

[Jerome, Laura Barnes]

DEATH OF MRS. JEROME

The death of Laura Barnes, wife of Davis Jerome of Conesus, occurred at her home on Friday last at 10 a.m. of Bright's disease. Mrs. Jerome had been in poor health for the past two or three years, and was confined to the bed for seven weeks previous to her death. She was the youngest daughter of Herman and Cornelia Page Barnes, and was born at Spafford, Onondaga county, something over seventy years ago. She was the last of a family of four children, one son and three daughters. When but a young girl she came with her parents to Conesus, where she had since lived. She was united in marriage to Davis Jerome on June 8, 1874. She became a member of the Universalist church about twenty-five or thirty years ago, and, with her husband, sang in the choir of the church for many years. Mrs. Jerome leaves, besides her husband Davis Jerome, two nieces, Mary Barnes, who has lived with Mr. and Mrs. Jerome since babyhood and who has been untiring in her devotion to her foster mother; and Mrs. George McArthur of Mt. Morris, who was with her at the last. To them goes out the sympathy of a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, by whom Mrs. Jerome was held in high esteem. The funeral was held on Monday of this week from her late home at 3 p.m., the Rev. Mr. Bucher of Hemlock officiating. The interment was in the family lot in the Arnold cemetery at Conesus.

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