

OBITUARY

MRS. BERTHA CARPENTER

73, wife of Holloway Carpenter, died suddenly at her home, 204 Main Street, on Wednesday afternoon, October 26, 1955, after she suffered a stroke. The Hackettstown Rescue Squad was summoned. Born in Hackettstown, a daughter of Jeff and Mary Lake, she spent her entire life here.

Besides her husband, she leaves four sons, Arthur (Mickey) at home; Clarence of Mountain Avenue; John of Washington Street, and Street Commissioner Lester Carpenter of Warren Street; three daughters, Mrs. Susie Hendershot of Mountain Avenue; Mrs. Dorothy Romeo and Mrs. Cornelia Martin, both of Rockaway; a half sister, Mrs. Marjorie Parks of Mountain Avenue; two brothers, Edward Lake of Plane Street and Irvin Lake of Oxford; 18 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements had not been made at press time.

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NAME: Mrs. Holloway (Bertha) Carpenter

DATE OF DEATH: 26 October, 1955