

[Underwood, Amos]

The death of Amos Underwood, an aged and respected resident of this place, occurred at his home on Ontario street, Saturday. He had been in failing health for some time, but had not been confined to the house until recently. Mr. Underwood was the son of Amos and Mehitable White Underwood and was born at Auburn June 22, 1836. Of a family of nine children, there now survives but one, a sister of Mr. Underwood, who resides at Chicago. Mr. Underwood came to Phelps in 1860, and became agent for the New York Central and the American Express Companies. This position he held for twenty-five years, when he resigned to accept the position of cashier in the bank of J. H. Roy & Co. After fifteen years service in the banking business, Mr. Underwood retired from active business life. [On] June 7th, 1850, he was united in marriage to Miss Laura Bostwick, who survives. Mr. Underwood was a member of the Universalist church at Clifton Springs. He was possessed of an honorable Christian character and with his genial disposition, he commanded the esteem and confidence of a host of friends. His survivors, besides his widow, are three children: Miss Anna Underwood of Phelps, Mrs. Henry D. Hopkins of Titusville, Pa., and Frank Underwood of Providence, R. I. The funeral services will be held at his late residence this afternoon. They will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Yantis, pastor of the Universalist church at Auburn, assisted by Rev. G. A. Harvey of St. John's church, Phelps. Tomorrow the remains will be taken to Auburn for interment at Fort Hill cemetery. The services at the grave will be conducted by Rev. Leonard Chrystler of Auburn.

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AMOS UNDERWOOD

Death at Phelps of Former Well Known Resident of Auburn

Amos Underwood, formerly a well known resident of this city, died at his home in Phelps this morning at 1 o'clock in the 81st year of his age. He was the son of Amos Underwood of Auburn and several years ago moved to Phelps and became the agent of the American Express Company at that place and has maintained his residence there.

Two daughters, Miss Anna Underwood of Phelps and Mrs. Henry D. Hopkins of Titusville, Pa., and one son, Frank Underwood, a traveling salesman making his home at Phelps, survive. The deceased was a brother of the late George Underwood of this city, and is the last of a family of brothers and sisters with the exception of a half-sister, Mrs. [Eliza] Kimbark of Evanston, Ill.

The funeral will be held at his late home at Phelps on Monday at 3 o'clock and the remains will be brought to Auburn and further services held at the Bradley Memorial chapel on Tuesday at 3 o'clock. Interment will be made at Fort Hill.

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Funeral of Amos Underwood

The funeral of Amos Underwood who died at Phelps, N. Y. Saturday January 26, was held at Bradley Memorial Chapel this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. L. J. Christler officiating. The bearers were Amos H. and John Underwood, nephews, [and] Charles B. Covert, Frederick M., F. Howard and James J. Hosmer, grand nephews of the deceased.

Mr. Underwood was born in Auburn, June 1826. In 1848 he married Miss Laura M. Bostwick who died about two years ago. In the early sixties he removed to Phelps where he has since resided.

He was the fifth[??] child of Amos and Mehitable White Underwood who settled in Auburn about 1819. He is survived by two daughters, Miss Anna M. [Underwood] and Mrs. Henry D. Hopkins of Titusville, Pa.; one son, Frank A.; and a half-sister, Mrs. D. [Daniel] A. Kimbark of Evanston, Ill.

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