ELIZABETH WHITE MERCER -- stroke while in garden

Source: Scrapbook of Chester Peffley of Ladoga, Indiana 1890-1916

Mrs. Eph Mercer went to her garden to gather beans Saturday evening and while at that work suffered a stroke of paralysis that affected one side of her body and limbs. Her daughter Kate found her a little later and secured help to get Mrs. Merce into the house. Then a physician was called. The patient has partially recovered and it is believed she will entirely recover from the stroke.

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