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HARRY WALRATH

St. Johnsville.—Mr. Harry Walrath died at the home of his sister, Miss Carrie Walrath, Monday afternoon.

Harry Walrath was born in Minden, June 27, 1845, the son of Jeremiah and Mary Zoller Walrath. He was educated in the Clinton Liberal Institute and was graduated from Eastman's Business College in March, 1866. He entered the employ of the railroad in 1876 and in 1879 began as conductor in the Warner car service. In 1888 he located in the house where he resided until his last illness, on New Street. He married Miss Kate Dygert, Sept. 26, 1878. Since his retirement from the railroad service, 14 years ago, Mr. Walrath has served as (assessor?) of the village, his term having expired with the Fall election.

He was a life member of the Masons and a member of Hiram Union Chapter of Canajoharie. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Barnes and Miss Carrie Walrath of this village and Seward Walrath, also of this village.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the home of Miss Walrath, the Rev. Mr. Lowery, pastor of the Universalist Church of Little Falls, officiating, followed by the Masonic burial service. Interment will be in Prospect View Cemetery.

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