[Aldrich, Algina Switzer]

HORSEHEADS NEWS

Horseheads, N.Y., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Alzina Aldrich died at her home on the avenue, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. She was born in 1829 and was consequently sixty-nine years of age. She had been in failing health for some time, and her relatives and friends have anxiously awaited the end for several days past. The deceased was the widow of Rev. S.T. Aldrich, an [sic] Universalist minister whose demise occurred many years ago¹ [at age 57] in Batavia. One daughter survives, Miss Alice Aldrich, drawing instructor in the Elmira schools. Henry Switzer, of Horseheads, is a brother. To her family, her intimate friends, or the chance acquaintance, Mrs. Aldrich always showed the same pleasant and benignant spirit and her death will be mourned by many outside of the immediate family. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the late residence, on Steuben street. The remains were laid to rest in Maple Grove cemetery.

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¹He died on 15 Jun 1883, per his funeral notice in *The Spirit of the Times* of Batavia NY on Sat. 23 Jun 1883.

Minor Locals [?!]

—Mrs. Algina Aldrich, widow of the Rev. S.T. Aldrich, formerly of this city, died in Horseheads on the 27th ult., aged sixty-nine years. Mr. Aldrich, who will be remembered by many of our citizens as a Universalist minister, died in Batavia about fifteen years ago. Mrs. Aldrich is survived by one daughter, Miss Alice Aldrich, who is instructor of drawing in the Elmira schools, and one brother, Henry Switzer of Horseheads. Deceased was a native of Bradford in this county.—Hornellsville Times.

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