[Petrie, Martha A. Lighthall]

MRS. M. PETRIE, ILL FIVE YEARS, DIES Lifelong Town of Minden Resident Passes at Age of 87

FORT PLAIN—Mrs. Martha A. Petrie, 87, widow of Jerome Petrie, died at the home of her nephew, William Lighthall, Friday afternoon [after an] illness of five years. Mrs. Petrie was a daughter of Peter and Eva Monk Lighthall and was born in this town on June 7, 1847. She had always lived in this town.

The survivors are one brother, Menzo Lighthall, this town, and two nephews, William and Frank Lighthall, also of this town.

A prayer service was held at her home Sunday at 1:30 P.M., and funeral services at 2:30 at the Catherine Nellis Memorial Chapel, the Rev. G. [Gustave] H. Ulrich, pastor of the Fort Plain Universalist church, officiating. The remains were placed in the chapel vault and interment will be made in the Spring in the Fort Plain cemetery.

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