

[Smalley, Charles]

Died.

At his home, near Nile departed this life Sept. 21st, Mr. Charles W. Smalley, aged fifty-six years. He was the youngest son and the next youngest child of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sears Smalley, who were among the earliest settlers of our town. In this family there were eight children, four sons and four daughters, and of this number only three remain, Abner, Andrew and Mrs. Wm. Hicks. They have always stood high in our community as men and women of character, of probity and thrift. In August, 1870, Charles was united in marriage to Miss Emma Sisson. Two children have been born to them, a daughter and a son. The former has been a respected teacher in our high school. The deceased was very calm, and undisturbed in his mind during his severe illness, and contemplated the future with the fortitude of a philosopher and the trust of a christian. He had hosts of friends, everybody loved him for his social qualities, genial nature and upright life. His funeral was very largely attended at his late residence on the Sunday succeeding his death, and the same clergyman who married him twenty-four years ago, Rev. F. M. [Francis Milton] Alvord [Universalist] preached the sermon. The choir of the Universalist church rendered beautiful and appropriate music. Place of interment Maple Grove cemetery.

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