

[Slater, Orville L.]

Orville L. Slater

Orville L. Slater, a well known retired farmer, died at his home in Elba village at 10 o'clock this morning of heart disease, having been in ill health for some time. Mr. Slater was out in the yard doing some small tasks when he dropped dead.

Mr. Slater was born on August 31, 1858, at Elba. He married Miss Emma Steele in 1882. He was a charter member of Elba grange and interested in all grange activities.

Besides his wife, Mr. Slater leaves a son, Howard L. Slater of this village; a daughter, Mrs. H. C. DeLano of Barre Center, and three grandchildren, Vera L. Slater of Rochester and Laurel Ann and Beth DeLano, both of Barre.

Funeral services will be held at Mr. Slater's late home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Elba cemetery.

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Services for Orville L. Slater

Elba, Nov. 6.—Funeral services for Orville L. Slater were held at his late home in Elba village Thursday afternoon, the Rev. L. [Lewis] H. Robinson of the [Pullman Memorial] Universalist church of Albion officiating. There were many beautiful floral offerings including those from Elba grange and a community piece. The bearers were John O'Brien, John Howland, Joseph Bridge, Seward Post, Elwyn Williams, all of Elba, and Frank Crowley of Batavia.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were Vera L. Slater and Byron G. Culver of Rochester, Gordon Steel of Buffalo, Fred Daniels of Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Culver and Miss Alta Culver of Barre Center, and many from Albion and Oakfield.

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