

[Weiskotten, Ethel DeVoe]

MRS. ETHEL WEISKOTTEN

Mrs. Ethel DeVoe Weiskotten, 76, of 1615 Genesee St., died Saturday in Faxton Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born in Fort Plain, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel DeVoe. She was married to E. Mercer Weiskotten on May 27, 1916, in Fort Plain. He was assistant engineer for the State Department of Public Works and supervised the building of every lock in the Barge Canal between Fort Plain and Oswego. He died in 1958.

Mrs. Weiskotten was educated in the Fort Plain school system and attended Dean Academy in Franklyn [sic], Mass. She later taught physical education in Albany schools.

She was a member of the Church of Reconciliation [Universalist].

She leaves a sister-in-law, Mrs. Frieda W. O'Leary, of Elmira; four cousins, Dorothy Himes, West Palm Beach, Fla., Clotilde Freeman, Bellevue, Wash., Mrs. Edna Bauder White and Harry D. Bauder, both of Fort Plain.

The funeral will be at 10:30 Tuesday from the Lankton, Townsend and Cronk Funeral Home, 12 Steuben Park, with the Rev. Greta Wurstell, pastor of the Church of Reconciliation officiating. Burial will be in the Fort Plain Cemetery.

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