

DEATH OF MISS TOMLINSON AT THE AGE OF 95

Passed Away at Her
Home In Vicinity of
Westfield

FUNERAL RITES
THURSDAY, 10 A. M.

Member of Widely Known
Family of Washington
Township

Miss Esther Tomlinson, aged ninety-five, one of the oldest women in the western part of the county and a member of the widely known Tomlinson family in the Westfield community, died at 3:30 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, at her home two and a half miles northwest of Westfield. Death was due to the many complications the result of the infirmities of age. The end is said to have been hastened by the intense heat of the last few days. The funeral will be held at the family residence at 10



MISS ESTHER TOMLINSON.

o'clock, Thursday morning, and the interment will take place in the **Chactor cemetery** on the Range Line road, two miles north of Westfield.

For some time Charles McGuire and family have been living in the home of Miss Tomlinson and caring for her. She was always a resident of the community north of Westfield. The nearest relatives who survive are four nephews and two nieces. They are Robert Tomlinson, of Sheridan; Asher Tomlinson, of Westfield; Findley Tomlinson, of Westfield; Dr. C. H. Tomlinson, of Cicero; Mrs. Wallace Fabar, of Washington township, and Mrs. Seth Hinshaw of Sheridan.

The Tomlinson family of this county traces its ancestry back to William Tomlinson, a native of Ireland, who emigrated to this country the latter part of the eighteenth century and settled in Guilford county, North Carolina, while the Indians were still living there in large numbers. He married Martha Kopick, a native of North Carolina, and reared a large family, four sons growing to maturity. Of these four children Robert became the progenitor of the branch of the family represented in Hamilton county by E. B. Tomlinson. Robert was the father of Esther. Among the brothers and sisters of the deceased, all of whom were active in the affairs of Washington township many years ago, were Milton, Martha, Noah Allan, Jessie, Asenath, Jane and Levi. All of them had birthrights in the Friends church and they made up one of the most highly respected families in the county.

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