

Nov. 8, 1924

## OBITUARY

CHAS. H. BAKER

Charles H. Baker was born in Vega, Jackson County, Ohio, October 25th, 1862, and died at his home on Main street, Jackson, Jackson County, Ohio, Wednesday morning at two o'clock, October 22nd, 1924, aged 62 years, lacking 3 days.

He was the fourth child of William and Julia Reed Baker. He married Susie Howe who died Sept. 20, 1911. To this union were born two sons, Wallie, who died March 6, 1919; and Fred R., who died March 21, 1922.

On March 4, 1914 he married Margaret Patterson. He leaves besides his widow, an adopted daughter, Gettie Byers Feeley; three sisters and three brothers. In early manhood he united with the Methodist church, later transferring his membership to the Christian church, and was a member of the Men's Bible Class. He has been employed at the Ford Garage the past three years, where his courteous and genial manner won for him many friends. He was very kind and charitable, and never too tired or in too great a hurry to perform a friendly service for anyone in need.

In the passing away of this quiet, unassuming man, a useful citizen has been lost.

### A Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks to all of our kind friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness to us during the sickness and death of our husband and brother.

Mrs. Charles H. Baker and Family.

## IN MEMORY

SILAS M. ARTHUR

Slowly and silently, one by one, like stars when the morning dawneth, true gold until the last faint glimmer, thus we see them fade from sight, those valiant men of '63.

Silas M. Arthur was born Nov. 4, 1839 in Jackson County, Ohio, the son of Benjamin and Catharine Arthur, pioneer settlers of that place. He was the last of a family of ten children, having six sisters and three brothers. On Nov. 27, 1869, he married Emma Cherrington, to which union two children were born. Mrs. E. C. Marsh of 1756 Eleventh Street, with whom he made his home, and Orlande Carl who died July 2, 1918. He was a member of the 36th Reg. Co. D, O. V. I., serving his country for three years and until after the war closed. Wounded at Mission Ridge, he has borne through the years the painful reminder of active service. His courage and patriotism was an example to the youth about him.

In early manhood he joined the Methodist Church, serving it as he did his country, a loyal volunteer, and when he moved from the Jackson charge to Portsmouth about fifteen years ago, he affiliated himself and family with Old Sixth Street Church. The weather was no barrier to the attendance at church of him and his faithful wife, and it was only when illness forbade his going that he could not be counted in his place. He will be missed in many places.

Funeral services were held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Marsh, Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with the Rev. W. H. Smith, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church in charge, assisted by Rev. Chas. Brady, an intimate friend of the family. Interment in Greenlawn Cemetery.