

## Obituary.

Hiram B. Cornell was born in Stanfordville, Dutchess Co., N. Y., Sept., 1 1828, and died at Postville, Iowa, Dec. 21st, 1900, aged 72 years, 3 months and 20 days.

He came to Dwight in 1855, where he had resided most of the time and engaged in the hotel business. In 1847 he was married to Phoebe Begordess, whose death occurred in 1857.

On Dec. 29th, 1859 he married Miss Mary Clark, of Albany, N. Y., who died Feb. 13th, 1899, at Postville, Iowa. Three children were born to this union Harry, deceased; Mrs. Gertie Kaylor, of Dwight, and A. E. Cornell, of Postville. Mr. Cornell is also survived by two sisters and one brother, Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Dwight, Mrs. Angeline Case, of Chicago, and Chas. H. Cornell, of Kankanna, Wis.

Dec. 4th, 1899, he and his wife went to Postville, and for several years to endure poor health was his lot. He was well known in this community and will be greatly missed by his many friends. He was a man of cheerful disposition and died peacefully and without a struggle. He was buried beside his wife at Postville, Dec. 23rd.

Mrs. Gertie Kaylor, of Dwight, attended the funeral.