

Amanda Fuller Magee
June 5, 1846 - Nov. 20, 1924

Amanda Fuller Magee was born June 5, 1846 and died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Spencer Bartlett on Nov. 20, 1924, aged 78 years, 5 months and 15 days. Her girlhood was spent near Keesburg, Illinois.

In early days before the coming of the railroad, the family used the usual means of travel the ox team and came to Wisconsin settling at Hixton. Here, on December 7, 1865 she married William H. Magee who died Sept. 8, 1913. 35 years ago, in 1889, the family moved to Attica where they resided about 15 years. Later they moved to South Dakota and then to Carmichael, Saskatchewan, Canada. About a year ago she returned to Wisconsin making her home with her daughter.

Her death came suddenly but was not entirely unexpected as she had been failing for the past year.

In 1892 she united with the Attica Methodist Church under the pastorate of Rev. H. A. Rogers. She was quiet and unassuming, a kind mother whose gentle spirit will be greatly missed. Nine children survive: Mrs. T. A. Canfil of Albany; James Magee of St. Paul, Minn.; George Magee of Gull Lake, Saskatchewan, Canada; Mrs. Spencer A. Bartlett of Albany; Mrs. Achilles Purinton of Attica; Walter Swann of Carmichael, Saskatchewan, Canada; Hugh Magee of Bienfait, Saskatchewan, Canada; Frank Magee of Lancer, Saskatchewan, Canada; Archie Magee of Carmichael, Saskatchewan, Canada. She is also survived by 21(?or 24?) grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Spencer Bartlett home at 2:00 Saturday afternoon, Rev. A. B. Nimz officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Attica cemetery.

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