

[Danolds, Mary Jane Hammond]

Two Pioneers Gone
[abridged]

On Friday morning, Feb. 24, Mrs. Charles A. [D.] Danolds, of Eagle Harbor, peacefully passed away at the home where she has lived [for] 60 years.

Mrs. Danolds was born at Westmoreland, Oneida county, N.Y., Dec. 29., 1820, and at the age of 10 years moved to Genesee county, N.Y., and was married in Elba to Charles D. Danolds Feb. 16, (1842?). She held her bodily and mental powers to a remarkable degree until a few days before her death. She was a devoted wife and most affectionate mother, a great lover of home, and scarcely ever mingled in outside society. Of her beautiful life, it is hardly possible to describe it. She had that charity that thinketh no evil, and could not listen only with pain to supposed faults of others, but with love that worketh no ill to her neighbor. She always covered the erring ones with the mantle of love. She was a most benevolent woman and her principles were the embodiment of the Golden Rule and was [were] carried out in all her intercourse in the family and in the community. All who ever came in contact with her meek and Godlike life call her memory blessed. The hand that has strewn kindness in deeds, as well as words, has gone to her reward, and it is well said of her "she hath done what she could."

The only surviving children are Warren S. Danolds of Albion and Mrs. Carrie P. Cole of Eagle Harbor.

The funeral was held at her late home on Moday and was attended by every living relative and not a few loving friends. The services were conducted by Rev. I. [Isaac] M. Atwood of Rochester, assisted by Rev. C. [Charles] H. Vail [both Universalists]. Rev. Glenn W. White of Albion officiated at the burial at Albion.

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