January 21, 1932

Janet

Mrs. George Pratt Dies at Her Home at Putney

Mrs. George Pratt, mother of Frank Pratt, living north of Groton, near Putney, died at her home, Monday, from complications of the heart. She had not been enjoying good health for several years, but her death came as an unexpected shock to the family and numberless friends. She had been ill three weeks.

The deceased was born in Ontario, Canada, Jan. 3, 1851, and was 81 years of age at the time of her death. She and her husband came to South Dakota in 1906 and settled southwest of Groton, and she has since been a resident of this vicinity.

She was married January 10, 1877, to George Pratt at Rockford, Ill., and to this union were born six children, three of whom preceded her in death. Those left are Mrs. H. F. Reid, of Orleans, Neb., Mrs. Henry Graham, Rockton, Ill., and Frank Pratt of Groton.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from the Presbyterian church with Rev. E. W. Spence conducting it, and the remains will be laid to rest in Groton cemetery.