

Frank Mortimer, (4 Mar 1829 - 26 Apr 1914), Patriot, Tuesday, April 28, 1914, Former Resident of Perry County Dies.

New Bloomfield, April 27, 1914 – Relatives in this place have received word of the death of **Frank Mortimer** last night, at the home of his daughter, **Mrs. Harry Briggs**, in Englewood, New Jersey. His death was due to paralytic stroke which he suffered last Monday. He was born in Franklin, Mass., March 4, 1829, and was eighty-five years old.

He came to Perry County in 1864. After a short residence in Greenpark, he came to New Bloomfield in 1865, and engaged in mercantile business. He was one of the prominent business men of the town. In 1866 he founded the Perry County Times, and continued as its editor until August 1, 1904, when he sold it to William C. Lebo, the present editor. He was the first president of the Perry County Railroad Company, which built the railroad between this place and Duncannon.

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