

Mrs. Anna Pierce, 76, Dies Sunday in Ripon; Burial Here

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Funeral services for Mrs. Anna S. Pierce, 76 years of age, Ripon, a resident of Monticello for many years, who died Sunday in Ripon after a week's illness, were held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Ripon.

Burial was in Highland cemetery, Monticello, preceded by brief graveside rites.

Anna Streiff was born in New Grarus, June 5, 1891, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Streiff. After the death of her mother she and a younger sister, Mamie, came to Monticello to live with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Figi, who owned and operated the Monticello hotel. She attended the Monticello public schools and on Nov. 11, 1915, she was united in marriage to Ira B. Pierce. A farmer and one-time Monticello postmaster, Mr. Pierce died Nov. 4, 1952.

In 1955, Mrs. Pierce moved to Ripon to make her home near her sister, Mrs. Henry Kuhn. Upon her sister's death, Mrs. Pierce went to live at the home of a nephew, Edwin J. Kuhn, where she resided until the time of her death.

While a resident of Monticello Mrs. Pierce was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren church, its Ladies Aid, the Royal Neighbors, and several other organizations.

She was preceded in death by her sister, Mamie, and a brother, Thomas.