[DeLong, Josephine Wells]

MRS DELONG PASSES AWAY AGED 85 YEARS Had Resided Here for 41 Years Funeral Will Be on Wednesday

Mrs. Josephine DeLong, aged 85 years, widow of Myron B. DeLong, a former hardware proprietor of Three Mile Bay, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alonzo [Jennie Edith] Hall, of No. 315 Academy street, at an early hour on Monday evening. She had been in ill health for some time.

Although Mrs. DeLong had been in failing health due to her advanced age, for some time her condition was not considered to be serious until a week ago when she was stricken with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Josephine DeLong was born at Three Mile Bay, April 27, 1839, a daughter of the late Harry and Amelia O. Wells. She resided in Three Mile Bay during the earlier years of her life, coming to this city 41 years ago. Mr. DeLong was for many years the propreitor [proprietor] of a hardware store at Three Mile Bay. Following their removal to this city Mr. DeLong was employed in this city as a hardware clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. DeLong were married in [at] Three Mile Bay on July 3, 1862. Mr. DeLong passed away in this city in 1914 and since that time Mrs. DeLong had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Hall. She was an attendant of All Souls Universalist Church in Washington street.

Surviving Mrs. DeLong are the daughter with whom she resided in Academy street, another daughter, Mrs. E. A. [Grace Amelia] Everett of this city, two sons, Fred S. DeLong of Leroy, and John M. DeLong of this city, one brother, Jerry C. Wells of this city, one sister, Mrs. Estella Paige of Dexter and eight grandchildren, Mrs. George Cain of Utica, Mrs. William Bestall of New York, Miss Grace I. Everett, Wells B. Hall, Alonzo A. Hall, Stuart A. Hall, all of this city, and James F. DeLong and Ward DeLong, both of LeRoy.

Funeral services will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hall, No. 315 Academy street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Harry Westbrook Reed, pastor of All Souls Universalist Church, officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Brookside cemetery.

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