

[Hamilton, Frances Isabel Burch]

MRS. EDWARD HAMILTON

Mrs. Edward Hamilton, a former resident for many years, passed away at her home with her daughter, Ida L. Hamilton, 97th street, Cleveland, Ohio, Friday, Feb. 22, aged 76 years. The body, accompanied by the family, reached Perry Sunday noon and the funeral was held in the Universalist church Monday afternoon at two o'clock, the pastor, Rev. L. [Louis] R. Lowry officiating and interment was beside the husband and son in Hope cemetery.

Frances Isabel Burch was born in Penfield, N.Y., January 5, 1859. In her girlhood the family moved to Castile where she was united in marriage to Edward Hamilton, May 24, 1874. Most of the over 50 years together was passed in Castile and Perry and here Mr. Hamilton passed away seven years ago last October. For a long time previously, Mrs. Hamilton had been a partial invalid, suffering from high blood pressure complications, the husband being happy in giving devoted care to her. After his death she made her home with her daughter Harriette, Mrs. H.A. Slaight and family and the remaining time had been passed with the daughter Ida, where the most tender care has been given, both the daughters being with her for several months.

Mrs. Hamilton was a cheery woman, a queen in her home where she loved to be, welcoming all who came there and devoted to the family and their friends. For a number of years Mrs. Hamilton was a member of the Universalist church here. Mr. Slaight and daughter, Jane B., of Rye, N.Y., and son Hamilton Slaight of Larchmont, N.J., motored here, joining Mrs. Slaight and Miss Hamilton at the home of Mrs. Hope Dildine on Sunday night where they were guests until after the funeral. Mrs. Slaight returned to Cleveland with her sister for a few weeks stay.

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