

native of Nova Scotia. He served in the Twenty-First Wisconsin Volunteers in the war, during which his health was seriously impaired.

Amasa Andrews died at Hudson, where twenty-seven years before he erected the first framed house, August 17th, in the ninetieth year of his age.

John Lane died at Johnson's Creek, Aug. 17th, at the age of eighty-one years. He was a native of England, and had been a resident of Jefferson County for thirty-three years.

Mrs. Nancy Osborn, who long resided on Bear Creek, Richland County, died at her granddaughter's, at Lawrence, N. J., Aug. 20th, in her ninety-fifth year.

Hon. Benjamin M. Coates died in Boscobel, Aug. 26th, in his sixty-first year. He was born at New Harmony, Ind., Sept. 8th, 1819, and settled in Grant County, Wis., 1837. He was a member of the assembly in 1869, and 1875, and U. S. collector from 1870 to 1873. He was a leader of the bolting Republicans who supported Hon. Angus Cameron for U. S. senator in 1875.

Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson died at Appleton, Aug. 26th, at the venerable age of eighty-six years.

Hon. Miner Strobe died at Plover, Aug. 31st, in his seventy-fifth year. He was born in Luzerne County, Pa., May 11th, 1806, descending from a noted Revolutionary family. After practicing in the legal profession in New York State for a long time he settled at Plover in 1850, where he filled the position of county judge for many years.

John H. Craig died at Prescott, near the close of August, in his sixty-third year. He was an old settler in the St. Croix valley, having located at Point Douglas in 1849.

Chester Cook, an old and respectable citizen, died at Harmony, Rock County, Sept. 2d, in his eighty-third year.

Mrs. Sarah Bill Calkins died in Oconomowoc, Sept. 3d, in her ninety-fifth year. She was born in Cornwallis, Nova Scotia, Oct. 11th, 1785. Marrying James Calkins, they removed first in 1823, to western New York, and in 1843 to Milwaukee. Col. E. A. Calkins is her son.

Mrs. Maria Bintliff, mother of Gen. James Bintliff, died at Janesville, Sept. 3d, in her eighty-fifth year. She was a native of Yorkshire, England, removing to Oneida County, N. Y., in 1841, and some years subsequently to Monroe, Wisconsin.

Oliver Cheesboro died at Green Lake, Sept. 5th, at the age of ninety-two years.

Mrs. Wm. Dickson, a pioneer of Fox Lake, died at that place, Sept. 5th, in the ninety-sixth year of her age.

Isaac Merriam, a pioneer of Columbus, died at that place, Sept. 6th, in his sixty-ninth year.

Rev. Thomas Keenan, pastor of the Catholic church at Portage, died in that city, Sept. 6th, at the age of fifty years. Born in County Tyrone, Ireland, April 15th, 1829, he emigrated to this country in 1844, coming to Milwaukee in 1852, he was ordained in 1854.