

[Smith, James E.]

James E. Smith.

The death of James E. Smith occurred at his home, 134 East Main street, July 8. Death was caused by heart trouble, from which he had been a sufferer for nearly two years. He was born in Minden, Montgomery county, in 1854. In 1885 he married Emma Potter of Rome. After his marriage he resided at Frankfort, [he] being employed in the West Shore shops. When the shops were transferred to Albany he went there, where he remained for a year and a half. He afterward moved to Mohawk and six years ago came to Iliion. Mr. Smith was employed in the Remington Typewriter Works as a carpenter. Twenty months ago he was obliged to give up his position on account of ill health. He was a member of the Universalist church of Mohawk.

He is survived by his wife and one son, Hadley E. of this village, and two brothers, William of Mohawk and George W. of Little Falls; also two sisters, Mrs. Mary Hale and Mrs. Lottie Crain of Windom, Minn. The funeral was held at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. J. S. Cutler [Universalist] of Little Falls officiating; interment was at Frankfort.

He was a devoted husband, an indulgent father, a true friend and a generous neighbor. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The bereaved family and relatives have the sincere sympathy of an extended circle of friends.

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