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THE DEATH OF MRS. HOMER SAINT-GAUDENS.

Her many friends in the Carnegie Institute were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Homer Saint-Gaudens. She died at 3:00 a.m. on Monday, October 24, 1927, at her residence, the Bellefield Dwellings, after an illness of only a few days. Her remains were interred on Wednesday afternoon, October 26th, at Cornish, N. H., where also rest the remains of Augustus Saint-Gaudens, the immortal sculptor, the father of her husband, Homer Saint-Gaudens, the Director of the Department of Fine Arts in the Institute.

Mrs. Saint-Gaudens was born in Rochester, New York, and was the daughter of Dr. Charles Sumner Dolley of that city, who at present resides at New Providence, Nassau, The Bahamas.

Mrs. Saint-Gaudens, like her husband, was widely known in artistic circles, being herself an accomplished painter of miniatures. Beautiful, possessed of rarely charming grace of manner, full of sympathy and cordiality, she endeared herself to a wide circle of admiring friends and acquaintances. During her comparatively brief residence in Pittsburgh she made a host of friends, who deeply mourn the untimely ending of her life. It is almost impossible to realize that she, who took a charming part in the reception, which was given to the President and those who accompanied him on Founder's Day, should a few days later have passed from earth. The decrees of an all-wise Providence are often indeed inscrutable to human eyes, and we can only wonder, as we grieve.

To her husband, her son and her daughter, who survive her, there goes forth from their friends in the Institute the most heartfelt sympathy.

THE DEATH OF MRS. GEORGE F. SHEERS.

The sympathy of all his friends, and they are many in the Carnegie Institute, goes forth to Mr. George F. Sheers, the Auditor of the Institute, in view of the bereavement which he sustained on October 26th, when his amiable and accomplished wife was taken from him. To Mr. Sheers and his family we express our most heartfelt sympathy.



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