

[Walrath, Burton Jacob]

Burton J. Walrath

FORT PLAIN, Sept. 2.—Burton J. Walrath, aged 50 years, a well known resident of the town of Minden, died Saturday afternoon at the Montgomery sanatorium at Swart Hill. Mr. Walrath had been a patient at the hospital for about two weeks. For a number of years he was a rural mail carrier from the Fort Plain office. For several years he has resided on the hill road about one mile from Fort Plain. He was a member of Mohawk Valley lodge, No. 66, Knights of Pythias. Mr. Walrath was a son of the late Amos and Mary E. Pickard Walrath, and had always lived in this section. He is survived by his wife [Fleda] and two daughters [Ruth Belle and Lila May Walrath], also a sister, Mrs. Alvah [Luella] Sanders and a brother, Wesley Walrath, of Keesler's Corners. The funeral services, in charge of the Knights of Pythias, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Catherine Nellis Memorial chapel, the Rev. Dr. Herbert Frank Moulton, pastor of the Universalist church, officiating. The interment was in the Fort Plain cemetery.

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