

LEE, Alfred  
November 5, 1876--February 2, 1901  
Born in Kosciusko County, IN  
Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee  
Mentone funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE February 7, 1901

LEE, George W.  
Mentone, IN--Hammond, Ind.  
Died December 7, 1938, aged 59 yrs.  
Cause of death: Cerebral hemorrhage  
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lee  
Wife: Florence  
4 daughters: Mrs. Ruth Reed, Mrs. Jesse Pesmey and  
Helen and Catherine Lee  
1 son: Forrest  
1 sister: Mrs. Leigh McCrea  
Mentone Cemetery

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS December 14, 1938

LEE, Hannah M. Wileman  
Albany, NY -- Gary, IN  
July 25, 1853--68 yrs., 6 mos., 6 days  
Married John Lee October 22, 1864  
7 children: Mrs. Pansy McCrea and Geo. Lee survive  
Mentone Cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE January 5, 1922

LEE, Elizabeth Ayersman  
January 13, 1818--June 16, 1892  
Born in Frederick County, VA  
Married Mr. S. A. Lee April 5, 1834  
14 children  
35 grand-children

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE June 25, 1892

LEE, Rebecca M.  
October 23, 1841--September 15, 1906  
Kosciusko County, IN--Mentone, IN  
Daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Ersman Lee  
Cause of death: Tuberculosis  
13 brothers and sisters: James, Thomas, John, Mrs. Susan  
Sears, Mrs. Emma Sarber survive  
Mentone cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE September 20, 1906

LEE, Samuel A.  
September 13, 1813-September 24, 1888  
Born in Rockbrudge County, VA  
Married Elizabeth Ayrsman April 15, 1834  
14 Children

MENTONE GAZETTE September 27, 1888

LEE, Thomas  
Died July 22, 1907, aged 62 years  
Born near where Mentone stands now  
6 children: Charles, William, John, Mrs. Nettie Ande-  
reck, Mrs. Emma Fisher, Mrs. Ella Andereck  
Oakwood cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE July 25, 1907

LEECH

John Leech (2nd husband of Margaret Meredith Leech

LEECH, John M.  
Died March 5, 1909, aged 69 yrs., 5 mos., 16 days  
Died in Akron, IN  
Married Eliza Rickel Jan. 19, 1859  
4 children She died in 1879.  
Married Margaret Meredith June 24, 1884  
Nichols Church funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE March 18, 1909

LEECH, MARGARET Meredith  
March 27, 1842--March 18, 1911  
Ashland County, OH  
Married John Lewis Meredith on October 1, 1863  
5 children: Benjamin F., John and Orlando survive  
Adopted daughter: Nora Galtry  
He died April 16, 1881  
Married John Leech on June 24, 1884  
He died March 5, 1909  
Nichols Church funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE March 23, 1911

LEEDY

Ezra Leedy (husband of Ella Mae Rogers Leedy)

LEEDY, Ella Mae Rogers  
Married Ezra Leedy January 1, 1911  
Cause of death: Paralysis  
Fulton County, IN--Fulton County, IN  
June 18, 1887--September 16, 1934  
Daughter of W. L. and Arsada Rogers  
4 sisters: Mrs. Nellie Hawks, Mrs. Ollie Towns, Mrs.  
Ethel Nellans and Mrs. Grethel Mow  
1 granddaughter: Patsy Harbaugh  
Richland Center Cemetery

THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS September 19, 1934

LEFFEL

Cleo Leffel (wife of D. Clark Mollenhour)

The Akron/Mentone News 8/6/86

LEFFEL, LOLA E.

B. July 1, 1895 Warren County, Indiana

D. July 29, 1986 North Manchester, Indiana

Parents: Albert and Lena (BRIGGS) SICKS

Marrried: May 22, 1915 to Harry L. LEFFER who died  
April 17, 1983.

Survived by: 4 sons: Gilbert, Gordon, Hubert & Elvin;  
2 daughters: Mrs. Dale (Lucile) Wicoff and Mrs.

George (Virginia) Eves; 1 sister: Grace Mather;

18 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren & 1 great  
great grandchild.

