

John Eby, (9 Jul 1854 – 20 Nov 1917) Newport News, November 20, 1917

John Eby, age 63 years, died of pneumonia this morning at his home, northwest corner of Gantt and Fifth streets, having been ill since Friday night. For 35 years he had been an employee of the P.R.R. and would have been retired in two years being a carpenter by trade.

He removed to this place from Duncannon 28 years ago. He was the son of **Justine Eby** and was born in Duncannon. He married **Annie Doyle** of near Duncannon who died in April 1897.

He is survived by his children; **William, Charles** and **Mrs. Daniel Rechester** of Burnham; **Ralph**, Akron, **Mrs. Mary Dunkle** of Wellsville, Ohio; and **Mrs. Charles Miller** and **Mrs. William Yohn** of this place. Two daughters died young, one of them, **Nellie** died when she was 11 years old and the other when a week old. **Harry Frank Eby** and **Mrs. Sarah Smith** of Harrisburg; **Jacob Eby** of near Mannsville; and **Mrs. James Seiders** and **Mrs. Charles Baker** are his brothers and sisters of this place. He is also survived by ten grandchildren. At one time he was a member of P.O.S. of A and of the M.E. Church.

Arrangements of the funeral service have not been completed, but when held Rev. J.W. Glover of the Newport M.E. Church will officiate and interment in the Newport Cemetery.