

[Jump, Isaac]

DEATH OF ISAAC JUMP

One of the oldest and best known citizens of Scipio died about 7 a.m. today, Isaac Jump, who was born in Green[e] county January 8, 1821. Until a few weeks ago he had enjoyed good health for a person of his years, but senility caused death. He was a son of Charity Jones and Elijah Jump and came to Cayuga county in 1829, making the journey by canal and wagon. He was a farmer and miller, building a grist mill in 1844. He was a man of great resolution with an active mind and clear understanding and while he was a farmer by occupation was also a good business man.

In public affairs Mr. Jump has always taken an active interest, contributing his time and money generously to attain the advancement and prosperity of his town, and served in various capacities with rare ability, having been school trustee for many years and from 1871 to 1874 was supervisor of the town of Scipio. He was a member of Cayuga Lodge, F. and A.M. of Scipio Center and for 13 years was master of the lodge.

In politics he was a staunch Democrat and cast his first vote for James K. Polk in 1844.

Mr. Jump was twice married. His first wife to whom he was wedded in 1844 was Ruth Culver, daughter of the late Ansel and Rebecca Culver. The one child of their union, Rebecca Jump, wife of Isaac Close, survives, and one brother, Selah Jump, of Bucyrus, Ohio. His second wife was Ruth Close, who died in April, 1904.

Funeral services will be held at his home Saturday afternoon next at 2 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. A. [Arnold] S. Yantis [Universalist] of this city and the Masconic Lodge of Scipio Center. Burial will be made in the Rural cemetery at Scipio Center.

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