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Henry C. Low, Merchant, Is Dead at 74
Was President of Store and Bank Official in Central Square

Special Dispatch

Central Square, April 29.—Henry C. Low, 74, president of Low's Cash Store and vice president and director of the First National Bank, died early last night at his home after an illness of several months.

Long a leader in business and civic circles, Mr. Low founded a department store with his father, the late Avery T. Low, in 1896. In 1911 the firm was incorporated and Mr. Henry Low was elected president.

Native of Pleasant Brook, Mr. Low came to Central Square with his parents at an early age and attended the Central Square Academy. On completion of his studies he became a teacher and taught for several terms in schools in this vicinity.

Later he became employed with the Bort-Daily Dry Goods Company at Beloit, Wis., and five years later returned to Central Square and served as field representative for the Manhattan Life Insurance Company. He remained in this field until 1896 when he started his own department store.

Mr. Low was a member of First Universalist Church, Central Square; Chapter 622, F. & A.M.; Central Square Chapter 315, R.A.M.; Central City Consistory, Associated Masonic Bodies of Syracuse, and he was also a 32nd degree Mason.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Minnie Hamilton Low, and a sister, Mrs. Armonelle Wilcox.

The funeral will be private at the home at 2 P.M. Thursday with the Rev. William J. Metz, pastor of First Universalist Church, and the Rev. Julia M. Tobey of the Perry Universalist Church, officiating. The body will be taken to Mount Hope Cemetery at Rochester on Friday by George J. Traub, funeral director, for interment. Friends may call at the home Tuesday night and Wednesday afternoon and night.

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After an illness of several months, Henry C. Low of Central Square, in his seventy-fourth year, died in his home on April 28. For many years, he was president of the Low Cash Store and vice-president of the First National Bank in Central Square. Previous to his business experience he was a teacher in the village. He was a member of the Universalist church and a thirty-second degree Mason. He is survived by his wife and a sister, Mrs. Armonelle Wilcox. The funeral service was held at his late home with the Revs. William J. Metz and Julia M. Tobey officiating.

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