Charles Kikendall, a former resident of this city, but for the past six or seven years, living in Wapakoneta, Ohio, was almost instantly killed there about 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, a coal car falling on him and crushing out his life.

The dead man was about fifty years old and leaves a wife and three children, two boys and one girl. The boys are fourteen and six years of age, and the girl, twelve. Besides his aged mother, he also leaves four brothers, William, Link, Grand and Ed.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the residence of his mother on East Walnut Street, being in charge of the Rev. Fred Stovenour. Interment was in the Haines Cemetery near Salamonia Church.

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