

[Lindsay, William]

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William Lindsay

The death of William Lindsay, at his home in this village, April 16th, 1904, removed a good citizen and a life-long resident. The deceased was a son of the late Peter Lindsay, also a resident of this place many years, and the family belonged to the list of esteemed citizens of years past. Mr. Lindsay was a man of genial nature, kind and benevolent, generous to a fault. His merriment and witticisms made him a favorite at many public gatherings. He was one of a number of young men who entered the services of their country in 1861 from this place. He was a member of the 43d Regiment New York State Volunteers. Although his health has not been very good for some time, very few thought he would be taken from us so soon. But the grippe overcame his enfeebled constitution. Although at one time he seemed on the road to recovery,, a relapse followed, and then a second, and he failed rapidly thereafter until at the close of day on April 16th he passed away. There are left to mourn his death a widow, Mrs. Louise Stickles Lindsay, and an adopted son; three brothers, Charles of Dolgeville, George of Clayville, David G. of this village; and a sister residing near Utica, Mrs. E. Davis, besides nieces and nephews. Condolence and sympathy are extended to the bereaved. The funeral was held at his late home Monday, April 18th. The deceased reached his sixty-seventh birthday April 1st. The Rev. E. [Edward] A. Perry [Universalist] of Cooperstown conducted the funeral obsequies, followed by interment in the Flycreek cemetery.

*Otsego Farmer*, Cooperstown NY, Fri. 29 Apr 1904

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