

[Roof, James A.]

James A. Roof

Fort Plain, April 25.—The body of James A. Roof, who died at the home of Mrs. William Sitterly [in Herkimer], will be brought to this village and the funeral services held at the Catherine Nellis Memorial chapel at 2:30 o'clock, Friday afternoon, the Rev. Mr. [Frank] Hokerk, pastor of the Herkimer Universalist church, officiating. The interment will be in the Fort Plain cemetery. Mr. Roof was 68 years old. He had been seriously ill since the first of the year, when he was stricken with paralysis. He was a native of Fort Plain but had resided in Canajoharie for a long time. The survivors are one son, George S. Roof, of Herkimer, and one brother, Augustus Roof, of New York.

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