AGED RESIDENT OF DRYDEN DEAD

James Lumbard, 96, died on Friday, Jan. 7, at his home in the Washington District near Freeville. The funeral was held on Monday of last week and was conducted by the Rev. F. T. Crumley of Freeville. Interment was at Willow Glen.

He leaves his wife and seven children. John Lumbard of Binghamton, Newton Lumbard of Ketchumville, Mrs. Emma Parkin of Ithaca, Mrs. Nettie Van Tine of Etna, J. G. Lumbard of Freeville, Archibald Lumbard and William Lumbard of Etna. His sister, Mrs. Harriet Ralph of McGrawville is the last of the family.

Mr. Lumbard was a life-long resident of the town of Dryden and came of a family noted for longevity. His father, Jacob Lumbard, lived to the age of 96 years, and an aunt, Mrs. Polly Cleveland, was 100 years old at her death. Two of his brothers fived to be past 96.

Mr. Lumbard was born on April 12, 1824, and in recent years his birthday usually was celebrated by a gathering of the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren and other relatives.

He was in good health nearly all of his life and it was only a few years ago that he gave up active farm work. He always attributed his good health and long life to temperate habits, regular hours, and abundant exercise.



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