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IN MEMORY

SILAS E. BROOKINS

Silas E. Brookins, son of Eleazar and Hannah S. Brookins, was born near Trimble, Athens county, Ohio, Sept. 8th, 1849, and died at his home in Jackson, Ohio, Sept. 21st, 1924. He came to Jackson in 1863 and has been a resident of Jackson from that time up to the present.

When near 14 years of age he united with the Christian church in Jackson, and for many years was an Elder in that church. He was always ready and willing to lend a helping hand for the benefit of the church and the members.

He was married to Naomi Gibson December 25th, 1869, by Rev. Rufus Backus. To this union three children were born, Flora Blanche, Dora Alice, and Isaac J. The two first named died when they were small children.

Mr. Brookins became a member of Salt Lick Lodge No. 417 I. O. O. F. October 14th, 1884, and Jackson Encampment 144 November 18th, 1887, and during his life he was an active member of both branches of the Order.

He leaves to mourn his going a wife, his only son Isaac J. and family, a foster daughter Mrs. Maud Caldwell of Columbus, Ohio, two brothers Ithamar B. and Cyrus A. and a large number of other relatives and friends.

Members of his church and brothers in his lodge can say that one who exalted Friendship, Love and Truth, that one of the best and noblest of men has shed his body to join the society of the living dead, has gone to be with the spirits of just men made perfect. A soul full of good cheer, lovliness and pity has gone home. On last Sunday evening just as the sun was setting the chariots of God came to carry home from suffering and weariness a unique, magnetic and Christ-filled man.