## [Blowers, Blanche Geesler]

## Blanche Bowers [Blowers], Fort Plain, Dies

FORT PLAIN—Blanche Blowers, 61, widow of Arthur Blowers, died Saturday morning at the home of [her] sister, Mrs. Leon Perry, 12 Judson St., Binghamton, following a lingering illness.

Born at Fort Plain, Jan. 2, 1892, she was the daughter of Jacob and Eleanor Schenck Geesler. A life-long resident of Fort Plain, she was a member of the Universalist Church of the Messiah, its Chapin Club, and Mohawk Valley Lodge, Pythian Sisters.

She leaves one sister, Mrs. Perry; one niece, Mrs. Helen Boyle, Binghamton; two nephews, Edward Perry, Binghamton, [and] Fayette Rickard, Rome.

Pythian Sisters will conduct services at the Swartz funeral home tonight. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at the funeral home at 2 o'clock and will be conducted by the Rev. Lyman Achenbach, pastor of the Universalist Church. The body will be placed into the Catherine Nellis Memorial vault until spring when burial will be made in Fort Plain Cemetery.

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