Ethel Frances Surber Via

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Ethel Via

TALCOTT (RNS) — Mrs. Ethel Frances Via, 71, died Tuesday in a Hinton hospital after a long illness.

Born in Summers County, Oct, 5, 1902, she was a daughter of the late William Wesley Surber and Effic Long.

She was a member of Rollingsburg Baptist Church and Talcott Chapter 139, Order of Eastern Star.

She was a retired employe of Summers County School system and a member of Summers County Retired Teachers Association.

Survivors include her husband, Robert E.; one son, Robert E. Jr. of Stuttgart, Germany; one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Kadle of Hinton, and three grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in E. M. Meadows Funeral Parlors in Hinton with the Rev. Dana Stalnaker in charge. Burial will be in Greenbrier Burial Park.

Friends may call 5 to 9 p.m. Saturday.