DIED:—In this city, while on a visit to her friends, on Monday last, Mrs. Sarah Beattie, of Cleveland, Ohio, relict of the late Josiah Beattie, in the 70th year of her age. Her friends and acquaintances, and those of her brother, Dr. Thomas Dunlap, are invited to attend her funeral to-morrow, Wednesday, afternoon, at 4 o'clock, from his residence No. 3 Canal-street.

The Schenectady Cabinet
September 22, 1846 (Tuesday)

Josiah Beattie, 1799, of Salem, N.Y., was a member of the Adelphic Society.
He died in 1806.
Adelphic Catalogue 1830
Prosper For. Parson

Dear Sir,

Your favor of the 7th inst. &c. &c. together with the Circular thereon named came to hand. I am happy to communicate to you such facts as I have. I only agree that they are not more definite. I may have been put you in the way of getting further information on the subject.

Josiah Beattie of Salem N.Y. was my father. He died abroad when I was about 3 years old. I have no recollection of his person.

After graduating in 1799 he commenced the study of theology but did not complete the course. In 1803 he was teaching a school in Pekton with much success. He remained there however, [illegible] than a year; I afterwards taught for a time at Bennington N.Y. I happened to become a clerk instead of a tutor, and in a sort of the way. I entered [illegible] into the Naval Service. I was lost at sea in 1826. During all this time my mother was living with her parents in Connecticut, as she was absent from her husband most of the time and pursued a somewhat lucrative cause, not quite satisfactory to her best friends, the reminiscences of his life are not full of honor to the reputation he has been a man of more than ordinary ability & to have
had much aptitude & success as a teacher.

If you will show this letter notice to Rev. Samuel
Schwartz, who is my mother's brother, he might be
convinced of the truth of it. My father's parents, William
& Elizabeth Bowman, migrated to this country with
their parents, in childhood from Ireland. They were
of Scotch descent & members of the Associate Reformed
(Presbyterian) Church.

Rev. John Beattie, a cousin of my father, to whom you addressed
a letter was not long ago living in a farm near Kempt, but
perhaps in an adjoining town. He is a man of much intelligence &
was in a communication from him on the Beattie family. Since
letter importance to the public would probably interest you, it is quite
likely that your letter of inquiry never reached him. But I will address
a letter to him, & ask him to send it with the evidence which you want me to my
friends in the neighborhood of Kempt. Mr. Johnson is acquainted with those
I have at his house, I will doubtless see that my letter with the evidence
will be delivered to him. What you may regard as an extraordinary
further inquiry is that he is said to be able to trace the connection of
your family with that of the Rev. Beattie. But perhaps, like Rev.
Dunlop, you may have forgotten some of the earlier connections.

William Beattie of Freeport, N.Y., was no connection of ours,
but a valued acquaintance. He died a few years ago, but was
employed for many years as a clerk in the Controller's Office in Albany.
two inches by twenty, by those who knew him. Sister Dunlop
perhaps gives you all the information you desire respecting her.
I refer you to others who can

Yours truly,

W.S. Beattie