

[Casler, Mary Elizabeth Nugent]

MARY CASLER EXPIRES AT 86

FORT PLAIN—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Casler, 86, died early this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lynn [Jennie] Cronkhite, Fort Plain R.D.1. She had been ill about two weeks.

Born November 24, 1872 in Cape Vincent, she was the daughter of John and Sarah Bates Nugent.

Mrs. Casler moved with her family to this area at the age of eight and she had lived in the Town of Minden the rest of her life. She was married to Seward Casler, Feb 1, 1891. He died in 1926.

She had been a resident of Brookman's Corners until she moved to the home of her daughter. She was a member of Fort Plain Universalist Church of the Messiah and she was a charter member of Otsquago Grange, 1283.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Cronkhite; four grandsons, George Cronkhite [and] Varnum and Warren Casler, all of Fort Plain R.D. 1, and Gerald Casler, Fort Plain R.D. 3; 13 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Swartz funeral home, Fort Plain, with the Rev. Raymond Scott, pastor of the Universalist Church of the Messiah, officiating. Burial will be in Fort Plain Cemetery.

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