

[Dorn, Edwin E.]

EDWIN E. DORN, 66, EXPIRES AT UTICA
Former Supervisor of Town of Vernon and Federal Land Appraiser

Vernon, Nov. 12.—Edwin E. Dorn, 66, former supervisor of the town of Vernon, died this morning at his home in Utica following an illness of several months. Mr. Dorn had resided in Utica for the past 26 years but the greater part of his life had been spent in Vernon Center and Vernon. A life long Democrat, he represented the town of Vernon on the Board of Supervisors for two terms and was at one time a candidate for member of Assembly, 2d Assembly district. The first improved road to be built in this vicinity, the Faling road, was built while he was supervisor and as an experiment prisoners from the County Jail were brought here and used to help construct the same. The house on the Tuttle road in which the prisoners resided is still referred to as "the jail."

For sometime Mr. Dorn had been appraiser in Central New York for Federal Farm & Loan Bank. Previous to that he was a dealer in hay and for years represented International Harvester Company and the Acme Road Machinery Co. In his lines of work he had a large acquaintance and his genial manner won for him a large circle of friends.

Interested in athletics, he was catcher in the old baseball club of Vernon Center and until this summer acted as umpire in the annual contests with the old times of Vernon at the Vernon Center Band Field Day.

Edwin E. Dorn was born in Ava, September 10, 1865, son of the late Christopher and Charlotte Bronson Dorn. After their marriage to Miss Hattie Brown of Vernon, April 20th, 1892, they resided on a farm south of this village and later came to Vernon to reside. He was a member of Sconondoa Lodge, No. 814, F. & A.M., of Vernon, and of the Church of the Reconciliation [Universalist] in Utica.

Surviving besides his wife are two sons, Christ of Miami, Florida, and Victor of Rochester; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Dowsland of Westmoreland, and Mrs. Henry R. House of Utica; two brothers, Walter Dorn of Greenway and Howard Dorn of Vernon Center.

Funeral arrangements, which are incomplete, are in charge of H. R. Alger.

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