

Emerson E., little son of Mr. and Mrs. Barbara Sexton, was born May 31, 1896, died November 6, 1900, of spinal meningitis, after an illness of two weeks, of Mills Corner, age 4 years, five months and five days. He leaves father, mother, three sisters and one brother to mourn his departure. He was a very kind and affectionate child, and he will be greatly missed by the family and other relatives, and all who knew him.

The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Henry B. Barnes at Willow Chapel, November 7, 1900 at 2 o'clock.

The remains were buried at the Herne Cemetery, 2 miles west of Portland; there to remain the summons at the resurrection morning. The parents have the sympathy of the community.

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