

**Joseph A. Carnes**, (26 Sep 1852 – 31 Dec 1925), Newspaper Clipping, The Perry Historians

**Joseph A. Carnes**, 73, died at the home of his stepson, **C. Porter Fesler**, Marysville, Thursday morning at 5 o'clock after a short illness of pneumonia. Brief services were held at his late residence and concluded in the Church of God at 2:30 Monday afternoon. His former pastor, Rev. W.N. Wright, pastor of Church of God, Altoona, officiating, assisted by Rev. J.E. Stine of the Marysville Church of God, and Rev. Charles L. Strong, of the Lutheran Church. Burial was made on Chestnut Grove Cemetery.

Surviving are **Clair Carnes**, Rutherford Heights; **William Carnes**, Oakland California; **Mrs. Jennie Stouffer**, Middletown; four stepsons; **C. Porter Fesler**, **S. Parker Fesler**, **George A. Fesler**, of town, and **Howard Fesler**, of Harrisburg; two grandchildren, and two step-grandchildren, three sisters, **Miss Liza Carnes**, **Mrs. Mary Van Nasdale**, of Mechanicsburg; and **Mrs. Agnes Albright**, Penbrook.

**Mr. Carnes** was a member of the Veterans Association, having retired in 1917 from the services of the Pennsylvania Railroad after forty-six years of service. He was a conductor on the Baltimore Division and when this division opened the preference yards at Marysville he was sent there. He was looked to as a fine Christian gentleman. **Mr. Carnes** was a member of the Church of God, of Marysville, an elder at the church, a member of the Patriotic Order of the Sons of America and a member of the Pennsylvania Railroad Voluntary Relief Department.

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