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Died—at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Detwiler, seven miles north of Cooperstown, at 6 p.m. Sunday, May 12th, 1895, William Detwiler, of heart disease, aged 18 years, 9 months and 8 days. From his birth William was delicate and the first half of his life was a constant struggle for existence. Then he seemed to gather strength and vigor and took his place with the other boys, though softened and quieted in disposition by his feeble health. He was quiet, reserved and studious. He was endowed with a bright, keen intellect. Last fall he succumbed to an attack of malarial fever which was followed by lung fever. By these diseases he was weakened and wasted until his naturally delicate constitution had not sufficient vitality for him to rally. He had been confined to his bed for about seven weeks previous to his death. Although death was feared it was not expected until Sunday morning when his relatives were sent for. He rested quietly without pain during the day and gradually “fell asleep.” Though a great sufferer he bore all patiently. The funeral service was conducted from the house at 1 p. m., Tuesday, by Rev. E. S. Shaw, and the body was laid to rest in the Cooperstown cemetery. A large number of neighbors and friends were in attendance on the last sad rites.
