

[Stickney, George Benjamin]

CORFU POSTMASTER EXPIRED LAST NIGHT  
*GEORGE STICKNEY, A VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION*

CORFU, March 18.—George Benjamin Stickney, postmaster of Corfu, died at his home at 11:30 o'clock last night from consumption. He had been in failing health several months, but was confined to his bed only a few weeks. He was a man of excellent character and enjoyed the respect of the entire community. Many friends will mourn his death.

Mr. Stickney was born in Alden, Erie county, on February 20, 1863, and consequently was 42 years old. He was married to Miss Emily A. Boyer, who survives him, on April 1, 1900. He was appointed postmaster in January, 1892. Besides his wife he is survived by a son, George DeForest; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sereno [Julia Gay] Stickney of Crittenden, and a brother, Luman Stickney of this place.

The funeral will be held from the home at 2 p.m. on Tuesday and the interment will be in Evergreen Hill cemetery.

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*FUNERAL IN CORFU*

Many Attended the Obsequies of Postmaster George B. Stickney

CORFU, March 22.—The funeral of Postmaster George B. Stickney was held from the Universalist church yesterday afternoon and was very largely attended, the Rev. A. L. Partridge officiating. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Edward Giddings, Burt Kinney, Charles Phelps, Frank Phelps, Charles Brown and Garrett Colby, Sr. acted as bearers. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall and daughter Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jimbrich, James Boyer and Orlander Boyer of Buffalo were among those who attended the funeral.

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