

DIED

DENT – At the residence of her daughter in Randolph, Wis., Dec. 26, of old age, Mrs. Jean Dent, aged 79 years and 10 months.

The deceased was born in Scotland Feb. 18, 1799, and emigrated to America in 1805, settling in the state of New York. In 1842 she came with her family to Waukesha County, thus being among the very early settlers in Wisconsin. She was the mother of seven children, three of whom survive her, Mr. Jas. S. Dent, of Menomonee, Mrs. Miner, of Iowa, and Mrs. Hall, of Randolph, Wis. Two sons, John and Andrew, lost their lives while in the Union Army, the former dying of disease at Atlanta and the latter being killed at the battle of Perryville, Ky.

Mrs. Dent had made her home with James S. Dent at Menomonee Falls. She was an earnest believer in the Christian religion, having been united with the Church for more than 50 years, and connecting herself with the Presbyterian denomination. After coming to Wisconsin, there being no society of that denomination in her vicinity, she attended the M.E. Church ... [the rest is unreadable]

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