

DEATH OF AN OLD SOLDIER Amable Bourdeau Died Thursday After Long Suffering From Cancer. Amable Bourdeau, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Wausauke, died Thursday morning at about five o'clock, death being due to cancer. Mr. Bourdeau was seventy-five years old and was born in DePere. His parents died when he was a child and he was obliged to begin the struggle for a Livelihood at an early age. He sailed the great lakes, being employed as cook, for a great many years and until he came to Wausauke to reside about eighteen years ago. During his residence here up to within a few years ago he cooked in the logging camps. Mr. Bourdeau was married on February 14, 1865, he enlisted for one year with Company H, 50th Reg. Wis. Vol. Inf., under Captain Chas. H. Cox. Later he served under Capt. John C. Cover and Col. John G. Clark and did frontier duty at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and Fort Rice, Dakota, receiving an honorable discharge at Madison, Wis., on June 14, 1866. Deceased leaves a wife, eight daughters -Mrs. Tappy, Wallace, Mich., Mrs. N. M. Toutloff, Mrs. Pat McCann, Mrs. Joseph Debot, Mrs. J. Cole, Misses Louise, Rosa and Lizzie Bourdeau, Wausauke - and two sons Joseph Bourdeau, Westboro, Wis., and Louis Bourdeau, Star Lake, Wis. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Katherine Millet, of Kaukauna. The funeral will be held at nine o'clock Saturday morning from St. Augustine's Catholic church, Rev. Wm.. A. Reul officiating. The cortege will be in charge of Undertaker S. A. Mangold and the G. A. R. will act as pallbearers. (Wausauke Independent newspaper, Saturday, September 16, 1905)