

J. A. Householder Of Union Twp., Dies Suddenly

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Joseph A. Householder, long time resident of Union township, was found dead in the sitting room of his home Friday evening, July 27, about 11 o'clock by Nick Beason, who had been living with him. Mr. Householder had suffered a stroke of paralysis a short time ago, and was not in the best of health.

The county coroner, O. Dale Smith, was called and made the statement that death was the result of a heart attack which came sometime between the hours of 8 and 11 o'clock, as Mr. Beason left for town about 8 o'clock.

Mr. Householder had lived in Union township for over sixty years with the exception of a few years spent at Newell. He is survived by a son, Thomas, who was unable to be in attendance at the funeral as he was in a hospital recovering from an operation. However, some of the grandchildren were present.

He was 85 years old at the time of his death. He was a man respected by all who knew him, ever ready to do his neighbor a good turn.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the Little Mount Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. E. M. Gregson, pastor. Burial was in the Little Mount Baptist church cemetery.