

[Canfield, H. Harry.]

H. HARRY CANFIELD DIES AT AE OF 70

H. Harry Canfield, 70, 160 Ward Street, Watertown, formerly of Boonville, compositor and former employee of the old Watertown Standard, died suddenly at [?] on Jan. 19, 1960, in the House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown. Death was attributed to an abdominal ailment.

Mr. Canfield is survived by his wife, Mrs. Freda M. Ammon Canfield, twin sisters Mrs. Nancy Puffer, Antwerp, and Mrs. Clarence (Viola) Miller, Boonville; one niece and two nephews. A brother, Jesse Canfield, former station agent at Gouverneur, died about five years ago.

Mr. Canfield was born on Feb. 8, 1889, near West Leyden, a son of the late William and Henrietta Christian Canfield. He attended schools in this area and later became employed as a printer at the Boonville Herald.

He moved to Watertown about 1912 to become associated with the old Watertown Standard in charge of the mechanical department. He remained in the mechanical department for ten years and later was named superintendent of the composting room, a position he held for two years.

In 1914 he married Miss Freda Ammon of West Leyden in a ceremony performed at Boonville by Rev. Matthews, a Methodist minister. The couple moved to Watertown where they have since resided.

After leaving the Watertown Standard, Mr. Canfield operated his own trade compositor business at Printing House place, the site of the Hungerford-Holbrook printing company.

The business included the use of linotype machines in setting printed matter for business agencies in Watertown and vicinity. It was sold to Robert J. Briggs one year ago when Mr. Canfield retired.

Mr. Canfield was a member of All Souls Universalist Church, of the Watertown Masonic Lodge, the Shriners, and the Fish and Game Club.

The funeral was Friday morning at 11 at the funeral home with Rev. John E. Wood, pastor of All Souls Universalist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Boonville cemetery in the spring.

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