[Phelps, Sarah M. Allen]

BOUCKVILLE

A wide circle of friends are saddened by the sudden death of Mrs. B. E. [Sarah M., wife of Benjamin E.] Phelps, which occurred at her home here about 9:30 Wednesday morning after a few days' illness of pleuro-pneumonia. She was born at Oriskany Falls Jan. 1, 1842, a daughter of the late Isaac and Emily Allen. She was united in marriage to Mr. Phelps about 60 years ago and during this time they have lived happily together at Solsville and Bouckville. Her aged husband survives her, also two sons, Kirk A. of Bouckville and Leo A. of Syracuse. She was a very charitable woman, always ready to lend a helping hand, and many will miss her kind ministrations, and was very devoted to her home and family, where she will be missed the most. The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family. The funeral will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Universalist Church at Madison.

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