

[Ellsworth, Earl B.]

EARL B. ELLSWORTH

Earl B. Ellsworth, who had for several days been ill of pneumonia, died at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home on Wells avenue at Hartwick. He was born December 1, 1879 near Burlington Flats and was a son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Donaldson) Ellsworth of that place. He was married in October, 1900 [on the 4th] to Miss Mary Dillenbeck of Cooperstown, and for the past sixteen years had been a resident of Hartwick and a motorman on the Southern New York railway. He had been employed on the line ever since the road was completed, and was one of its best known and most valued employees. Many friends not only in Hartwick but all along the line of the road will deeply lament his death.

Besides the wife and parents above named, Mr. Ellsworth is survived by one daughter, Elizabeth, and a son, Thomas, who reside at home, also one brother, Gerald D. Ellsworth of Cooperstown, and two sisters, Mrs. G. M. Francis of Oneonta and Mrs. Andrew Davidson of Cooperstown. He was a member of the Masonic lodge at Schuyler Lake and of the Odd Fellows and Maccabees of Hartwick.

The funeral will be held at the house at 3 p.m. on Friday. The Rev. Charles Kramer of the Universalist church at Cooperstown will officiate and burial will be at Hartwick. The masonic order will have charge of the services at the grave.

*Otsego Farmer*, Cooperstown NY, Fri. 18 Oct 1918

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