

Former Altonian Died Yesterday

Mrs. Ona Cox Sinks, well known in this city died in Yuma, Arizona yesterday morning after an illness of two years, She is a sister of Mrs. Harold Powell of Langdon Street this city.

The deceased was 57 years of age and had lived practically her entire life in this city. Death was caused by a growth of a cancer which has kept her confined for the past years.

She is survived by her husband W. F. Sinks and two sons, both residents of Yuma and Mrs. Harold Powell of this city.

She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cox of Upper Alton.

(transcribed by Ron Ritchie from the "Scrapbook by Mary Ann Cox)

Ona Etta Cox Sinks

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Fourth of eight children born to James Clayton Cox and Mary Ann *Nicholson* Cox

Birth: November 8, 1864 in Virden, Macoupin Co., Illinois

Death: January 29, 1923 in Yuma County, Arizona at age 58 from stomach and liver cancer

Marriage: April 1885 to William F. Sinks in Upper Alton, Madison Co., Illinois; three children