

[Wart, Fannie Nelson]

Laurens
MRS. FANNIE N. WART

Mrs. Fannie N. Wart, for nearly thirty years a respected resident of Laurens, died Sunday morning in Parshall Hospital, Oneonta, where she had been a patient since Wednesday, when she was removed from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Moore, where she was taken ill about two months ago.

Mrs. Wart was born February 8, 1858, in Litchfield, daughter of Moses and Martha (Keller) Nelson. She was the last of a family of seven sons and daughters.

She was married to Allen Taylor, Otsego, September 24, 1878, who died September 22, 1895. She was later married to William E. Wart of Otsego where they resided on their farm until 1915, when they moved to Laurens, operating a store here until the death of Mr. Wart in 1926.

Mrs. Wart was for many years a member of Fly Creek Universalist church, later affiliating with Oneonta Universalist church. When unable to attend her own church, she attended services in the Methodist church at Laurens. She was for many years a member of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society and Sunday school. She also belonged to the Laurens Eastern Star Chapter.

Mrs. Wart was a woman of fine characteristics and firm convictions, loyal to her home, family and friends.

Her only surviving relatives are three nieces, Mrs. Minnie Solan, Utica, and Mrs. A. H. Coling and Mrs. Herbert L. Sweeney, Syracuse; two cousins, Ray Dodge, Saquoit [Sauquoit], and R. S. Smith, Frankfort. She was equally attached to the nieces and nephews of her late husband, Mr. Wart, and some of them resided with Mr. and Mrs. Wart for a period of years, including Mrs. Fred Chapman, Fly Creek; Walter Wart, Cooperstown; Eugene Quackenbush, Cooperstown; and Mrs. Aston Sowersby, Sidney.

Funeral service will be held Wednesday at 1:30 from Methodist church, the Rev. Gale L. Bascombe, pastor of Oneonta Universalist church, of which Mrs. Wart was a member, will officiate. The body will be placed in Laurens vault, for interment in the spring at Utica.

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