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Mary J. Humphry was born Feb. 12, 1836, at Rutland, Vt., and passed away at her home in Grinnell, March 8, 1906. While a child her home was for a time at Grandbury, Conn., then she moved west, living in Ohio, Indiana and in Michigan at White Pigeon, where in Dec., 1857, she married Mr. J. C. Bacon. Soon after their marriage they moved to Vermont, making their home there for six years. They came to Grinnell, Iowa, in 1860. After two years residence in Grinnell, they removed to Chester, where they improved a fine farm and reared their large family of eight children. Four sons and four daughters came to bless the home of whom Mrs. Etta Sears, Mrs. Ada Cocking, Mrs. Hattie Wesco, Albert and Hiram Bacon are still living and were present at the funeral. Will and Edith died within a week in 1882, and Fred in 1889.