

[Wagner, Harvey E.]

Harvey E. Wagner

Full of years, honored and respected by all who knew him, Harvey E. Wagner, aged nearly 83, died at his home on Mohawk street Monday from a complication of diseases inherent to advanced age. Mr. Wagner was a progressive, prosperous farmer and followed that occupation on his fine place in Seebers Lane until a number of years ago when he decided to retire from active pursuits and enjoy a well earned rest in his declining years. He accordingly moved with his family to this village and purchased and remodeled the home on Mohawk street in which he died. Blessed with a kindly, genial disposition, Mr. Wagner quickly made many friends in the village, whom he kept until the end and who, with his family mourn the departure of a good citizen and neighbor. A Republican in politics, Mr. Wagner never sought office, although he did serve efficiently for two terms as assessor. He was a son of the late Charles and Anna Eliza Brookman Wagner and was born in this town.

The survivors are his wife; four daughters, Mrs. John C. Jackson and Miss Ola Wagner of Fort Plain, Mrs. Charles C. Washburn of Amsterdam, [and] Mrs. Waldo T. Hunter of Brooklyn; one son, Dr. Charles P. Wagner of St. Johnsville; five grandchildren, Harvey Jackson of this village, Dr. John W. Jackson of Utica, Graham and Margaret Wagner of St. Johnsville and Margaret Hunter of Brooklyn; one great-grandson, Robert Harvey Jackson of Utica. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late home, Rev. Dr. Herbert F. Moulton, pastor of the Universalist church, officiating. Interment in the Fort Plain cemetery.

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