

OBITUARY.

4-9-1915

Abijah H. Hiatt.

Abijah H. Hiatt, son of Joseph and Bethia Hiatt, was born in Henry county, Indiana, October 5th, 1832. Came to Iowa with his parents, 1852, which has been his home until his death, April 4th, 1915, at the age of 82 years, 6 months. He had lived in Newton, Iowa for years, where he was taken with apoplexy, March 31st, and never regained consciousness. Miss Mattie Schooley, a niece, and Mrs. Hayden Reynolds took him to Grinnell to the home of his brother-in-law, Elihu Schooley. The funeral service was in charge of Rev. Sopher from the Friends church in Grinnell. Burial in Hazelwood cemetery. He was a member of the U. P. church at Newton, a member of the Garrett Post, G. A. R., of Newton, a member of Company B, 40th Iowa, enlisted at Montezuma in the winter of 1863, and served to the close of the war. He participated in several engagements. At the close of the war he returned with his regiment to Davenport and was discharged. He lived a single life, a friend to all who knew him. He never wronged but one person and that was himself, in trying to do good to others. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Mary Howell, of Grinnell, and one brother, Mr. James Hiatt, of Oskaloosa, Iowa.