

[Barnes, Hamilton]

Hamilton A. Barnes

Hamilton A. Barnes, a native of Cooperstown Junction and for much of his life a resident, died suddenly at his home last Saturday morning at 8:40 o'clock, after an hour's illness. He was taken suddenly ill while at the barn at work. With the aid of his wife and son he was then taken back to the house and medical aid was summoned, but he died before the physician reached him. Death was caused by disease of the heart.

Mr. Barnes was sixty-one years of age and was a son of the late Ansel Barnes of that place. He had lived in Oneonta, Schenevus and Central Bridge, returning from the latter place some twelve years ago. He was a member of the Maryland Tent of Maccabees and was a man highly respected wherever he had resided. Quiet and unassuming in manner he was alike a good husband and father, friend, neighbor and citizen.

All who knew him will sympathize with the family in its bereavement. He is survived by his wife who was Miss Linda Burnside of Cooperstown Junction and four sons, Harry, Ray, Guy and Marshall Barnes, all at home. He also leaves two brothers, Willis J. Barnes of Colliers and Davis E. Barnes of Schenevus. Funeral was held at his late home, last Tuesday at 2 p.m., the Rev. Charles Kramer, pastor of the Universalist church at Cooperstown, officiating with interment at Oneonta Plains cemetery.—Our Cooperstown Junction Reporter.

*Otsego Farmer*, Cooperstown NY, Fri. 26 Dec 1919

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