

[Kougher, John J.]

KOUGHER RITES SET FOR TODAY

John J. Kougher, 77, died at his home in Freysbush section Saturday of a stroke.

He was born July 29, 1861, in the Town of Minden, son of James and Almira Alter Kougher. He was a resident of Freysbush all his life and followed the occupation of farming. He was a member of Mohawk Valley Temple, Knights of Pythias.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Gifford of Troy and Howard of Freysbush; one daughter, Mrs. Clarence Rockwell of Hessville; one brother, Irvin of the Town of Palatine, and five grandchildren and two nieces.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home. Rev. William A. Haney, pastor of the Universalist church of Fort Plain officiated. Knights of Pythias of Fort Plain also conducted services. Interment was in Fort Plain cemetery.

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