

[Washburn, Charles C.]

Charles Washburn Dies

Charles C. Washburn, 84, died late Thursday night in the Ft. Plain Nursing Home where he had been a patient one week. He had been ill six years with a heart ailment.

He was born in Ft. Plain Jan. 7, 1868, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank [and Olive Green] Washburn. He was a member of the Ft. Plain Universalist Church, and of Welcome Lodge, F&AM of Amsterdam in which he was a 60-year member. He was also a member of Cypress Temple of Albany.

As a young man he was bookkeeper of the B.H. and B. Elwood Silk Mill in Ft. Plain and later he was president of the Van Brocklin-Stover Knitting Mill in Amsterdam until the business was liquidated 20 years ago. Since that time he has resided in Ft. Plain.

The only survivors are one brother, Harry Washburn of New York City and nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Gray Funeral Home Sunday afternoon at 2:30. The Rev. Lyman Achenbach of the Universalist Church will officiate. Burial will be made in Ft. Plain Cemetery.

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