

[Belding, Henry]

Deaths. In Port Jackson, [Florida, Montgomery Co. NY], Jan 8th, Rev. HENRY BELDING, aged sixty-two years and ten months. Thus has passed away one of the excellent of earth. Br. Belding was for many years a preacher in our denomination. His first settlement was in Gloucester, Mass. He was afterward located at Braman's Corners, Clarksville, and Fort Plain, N. Y. Some twenty years since, in consequence of physical disability, he was compelled to leave the ministry. For several years he was engaged in teaching. But although ceasing to proclaim the glad tidings of salvation to his fellow-men publicly, yet in all his walk in private life he has ever been a devout and exemplary Christian—his meek and humble deportment ever presenting to the world the excellency of that faith which was so precious to him. His funeral was attended by the writer in the Dutch Reformed Church in Port Jackson, assisted in the services by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Voorhees. May the consolations of the gospel be the rich inheritance of all who are called to mourn.

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