Preceded in death by: 1 brother, 3 sisters & 1 grand-  
son.

LEFFERT, Kay Laraine

Died March 17, 1951, in Rochester, IN, aged 3 mos.

Cause of death: pneumonia

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Leffert

Mentone Cemetery

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS March 21, 1951

**LEHMAN**

William Henry Lehman (husband of Florence Emaline McIntyre  
Lehman)

LEHMAN, Florence Emaline McIntyre  
July 26, 1877--November 11, 1944  
Fulton County, IN--Mentone, IN  
Cause of death: carcinoma  
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McIntyre  
Married William Henry Lehman in 1907  
2 daughters: Mary Margaret Lehman and Mrs. George Nordman  
1 son: George  
1 sister: Mrs. Tom Ritter  
1 brother: Harold McIntyre  
5 grandchildren 3 great-grandchildren  
South Whitley Cemetery

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS November 15, 1944

LEHMAN, Mrs. Hershel V.  
Died November 11, 1923, at Warsaw, IN  
Cause of Death: Cancer  
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zolman Zentz  
Married Herschel V. Lehman November 6, 1899  
2 children: Madeline and Rupert  
1 brother: Arthur Zentz  
Oak Wood Cemetery

MENTONE GAZETTE November 15, 1923

LEIGHTY, William Edward  
Kosciusko County, IN--Marsaw, IN  
January 23, 1890--February 13, 1942  
Cause of death:pneumonia  
Son of George and Jennie Bowen Leighty  
Married Veta Berlin March 20, 1913  
2 sisters: Mrs. Harry Margan and Mrs. Ray Kincaide  
1 brother: Harvey Leighty  
Oakwood Cemetery

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS February 18, 1942

LEININGER

see Anna Leininger McIntyre  
see ? Leininger Besson

LEININGER, CLOYDE W.

B. November 27, 1898 Akron, Indiana  
D. Sept. 16, 1986 Rochester, Indiana  
Parents: Lewis and Clara (WAECHTER) LEININGER  
Married: Sept. 18, 1927 to Hilda WILBURN  
Survived by: Wife; 1 son: Daniel; 2 grandsons, 1 grand-  
daughter; & 1 great grandson.  
Preceded in death by: 1 brother and 1 sister.

The Akron/Mentone News September 24, 1986

Leininger, Hilda

B. 03/10/03

d. 03/13/1991

Parents were: Edward and Alice Lucy Wilburn  
Surviving are one brother, Marion Ireland Jr. North  
Manchester, three sisters, Geraldine Hill, Akron, Susan  
Jane Becraft, Naples and Helen Ireland Minneapolis  
Minn,

Burial: Laketon Cemetery

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LEININGER, MARGARET

B. July 23, 1886 Fulton County IN

D. Apr. 25, 1955 (Mon.) Akron IN (home)

Parents: Empson & Kenzia (TEEL) HEIGHWAY

Married: 1907 to Sidney LEININGER (D. 1954)

Survived by: 2 daughters: Mrs. Imo Tucker,

Mrs. Joanna Van Scoy; 1 grandson: Tom

Tucker; 2 brothers: Orven & Leslie Heighway;

1 sister: Mrs. Mary Miller.

Preceded in death by: Husband; 1 brother;

1 sister.

-The Northern IN Co-op News Apr. 27, 1955-

LEININGER, Mrs. Sarah

Died February 5, 1923, in Fort Wayne, IN, in the home of

her daughter, Mrs. David Manges

Survived by 2 sons and 2 daughters

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE February 8, 1923



LEININGER, SIDNEY

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B. Jan. 13, 1885 Fulton County  
D. June 27, 1954 Akron IN (home)  
Parents: David & Hester (THOMPSON) LEININGER  
Married: Maggie HEIGHWAY in 1907  
Survived by: Wife; 2 daughters: Mrs. Imo  
Tucker, Mrs. Joanna Van Scoy; 1 grandson:  
Tommy Tucker; 2 brothers: Clarence &  
Oliver; 1 sister: Mrs. Grace Smith.

