

[Richardson, Thompson]

RICHARDSON THOMPSON

Aged Resident and Civil War Veteran Responds to Last Call

Thompson Richardson died at his home on Barney street, in this village, Thursday, Dec. 26th, 1912.

He was born Oct. 28, 1833, in Livonia, Livingston Co., N.Y. Most of his life, however, has been passed in Whitesville or upon his farm near that place.

Mr. Richardson was a member of the Universalist church of Whitesville and of the Grand Army of the Republic, having served two years from 1863 to '65 in Co. F., 109, New York Volunteers.

In March of 1912 he purchased a home here, near that of his daughter, Mrs. F. L. Bloss, and moved to Andover. About five weeks ago he was stricken with paralysis, ever after being in a helpless condition.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Cory Richmond of Whitesville, and Mrs. Belle Bloss of this village; one sister, Mrs. Melvina Hile of Whitesville, and three brothers, Fayette Richardson of Wellsville, Columbus Richardson of Whitesville, and George Richardson of Port Allegany, Pa.

[On] Sunday morning, Dec. 29th, Rev. W. H. Randall of the Baptist church, officiated at a prayer and farewell service at the home, after which the body was taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Richmond, at Whitesville where funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. G. B. [James D.] Herrick.

Burial was in the family plot in the Whitesville Cemetery.

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