

Died at his residence, June 14, 1900, William B. Morton, aged 83 years, 4 months and 3 days after an illness of about seven years. Brother Morton was born in Bedford County, Pa., February 21, 1816, moved to Jay County in 1840, where he lived until the day of his death. He was married to Sarah Jane Loy November 4, 1869, in which relation they lived happily until April 17, 1883, when Sarah bade him goodbye and passed on before.

Services were conducted at the Old Church at Salamonina by Rev. Harter, where many friends gathered to take one last look at the early remains of him whom they had known so long and loved so well.

Portland Commercial, Jay County, IN; June 14, 1900

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