

[Howard, Adelaide]

MISS HOWARD PASSES AWAY AT KEEP HOME
Well Known Resident of Home Dies After an Extended Illness

Miss Adelaide Howard, aged 80 years, died at the Keep Home early this morning after a long illness. Miss Howard had been a resident of the Home since June 26, 1908, and was known and loved by a wide circle of friends.

She was born on May 5, 1845 at Sanford Corners, the daughter of Jacob and Olive Howard. When she was very young her parents moved to Felts Mills where her father conducted a dry goods store. Later in life the family moved to Canton where her father opened a dry goods store. She lived in Canton until the death of her father [in 1878], when she and her mother moved to Watertown. Miss Howard then studied art and gave lessons in painting. After the death of her mother [in 1904] she went to Chicago to live with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Wheelock. On her return to Watertown she entered the Keep Home where she has since lived.

Miss Howard was a member of the All Soul's church and was a devout church worker.

She is survived by one nephew, W. W. Wheelock of Chicago.

The funeral will be held from the Keep Home on Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Rev. Harry Westbrook Reed, pastor of the All Soul's Universalist church officiating. The remains will be taken to Felts Mills where interment will take place.

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