

[Near, Addie L. Spencer]

MRS. ADDIE NEAR TAKEN BY DEATH  
Aged Dolgeville Resident Passes After Illness of One Month

DOLGEVILLE—Mrs. Addie L. Near, 78, died at about 9:30 Tuesday morning after an illness of about a month of heart disease. She had been in failing health for the past year.

Mrs. Near was born in Stratford on October 30, 1857, daughter of Charles and Mary Millard Spencer and was married to Charles Near on July 4, 1877. Mr. Near died in June, 1919. For some years past Mrs. Near had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Lyon, of this village, where her death occurred.

Mrs. Near was a member of Rising Crown chapter, Rebekah lodge, and the Universalist church of this village. Surviving besides Mrs. Lyon are two other daughters, Mrs. Elmer Jones of this village and Mrs. Lelie Kool of Emmonsburg; one brother, Charles Spencer of Oppenheim; and four sisters, Mrs. Eva Shaver of Vicksburg, Mich., Mrs. Matie Pitcher of Coloma, Mich., Mrs. Charlotte Kidder of San Francisco, cal., and Mrs. Clara Fay of Watervliet, Mich.; also two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held from the daughter's home this afternoon at 2. Rev. C [Clinton] A. Moulton, pastor of the Universalist church will officiate and interment will be made in Dolgeville cemetery.

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