

[Matteson, William]

BRIDGEWATER.

Death of William Matteson, an Old and Esteemed Resident

Bridgewater, May 7.—The death of William Matteson, one of the old and highly esteemed residents of this village, occurred yesterday at his home after an illness of nearly a year. He was born in the town of Russia, Herkimer county, in 1841 and his boyhood was spent there. In 1870 he came to reside here and for more than 20 years was employed by the Wescott Produce Company of New York. He later became engaged in carpenter contracting. In 1863 he was married to Miss Julia A. Weizen [Wiser], who survives him with one daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Gilbert of Herkimer; one brother, Joseph Matteson of New York; one sister, Mrs. C. A. Snyder of Herkimer, and four grandchildren, Earl, Hazel, Mary and Dorothy Matteson. He was a member of the Universalist Church.

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