

[Washburn, Ada Marie Thomas]

MRS. F. M. WASHBURN

Death of Mrs. F. M. Washburn, 75, occurred on Saturday, Jan. 5, at her home at 52 Dolbeer street, following a long illness.

Ada Marie Thomas was born in Java village on April 28, 1876, a daughter of John and Miranda Rogers Thomas. When a small child she came with her parents and sister to reside in Perry. She attended Perry school and was later graduated from the Oberlin College, school of Music.

IN 1902 she was united in marriage to Dr. F. M. Washburn of Perry. They resided at 33 Lake street where her husband also had his dental office. The residence is now the home and office of Dr. Willard Chapin. This was their home until her husband's death in July, 1931. Mrs. Washburn and her sister, Mrs. J. D. Flynn, who passed away in March, 1950, made their home together at the present residence.

Mrs. Washburn was an active member of the Universalist Church and several local organizations for many years, and gave freely of her talents, time and efforts. As chairman of the Perry branch of the American Red Cross, she served faithfully before and during World War II. She was a member of Mutual Friends and a charter member of the Perry Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star as was also Dr. Washburn. Both had been active members of the Silver Lake Golf and Country Club.

Surviving are several cousins including Mrs. Marion Kramer of East Aurora, who has tenderly cared for her during her lingering illness.

Private services were held from her late home on Dolbeer street on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Fred LeShane officiating. Interment was in Glenwood cemetery.

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