

**Those Who Have Passed From Time
to Eternity.**

KIEHL—On Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock, March 30, another old veteran passed away from this life. It was Adam Kiehl, a man well known in this community, who died aged 74 years, 8 months and 24 days. The cause of his death was bright's disease. He had been in feeble health for over a year, but began to sink about two weeks ago. He was patient and uncomplaining and viewed with calmness his approaching end.

Adam Kiehl was born in this county July 6, 1823. In his youth he learned the carpenter trade and worked at it for several years. He then engaged in the peddling business and traveled over a large portion of this county gathering up marketing which he disposed at Adamsburg. His son, John, showed us a peddler's license his father had procured from James McCallister, clerk of courts, on May 8, 1849.

After following that business for a number of years he retired and worked at farm work until failing health compelled him to retire from active life.

He was married to Miss Catherine Kunkle, daughter of John S. Kunkle. Eight children were the result of this marriage, seven of whom are yet living.

He was a member of the Lutheran church at Adamsburg, also a member of Capt. S. S. Marshand Post, No. 190, G. A. R., of Irwin. He enlisted in Company E, 206th. Regiment. Pennsylvania Volunteers and served until the close of the war. His wife died about eight years ago.

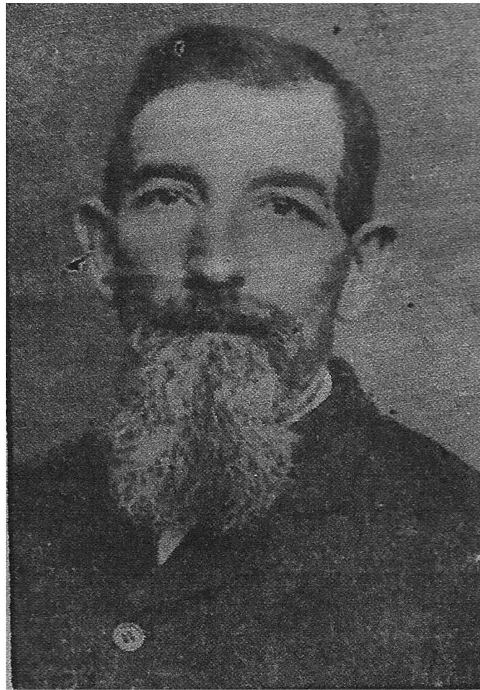
Mr. Kiehl was one of these good, quiet and friendly men whom everybody lived. Pleasant and agreeable; he had a word for every body and the respect of all who knew him. He was true and upright in all his dealings with his fellow-men. A true Christian and a good man, regretted by a large

OBITUARY

JACOB L. KIEHL.

Jacob L. Kiehl, of Irwin, died Thursday April 17, 1913, after a long illness of asthma and dropsy, aged 63 years, 9 months and 22 days.

The deceased was born in this county, as was his father before him. Mr. Kiehl was one of the best known citizens of this locality and was held in high esteem by all who knew him for his many good traits. He was a



Jacob L. Kiehl.

member of the local lodge of Jr. O. U. A. M. He is survived by a widow and the following children: Mrs. M. S. Curry, of McKeesport; Mrs. O. L. Shannon, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. John Kuehl and Mrs. C. S. Loughner, of Irwin; Mrs. P. A. Brinker, of East Pittsburgh; Mrs. W. G. Werkman, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. H. G. Glunt, of Herminie; Mr. William Kiehl and G. A. Kiehl, of Irwin.

Funeral services were conducted at the family residence at 2.30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. Pittner, of the U. B. church, of McKeesport, conducted the services. The funeral was a large one, the Jr. O. U. A. M. attending in a body. Interment was made in Union cemetery.

George A. Kiehl

George A. Kiehl, 93, of North Irwin, died Sunday, Sept. 30, 1984, in Baldock Health Care Center, North Huntingdon. He was born Aug. 29, 1891, in Irwin, a son of the late Jacob L. and Catherine Monahan Kiehl.

Prior to his retirement in August of 1956, he was employed as a core-maker for Westinghouse Airbrake, Wilmerding. He was a member of United Church of Christ, Irwin. He was a member of the LOOM No. 256, and the FOE No. 1671, both of Irwin.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one daughter, Lois Morgan in November 1963, one brother, and seven sisters.

Surviving are his wife of 72 years Anna Eyler Kiehl; a son, Dr. Paul V. Kiehl of San Antonio, Texas; two daughters, Mrs. Lynn (Jeanne) Crosby of Dormont, and Norma Vogel of Bakerstown; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Vincent V. Rodgers Funeral Home, 805 Pennsylvania Ave., Irwin, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. today. Services

will be held in the funeral home chapel Wednesday at 11 a.m. with his pastor, the Rev. J. Richard Coyle officiating. Interment will be in Irwin Union Cemetery. LOOM will hold services tonight at 8 p.m. in the funeral home. Irwin FOE Aerie 1671 will hold services at the funeral home tonight at 7:30 p.m.

