[Fell, Emma Ransom]

EMMA R. FELL

Mrs. Emma R. Fell, widow of the late George S. Fell, died at her home on Main street last week Thursday evening after a long period of poor health.

Mrs. Fell was a woman of very pleasing personality and her bright, sunny, hopeful disposition won her many and warm friends. She was ever ready to do everything in her power for her family and friends. She had an iron constitution and a cheerfulness that, it seemed, kept her alive long after a person less tenacious of life and its joys would have given up.

She was a good mother, a kind neighbor and an excellent citizen.

She was an earnest member of and faithful worker in the Universalist Church and Mr. Fisher, in his remarks at her funeral paid eloquent tribute to her zeal and devotion to her church.

Mrs. Fell was a daughter of the late Ira Ransom of this village and had lived in Potsdam her entire life. She was married to Mr. Fell 39 years ago. Three children were born to them, of whom two are now living, Glenn C. and Percy R. Fell, both of this place. Mrs. Fell is also survived by a sister, Mrs. George Drake, who lives at Enid, Okla.

Funeral services were held from her late home Monday afternoon at 1:30, Rev. D. L. Fisher officiating with interment at Bayside.

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