

[Elliott, Mary D. Bemis]

SCHUYLER LAKE

Mrs. Mary D. Elliott died at her home Friday morning, May 8th, of a shock [stroke] sustained the previous night. She had been in failing health for some time past. Mrs. Elliott was a daughter of David and Julia Baker Bemis, and was born in Pittsfield June 10, 1853. In early life she was united in marriage with Robert Elliott, who died about eighteen years ago. The family moved here from Morris and worked the Taylor farm for a time, then purchased the farm which has since been her home. She was a good, honest and industrious woman. She was a member of the Universalist Church, but had been unable to attend its services for a long time. Two sons and one daughter survive her, David of Palm Beach, and Scott and Blanche at home. Also three grandchildren, Mildred, Harold and Robert of Oneonta, and one brother, Eugene Bemis of New Berlin. Tuesday morning there was a prayer service at the home, and the funeral was held at the home of a cousin, Mrs. Wm. Wicks of Morris, with interment in the cemetery there, Rev. F. G. Leonard officiating.

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