

[Hosmer, Susan W. Couzens]

MRS. JOHN HOSMER

Mrs. Susan W. Hosmer, wife of John S. Hosmer, died at her home on Hamilton street, Friday, November 7. She had been in poor health for the past two years. She underwent two operations in New York last winter and these prolonged her life for a year at least.

Mrs. Hosmer was born in New York City January 22, 1872, the daughter of William and Margaret W. Couzens. Her early life was spent in New York and Yonkers. She graduated from the Oswego Normal School and taught in Yonkers and Fishkill. Her home was in Yonkers until her marriage to Mr. Hosmer July 8, 1897.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosmer resided in Albany for eight years, coming to Potsdam in 1906 and have resided here since. Mrs. Hosmer was a member of the local Universalist Church and the Eastern Star. She is survived by her husband; two daughters, Miss Helen M. Hosmer and Miss S. Winifred Hosmer, both of Potsdam; one brother, William Couzens, of Los Angeles, Calif., and four sisters, Miss Helen Couzens, Miss Margaret Couzens, and Mrs. George Martin of Yonkers, and Mrs. J. W. Trojahn of Astoria, Long Island.

Funeral services were held at the home on Sunday afternoon at 1:30, Rev. Dr. J. M. Atwood of Canton and Rev. O. F. Alvord of this place, officiating. The body was taken to Yonkers for interment in Mount Hope Cemetery.

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