Funeral of E. P. Huston.

The funeral of Mr. Evan P. Huston, of Hustontown, took place Wednesday a week from his residence. Mr. Huston was one of our oldest citizens, and stood well among his neighbors. He lived to a good old age, having been born in April 1818, hence three-quarters of a century of life was his. For a number of months it was plainly visible that the years were weighing unusually heavy, and would soon crowd him out of time and earth-life. For some three weeks he was confined to the house with the fatal illness. Every attention was shown him, and all was done that could be done to "knock out" disease and keep away death, but all to no avail. Tuesday morning 12th, inst, he "fell on sleep." He leaves a wife and three children in the sad home to mourn the departure of husband and father, while five others—three sons and two daughters in homes of their own to mourn the sad fact—father is dead and buried.

The funeral services were held in Clear Ridge M. E. church on the 13th inst., about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Though a disagreeable day, the funeral was a very large one. He was buried in Clear Ridge Cemetery by the side of his first wife. The services were conducted by Rev. Owen Hicks, the pastor of the family. Thus the men linking us with the beginning of this most eventful century are dropping out of the ranks and joining the "big majority" "beyond the river." The youngest of us will soon pass over the same "dark river."