Will Crossley Milwaukee 1888

WILLIAM C. CROSSLEY

A colorful life was ended in the death of William C. Crossley, Tuesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. P. Balch, in Millerton. Born 81 years ago on Sept. 15 in Fall Brook, he moved to Mansfield with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crossley, about 1870, "Wil" payed baseball as soon as he was old enough, at the age of 18 he began his career in professional paseball with the Birmingham, Alabama, team. He played with Sioux City, and other teams in the southern league, and later with Milwaukee, His. He was at one time battery mate of Clark Griffiths, noted manager of the Washington, D. C., team.

In Milwaukee in 1890 he met and married Adeline Hamilton, who died a year ago last Spring. They came east in 1892 and he played with the Scranton team. Later they settled on a farm at Tioga Junction, and he played with the Corning team.

Then he moved to Mansfield to help his father in the greenhouse which Robert Crossley established In 1890 Will bought the home on

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William C Crossley

BIRTH 1865

DEATH 1946 (aged 80–81)

BURIAL Prospect Cemetery

Mansfield, Tioga County, Pennsylvania, USA

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NAME: William C Crossley

GENDER: Male

RACE: White

AGE: 81

BIRTH DATE: 16 Sep 1865

BIRTH PLACE: Fallbrook, Pennsylvania

DEATH DATE: 28 Oct 1946

DEATH PLACE: Millerton, Tioga, Pennsylvania,

USA