

[Bailey, Ida C.]

MISS IDA BAILEY, NORMAL GRADUATE, DIES IN CANTON

Private funeral services for Miss Ida C. Bailey, 84, retired school teacher, who died at her home in Canton of a heart ailment Wednesday morning, were held at the home Friday afternoon and interment was in Bridge cemetery on the Potsdam road.

Miss Bailey was born Feb. 10, 1856, in Canton, a daughter of James A. and Caroline Cook Bailey. After attending the local schools she was graduated from Potsdam State Normal school in 1876 and taught for a time in district schools in this vicinity.

She then took a position in the Canton grammar school, where she remained 34 years, mainly as instructor of the third grade. She had retired 20 years ago.

She was a member of the First Universalist church and also of the Canton branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

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