

[Plumb, Lewis B.

Death of Lewis B. Plumb

Lewis B. Plumb, one of the old and respected citizens of this village, passed away last Monday morning, March 3d, at about three o'clock. He was born in Farmer village, near Ithaca, N.Y., Oct. 28, 1815, and has lived almost his entire lifetime in this village. He has always been an attendant at the Universalist church and last July he was baptized and became a member, and no church ever had a better helper, for he did everything that lay in his power to make the church what it ought to be. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Phoebe Ann Plumb, and one son, Frank E. Plumb, who is well known and highly respected. The funeral services and burial took place on Wednesday at the home of the deceased at 1:30, where a short selection of scripture was read and a brief prayer offered. At 2:00 o'clock, the relatives and friends assembled at the Universalist church where the funeral services were conducted by the pastor Rev. U. [Uri] Mitchell, the well known Acme Quartette assisting very much with their fine voices. The burial took place in the village cemetery. Mr. Plumb was 74 years old. He had been failing for a number of years; the disease was heart trouble. Although he had suffered more or less for a long time, and at times he had suffered a great deal, yet he was very patient under it all and was perfectly ready to go. He will be missed in his home, at his church, by his friends, but what is our loss is his gain and he leaves a memory behind that will always be cherished.

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