## [Green, Adonijah]

## ANOTHER PIONEER GONE

Capt. Adonijah Green, whose dangerous illness was noticed in our last issue, expired yesterday afternoon at the age of 74 years. Capt. G. was one of the pioneers of Rochester—came here when there were but few cabins where our city stands, and resided here permanently ever after—a period of more than fifty years. He was born in Kirktown, Green[e] county, N. Y., and left that place to come here in 1811. He was among the active young men of that time who settled on this spot and contributed by their industry and enterprise to build up a large town. When in the war of 1812 a demonstration was made upon this point by the British fleet on Lake Ontario, Capt. Green was among those who took a musket and went to the mouth of the river to give the visitors a becoming reception. He was a hardy man and was ready for just such an emergency.

Capt. G. was a constable with Col. Newton in the town of Brighton in 1817, and has frequently filled public offices since, always discharging his duties well. He reared a numerous family of children, and leaves six living, we believe, besides a numerous flock of grandchildren, some of which have reached adult age. He was among those who organized the Old Pioneers' Society in 1847, and has been a member ever since. In all the relations of life he performed his duty well and died holding the respect of his fellow citizens.

The funeral of Capt. Green will take place on Sunday, at two P. M., from his late residence, North St. Paul street, and from the Universalist Church at 2:30. The Old Pioneers will attend.

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