The Northern IN Co-op News June 30, 1954

LEININGER, William  
December 2, 1874--June 11, 1942  
Died in Akron, IN  
Cause of death: complications  
IOOF Cemetery, Rochester  
Son of David and Hester Thompson Leininger  
Married Anna Heighway in 1899  
3 brothers: Oliver, Sydney and Clarence  
1 sister: Mrs. Lum Smith  
2 sons: Kenneth and Marion  
4 grandchildren

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS June 17, 1942

LEITER

Catharine Leiter (wife of Joseph Hartman)  
Elmer Leiter (husband of Lillie May Leiter)  
John Leiter (husband of Sophia Switzer Leiter)  
Lizzie Leiter (1st wife of Henry Clark Riner)  
Nancy Leiter (2nd wife of Henry Clark Riner)  
Elmer Leiter (husband of Margaret Ellen Leiter)  
see Lulu Leiter Owen  
see Amanda Leiter Holloway Vandermark

LEITER, Dr.

Died January 12, 1911 at Claypool

Cause of Death: Hanging

No further details

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE January 12, 1911

LEITER, Edward Valorous

Son of Philetus and Sarah Leiter

Mentone, IN--Mentone, IN

December 6, 1895--June 27, 1924

WSI Vet, December 6, 1917--May 7, 1919

Cause of Death: Tuberculosis

Leaves father, mother, 2 sisters (Mrs. Joe Evans and Mrs.

EE Hatfield), 1 brother (Herman

Mentone Cemetery

MENTONE GAZETTE July 3, 1924

LEITER, James

May 14, 1833--March 31, 1904

Richland County, OH

Married Mary Katherine Dent June 6, 1860

Palestine cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE April 7, 1904

LEITER, John  
May 22, 1882--November 15, 1911, aged 89 years  
(sic)  
Franklin County, PA--Mentone, IN  
Married Sophia Switzer in 1846  
5 children: Nancy, Amanda, Philetus and Elmer survive  
14 grandchildren 11 great-grandchildren  
Mentone Cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE November 16, and 23, 1911

LEITER, Margaret Ellen  
Aged 77 years  
Ohio--Warsaw, IN  
Married Elmer Leiter  
Sons: Charles Meredith and Del Meredith survive  
Mentone Cemetery

THE COMMUNITY FARM NEWS September 4, 1929

LEITER, Sophia Switzer  
February 17, 1824--July 3, 1897  
Born in Richland County, OH  
Married John Leiter January 1, 1847  
5 children  
Mentone funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE July 8, 1897

LEITER, Lillie May  
Died May 20, 1890, aged 28 yrs., 20 days  
Wife of Elmer Leiter Married March 22, 1881  
3 children  
Mentone funeral

MENTONE GAZETTE May 24, 1890

LEITER, Mamie  
July 20, 1882--February 20, 1890  
Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Philetus Leiter  
Mentone Funeral

MENTONE GAZETTE February 22, 1890

LEITER, John E.  
Son of Elmer Leiter  
Kied in California, aged 69 yrs.  
WW I Vet  
National Cemetery at San Diego, CA

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS December 21, 1949

LEITER, WILLODEAN W.

B. Sept. 14, 1917 Whitley Co., Indiana

D. January 5, 1987 Claypool, Indiana

Parents: Ralph and Lamora (SCOTT) BROWN

Married: June 4, 1936 to LeRoy LEITER who died on Nov 4, 1965.

Survived by: 4 sons: Ronald J., Larry E., James. L & Ted; 1 brother: Wilbur Brown; 9 grandchildren; 4 step grandchildren & 8 great grandchildren.

The Akron/Mentone News Jan. 14, 1987

**Name:** Jaelyn "Jackie" Lemcool

**Birth:** September 20, 1947

**Parents:** Melvin and Margaret Sausaman Schue

**Death:** April 14, 2015

**Married:** Neil Lemcool

**Survivors:** Three children: Amy Hapner and Hettie (and husband Arvil) Colley, both of Mentone, and Steven Hapner, Kingsley; seven grandchildren; nine great-



grandchildren; a sister, Judy (and husband Allen) Lowry; and brother-in-law, Alvin Perry.

Buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw.

