

[Goodridge, Sarah Ann Tuthill]

Deaths.

In Moravia, Cayuga co., N.Y., March 29th, of Erysipelas, Mrs. SARAH ANN, wife of Barna C. Goodridge, and daughter of Hector C. Tuthill, Esq., in the 27th year of her age. The deceased was a young woman of amiable disposition, a kind neighbor, an affectionate daughter and a loving and devoted wife. Her illness was short, but her disease very painful in its nature, yet she endured her sufferings with marked resignation, and yielded up her spirit with a child-like confidence in the universal Father. Her funeral was attended on the 31st, at the Methodist church in Moravia village, where the consolations of the Gospel were administered in a very feeling manner, by the Rev. D. K. [Day Kellogg] Lee of Auburn, [Universalist], to a large concourse of relatives and sympathizing friends. She leaves an aged father and mother, a lonely husband, a kind brother, and a large circle of acquaintances to mourn her loss. May they all find sweet consolation in the religion of Jesus. May the parents be supported in this time of sorrow by an unfaltering faith in the goodness of God; may the husband, who is now left so lonely, look forward with the eye of a serene faith, to that meeting beyond the grave, where parting shall be no more, and may he trust in the unchangeable love of God even now, when the world seems all dark, and clouds are round about him; and may the brother and all the relatives and friends have their minds filled with a perfect assurance that "if our earthly house of this tabernacle be dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

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