

[Ketchum, Nancy Blainey]

Last Friday afternoon occurred the death of Mrs. Nancy Ketchum, at her late home on Boughton Hill. She had been suffering with an attack of pneumonia for several days, but the indirect cause of her death was a severe fall which she had the misfortune to take on the icy ground, some months ago. Mrs. Ketchum had been a resident of this town for fifty-five years and was widely esteemed woman. Nancy Blainey Ketchum was born in Ohio in 1825. After her marriage to Nelson Ketchum, she came to this town in 1845, where she has since resided. She was an active member of St. Paul's Universalist church, always taking a great interest in its work. Mrs. Ketchum is survived by two sons, George and Charles Ketchum, and two daughters, Mrs. Amelia Lobdell and Miss Delia Ketchum, all of Victor. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from her late home. In the absence of a Universalist pastor, Rev. F. M. Cole conducted the services. The many sad faces showed that the death of Mrs. Ketchum will be regretted by a large circle of friends.

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