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MRS. LILLIAN GREGG GRIDLEY

The death of Mrs. Oliver G. Gridley occurred at her home and farm on the Fayetteville-Mycanae Road, near Fayetteville, on April 29. She had been ill for several years. She was a native of Manlius and reared in a pioneer family. She graduated from the Fayetteville Academy and taught in the public school for several years. Her husband was a very successful farmer and she was a co-worker in every respect. They were members of the Universalist Church in Kirkville and when it ceased to function they became members of the Universalist Church in Syracuse. Both were prominent in all its activities and their names are memorized [sic] in the mural of the sanctuary and the baptismal font. Mrs. Gridley was also a member of the Eastern Star. Mr. Gridley's death occurred several years ago.

She is survived by three daughters: Mrs. Seward H. Bucklin of We Witt, Mrs. Russell Laragh of Syracuse and Mrs. Donald Spaulding of Moravia; two sons, O. Gates Gridley and Daniel W. Gridley of Fayetteville. Gregg Gridley's death occurred two years ago. She is also survived by four sisters: Mrs. A. G. Downer, [and] Misses Helen, Agnes and Sarah Gregg of Fayetteville and fourteen grandchildren.

The memorial service was conducted in her home on May 3 by Dr. Ellsworth C. Reamon and the service was largely attended.

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