

## MRS. ANNA H. BLESSING

died Friday afternoon, May 26, 1944, at her home 208 Vail Street, after an illness of several months at the age of 71. She was the wife of former Mayor Charles E. Blessing. The couple were former residents of Oxford, coming to Hackettstown in 1905.

Mrs. Blessing was a member of Trinity Methodist Church, the Woman's Society of Christian Service of that church, and of Independence Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Beside her husband, she is survived by three sons, the Rev. Joseph Marx Blessing, pastor of West New Brighton Methodist Church, Staten Island, N. Y.; C. Henry Blessing of Washington Street; Dr. Lewis E. Blessing of High Street; two brothers, George Hartman of Emmaus, Pa., Joseph Hartman of Phillipsburg; three sisters, the Misses Amelia and Ada Blessing and Mrs. John Travis, all of Phillipsburg, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Cochran Funeral Home in charge of the Rev. Alvin A. Jones, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. F. C. Mooney of Danville Presbyterian Church. Interment was in Hackettstown Union Cemetery.

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NAME: Anna H. Blessing

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