

Christian F. Reed, (24 Jan 1854 – 15 Jul 1925), Duncannon Record, July 23, 1925

Funeral services for **Christian F. Reed**, son of the late **William I.** and **Catherine (Bosler) Reed**, born January 24, 1854, died July 15th, 1925, of apoplexy of the heart while visiting at the home of his daughter, **Mrs. Charles Gamber**, were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his son, **Charles T. Reed**, with further services in the Roseglen M. E. church. By request of deceased **Rev. Ebert Sheets**, a nephew of Findlay, Ohio, officiated, assisted by Rev. J. E. Brenneman, pastor of the Methodist Church; and Rev. Wm. Sheets of Harrisburg. Burial was made in the Lutheran cemetery of this place.

Mr. Reed was married to **Hannah E. Keim**, December 24, 1873, who preceded her husband in death twenty years ago. When a young man he was engaged in the iron industry, which occupation he followed for many years. Later he devoted his entire time to the cultivation of his farm in Wheatfield Township where he resided for forty years. Recently he had made his home with his son, **Charles T. Reed**. He had been a consistent church member since young manhood, a member of Shermanata Grange and the Duncannon Burial Association. He was a good citizen fearless in his convictions and always ready to support any worthy cause in the community in which he lived.

He is survived by the following children: **William A. Reed**, Wheatfield Township; **Samuel E. Reed**, of Harrisburg; **Bertha V., Mrs. David Way**, Haldeman's Island; **Emma, Mrs. Harry Krick**, King's Mills; **Carrie A., Mrs. John Stansfield, Charles T. Reed**, Wheatfield Township; **Alma F., Mrs. William Baker**, Abington; **C. Mae, Mrs. Morris Hair; Clarence E. Reed**, Penn Township; **Ethel I., Mrs. Charles Gamber**, of Wheatfield Township. Six children died in infancy. He is also survived forty-seven grandchildren, five great grandchildren, two brothers, **Samuel** and **Charles N. Reed**, of this place; four sisters, **Mrs. Kate Keim**, of Enhaut; **Mrs. Charles Hague, Mrs. Isaac Daniels** and **Mrs. W. R. Sheaffer**, Reading.

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