[Pardee, Alma E. Sidney]

MRS. A. E. PARDEE, LED FORT PLAIN MARCH OF DIMES

Fort Plain—Mrs. Alma E. Pardee, 82, widow of Thomas J. Pardee, died Dec. 24, 1957, at her home on Willett St., after a long illness.

She was born Oct. 14, 1875, in Newark, N.Y., daughter of Horace and Harriett J. Clark Sidney. Mrs. Pardee was a former teacher at Newark and Fonda high schools and was interested in civic affairs.

She was affiliated with the Parent-Teacher Association and for 10 years was president of the Fort Plain Study Class. For four years she was head of the March of Dimes drive here. Mrs. Pardee had been a resident of Fort Plain for the past 50 years.

She leaves two sons, Donald C. Pardee of Cleveland, Ohio, Robert E. Pardee of Richland, Wash.; two grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Richard D. Emmett of Fort Plain.

The funeral will be at 2 today from the Gray Funeral Home, Willett St., with the Rev. James Alcock, pastor of the Universalist Church of the Messiah, officiating. Burial will be in Fort Plain Cemetery.

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