

**Sarah Jane (Shriver) Montgomery**, (27 Feb 1822 - 19 Jan 1897), The News Sun, January 21, 1897

**Mrs. Sarah J. Montgomery** died at the residence of her son-in-law, **Thomas H. Milligan**, about 11 o'clock Tuesday morning from the effects of the paralytic stroke with which she was visited Sunday night, the 10th inst.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon at the residence of **Mr. Milligan**; interment in Newport cemetery.

**Mrs. Montgomery**, a daughter of the late **William Shriver**, of Centerville, Cumberland County, Pa., was born February 27, 1822. She was married in 1842 to **J. C. Black**, M. D., who died in 1854. After being a widow 12 years, she was married to **Hon. Robert Montgomery**, of Big Spring, Cumberland County, Pa., who died about 18 years ago. Since this time she had lived with her two daughters, **Mrs. Milligan** and **Mrs. Gilmore**, of Chambersburg, spending half and half time with each of them.

All her life she was a devoted follower of the meek and lowly Jesus. She was a comforting mother and a dear friend to all who came in contact with her. Strong of mind and body, liberal, and truthful in every position, she passes away leaving a feeling of regret in the community that one of the goodly mothers in Israel has left us. In her final struggle one of her passages of scripture is given in Job 7:3.

Of a family of four brothers and four sisters, only two survive—**Capt. William Shriver**, of Centerville, and **Mrs. Elizabeth Woods**, of Aurora, Ill.

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