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eep on Sunday, August 2nd, and representative company, o, her pastor, Rev. Decatur do District, Rev. J. L. Sooy, erment was in Forest Lawn

Clarence E. Allen.

C. W. Swift, of the Genesee rest at her home in Alden, New Hudson, Allegany Co., in but a child, and grew up ents, she was a true, intellival to her many friends and lovingly devoted to her blessed God and Redeemer. She was a good Bible student, and familiar with the many jewel promises therein found.

She was married to Rev. C. W. Swift in 1855; and was ever his faithful, devoted companion for over fifty years. Three children blessed this union, but only one survives, Fred W. Swift, of Alden, N. Y. She leaves one sister, the widow of the late Rev. Mr. Luce. The funeral was conducted by the writer, her former pastor, assisted by her pastor, Rev. E. D. Robinson. The burial was at Clarence, N. Y., by the side of her honored husband.

"Calm on the bosom of my God, Sweet spirit rest thee now, Even while with us thy footsteps trod, His seal was on thy brow.

Dust, to its narrow house beneath;
Soul, to its place on high:
They that have seen thy look in death
No more may fear to die.

Lone are the paths, and sad the bowers, Whence thy meek smile is gone; But Oh! a brighter home than ours In heaven is now thine own."

This translated soul often expressed her longing desire to enter through the pearly gate, and to see the King in His beauty; to join the loved ones who had gained those golden heights and to be at home forever.

The consecrated pastor's wife may hopefully look forward to stars which shall bedeck her crown, each representing some soul that has been saved by her loving solicitude.

Ira Taylor Walker.

MRS. ISAAC A. EVERITT

Mrs. Jane Amanda Willson Everitt, widow of the Rev. Isaac Everitt, was born at Oxford, Chenango Co., N. Y., March 11, 1832, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William L. Sprague, May 7, 1914, being eighty-two years of age. She was married to Isaac Everitt, with whom she enjoyed life twenty-eight years to the time of his death. They lived at Caton, Huston, Whitesville and many other places in this vicinity. Mrs. Everitt lived in Westfield until the spring of 1913, when she went to live with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kimball, of North Cohocton, N. Y. Mrs. Kimball died shortly after this, and Mrs. Everitt went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Sprague, Brooklyn, N. Y., where she remained to the time of her death. Four children were born to her, two sons and two daughters, one of whom alone survives her mother. She is also survived by two brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Rev. John W. Willson of Troupsburg, and Mr. George Willson of Leavenworth, Kan.

Mrs. Everitt was an earnest active Christian woman, always identified with Christian work and work for the church. So long as her strength permitted she was a regular attendant upon all the religious meetings, and a helper in all the social work of the local church; and in Missions, both at home and abroad. She died in triumph of faith and confidence in her Redeemer. Her remains were brought to her brothers, at Troupsburg; and Rev. D. A. Parcells of Westfield conducted the funeral services in the M. E. Church at that place. Her remains rest by the side of her husband in Troupsburg cemetery. Mrs. Everitt leaves a very large number of warm friends, who live in Westfield and other of her former residences.

D. A. Parcells.

MRS. JOHN N. BROWN

Mrs. Eliza A. Brown, widow of the Rev. John N. Brown, died at the home of her son, Charles L. Brown, in Victor, N. Y., on Friday, May 21st, 1914, after a lingering illness, which confined her to the bed for many months, but which she bore with the utmost fortitude and trust in God.

Mrs. Brown was born in Blooming Grove, N. Y., January 19th, 1825, and hence, at the time of her death, had reached the advanced age of eighty-nine years. In August, 1843, she was married to John N. Brown, who was at that time a probationer in Genesee Conference, and for more than fifty years she wrought in faith and devotion as an itinerate minister's wife. During this time her husband served twenty-one charges as pastor, two districts as presiding elder and was for three years chaplain in the army.

Throughout the entire period her service to the church was a whole hearted service. Greatly gifted in prayer and testimony, tactful in her dealings with all classes and unwavering in her faith in the power of the Gospel of Christ to save the lost, she was a help-meet indeed to her husband. The full influence of her life will never be known in this world. During revival meetings she was especially active, and many a sinner has she "prayed through," never leaving them until they came into conscious acceptance with God.

Her husband died in the year 1895, and since that time she has made her home with her granddaughter, Mrs. Charles Spaeth, of Rochester, and latterly with her son at whose home she died.

Mrs. Brown always manifested the greatest interest in missions and this interest seemed to increase, rather than diminish, when enfeebled health retired her from active life. On the approach of her eighty-eighth birthday, she expressed a desire to celebrate that event in a way that should largely help the cause which had been on her heart for so many years. Accordingly, a birthday party was held in the Methodist Church of Victor, the ladies of that church serving refreshments, and the guests, many of them from a distance, presented varying sums of money; the total of which amounted to more than one hundred and sixty dollars.

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