At an Orphans Court held at Greensburgh for Westmoreland County on the second Monday, tenth day of January, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and Thirty one, Present John Young Esquire President, John Lobingier, and Thomas Pollock, Esquires Associate Judges of the said Court:

Jonathan Keihl Dec'd On the Petition of Susanna Keihl Widow & Relict of Johnathan Keihl late of Salem Township Deceased, Stating that her said husband left orphan nine children, four of whom, to wit Henry, Adam, Ann Katharine ... are minors now under the age of fourteen years – who have no Guardian to take care of their persons and estates; and Praying the Court to appoint proper persons for that purpose. The Court appoint Reuben Zimmerman, Guardian of Henry Keihl, John Miller, Guardian of Adam, and Jacob Fisher Guardian of Ann Katharine Keihl during their respective minorities.

Same On the Petition of Daniel Keihl, son of Jonathan Keihl, late of Salem Township Dec. Stating that he is a minor above the age of fourteen years, and has no Guardian to take care of his person or estate, and praying the court to admit him to make choice of a Guardian for that purpose; which having granted, and he having named Daniel Kiehl of the Borough of Greensburgh as Guardian over his person and Estate during his minority, Is appointed accordingly(?).

Pension records obtained from National Archives

US Pension Agency, Pittsburgh, PA, record of pensioner dropped. Dated Apr 25, 1898. Signed by JW Nesbit, Pension Agent. Adam Kiel (Prv-E-206-P-V) pension roll certificate No. 437059. Last paid \$16 on 4 Jan 1898. Dropped because of death Date March 30, 1898.

Letter from Jacob Painter, Irwin Station, Westmoreland Co, Pa, dated Aug 24 1880, to W.W. Dudley, Commissioner of Pensions, Washington DC. (in support of disability pension claim by Adam Kiehl)

I have been a near neighbor of “Ad Kiehl's” all these years, and I believed all he ever said about his suffering and inability to work, because nobody could make me believe that he would refrain from work, when able to do it.

Statement of J.W. Stevenson, MD, of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pa, dated June 13, 1883.

I ... have known Adam Keihl (sic) since October 1859. Was his family physician for 12 years from 1859 to 1871. before entering the Army in 1864 he was to the best of my knowledge and belief a healthy man capable of performing any kind of manual labor. After his return from the service he was disabled by reason of rupture and in October 1865 I attended him for chronic rheumatism which had its origin in the service. I attended him at various times for this chronic rheumatism during my continuance in practice in Westmoreland Co Pa which terminated in

1871 at which time I located in Pittsburgh Pa. I have examined Adam Keihl (sic) this day and find him now suffering from the same ailments by reason of which he is unable to earn a livelihood.

General Affidavit in the matter of Pension Claim No. 346,095 of Adam Kiehl late of Co. E 206 Regt. Pa Infantry vols. Sworn by Jeremiah Bush, aged 53 Years citizen of the Town of Greensburg Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

I was well acquainted with Adam Kiehl the above named claimant as he was a member of my Co. E 206 Regt. Pa Infantry vols of which I was Orderly or first Sergeant and I know that he took sick with chronic diarrhea and Rheumatism while we were building Fort Brady on the peninsula near Dutch Gap where a number of our boys took sick. He was able to go about but was very weak with said disease but he being a very spunky man would never give up, as he should really have then been in the Hospital but the boys would not go to Hospital as long as they could avoid it, that is good soldiers wouldn't as they looked on it. We entered the City of Richmond Va., that is our Regt, the evening of the nineteenth (19th) of April 1865. The day of the Surrender and our Regt. was put in charge of the City on Patrol duty and a few days after we were in Richmond this claimant was on duty on Clay street when he went to cross a ditch when he fell and the lower part of his body struck an upright stone which caused him to rupture himself when he was sent to the Hospital. I know this fact as I was then Orderly or first Sergeant on duty and had him in charge and from my notes he remained in Hospital until he was discharged which was about the 16th day of May 1865. He and another member of my Co. Henry Barnhart were discharged at the same time. This comrade Kiehl was a very worthy man and he has been totally unfitted for any manual labor for a number of years and I believe his case to be a very worthy one.

Heyer. H. Walthour aged 43 of Blair County, Pa. in a Proof of Disability affidavit dated June 15th 1883 states that he was 2nd Lieutenant of Company E of the 206th Regiment, of Pennsylvania Volunteers, had known Adam Kiehl for 25 years, and that Adam Kiehl was able bodied and free of rupture prior to enlistment.

Witnesses to Adam Kiehl's (aged 66 years) disability affidavit are JP Weaver and AG Marsh.

Results of a medical exam on January 2, 1889 for the purpose of a disability pension indicates that Adam Kiehl aged 66 years was 5' 8 ½ " tall and weighed 135 pounds.

Results of a medical exam on June 20, 1883 for the purpose of a disability pension indicates that Adam Kiehl aged 60 years was 5' 8 ½ " tall and weighed 140 pounds.

Adam Kiehl's disability pension claim was witnessed by Philip P Gongaware and Adam Croushare ??