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# ATTEND FUNERAL OF W. A. GARETT

Son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs.  
E. B. Thompson  
Killed.

Mrs. E. B. Thompson returned Tuesday from attending the funeral of her son-in-law, W. A. Garrett, aged 40, who lost his life in an auto mishap which occurred at Meadow Bridge, W. Va., the evening of September 28.

Garrett was accompanied by Floyd Thompson, his brother-in-law, at the time of the accident. The two men manage mines at Meadow Bridge, although Garrett's home is in Charleston. Their machine started to leave the road, and Garrett who was driving, jumped. His neck was broken.

The deceased had planned to return in a few days to Charleston and enter the contracting business. He is survived by his wife and eight children, ranging from 20 months to 20 years.

Funeral services were held at Clendenning, Garrett's old home, last Wednesday. Mr. E. B. Thompson, who also attended the funeral service, will remain for a few days.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Nancy Leser, daughter of Geo. and Elizabeth Fout, was born at Glade, Jackson County, Ohio, Jan. 29, 1862. Here she grew to womanhood. She was married to Wm. Leser Aug. 3, 1882.

She leaves to be saddened by her departure her husband and one son, J. Arthur Leser of Jackson, Mrs. Emory Wade, Mrs. Walter Huntsinger and Miss Margaret at home. One son Lee Roy died in infancy. She leaves five brothers and three sisters viz.: Henry, George, Wesley, Frank, Fred, all of Jackson county, Mrs. Ann Pratt of Cove. Mrs. Mahala Davis of Beaver and Mrs. Sarah Rhea of Cove. Seven grandchildren and many other relatives.

Mrs. Leser was a member of the Christian church of Jackson having transferred her membership from the Wesley Chapel church during the ministry of Rev. Zulch. She has lived in Jackson for the past eleven years.

She died in trust and could say with our great Quaker poet Whittier,  
 "I know not what the future hath,  
 Of marvel or surprise;  
 Assured alone that life and death  
 His mercy underlies.

And so beside the silent sea,  
 I wait the muffled oar;  
 No harm from him can come to me  
 On ocean or on shore.  
 Sometime, when all life's lessons have  
 been learned,  
 And suns and stars forevermore have  
 set,  
 And we shall see how all God's plans  
 are right,  
 The things o'er which we grieved with  
 lashes wet,  
 Will flash before us out of life's dark  
 night,  
 As stars shine most in deeper tints  
 of blue;  
 And we shall see how all God's plans  
 are right,  
 And how what seems reproof was  
 love most true."