

[Newkirk, Mary Bishop]

Mrs. Levi Newkirk

Mrs. Levi [Mary] Newkirk died at her home in Flycreek, Thursday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, June 20th, 1918. The immediate cause of her death was due to heart failure following an acute attack of indigestion. The funeral was held at her late home Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m., the Rev. Charles Kramer, pastor of the Universalist church of Cooperstown, officiating, with interment at the Flycreek Valley cemetery, George A. Bailey, funeral director.

The deceased was born at Hartwick, October 28th, 1843, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Asael Bishop, there being one sister Alzada and three brothers, Delos, Menzo and Amaza. Mrs. Newkirk is survived by the husband, brother Delos and seven daughters, viz; Mrs. George [Cora] Ballard of Cooperstown, Mrs. Stephen Hill of Gloversville, Mrs. Albert [Addie] LaBelle of Utica, Mrs. Delbert [Ida] Griffin of Yorkville, Mrs. Leon Black of Cooperstown, Mrs. Glenn Smith of Watervliet, and three sons, viz; Frank of Gloversville, William of Burlington and Claude of Richfield Springs.

Mrs. Newkirk was a resident of Flycreek twenty-seven years, of a bright sunny disposition, and held the respect and good will of all. She was a good wife and an ideal mother of eight[??] children. To those and the bereaved husband, neighbors and friends extend their sympathy.

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