

[Knapp, Leon B.]

LEON B. KNAPP

Leon B. Knapp, 58, died unexpectedly Wednesday evening at his home on 10 Cross St.

He was born in Knappville, N.Y., on January 11, 1896, the son of Katherine Zimmerman and Benjamin Knapp and had resided most of his life in Dolgeville, moving to St. Johnsville about five years ago where he had been employed at the Little Falls Felt Shoe Co.

He was a member of the Dolgeville Universalist Church, and a member of the St. Johnsville American Legion Post, as a veteran of World War 1, having served 22 months in France and in the 301st Supply Train.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Elmer Hauser, Dolgeville, Mrs. Redmond Smith, Richland, Wash., one aunt, Mrs. Wesley Knapp, Dolgeville; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held at 2 P.M. Saturday from the Lull Funeral Home, with Rev. Gale Bascomb, pastor of the Dolgeville Universalist Church, officiating. Burial will be in St. Johnsville Cemetery. The American Legion Post will hold military services at the cemetery.

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