

seven years. He settled in that city in 1854. He served for a short time as lieutenant in the Seventeenth regiment; and was afterwards captain of the Sheridan Guards, and major in the State militia. He served several years as school commissioner from the Third Ward, and county treasurer in 1875 and 1876.

Capt. Alexander Lowrie died in Jefferson, Vernon County, January 8th, at the age of forty-one years. Born in New York, he was brought as a boy to Wisconsin; enlisted as a private at the outbreak of the war, in the Sixth Wisconsin, which formed a part of the famous Iron Brigade, serving till the end of the war. He received wounds at Bull Run to attest the honorable service he rendered his country, and rose to the head of his company. He was chosen sheriff of Vernon County in 1874. He was engaged in various business operations, and highly respected.

Mrs. Frances P. Irwin, of Green Bay, died at Kenosha, Jan. 11th, at the age of seventy years. She was born at Ballston Springs, N. Y., Nov. 8th, 1809, coming to Green Bay in 1826 with her kinsman, Capt. Henry Smith of the army, and shortly after married Col. A. J. Irwin, a prominent pioneer and citizen of that place.

Nathan Chappell died at Lyons, Walworth Co., Jan. 13th, at the great age of ninety-six years. He was a soldier and pensioner of the War of 1812.

Prof. Samuel Gardner died when on a visit to Detroit, Jan. 15th, aged sixty-three years. About 1848 he was a prominent business man of Milwaukee; he devised rock-crushers for the mines, and other machinery. Devoting his attention to electricity, he became so proficient in the science as to attain the position of government electrician, which he filled for several years, and at the time of his death.

Dr. Walter Crocker, an old physician of Eau Galle, died there, Jan. 15th. He was one of the early settlers of the Chippewa Valley.

Hon. James Kenealey Sr., died in Erin, Washington Co., Jan. 17th, aged sixty-seven years. He had resided in the county thirty-five years; and was a member of the legislature in 1858 and 1866.

Dr. Samuel W. Wilson died at the Soldiers' Home, near Milwaukee, Jan. 25th. He early settled at Racine, and became the medical partner of Dr. P. R. Hoy. In June, 1861, he was appointed second assistant surgeon of the Fourth Wisconsin, and first assistant near the close of the year, and regimental surgeon, in March, 1864. He served with his regiment in all its marches, battles, and vicissitudes till May, 1866—nearly five years. Poor and broken in health, he was for several years an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, on duty in the hospital. He was a physician and surgeon of learning and skill, and a faithful attendant on his regiment during its various fortunes.

Hon. Jared Warner died at Patch Grove, Grant County, Feb. 4th, at the age of sixty-eight years. He was born in eastern Ohio in 1811, and settled in Wisconsin in 1838, and built the first pine sawmill in Grant County. He represented his district in the legislature of 1861.