[Smith, Pitt E.]

PITT SMITH DIES; WAS SUPERVISOR

MIDDLEPORT—A life-long resident of this village and a former county supervisor, Pitt E. Smith, 81, formerly of 42 State St., died unexpectedly Tuesday (Sept. 1, 1964) in Medina Memorial Hospital.

He was born Oc. 12, 1882, here, the son of David H. and Florence Ewing Smith. He attended military school at Fort Plain and later Williston Academy in Easthampton, Mass.

Mr. Smith was a member of First Universalist Church and a 50-year member and past master of Cataract Lodge No. 295, F&AM. He was a retired farmer and was supervisor of the Town of Royalton from 1940 to 1944.

His wife, the former Leora Clute, died in April 1960.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Harold March, Lockport; three nephews, David March and Leighton Wheeler, both of this village, and a niece, Mrs. Alice Hill, Poughkeepsie.

Friends may call tonight from 7 to 9 and on Thursday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Wallace and Heath Funeral Home, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Rev. Alfred L. Underhill of the Methodist church officiating. Burial will be in Royalton Mountain Ridge Cemetery.

Cataract Lodge will hold a Masonic service at 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

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