

[Blodgett, Aaron]

DEATHS.

In Hounsfield, Jefferson county, on the 15th of July, Mr. AARON BLODGETT, in the 73d year of his age. Mr. B. was one of the earliest settlers in this part of the country, with strong mental and bodily powers and business habits, he did much to promote the welfare of community in the state of society which then existed. He lived to a good old age, usually in the enjoyment of good health, and uniformly in the practice of the duties of an honest man and a good citizen. For a long course of years he was well established in the doctrine of impartial grace; and his religious faith so effectually sustained him through a most painful and incurable disease, that his ardent prayer was, for *patience* to wait till his last change should come. He reared a numerous family in respectability and usefulness, and has left an aged companion [Esther], eight children, and many descendants and friends to mourn their bereavement. His funeral was very numerously attended on the 16th and a discourse delivered on the subject of the resurrection of the dead by the writer of this notice. May the God of all consolation ever bless the mourners. "Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted."

P. [Rev. Pitt] MORSE

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