

[Fillmore, Oscar C.]

Sudden Death in Cowlesville

On Monday morning at 12 m., Oscar C. Fillmore, a life long resident of Cowlesville, passed away. He was stricken with apoplexy at 2 a.m. on Friday morning from which he was not able to survive. Born in Varysburg, in 1844, he was in the 66[th] year of his age. When but a child, he with his parents moved to Cowlesville, where he lived continuously, except during the time of the rebellion of 1861-5, when he joined the 185[th] regiment of New York Volunteers. After the war, he returned to his home village, where he was united in marriage to Miss Hattie Mower of Buffalo, who with two sons and two daughters, survives him. His sons, Frank Fillmore of Loraine, Ohio, and George of Buffalo, and his daughters, Mrs. Robert Back and Hattie were all at the bedside of [the] deceased.

Mr. Fillmore was a G.A.R. veteran of Chapen Post of Buffalo. Pension Agent Charles Orr, with the few remaining comrades of Mr. Fillmore's company are to be present at the funeral.

Mr. Fillmore was also a charter member of the I.O.O.F. Lodge, No. 825, of Cowlesville. The funeral will be held at his late residence, Thursday, at one o'clock, and at the Universalist church at 2 o'clock, with interment in the Cowlesville cemetery.

The obsequies will be under the management of the I.O.O.F., the G.A.R. veterans marching in line to their comrade's grave. Rev. Griffin of Bliss will officiate.

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