

[Billings, William H.]

WILLIAM H. BILLINGS DEAD

ALBION, May 10—(Special)—William H. Billings, 72 years old, died at his home, 23 Caroline street, Thursday. He was born in Gaines, where he was a prominent farmer, until he retired from active life five years ago, when he moved to Albion. He was a prominent member of the Albion Lodge of Elks and his survived by his wife [Sarah M.], two sons, Drs. William Billings of Buffalo and Myron Billings of Albion, and one daughter, Mrs. Helen Stout of Indianapolis, Ind.

The funeral service will be held at the family home in Albion Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Rev. Charles H. Dall [should be Vail, a Universalist] officiating.

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WILLIAM H. BILLINGS

The death of William H. Billings occurred Thursday night at his residence on Caroline street after an attack of appendicitis. Mr. Billings was born at East Gaines, March 5, 1841. He was well known as a progressive farmer and fruit grower but retired from active farming five years ago and since then has resided in Albion. He is survived by his wife [Sarah M.], two sons, Myron of Albion and William H., a physician of Buffalo, and a daughter, Mrs. Edwin Stout of Indianapolis. He was a member of Albion Lodge, B.P.O.E. The funeral was held Sundayafternoon, Rev. C. [Charles] H. Vail [Universalist] officiating.

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