

[Dapping, Ina May Fairchild]

MRS. WILLIAM O. DAPPING, 76, DIES AT HOME AFTER ILLNESS

Mrs. Ina M. Fairchild Dapping, 76, of 25 S. Marvine Ave., wife of William Osborne Dapping, died Monday morning at her home after a long illness. Mr. Dapping is editor emeritus of The Citizen-Advertiser.

Born in Cayuga County near Fosterville, Nov. 27, 1888, Mrs. Dapping had lived in Auburn more than 70 years. She is survived by her husband.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Brew Funeral Home, Rev James D. Hunt, of First Universalist Church officiating. Burial will be in Fort Hill Cemetery.

Friends may call at 48 South St. from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dapping were married June 3, 1911, by Rev. Arnold S. Yantis of First Universalist Church at the parsonage on North Street. The Dappings lived on Woodruff Place, and on Fulton Street, building their present home on South Marvine Avenue in 1938.

Born on a farm, Mrs. Dapping had a special love for animals. She attended local schools and took a course in Auburn Business College before her employment by the Auburn Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Dapping did volunteer work for Associated Charities, the Humane Society and other groups in which the late Charles G. Adams was active. She was for many years secretary to the Auburn Business Men's Association of which Mr. Adams was secretary.

Mr. Dapping recalled today that his wife was known for "her sweet disposition, willingness to help various agencies that gathered in the organization that later became the Auburn Chamber of Commerce. Her ready will won for her probable [sic] more affectionate regard than any other woman doing secretarial work in Auburn.

"We attended many newspaper gatherings both in American resorts and twice in Europe when I was delegate to the World Press Conference in Geneva, Switzerland, and the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World in Berlin. We remained for European tours on both occasions.

"Her alert interest in the problems of newspaper work, her keen mind, won her the friendship and affectionate regard from both editors and their wives, and when failing health kept her from attending the publishers' meetings there was genuine regret on the part of countless journalists and others associated with the newspaper business.

"I shall always treasure the evidences of high regard in which she was held by the many who knew her."

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