## [Dederick, Peter M.]

## Death of Peter M. Dederick

Peter M. Dederick, whose serious illness was mentioned in the Republican, died at his home on North Fifth street Tuesday morning. He was 79 years old. He came to this city from High Falls, Greene county, when 19 years of age, learned the trade of carpenter with Henry Avery, and made a specialty of stair building, being employed in that line of work for over twenty years in the Traver planing and finishing mill in this city.

Mr. Dederick was respected as an honest, fearless, conscientious man, who industrious habits and moral courage made him looked up to as an ideal citizen. He was kind and generous, a good neighbor and true friend, and his memory will be cherished by the many who intimately knew him. He is survived by his wife [Augusta Avery Dederick]; two sons, Edward and Harry of this city; four brothers, Samuel, David, Duane and John, of Kiskatom, Greene county, and two sisters, Mrs. George Trumpbhor of Palenville and Mrs. Miller of Kiskatom.

## Funeral of Mr. Dederick

The funeral of Peter M. Dederick was held from his late residence, 46 North Fifth street, yesterday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. G. [George] Delbert Walker, pastor of the Universalist church, officiated. The bearers were John Doyle, John Decker, George Munzinger and Wm. J. Phillips. Traver & Son's mill, where he had been for many years employed as a stairs builder, was shut down for the afternoon to permit the employe[e]s to attend the funeral, and the sent a beautiful floral piece as a token of their love and esteem for the man they had known so long and whom they all respected.

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