

[Skinner, Mary Woodward]

DEATHS.

In Brownville, Jeff. co., Oct. 1st, Mrs. MARY SKINNER, consort of Hon. Alanson Skinner, and daughter of Josiah and Betsey Woodward, of Swanzey, Cheshire county, N.H., in the 57th year of her age. She was endowed with all those qualifications which render life a blessing, and possessed all those virtues which confer the greatest happiness upon the domestic circle. She lived thirty-two years with her respected companion in the connubial state, in prosperity and peace. She habitually practiced the christian virtues, and was cheered and sustained in sickness and the prospect of death, by the hope and faith of the gospel of everlasting life. She endured a protracted illness with exemplary patience and resignation, and left a good name. A bereaved companion, four children¹ (among whom is the consort of Rev. L. [Luther] Rice), and many sincere friends, will long cherish a remembrance of her amiable and excellent character, and deeply feel their own loss. May the God of all grace comfort those who mourn. Her funeral was numerously attended on the 3d inst., and the divine consolations of the Gospel of the impartial grace of God, administered by

P. M. [Pitt Morse]

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¹ Horace, Mary, James and William