

[Weakley, Emma Tompkins]

EMMA WEAKLEY DIES AT HOME IN FORT PLAIN

FORT PLAIN—Mrs. Emma Weakley, 71, wife of Fred Weakley, died Sunday night at her Canal street home after several months illness.

Mrs. Weakley, with her husband, for 23 years operated the New American hotel until they retired from the business 12 years ago. She was born Emma Tompkins, March 2, 1880, in the Town of Norway, Herkimer County, but resided in Fort Plain for 47 years.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Kiley Kirkpatrick; two grandsons, Fred and Joseph Kirkpatrick, and three great grandchildren, all of Fort Plain.

Funeral services will be at 2 P.M. tomorrow in the Swartz funeral home with the Rev. Lyman Ackenbach [Achenbach] of the Universalist church officiating. Burial will be in Fort Plain cemetery.

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