[Hewitt, Edgar]

FRIENDSHIP

FRIENDSHIP, Sept. [?]*—Last [____?] was received of the death of Edgar Hewitt, a prominent citizen and merchant of this village. His death occurred at the Murray Hill Sanatarium [Sanitarium], New York City, to which place he had gone some months ago for treatment. From time to time favorable reports of his condition led his many friends to hope that he might be spared at least for some years, and the tidings of his death came as a surprise. He was [58?] years old. [____?] born in Charlotte City, Chautauqua county, September 30, 1854. For the past 12 years he has been Justice of the Peace and an active member of the Fire Department. [___?] three years ago he united with the Universalist church here and at the time of his death and for some period previous was clerk of the Society and also superintendent of the Sunday school. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family.

Bolivar Breeze, Bolivar NY, Thu. 14 Sep 1911

*Transcriber's note: Patches of text in the notice are whited-out.

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