

[Gates, Lany Ehle]

MRS. LANY EHLE GATES

Mrs. Lany Ehle Gates, wife of Daniel Gates, died April 22, 1898, at her home in Chittenango, in her 82nd year. Mrs. Gates was a daughter of Henry Ehle and Anna Bellinger Ehle. She was born January 1, 1817, and has always lived in the town of Sullivan. She was married to Daniel Gates, December 29, 1836, and was the mother of three children, Oliver J., who died Jan, 26, 1865, Francis H. and Mrs. Helen M. Gridley. [On] March 16th, she fell and fractured her thigh, from the shock of which she was unable to rally. She was a patient sufferer, resigned to go at any time it was God's will. Mrs. Gates was a kind and unassuming woman and by her genial disposition gained many close friends. She was closely attached to her home and family and her death after over a half century of married life will be a great blow to her husband, who is now 87 years of age.

The funeral services were held at her late home Sunday the 24th, the Rev. F. [Frederick] W. Betts of the First Universalist Church of Syracuse, officiating. It was one of the pleasures of her later years, to speak of her six grandsons, who acted as bearers. The services were private, only the immediate family being present.

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