

[Price, Elma Casler]

MRS. ELMA PRICE

Fort Plain—Mrs. Elma Price, 57, died expectedly yesterday morning at an Albany Hospital, following an operation performed a few days ago.

Mrs. Price had been in the hospital for treatment since Jan. 2. She was born in the Town of Minden, July 21, 1873, daughter of the late James and Kate Casler of this town. She had resided in Fort Plain for (35?) years, and for a number of years was employed as a pastry cook at the New Giant when Delancey M. Wagner was proprietor. Since July 1 of last year she had been employed as a private cook for the family of Superintendent of Public Welfare Ralph E. Kessler of the Montgomery County Home. She was a member of the [unreadable] Woman's Relief Corps of Klock Post, G.A.R. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robert W. [Amelia] Van Camp and Mrs. Leland R. Young, and one grandson, Ivan Van Camp, all of Fort Plain.

The body was brought to Fort Plain yesterday afternoon [unreadable] taken to the home on Reid Street. The funeral will be held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert W. Van Camp, Reid Street, Friday afternoon at 2, the Rev. Rufus H. Dix, pastor of the Universalist Church, officiating. Interment will be made in the Fort Plain Cemetery.

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