

MICHAEL DUNNING OBITUARY – The Western New Yorker February 26, 1904



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MICHAEL DUNNING.

Since the death of Mrs. Laura O. Dunning, on the 11th of September last, her husband, Michael Dunning, has gradually declined. His sister Mrs. Reynolds, had tenderly cared for him during these months of feebleness and at the last few weeks has been aided by his brother Hieman Dunning. Michael Dunning has been for a great many years a well known man in this part of the county. For many years he operated a meat market and did business at Castile and Rock Glen during the time. He was an upright man, square in his deal and a true man. He was born in Saratoga county on May 18, 1822, and died February 19, 1904, at nearly 82 years of age. His mother's maiden name was Mary Rogers. His father, 'Orasmus Dunning moved to this town in 1835. After a short residence in Buffalo, where, in 1852, he married Laura O. Joslyn. Michael removed to Gainesville, living for some years on Delhi, and later moving to this village, where he died. He was the oldest of a family of eleven children, of whom three brothers, Hieman, Theodore and William and two sisters, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Rowland survive. The funeral was held from the home on Monday afternoon, February 22d, in charge of Rev. F. W. Grupe.