

## OBITUARY

### Jacob McCracken.

Jacob McCracken died quite suddenly at his home in Philadelphia last Saturday morning of pneumonia. He had been sick just a week, and Friday night a specialist was called in more to relieve his discouragement than in belief that his condition was critical. Saturday morning his wife had left him but a short time, and on her return found him unconscious, and he expired a few minutes later.

Deceased was in the 55th year of his age, a son of the late William McCracken, and most of his life was spent in Hackettstown. He was a woodworkman and carpenter by trade, and several years ago he went to Dover in the car shops, and a year and a half ago went to Philadelphia. He was a charter member of Cataract Hose Company, and the usual honors of the Company were observed at the funeral services on Tuesday, which were held from the home of his sister, Mrs. J. D. Klotz, on High street, with interment in Union Cemetery.

His wife and several children survive him.

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DATE OF DEATH: