

[Tyler, Isaac M.]

Overtaken by Death

Isaac M. Tyler of Watervliet was walking along Congress street about 7:40 o'clock last evening when he suddenly fell to the pavement in front of Edward J. Murphy's plumbing shop, west of Third street, and died within ten minutes from an affection of the heart. Mr. Tyler was seen to fall by Edward Prendergast, and he with Patrick Dwyer carried Mr. Tyler into Stoddard's drug store. Dr. Archibald Buchanan, jr., was summoned and he found a cut on the forehead. Medical aid was unavailing, and Mr. Tyler died in a few minutes.

Coroner Meredith said that death was caused by heart disease and that an inquest was unnecessary. Papers in the man's pocket gave the clew [sic] to his identity. The body was taken to the family residence in Watervliet.

Mr. Tyler was on his way to attend the evening service of the Universalist Church in this city at the time he was stricken, and during the service the pastor, Rev. H. Bernard Smith, referred in a touching manner to the death.

Isaac M. Tyler had resided at 100 Thirteenth street, Watervliet, for many years. He had been employed in Shipley & Smith's pottery shop on Thirteenth street and was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. The deceased was seventy-five years of age and is survived by two sons, Frederick and Perry Tyler. Mr. Tyler's wife died about a month ago.

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