Times Union Newspaper

LEMLER

Daniel Lemler (husband of Catherine Miller Lemler)  
see Mariagnes Lemler Hartzell

LEMLER, Catherine Miller  
1861--April 30, 1944  
Bourbon, IN--Bourbon, IN  
Married Daniel Lemler in 1885  
10 children: Clarence, Mrs. Eva Mattson, Mrs. Trella  
Neidig, Mrs. Bessie Dumph, Mrs. Ruth Grice, Fred, Mrs.  
Maggie Ames, Mrs. Ada Bowers, Mrs. Ella Woodcock, Miss  
Lucinda Miller  
25 grandchildren 15 great-grandchildren  
Park Cemetery, Bourbon

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS May 3, 1944

LEMLER, Daniel B.  
Died October 30, 1940, in Bourbon, IN, aged 79 yrs.  
Cause of death: stroke of paralysis  
2 sons: Fred Lemler  
7 daughters  
Park Cemetery, Bourbon

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-op NEWS November 6, 1940

**Name:** Lemler, Loise

**Birth:** Jan. 21, 1907

**Parents:** Silas M. & Cora Belle Cauffman Hill

**Death:** Feb. 15, 2008

**Married:** Fred D. Lemler

**Survivors:** Two daughters, Phyllis Bowser, Mentone, and Leah Nell (spouse Stan) Yeiter, Atwood; a half sister, Marjorie

(spouse John) Knecht, North Manchester; seven grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and 21 great-great-grandchildren.

Buried in Mentone Cemetery

LEMON, William F.

September 18, 1879--February 22, 1896

Born in Whitley County, IN

Mentone funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE February 27, 1896

LENT, DOROTHY I.

B. May 12, 1911 Rolling Prairie, Indiana

D. Feb. 17, 1986 Warsaw, Indiana

Parents: Albert and Ella (CARPENTER) STONER

Married: June 20, 1936 to Gordon Lent who died in 1973.

Survived by: 3 daughters: Ruby Piper, Marjorie Bell, Barbara Nemeth, 3 sons: William, Harold & Stanley, 22 grandchildren, 16 gr-grandchildren, 2 sisters: Vera Butler & Aletha Sanger.

The Akron/Mentone News Feb. 26, 1986

LEONARD, Thomas

New Castle, IN--Silver Lake, IN

November 30, 1833--November 28, 1915

Son of James Reed and Hannah Leonard

Married Mary Love December 1, 1860

7 children

12 grandchildren

1 great-grandchild

1 brother

Silver Lake funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE December 2, 1915



**Name:** Leslie, Bruce James

**Death:** May 10, 2010

**Birth:** May 26, 1953

**Parents:** James L. and Doris P. Whetstone Leslie.

**Married:** Elizabeth Nappier

**Survivors:** Two daughters, Diane (spouse Bryan) Wirth, South Bend, and Jennifer (spouse Christopher) Frey, Ft.

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Wayne; a stepdaughter, Tracie Willis, North Webster; and six grandchildren.

Burial, Mentone Cemetery

Warsaw Times Union, June 19 & 20, 2010

**Name:** Leslie, Larry Lee

**Birth:** Sept. 13, 1961

**Parents:** James L. and Doris P. Whetstone Leslie.

**Death:** March 5, 2009

**Married:**

**Survivors:** Brother, Bruce James (wife Elizabeth) Leslie,  
Tucson, AZ; two nieces, Diane (spouse Bryan) Wirth,  
South Bend and Jennifer (spouse Christopher) Frey,

Leesburg; and two great-nieces, Amarae Stouder and  
Liddia Frey.

**Burial:** Mentone Cemetery

LESTER, KENNETH

B. Feb. 7, 1923 Vevay (Indiana?)

D. March 29, 1986 Plainfield, Indiana

Parents: Harvey and Mamie (BRANHAM) LESTER.

Married: Francis SWICK

Survived by: Wife; 3 daughters: Tracey Sikora, Sylvia  
McDonald & Cindy Krout; 2 sons: Tony and Scott Lester  
3 sisters, 4 brothers and 3 granddaughters.

The Akron/Mentone News April 2, 1986