

## DEATHS.

### William A. Reynolds.

On Sunday night William A. Reynolds was overcome by coal gas and died from the effects thereof on Tuesday forenoon. He was born in Kinderhook, New York, May 19, A. D., 1817, and was a son of Dr. Edward and Hannah Avery Reynolds and was a second cousin of John D. Rockefeller. He came to Wisconsin in 1846 and lived in the town of Mukwonago until November 16, 1891, when he was married to Susan F. Green at the home of her daughter in Eagle. The couple purchased a fine home here and lived a happy life. Previous to his last marriage he was twice married. He taught school in his native town, held town offices in Mukwonago and Eagle. On public occasions he was a center of attraction in the Masonic band playing his flute. In religion he affiliated with the M. E. church. In politics he was a Democrat. His death ends a long and useful career and Eagle folks as well as his family will miss him. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the M. E. church, Rev. W. W. Perry of Milwaukee officiating. Interment in Jericho cemetery. We all extend our sympathy.

### William A. and Susan F. Reynolds Asphyxiated by Coal Gas.

On Sunday night William A. Reynolds, aged 93 years, and his wife Susan F., aged 84 years, retired as usual and on Monday at 2 p. m. Mrs Phillip H. Richart, a daughter, residing a short distance from them made her usual call. To her surprise the house was locked and she gained entrance through the cellar door. She found the rooms filled with coal gas and the aged couple in bed unconscious. Medical aid was summoned but Mr. Reynolds did not regain consciousness and died Tuesday morning. Mrs. Reynolds is still alive and has partly regained consciousness.

The aged couple turned the damper too tight on the coal heater which forced the gas into the room. They have been living happily together for years in a fine home on Railroad and Sherman St. and the relatives have called on them daily to see them. They were in fairly good health considering their age on account thereof no one suspected any harm in not seeing them out and around.