

MRS. GEO. A. WATROUS DIES AT TROY CENTER

Following a long illness, Mrs. Geo. Watrous died at her home in Troy Center last Monday. The deceased had been a resident of that section most of her life.

Florence Romina Sprague, daughter of Romeo and Jane Sprague, was born August 14, 1850, at Eagle, Waukesha county, Wisconsin, and died Feb. 18, 1924, aged 73 years. She was married to Oscar L. Dingman Dec. 25, 1871, and to them five children were born: Mrs. Lawrence Boney of Whitewater; Bessie, who died in infancy; Mrs. Roxie Stetson, of Troy Center; Romeo Dingman of Troy Center; and Mrs. Edward Rohleder of East Troy. In March, 1887, the family moved to Kansas where Mr. Dingman died on May 31, and the family moved to Troy Center.

April 27, 1898, she was married to George A. Watrous. With the exception of the time she spent in Kansas, her entire life was spent in the community. She is survived by her husband, four children, twelve grand children, two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Carver and Mrs. Wm. Kingston of Mukwonago, and one brother, R. F. Sprague of Eagle, who with a large circle of neighbors and friends mourn her loss. Funeral services were held from the home at 12:30 Wednesday, Rev. Bell officiating and she was buried in Quarterline Evergreen cemetery, on the family lot.