

OBITUARY

Caleb Fairclo, one of our oldest and most respected citizens, died at his home on Grand avenue twenty minutes past nine o'clock last night. Mr. Fairclo was born at Chester, Morris county, and married the daughter of Rev. Stephen Overton of that place. Thirty-nine years ago he came to Hackettstown and has since taken prominent part in the affairs of the Town. He was proprietor of the American House for a number of years and was elected Justice of the Peace several terms. A few weeks ago he and his wife celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedded life.

The spire of the Presbyterian Church is slightly out of perpendicular, the result of the hard blow.

The Clarendon House team ran away Monday, while A. P. Chamberlin was busy getting his morning papers. He tried to catch the team and was thrown down, dislocating his shoulder and badly bruising his knee cap.

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NAME: Caleb Fairclo

DATE OF DEATH: March 4, 1886