

[Aiken, Betsey]

MRS. AIKEN'S FUNERAL  
Aged Woman Who Lacked Only a Month of Being  
Ninety-nine Buried at Speedsville

Speedsville, July 8.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Betsey Aiken, who died Sunday evening, was held this afternoon from the Universalist church. A large number attended.

Mrs. Aiken would have been 99 years old on August 6th had she lived. She came to this town from Connecticut when 12 years old. Her health prior to her death had been excellent, and she was active despite the fact that she suffered from cancer. Her death was unexpected.

An adopted daughter, Mrs. Sophia Phillips of Chicago, and two sisters, Mrs. Levi Osborne of Big [Grand] Rapids, Mich., and Mrs. Sara Haynes of Owego, survive. William Jenks, R. A. Heggie and W. C. Heggie of Ithaca were near relatives.

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