Alvina Petersohn
Elgin

Alvina M. Petersohn, 89, of Elgin died Wednesday, Jan. 29, in St. Anthony’s Hospital, Rockford, of burns she sustained in her home on Sunday. She was born March 9, 1896, in Bloomingdale Township, the daughter of William and Louise Benroth Pauling. She attended schools in Bloomingdale Township and had been employed in housekeeping in Glen Ellyn for many years. She married Albert Petersohn March 7, 1918. They farmed in Cloverdale until 1942, when they moved to the Bartlett area and then to Elgin in 1953. She was a member of St. Paul’s... (text is cut off here)

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An 89 year old Elgin woman who was critically burned in a fire in her home Sunday died early today. Mrs. Alvina Petersohn of 626 Lavoi died at 2:10 am in the burn unit of St Anthony Hospital, Rockford. She was born March 9, 1896 in Bloomingdale Township the daughter of William and Louise Bentroth Pauling. She attended schools in Bloomingdale Township and had been employed in housekeeping in Glen Ellyn for many years. She married Albert Petersohn March 7, 1918. They farmed in Cloverdale until 1942 when they moved to the Bartlett area and then to Elgin in 1953. She was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ in Elgin. Surviving are a daughter-in-law Clara Petersohn of Lily Lake, 2 grandsons, a grand daughter and 3 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1985; a son, Earl, 2 sisters, Gertrude and Amanda, and a brother, Edward. The Rev. Robert Ruse will officiate. Burial will be in Lakewood Memorial Park.

Alvina M. Petersohn, 89, of Elgin, died Wednesday, Conley Funeral Home, Elburn.

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