

[Seaton, Marion J. Sprague]

MRS. MARION J. SEATON EXPIRES

Henderson Woman Passes Away, Aged 89 Years

FATHER SOLDIER OF 1812

Widow of Former Sheriff of Jefferson County—
Mother of Attorney Arthur L. Chapman of Watertown

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)

Henderson, Sept 6—The funeral of Mrs. Marlon J. Seaton, aged 89 years, who died here yesterday morning, will be held Thursday morning at 10 from the home, with burial at Evergreen cemetery. She suffered a shock [a stroke] about a month ago. Mrs. Seaton was the mother of Attorney Arthur L. Chapman of Watertown.

She was born in Henderson in 1833. Her father, Emora Sprague, was a soldier in 1812 and helped carry the cable overland to Sackets Harbor during the war. She had ten brothers and sisters, of whom only one is living.

She was married to Stephen W. Chapman by Rev. Pitt Morse [a Universalist] about 1855. Mr. Chapman died in 1860. She married Leonard Seaton, jr., in 1866. Mr. Seaton, formerly sheriff of this county, died in 1904. She lived substantially all her life in Henderson except six years in Watertown and a few years in Milwaukee, Wis. She was a member of the Universalist church.

She is survived by her son, Attorney Arthur L. Chapman of Watertown, Barrett S. Chapman and Mrs. Burton G. Tremaine, jr., grandchildren; an adopted daughter, Mrs. Mabel Stanley of Milwaukee, Wis.; a brother, Charles H. Sprague, formerly of this city and now of Denver, Colo.; two step-grandchildren, Richard S. Tarry of New York City, and Mrs. Harriet T. Montague of Henderson; and a number of nephews and nieces.

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