

[Webster, Jerusha J. Farnham]

Mrs. Hiram Webster Dead

Jerusha J. Farnham, wife of Hiram Webster, died at her late home in the town of Aurelius early yesterday morning, aged 88 years. Mrs. Webster was born and had resided her entire life in Aurelius being the daughter of the late William and Lydia Farnham, early settlers of Cayuga County, her mother having been born in the old Farnham homestead in Aurelius, on the Clark Street Road in the year 1800. Mrs. Webster's early life was spent in this vicinity and on January 2, 1850, she was united in marriage to Hiram Webster of the town of Throop, shortly after removing to her late home in Aurelius.

The deceased was an estimable woman, of a quiet and unassuming disposition and many fine traits of character. Her death will be sincerely mourned by many friends.

Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Elmer S. Webster of Aurelius, five grandchildren: B. G Webster of Fleming, Mrs. J. R. Davis of the town of Springport, Henry U. Webster, Mrs. J. Max Coapman and Miss Frances Webster of Aurelius; also several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at her late home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. H. [Henry] M. Cary of the First Universalist Church officiating.

Burial will be made in Fort Hill Cemetery.

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