

[Inglis, Carrie A. Cartwright]

Mrs. Carrie A. Inglis Dies From Burns

Mrs. Carrie A. Inglis, 75, passed away Thursday afternoon at the Canandaigua hospital. Death came as the result of burns received three weeks previous at her home in Bristol, when a heater she was lighting blazed and ignited her clothing. She sustained third degree burns on a large portion of her body and suffered greatly before death came to her relief. Mrs. Inglis was the mother of Rexford F. Inglis of High street and was well and favorably known in Shortsville, having frequently visited at her son's home.

Mrs. Inglis, in her long life, had witnessed the development of the Bristol country, and had a wealth of interesting stories told her by her grandparents, who were among the original early settlers of Bristol. These grandparents, David and Polly Wheaton, came from Bristol county, Massachusetts, about 1819, traveling by ox-cart and settled at Ganyard Hill, Bristol, Ontario county. On their journey here they passed through the site of what is now the City of Rochester, where David Wheaton had an opportunity to purchase land at seven cents an acre, which he refused because of the swampy character of the ground and a current epidemic of typhoid fever. That same land is now covered by Rochester's business section.

In addition to her son, Rexford, Mrs. Inglis is survived by one daughter, Mrs. George Hallock of Bristol; one brother, Benton E. Cartwright of East Bloomfield; one sister, Mrs. Ella Case of Bristol, and three grandchildren, Burton, Richard and Phillip Inglis of Shortsville.

Funeral services were held at the Bristol Universalist Church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. [Harry M.] Wright. Burial was made at the Evergreen cemetery, also at Bristol.

Attending the services from Shortsville were members of Citizens Hose Company, of which Mr. [Frederick] Inglis is [was] fire chief; Mr. and Mrs. Wells G. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Hulbert and Mr. and Mrs. Gooding H. Bliss.

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