

[Jewett, Sally]

DEATHS.

In Utica, on the 12th ult., SALLY, widow of Samuel Jewett, who died in this city thirty years ago. The deceased was in her 92d year, and was long and widely known, especially to the early settlers of Oneida co., as a woman of stern integrity, uncompromising virtue, exemplary industry, and indeed, of all those home virtues that distinguish the characters of the early emigrants from New England. Mr. and Mrs. Jewett were natives of Jaffrey, N.H., and emigrated to this county in 1792 (69 years ago) and here they resided until their death, raising a somewhat numerous family of children, who are now among our most respected and worthy citizens. They were both firm believers in the doctrine of impartial grace [Universalism], and found it not only comforting and joy-inspiring in life, but all-sustaining in death, assuring them as it did, of ultimate beatitude, not only for themselves but for the entire race of man. They staggered not through unbelief, but laid hold of the exceeding great and precious promises of God, and these, both in life and death, gave them "joy unspeakable and full of glory." May the same triumphant faith and joyful hope cheer and comfort all their surviving friends and relatives they have left behind them.

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