

[Parshall, Latonus J.]

Latonus J. Parshall

The death of Latonus J. Parshall, a life-long and well known resident of the town of Middlefield, took place at Whig Corners at about 3:15 a.m., Wednesday morning, July 20th, 1921. Sixteen years ago this month Mr. Parshall sustained a stroke of paralysis from which he never fully recovered. He had been a patient sufferer throughout the long period of affliction, receiving the faithful care of a devoted wife.

The deceased was born November 17th, 1860, the son of Peter and Orville Pitts Parshall, in the town of Middlefield, where he had always resided. He was a staunch democrat in politics and took an active interest in public affairs. He served one term as town clerk and was honored by his fellow townsmen by being reelected to the office of Justice of the Peace several times.

In 1882 he was united in marriage with Ida H. Derrick, who survives him together with three children, Harry L., and Mrs. Fred T. Hopkins of Middlefield and Miss Florence I. Parshall of Bridgeport, Conn., and one sister, Mrs. Charles H. Mason of Cooperstown.

The funeral services will be held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hopkins, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Charles Kramer [Universalist] officiating. Interment in Lakewood cemetery.

*Otsego Farmer*, Cooperstown NY, Fri. 22 Jul 1921

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