

Miss Katherine Griggs, 88, a retired teacher, died Saturday, Feb. 18, 1950, in her home in Oriskany Falls. Her sister, Mrs. Emma Josephine Carey, 77, died Sunday, Feb. 12, 1950, in Edinburg, Tex., of a heart condition. The shock of her sister's passing was believed to have hastened Miss Griggs' death. Miss Griggs was born in Oriskany Falls Feb. 16, 1862, daughter of Elam and Emogene Warner Griggs, attended the Oriskany Falls school and graduated from Oswego State Teachers College. She taught in Oriskany Falls, Augusta, Lidgerwood, N.D., and

New York City. She was an instructor in a missionary school in Atlanta, Ga., at one time. She retired to Oriskany Falls where she made possible redecoration of one of the small parlors of the Methodist Church at her own expense. She also provided a stained glass window in memory of her sister, Anna, who died in 1929. She gave a stained glass window to the Hillside Cemetery vault as well.