville.
28—Mary E. Darley, 78, Shelbyville.

March

- 1—George Owen Shofstall, 76, Leonard.
3—Hugh Percy Sparks, 93, Shelbyville.
6—Daisy Philliber, 55, Leonard.
8—Gary Lee Bush, 11 months, Shelbyville.
22—Arthur Connely, 81, Shelbyville.
23—Lyda Maude Rash, 50, Shelbyville.
24—Lee Claude Garnett, 47, Leonard.
24—Maggie Spicer, 81, Clarence.
24—John William Evans, Bethel.
25—Josiah L. Dickson, 74, Clarence.
29—Luttlie Virginia Tingle, 68, Shelbyville.
29—Clyde Wallace Zinn, 84, Hunnewell.

April

- 5—Edwin Elmer Collier, 81, Hunnewell.
Edna May Whitelock, 52, Hunnewell.
6—Martha Josephine Snider, 40, Hunnewell.
27—Chester S. Kincheloe, 61, Shelbyville.
27—Samuel Todd, 72, Shelbyville.

May

- 4—Mae Jones Martin, 59, Shelbyville.
6—Ethel Cleek, 48, Shelbyville.
8—Anna C. Taylor, 82, Shelbyville.
10—Jennie Hinthorne Roff, 89, Shelbyville.
10—Finis E. Thompson, 68, Clarence.
16—Sara Alice Pence, 91, Clarence.
17—Alonzo Edward Greening, 57, Shelbyville.
20—James R. Afflick, 84, Hunnewell.
29—Maude R. Wright, 67, Shelbyville.
30—Katheryn Mason, 86, Jackson township.
31—Sara Miniver Miller, 56, Shelbyville.

June

- 1—Phoebe Agnes Wilson, 83, Shelbyville.
7—Henry G. Patton, 80, Clarence.
13—Mary Ellen White, 78, Shelbyville.
19—George Akers McKinney, 82, Shelbyville.
22—Edith Annie Phillips, 65, Clarence.
26—Larry Dean McSorley White, 2 days, Clarence.

July

- 2—Robert W. Shields, 85, Clarence.
10—Everet Otis Rife, 73, Bethel.
10—Charles T. Claggett, 72, Bethel.
10—James Madison Lawrence, 77, Clarence.
14—Velma Cordelia Dunlap, 91, Hunnewell.
21—Oscar Brent Kirk, 84, Bethel.
24—John Burkhead, 80, Shelbyville.

August

- 4—James Austin Kendrick, 83, Shelbyville.

Mary Catherine Bragg, daughter of the late Benjamin and Catherine (Tarter) Bragg, both natives of Kentucky, was born August 6, 1862, in Macon county, south of LaPlata. She was one of a family of nine children, of whom the following survive: Sherman Bragg, Seymour, Ia., Wesley Bragg, LaPlata, Mo., John Bragg, Oklahoma, and one sister, Mrs. D. B. Bonham, California.

She lived at her home near LaPlata until she became a young girl, when they came to the farm southwest of Clarence.

She was twice married. First to John Dull, deceased. To them were born three sons, Amos Dull, of Brookfield, Elmer Dull, of Butte, Mont., and one son dying in infancy. Her second marriage was to John Smith and to them were born two daughters, Mrs. Earl Huntsberry, south of Clarence, and Mrs. H. B. Sage, Sterling, Kans.

There are nine grandchildren: Helen Stanford, Gladys Badgley, Bernice Logan, Harold Huntsberry, Irma Miller, Howard Dull, Fern Dull, now married), Gerald Sage, Elinor Sage, and seven great grandchildren.

Mrs. Smith made profession of religion and was baptized at Graves Chapel Christian church. Her church membership at the time of her passing away was in the Christian church at Colorado Springs, Colo., in which city she had made her home for 20 years, but when in Shelby county she attended the Center Street Methodist church, at Clarence.

Most of the time for the past ten years or longer, Mrs. Smith had made her home with her daughter, Nina, and son-in-law, Earl Huntsberry, at their place south of Clarence. The deceased had been gravely ill for five weeks, and poorly all summer, and in failing health several years. Her passing was not unexpected. It occurred Thursday afternoon, September 10, at 4:45 o'clock at the home of her daughter and son-in-law. For several days she had been barely conscious.

She was a good patient. Always cooperating with those who had the care of her case. But she did not feel that she would recover.

If she got well it was all right and she would enjoy being with her family. But if otherwise she was ready and willing to go.

She was a good, kind, loving mother. She will be missed.

A day or two before her passing she indicated a desire to pray, but was not able to do so. Her daughter, Nina, offered prayer, and then said the Lord's Prayer. Her mother followed her in repeating this prayer down to the "Amen," and from then on a new peace and contentment seemed to possess her.

She was jovial and of a jolly disposition. She was never melancholy, but her moods were pleasant. She was nice to have about.

She has gone to the Better Land, where there is no sorrow or suffering, and pain and death never come. She did her part in life, rearing her family of children, and bringing them to manhood and womanhood, lived to a good ripe age, and then fell asleep.

At the time of her death her age was 74 years, one month and four days.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 at the Earl Huntsberry home, conducted by Rev. Frank J. Mapel, pastor of Clarence Methodist church, in the presence of a large congregation composed of the immediate family, other relatives, neighbors and friends. Two duets were sung by Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Lierley, assisted in one number by Marion Milion, of Shelbyville. After these services, the remains were taken to Maplewood cemetery at Clarence, and tenderly laid to rest in that sacred spot. The grave was covered with many beautiful clusters of flowers.

"Blessed are the dead that die