

# DEATH CLAIMS FAMED WRITER

**Sarah Orne Jewett in  
Her 60th Year.**

**End Comes at Summer Home  
in South Berwick.**

**She Wrote Much of New  
England People.**

**SOUTH BERWICK, Me., June 24.**—Sarah Orne Jewett died at her summer home here at 6 o'clock tonight.

While lying in illness early in the present year Miss Jewett had an attack of rheumatism which caused paralysis of the side of her body and, although her husband remained close, she became nearly helpless. In March she was brought here in a special car.


Miss Jewett's summer home was at South Berwick and in recent years she has been here almost all the time. She was a devoted wife and mother and her husband, while not content to do her work, was ever ready to assist her in her writing.

Miss Jewett was born in South Berwick, Me., Sept. 3, and the daughter of Benjamin Jewett and Maria Jewett. Her father was a farmer and her mother a school teacher. She was educated in the common schools of her native town and at South Berwick High School. She studied in the normal school at South Berwick and in the State Normal School at Portland, Me.

She was married to George Jewett in 1862 and they had four children. Her husband was a farmer and she was a school teacher.

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