

[Rodgers, Lydia]

OBITUARY.

Died.—At Newport, Herkimer Co. on the 13th inst., Mrs. Lydia, consort of John Rodgers, aged 34. She had long ben wasting under that pallid and unrelenting disease, the consumption, which she bore with Christian fortitude and patience; and during the whole of her sickness, continued steadfast in that "faith which was once delivered to the saints," which embraces a world's salvation, through the mediation of Christ Jesus, our Lord. Though the daughter of a Baptist clergyman, and educated in all the peculiar dogmas of that sect, yet her mind had long been perfectly freed from their influence; and one of her last, and most particular requests, was the her funeral sermon might be preached by a Universalist minister; and if one could not be obtained, to be buried without any funeral services. Her request was complied with, and the Editor of this paper [Rev. Dolphus Skinner] delivered a Discourse on the occasion, from 2d Sam. xiv:14.

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