

[Sax¹, John]

ELLISBURG.

—John Saxe, born at Greenfield, Saratoga county, N. Y., June 8th, 1838, died at Ellisburg Feb. 27, 1897. Married Feb. 13, 1844, to S. Sophia Persons, who died March 7th, 1873. Married March 18th, 1876, to Asenath A. Howard, who survives him. A sister, Polly Saxe, died a few years ago. Four brothers—Rev. J. B. Saxe, of Kansas, Constantine Saxe, of Minnesota, Rev. Asa Saxe, D.D., pastor of Universalist church, Albany, and Elias W. Saxe, of Florida; and two sons, W. E. Saxe, of Watertown, and J. B. Saxe of Chaumont, who survive him. Mr. Saxe was a man of strong mind, well informed and of very positive ideas. Fearless and outspoken on all subjects, he was a leader in opinions and acted from a high sense of right and duty. A kind, generous neighbor, a true friend to the deserving, an enemy of wrong, humbugs and shams. He will be sadly missed and long remembered.

—We desire to express our thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our dear husband and brother.

MRS. ANNE WOOD.
MRS. MARY C. REESE.

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¹ “Sax” is the correct spelling.