

JOHN N. GETZ IS DEAD AT THE AGE OF 84 YEARS

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To His Reward.

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Mr. Getz was born in Dunnstable township a little over 84 years ago and had lived his whole life in this vicinity. For the past 26 years he lived in Lock Haven.

He was a very quiet man and held the highest confidence of all who knew him. Several times he was importuned to run for office, but he always refused not caring for public life, preferring to work at his trade, that of a carpenter.

The deceased was the last of his family of seven. He is survived by his wife.

The funeral will occur at the house, No. 432 East Water street, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Interment at the Getz cemetery.

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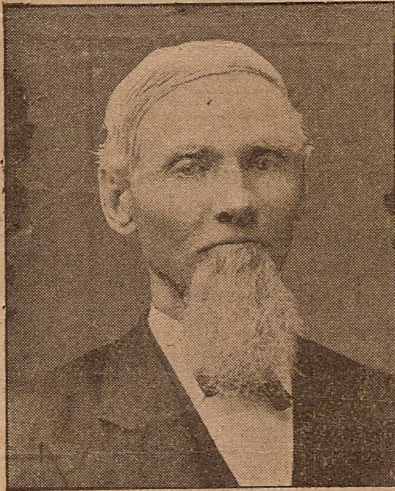
LOCK HAVEN PLEASED

At Efforts to Rid City of Immoral
Resorts.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL OPEN TUESDAY

Yellow Fever Scare Proves to Be Severe Cases
of Typhoid Fever—Veterans Enjoyed Their
Reunion—P. O. S. of A. Picnic
on Labor Day.

John Nicholas Getz, an old and highly respected resident of this city, died, Monday morning at 1 o'clock, after being ill for three weeks, of a severe cold, which developed into grip and catarrh. Previous to that time Mr. Getz was in the enjoyment of good health, although he had



THE LATE JOHN NICHOLAS GETZ.

reached his eighty-fourth year. Deceased was born in Dunnstable township and followed the occupation of a carpenter. He lived in Lock Haven for a quarter of a century, and at different periods before that time. He was a quiet, unassuming man, kind hearted and conscientious, and was a good citizen. Deceased was the last member of a family of six, but is survived by his widow. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 432 East Water street, Wednesday forenoon, at 10 o'clock, by the Revs. G. A. Johnson, of Flemington, and F. W. Schaefer, of this city. Burial was made in the Getz cemetery.

ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT ANSWERS DEATH SUMMONS

THE VENERABLE JOHN N. GETZ CALLED TO
HIS ETERNAL REST.

Wm. L. Rich
Enjoyed Good Health Until a Month Ago,
When at the Age of 84, He Is
Stricken With Fatal Malady.

The hand of death has been laid on another of Lock Haven's old and highly esteemed citizens, John Nicholas Getz who passed away at his home, No. 432 East Water street, at 12.45 this morning, after a few weeks' illness.

Up to four weeks ago Mr. Getz enjoyed remarkably good health for one of his advanced years, but about that time he contracted a cold, which developed into grip and catarrh. Although everything known to medical science was done to save or prolong his life, he gradually declined and this morning his spirit took its flight to the better world.

Mr. Getz was a native of Dunnstable township, where he was born 84 years ago, he having passed his last birthday anniversary a week ago. He learned the trade of a carpenter, which occupation he followed until he was 80 years of age. He was a good mechanic and his services were in great demand. He had resided in Lock Haven continuously for the past 26 years, and was employed here at different periods before that time. Deceased was the last representative of a family of six, all the rest having preceded him to the grave. The only relatives surviving him, besides his wife, are a number of nieces and nephews.

Mr. Getz was a man who always attended to his own business, and endeavored only to see the good in others. He was quick and unassuming in manner, well liked by friends and neighbors, and always strived to treat others in matters of business and other wise, as he would be treated by them. In a word, he was an honest, conscientious citizen, one whom it was a pleasure to know. Politically he was an ardent Democrat, and loved the principles of the party.

He was frequently importuned to accept nominations for ward office, notably assessor, school director and councilman, but he always quietly but firmly declined to take an active part in city or ward politics.

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Last Rites for J. N. Getz.

The funeral of J. N. Getz occurred yesterday, services being conducted at the house, East Water street, at 10 o'clock by Rev. G. W. Johnson, of Flemington, and Rev. F. W. Schaefer, of this city, in the presence of many friends and neighbors. The casket bearers were Linn Shaffer, Ira Myers, Elmer Deice, Thomas Deice, Clarence Ohl and George Ohl. Burial was made in the Getz cemetery.