

[Walrath, Fred R.]

FRED R. WALRATH

Fort Plain, Jan. 8—Fred R. Walrath, a well known and respected farmer of this town, residing on the River Road, died at his home [unreadable] Friday afternoon after having been in poor health for about a year. During the past summer he underwent an operation in hopes of improving his health. He had resided here for the greater part of his life and had many friends who will regret his death. He was 58 years old. Besides his widow [born Anna Mae Zimmerman] the deceased is survived by one son, Lester E. Walrath; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Paris and Miss Bertha Walrath of this town; one brother, Charles Walrath of St. Johnsville; one sister, Mrs. George Zimmerman of this town; also two grandchildren, Ada and George Paris. The funeral will be held from the home Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, the Rev. H. F. Moulson [Herbert Frank Moulton], D.D., pastor of the Universalist Church, officiating. The interment will be made in the Fort Plain Cemetery.

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