

[Farmer, Minerva J. Pealer]

MRS. MINERVA J. FARMER
Died in Nelliston After Extended Illness

Fort Plain, Nov. 7.—Mrs. Minerva J. Farmer, aged 75 years, died at her home in Nelliston after being in poor health for some time past. The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Pealer. She was twice married, her first husband being Hiram Swan, who died within a year after the marriage. She was married in 1871 to Thomas J. Farmer, who died several years ago. Mrs. Farmer had lived in Nelliston all her life and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. The survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Irving [Gertrude S.] Casler of Nelliston and Mrs. Earl Zimmerman of Syracuse; one son, the Rev. Thomas J. Farmer of Auburn, Me.; two brothers and one sister, Jerry Pealer, C. Adelbert Pealer and Mrs. Louise Bruggencate, all of Nelliston. The funeral services will be held from the late home on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. Herbert Frank Moulton, pastor of the local Universalist Church, and the Rev. Thomas J. Farmer of Auburn, Me., officiating. The interment will be made in the Fort Plain Cemetery.

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