

[Clark, Lowell]

DEATHS.

In Hampton, Oneida co., N.Y., March 2, 1860, Mr. LOWELL CLARK, in the 62d year of his age. The death of a man like Mr. Clark is a great loss to the community in which he has resided.—It is due to his memory that some of the more striking features of his character should be understood, for the edification and encouragement of the living. He was born in Lebanon, Ct., n 1798, and removed thence to Hampton in 1826. Here he engaged in the mercantile business, and he prosecuted it with that strict regard to integrity which early secured for him the confidence of all with whom he dealt, and gave him a controlling influence in the village. For many years he was associated in his business with his brothers, and the firm has been noted in all the region round about, no less for the mutual confidence and fraternal affection of its members, than for its enterprise and success. Mr. Clark was a decided Universalist. He never deemed it necessary to conceal his faith to secure custom. Seeking the kingdom of God and his righteousness, he rested in the assurance that all needed temporal good would be vouchsafed to him without any hypocritical professions of orthodoxy. Consequently he lived respected and died lamented. His funeral was attended on the 19th, in the Presbyterian church in the village, and a very large concourse of people assembled to testify their respect for his memory. The writer preached a discourse on the subject, and was assisted in the devotional exercises by the Rev. Mr. Petrie of the Presbyterian church, and the Rev. Mr. Dunham of the Methodist church. Both of these gentlemen, as neighbors of the deceased, bore willing testimony to his moral worth.

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