

OBITUARY.

On last Friday, Nov. 22, 1907, the relatives and friends of Mrs. Pauline Coons were made sad to hear of her decease. Though in poor health for some time her death brought a wave of sadness to the entire community, for her long life won for her a place in the hearts of young and old alike.

Miss Pauline Henderson was born in Henry Co., Ky., April 5, 1824. Jan. 5, 1844 she was united in marriage to Mr. John Michel Coons. In 1851 they moved to Schuyler Co. Mo., locating on what is now known as the Sam Snowbarger place.

Mrs. Coons was bereft of her husband a number of years ago. For the last few years she has made her home with her children. Of the nine children born to Mr. and Mrs. Coons five were present at the time of her death, and all save one daughter were present at her funeral.

Mrs. Coons never united with the church, but gave those who watched by her in her sufferings an example of patient endurance, and spoke words of assurance to her loved ones that it was well with her soul.

The funeral was from the home of her daughter Mrs. Bill Knittle Sunday, Nov. 24, conducted by Rev. C.

C. Crickette, and she was laid to rest in the Germania cemetery Monday, Nov., 26.