

Eagle Quill

Obit. - Hinkley, Albert M.
4-3-1844 to 1- 1915

Eagle Quill **DEATHS** *Jan. 1915*

On Christmas morning Albert M. Hinkley died at the family home, after a long illness. He passed away peacefully, surrounded by his family with whom he made all arrangements, giving them advice and information for their future guidance and welfare. He was the second son of Oramel and Phoebe Earle Hinkley, early settlers, who made their home on the farm now owned by Henry H. Earle. Albert Hinkley was born in Eagle April 3, 1844. His early life was spent at home on the farm and in the district school, known as Palestine school. On Feb. 9, 1865, he enlisted in Co "E." 46th Reg. Wis. Infantry and served until the close of the war. April 13, 1872, he was married to Miss Anna M. West, daughter of the late William West, who was county surveyor for many years. Mr. Hinkley purchased the farm which he made his home and there the family lived happily and through his upright and Christian life are held in high esteem. Mr. Hinkley was a member of the Masonic fraternity at Eagle, and also of the Waukesha County Veterans' association and the Territorial Badgers. For many years he was a faithful worker in the Methodist church at North Prairie until the time of his death on the Savior's birthday, when he was called from the church militant to the fellowship of the church triumphant which is "without fault before the throne of God."

The funeral took place Monday afternoon. Brief services at the home were followed by services at North Prairie M. E. church, Revs. F. A. Shipley, the pastor, and Wm. W. Perry, Milwaukee, a former neighbor, officiating. Among the tributes on the casket were a sprig of the Christmas tree, and a silk flag from the officers of the church. Many Grand Army men were in attendance. Interment was in the North Prairie cemetery.

Deceased leaves besides his widow, one son, Oramel; one daughter, Miss Rose; three brothers, Edward P., Henry W. and Charles O.; two sisters Mrs. Emily A. Aplin and Urania E. Newton, who have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement