

## **Geneva Herald, Adams Co, IN; Friday, January 10, 1896**

James B. Teeple was born in Franklin county, O., Feb. 3, 1836 (sic); died at the home of his son in Jefferson township, January 5, 1896, aged 69 years, 11 months and 2 days. When a small boy his parents moved to Adams county where he has since resided. June 13th, 1850, he was married to Mary Smith who survives him. During the civil war he faithfully served his country for two years, a part of the time as a nurse in the hospital. About three years ago, he moved to Geneva, but moved back to his farm the next year. He had spent his life as a tiller of the soil and no place suited him as well. For fifty-four years he was a consistent member of the Christian church. The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. Ben Aspy at the M.E. church, Tuesday morning after which the body was laid to rest in the West Lawn Cemetery. A wife, two sons, two daughters, one brother and two sisters survive.

Truly is can be said of him that a good man has gone and the world is better for his having lived in it. His gentle kindly spirit was a constant reminder of true Christianity.

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## **Van Wert Twice a Week Bulletin, Van Wert County, Ohio; Jan 14, 1896**

### **STATE LINE NEWS**

James Teeple, formerly of Wren, was buried on the 6th inst. (Means the last 6th before Jan 14, which is Jan 6, 1896.)

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