## [Sisson, Nelson Adolphus]

## **NELSON ADOLPHUS SISSON**

Mr. Adolphus Sisson died Tuesday, April 15, at his home at Nile, N.Y., after an illness of only a few days, although his health had not been good all winter.

Nelson Adolphus Sisson was born in Friendship June 3, 1853, son of Gideon and Mary Coates Sisson. He had always lived in the vicinity of Cuba and Friendship, except for a few years he spent in Michigan with his brother, the Rev. Wellington Sisson [a Universalist clergyman]. The late Burton G. Sisson of Cuba was also a brother.

The funeral took place at his late home Friday afternoon April 18th, conducted by the Rev. Otis F. Alvord, pastor of the Universalist Church of Friendship.

Mr. Sisson was married August 29, 1879, to Hyla A. Harvey of Black Creek, who with one son, Clifford, survives him. Another son was born of this union, Wellington Rex Sisson, who died June 3, 1904.

The bearers were neighbors, Mr. James Moore, Mr. Frank Torrey, Mr. Frank Vaughn, and three nephews, Mr. Thomas Griffin of Hornell, Mr. William Baker of Portville and Mr. Lawson Paul of Cuba.

Among those from a distance at the funeral were Mr. Elmery Harvey and Mr. Miles Harvey of Hornell.

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