

[Conant, Cornelia Harter]

MRS. CORNELIA CONANT

In this city Tuesday morning occurred the death of Mrs. Cornelia Conant, a woman greatly beloved by all who knew her. She died at the ripe age of 94 years at the home of her brother-in-law, George S. Ransom, John street, where she had lived many years. Mrs. Conant was a daughter of Jacob and Mary Harter who moved to Little Falls from Herkimer when Mrs. Conant was a child. Of the ten children comprising the family two still survive, Mrs. Emily Heath of Chicago and Mrs. Henrietta Zoeliner [Zoller?] of this city. Daniel Conant and Cornelia Harter was married in 1846, his death occuring in 1894. Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Conant shared the home of her sister, Mrs. [Catharine] Ransom, and on the death of the latter continued in the home of her brother-in-law. A characteristic of the deceased was her cheerfulness, making her companionship most delightful and welcome. She was a regular attendant at the Universalist church and was guided in life by high conceptions of duty toward God and her neighbors. The funeral was held from the Universalist church [on] Friday Rev. H. W. [W. H.: Wines Harris] Skeels, the pastor, officiating.

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