

John Stoltz, living two and a half miles west of Antiville on the Portland and Camden Pike, died at 12 o'clock last night after an illness of only one week. The deceased was a prominent and well known citizen, and had he lived until next Saturday, he would have been 86 years old.

He came to this county 49 years ago. Mrs. Stoltz was 86 years old on June 15, and they were the oldest married couple in the county.

Funeral services will be held at Union Church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. Metheany; interment at the same place. Hines is the attending undertaker.

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