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Document Title: Obituary of Eliza Jane Pilcher, 1806 VA - 1859 St. Louis

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Transcription:

"Springer, Mrs. Eliza Pilcher, was born in Virginia, 17 March 1806. When about 2 years of age she removed, with her parents, to Kentucky, where she resided near Lexington until after her marriage, 10 July 1828 to J. N. W. Springer. In November 1830, they removed to Illinois, and settled 7 miles east of Vandalia. In 1851, her husband joined the St. Louis Conference, having been employed by the Presiding Elder two years before that time. Having spent nearly 11 years in the itinerant work, she died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. Robinson [David S. M. Robinson], of this city, on Sunday 21 August 1859. She was the mother of 12 children, eleven of whom she buried. Her remains were deposited in Wesleyan cemetery, near this city, where they rest in hope."

The obituary was written by her husband, The Rev. John N.W. Springer.