

[Ames, Henry Quincy]

—Henry Q. Adams, a prominent citizen of Sherman, died in Brooklyn yesterday. The deceased had been troubled more or less with heart disease. A few weeks ago he went to Brooklyn to visit his only surviving child, Mrs. Evalyn Ames Burnham. He was a former school commissioner in the first district of Chautauqua county, and held a position in the New York custom house during the administration[s] of Garfield and Arthur. Four months ago Mr. Ames's wife [Ellen Goodrich Ames] died. Deceased was about 60 years old.

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—The remains of H. Q. Ames arrived from Brooklyn, Wednesday noon, accompanied by his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Burnham. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at his late residence, services conducted by Rev. E. [Ebenezer] Hathaway [Universalist]. A large number of friends and relatives were present. Mr. Ames was 66 years old, and had been a resident of this place for about 20 years. He was a man of more than ordinary ability, honest in all his dealings and a genial and kind hearted friend. Mrs. Ames died only four months ago, and only one member of the family now remains, Mrs. Burnham of Brooklyn.

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