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VICTOR HENDEE PASSES AT 73; ILL FOR MONTH Ex-Supervisor in 12th [Ward] Founded Food Firm

Victor Hendee Sr., 73, former 12th Ward Republican supervisor and pioneer Rochester cooked food merchant, died late last night (Jan. 11, 1939) at Genesee Hospital, following a month's illness.

Mr. Hendee, a native of Webster, had lived for more than a half-century in the 12th Ward. His home was at 25 Edmonds St. Specializing in baked beans, he established the cooked food business about 1900. In recent years a son, Victor Jr., had been associated with him in expanding the enterprise.

Hendee was elected for a term as a member of the Board of Supervisors in 1932. Besides the son, his widow, Mrs. Lottie L. Hendee, a daughter, Mrs. Maude Brigham, Perry, and a granddaughter survive. Funeral arrangements had not been completed last night.

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Victor Hendee Sr., 73, pioneer cooked food merchant and father of Mrs. L.J. Brigham of Perry, died Wednesday night, Jan. 11, in the Genesee hospital [in Rochester] following a month's illness.

Mr. Hendee, a native of Webster, had lived for more than half a century in the 12th Ward, Rochester, where he was former supervisor. His home was at 25 Edmonds street. Specializing in baked beans, he established the cooked food business about 1900. In recent years a son, Victor Jr., had been associated with him in expanding the enterprise.

Besides the son, his widow, Mrs. Lottie L. Hendee, survives, also the daughter in Perry and a granddaughter, Mrs. Floyd Jones and a brother Albert of New York.

The funeral was held at the home of the son, Rev. J.O. Bennett [member] of the Universalist Church, Rochester, officiating, and burial was in Mount Hope cemetery. Friends attending from Perry were Miss Anna Welch, Mrs. Esther Cole, Mrs. F.M. Crocker, Mrs. Hope Dildine, Mrs. F.D. Roberts. Mrs. Brigham is remaining in the city a few days with her mother.

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