

## OBITUARY

### Blackettstown.

Suicide.—A shocking occurrence took place here, on last Monday morning in the suicide of Mr. Mart Titus. He had not been gone from home more than fifteen minutes, when his wife thinking that perhaps he meditated some injury to himself—as for some time past he has been laboring under an aberration of mind, induced by a softening of the brain—went out to the barn and found him there hanging by the neck. Not imagining that he was dead, she at once proceeded to cut him down, but life was totally extinct. He was a farmer in good circumstances, and leaves a wife and two children to mourn his untimely end. His funeral took place on Wednesday.

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NAME: Mart Titus

DATE OF DEATH: