

Mrs. Margaret A. Moorhead

The death of Mrs. Margaret A. Moorhead, aged 81 years, widow of Alexander T. Moorhead, former publisher of the Indiana Progress, occurred on April 1st at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Howard M. Fair in Pittsburgh with whom she had made her home in recent years. The cause of Mrs. Moorhead's death was paralysis. She was daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Hugh M. Speedy, of near Livermore and was married to Mr. Moorhead in 1869, residing in Indiana until about ten years ago. She was

a consistent member of the United Presbyterian church from her youth. She is survived by these sons and daughters: Albert S. Moorhead and A. Ralph Moorhead, both of Indiana; Mrs. C. R. Lininger, of Middlebury, Ind.; Mrs. Howard M. Fair, of Pittsburgh, Frank E. Moorhead and Dr. Hugh M. Moorhead, both of Erie; Mrs. John K. Brallier, of Latrobe. Funeral services were held at the home of her son, A. S. Moorhead on Tuesday afternoon and interment was made in Oakland cemetery. 4-12-23

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the cause of the Kingdom. Mrs. Moorhead was always a devoted admirer of Abraham Lincoln and had the privilege of shaking hands with the martyred president on the day he signed the Emancipation Proclamation. Her death marked the fifth in the ranks of the First United Presbyterian Church within the past two weeks.

Mrs. Moorhead leaves the following children: Albert S. Moorhead and A. Ralph Moorhead, both of Indiana; Mrs. C. R. Lininger of Middlebury, Ind.; Mrs. Howard M. Fair of Pittsburgh, Frank E. Moorhead and Dr. Hugh M. Moorhead, both of Erie, Mrs. John K. Brallier of Latrobe, H. H. Moorhead of Everson, Pa.; Mrs. W. L. Sanson of Clarion and Mrs. D. K. Hill of Tulsa, Okla.

The body was brought to Indiana and is now resting in the home of her son, Albert S. Moorhead on South Seventh street, where the funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock. The services will be in charge of the Rev. Chalmers G. Morrow, pastor of the Fourth United Presbyterian Church, North Side, Pittsburgh, formerly pastor of the First Church here. Interment will be made in Oakland cemetery. April 2, 1923

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