

Carl Carlson

Apr 13, 1885

Memorial services for Carl Edwin Carlson, for over 30 years a resident of Mill Road, will be conducted in the First Church Unitarian of Littleton on Saturday, April 13, at 1 p.m. by Rev. Robert L. Hadley.

He operated a small farm and was also a caretaker for local estates. He was nearly 100 years old when he died after a brief illness on February 21 at St. Johnsville, N.Y., where he made his home with his daughter after retiring. His wife, Gerda, died in 1967.

He leaves his daughter, Mrs. Alice Edmunds and her husband, Bert and family of four grandchildren and a great granddaughter.

Private interment services will be held in Westlawn Cemetery.

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Carl Edwin Carlson, formerly of Littleton, died on Feb. 21 in St. Johnsville, New York. He would have been 100 years old in April.

Littleton residents will remember him as a farmer on Mill Road, where he lived for over 30 years.

A native of Sweden, he attended an agriculture school prior to working on the national railway system in that country. He emigrated to Boston at an early age and immediately entered forestry work in northern Maine.

When he came to Littleton he

operated the small farm at 156 Mill Road and at the same time cared for local estates. In later years he used his talents in cultivating Nashoba Woodlands on Forge Pond.

Mr. Carlson and his wife, Gerda, moved to New York to be with their daughter, Alice Edmunds, and her family about 20 years ago. Gerda died in 1967. He leaves four grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

Mr. Carlson's ashes will be interred in Littleton later in the spring and a memorial service will be held at that time. A date has not yet been set.