## [Pendergast, Abbie French]

## MRS. ABBIE F. PENDERGAST Passed Away at Old Family Home on French Road

After a lingering illness, Mrs. Abbie French, widow of Michael Pendergast, died at the family home on the French road in the Seventeenth Ward yesterday.

Mrs. Pendergast was born in 1843 in New Hartford In the homestead which has been in possession of the French family over 125 years. She was a daughter of John and Abigail Gilmore French and was the last of a family of eight children. Mrs. Pendergast attended the district schools and was later a student at Whitestown Seminary. Shortly after completing her studies there she was married to Mr. Pendergast. He died several years ago. Practically all of her life had been spent in New Hartford, although for a year she lived in Norwich. She was a member of the Universalist Church. Several nieces and nephews survive.

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