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Charles O. Lord was born at Shap-
ley, York Co., Maine, February 6th,
1849, and died at his home near West-
field on Friday Dec. 30, 1904 at the age
of 55 years 10 months and 24 days.

In the east he spent the earlier
years of his life. until he enlisted in
the army March '64. He remained in
active service and in the hospital un-
til the close of the war.

He was converted when nineteen
years of age and united with the M.
E. Church. Of this church he has
ever since been a member, and by his
sincere and active christian life has
been a witness of the reality of Chris-
tianity.

After a few years he came to Ches-
ter. Since '71 his life has mostly been
spent near Grinnell.

February 6th, '76, he was united in
marriage to Caroline Brownell of Ches-
ter, who survives him.

Two sons, Jesse C. and George C.
live to take up the noble work which
he has laid down and to comfort the
bereaved mother. His sister, Mrs. J.
M. Gray, of Massachusetts also sur-
vives him.

Mr. Lord has always been an active
church worker and has for years been
superintendent of the Westfield Sun-
day School. He will be greatly missed
by the church and by the community.

Short funeral services were conduct-
ed from the house at 12 o'clock Sun-
day by Rev. Robert Lincoln and at 1:30
from the Westfield Church by the Rev
J. M. McClelland. The services at the
grave were in charge of Gordon Post
No. 64. The interment was in the
the Westfield Cemetery. *