[Richardson, Luman H.]

DEATH OF L. H. RICHARDSON Prominent Winthrop Man Passes Away Stricken While On Visit to Relatives in Central Square

This community was shocked last Tuesday evening when the news arrived here that Luman Richardson, one of Winthrop's prominent and highly esteemed citizens, had passed to the higher life. In seemingly his usual health he left home last Tuesday on the morning train for Syracuse and vicinity, purposing to visit relatives and to attend the State Fair. Soon after leaving the cars at Central Square while walking toward the home of Mr. George Hill, where he was expecting to visit, he was suddenly stricken and unconscious to the pavement without speaking fell or regaining consciousness. Death was instantaneous. The remains were brought here Wednesday afternoon accompanied by his son Carl Richardson of this place, and George Hill of Central Square. The funeral was largely attended from his late home Thursday afternoon, Rev. John Price of the Universalist church speaking words of comfort to the sorrowing friends. Burial was in the family lot at Haleville near Lawrenceville. Kind and thoughtful friends had lined the grave with evergreen and beautiful flowers, some of which had been wrought into significant designs, bore silent testimony of the love and esteem given their departed neighbor and friend. Luman H. Richardson, son of Andrew and Amelia Richardson, was born in the town of Lawrence 65 years ago. In 1867 he married Miss Carrie N. Hill of Lawrence and for many years they lived on the farm where they began together the old life happy and contented. About 14 years ago they moved to Winthrop where they have since resided. Mr. Richardson is survived by his wife, one son Carl Richardson of this place, one sister Mrs. Sarah Morrison of Lawrenceville, and two grand-daughters Carol and Katherine, both of whom he was very fond. As an honest, upright man with square dealing for his aim in life, he was widely known, a fine type of citizen, respected by those who knew him, and his passing leaves a vacancy which will be hard to fill.

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