

## *LYDIA WHEAT LOOP*

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**On August 2, 1895, Mrs. Lydia Wheat Loop, wife of Andrew Loop of Mace was 75 years of age. On that day her children, grandchildren and many neighbors and friends gave this aged and respected couple a very pleasant surprise at their residence. A company of 142 persons collected together, bringing them a super abundant amount of the richest provision of the land with which tables were artistically arranged and all were richly and abundantly supplied. After dinner many and valuable presents were made to Mrs. Loop. Appropriate remarks were made by Rev. John M. Stafford in presenting these expressions of good will. The reading of a scriptural lesson and prayer by Rev. GW stafford with most hearty congratulations closed this pleasant and happy assemblage with delightful music by a well selected choir, ending with "God Be With You till We Meet Again."**