

[Dillenback, Ida E. Brookman]

(Fort Plain) Mrs. William Dillenback, aged 57 years, died at her home in this village this morning following an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Dillenback was one of Fort Plain's best known ladies and was highly respected and esteemed by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. She was a daughter of Hiram and Nancy Brookman and had been a resident of this town all her life, having been born at Brookman's Corners. She was a member of the Universalist Church. The deceased is survived by her husband, four sons, Eugene of Brookman's Corners and Grant, Sherman and Rufus, all of this village; two brothers, Edward and John Brookman of Brookman's Corners, and two sisters, Mrs. Solomon Dillenback of Brookman's Corners and Mrs. Frank Hufnail of this village. The funeral will be held from the late home on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. H. E. Gilchrist, pastor of the Universalist Church, officiating.

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WILL BE MISSED AT FORT PLAIN  
**Death of Mrs. William Dillenback Removes  
Descendant of Old Family of Town**

Fort Plain, July 23—Mrs. William Dillenback, a well-known and estimable woman of this village, died at her home this morning. The deceased was the wife of former County Superintendent of the Poor William Dillenback of this village. She had been in poor health for a long time. She was a native of the town of Minden, and her whole life had been passed in this town. Deceased was 57 years of age, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Brookman. She was connected by birth and marriage with one of the oldest families in this town. Mrs. Dillenback was beloved by family and friends, and she will be greatly missed. She was a member of the Universalist Church of this village. She is survived by her husband; four sons, Eugene of Brookman's Corners, Grant, Sherman and Rufus of this village; two daughters, Mrs. Clifford Young of Albany and Mrs. William Hudson of this town; two brothers, John and Edward Brookman [unreadable] and two sisters, Mrs. Solomon Dillenback and Mrs. Frank E. Hufnail. The funeral will be held from her home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. Elmer Gilchrist, pastor of the Universalist Church of this village, officiating.

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