

[Smith, Mary]

Deaths.

In Newark, Wayne co., N.Y. on Sunday, April 9, after an illness of two weeks, Mrs. MARY SMITH, wife of Rev. M.[Moses] B. Smith, in the 66th year of her age. By this providence, our brother is left as it were alone, to finish out the remainder of his earthly destiny. A union of about 42 years is thus broken up by the ministry of mysterious death. A husband, one son, and two brothers, with a daughter-in-law and three grand-children, constitute the circle of near kindred left to mourn her departure. But these are not the only mourners. All who had become acquainted with Sister Smith, enough to understand her many virtues, are able to sympathize with the family. And the Church, of which she was a worthy member, and which has so often, within a few years, been called to yield up its members to a higher fellowship, must mourn again. Our mourning, however, is not without hope.... A sermon was delivered at our church in Newark, and the remains of our departed sister were entombed in the beautiful resting place for the dead, 'Mount Albion,' in Orleans county.

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