

[Rockwell, Purcell M.]

Dolgeville
Purcell Rockwell, 72, dies at Home

Purcell M. Rockwell, 72, died at his home, 14 Slauson Street, about 5 Wednesday afternoon.

He was born in Gloversville Aug. 31, 1892, the son of Melville and Susan Rockwell.

On July 7, 1924 he married Mae Youker in the Universalist parsonage.

Mr. Rockwell was a veteran of World War I, having served in France. He was a shoe worker all his life, being employed in various shoe companies in New York and Connecticut, including the Little Falls Felt Shoe Company and the Eastern Footwear Corporation, Dolgeville.

At the time of his retirement in 1957 he was employed at Dalsan, Inc. in Dolgeville.

He was a member of the Herman Schumacher American Legion Post of Dolgeville and a life member of the Odd Fellows. He attended the Universalist Church.

Surviving are his wife; one brother, Thomas E. Rockwell, Dolgeville; nieces and nephews.

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