

[Fish, Angeline Tucker]

MRS. JEROME FISH

The death of Mrs. Jerome Fish occurred at her home, No. 16 Lake street, Thursday afternoon of last week, bringing to a close a long and useful life and causing deep sorrow to a wide circle of friends. While she had been in failing health for some time she had been able to continue her usual household duties up to the day before her passing.

Angeline Tucker Fish was the daughter of Lucius and Armenia (Wells) Tucker and was born on Christian Hill in the town of Hartwick October 28, 1843, and here her girlhood was passed. Possessed of a great musical talent and a magnificent voice she early devoted herself to a musical career studying under a well known Italian master in New York City for some time. She and her twin sister, Emeline Tucker, frequently appeared in public recitals as the Tucker Sisters and their concerts were always greeted with crowded houses.

Mrs. Fish was from girlhood a faithful and active member of the Universalist church of this village and was for fifty years the director of its choir. She was a leader in local social and civic circles and the impress of her character will never disappear from village life.

In the year 1871 she was united in marriage with Jerome Fish, a member of one of the outstanding families of this community. His death occurred in 1907. The surviving members of her immediate family are a brother, Paul Tucker, who lived with her; two daughters and a son, Mrs. Arthur H. Martin of New York City and Mrs. Owen G. Clark and Horace T. Fish of Cooperstown; three grandchildren, Ann L. and Alice Jean Martin of New York City and Owen Gregory Clark, Jr., of Cooperstown.

The funeral was held from her late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. George C. Boorn, her pastor, officiating, and burial was made in Lakewood cemetery. The large attendance and the profusion of the floral offerings attested the high esteem in which the departed was held.

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