Harris Dayton Smith July 29, 1834 - March 16, 1910

Harris Dayton Smith, oldest son of Joel and Julia Smith was born in Dayton, Ohio on July 29, 1834 and died at his home in Brooklyn March 16.

Mr. Smith came to Dane County with his parents at the age of ten years. They remained there a short time and then removed to Green County where he has since resided.

He was united in marriage with Marancy Fenton on July 3, 1858. To this union were born two children, Mabel and Cornelius. His wife passed away on may 2, 1909.

Besides the son and daughter he leaves two brothers, William and Calvin and two sisters Mrs. Sophia Reed and Mrs. Harriett Kelly. Mrs. Reed and the brother William were with him when he died but the others were too distant to come in time.

The subject of this sketch united with the Methodist Episcopal Church at an early age and has lived an honest, upright life. His cheerful disposition endeared him to all his friends and he will be greatly missed by everyone in his own family.

Funeral services were held at Oak Hill Church on the 18th inst., conducted by the pastor, E. D. Upson and interment was at Attica.

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