[Olcott, Ruth Jones]

Sherrill Mrs. Olcott, 45, Teacher, Dies

SHERRILL—Word has been received of the death of Mr. Ruth Jones Olcott, wife of Dr. William Olcott, Cortland, April 1. Mrs. Olcott was a former resident of Sherrill.

She was a native of Whitestown, and was born Aug. 28, 1918, daughter of Hugh S. and Ellen Jones. A resident of Cortland for the past 22 years, she was a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church and an instructor at the Cortland High School. She was a graduate of Syracuse University and received her master's degree at the State University College at Cortland.

Surviving besides her husband are two daughters, Lynn and Ruth Ann, at home; her mother in Utica; a brother, Hugh Jones Jr., Geneva, Switzerland; two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Williamson, Brewerton, and Mrs. Hartley Brown, Phoenix, Ariz.; also several nieces and nephews.

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