

## DECATUR LADY DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. John P. Spuller Dies At The Earl Butler Home Monday

Mrs. Martha Druzilla Luckey Spuller, widow of the late John P. Spuller, lifelong resident of Adams county, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler in this city Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Death was said to have due to apoplexy.

Mrs. Spuller had been in failing health for the last few years, but her death was unexpected as she had arisen at her usual time Monday morning and had eaten breakfast. Following the stroke yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Spuller lived only a short time.

Martha Druzilla Luckey Spuller was born in Union township, October 8, 1861. She was the daughter of George W. and Druzilla Arnold Luckey. When 12 years of age Mrs. Spuller united with the Chapel United Brethren church.

On March 18, 1875, the deceased was united in marriage to John P. Spuller, and they continued to reside in Union township. Three children were born, two of whom are surviving. They are, Dallas Spuller of Union township and Mrs. Earl Butler of this city. A son Willis died in 1908.

Following the death of Mr. Spuller in 1906, Mrs. Spuller moved to Decatur where she spent the remainder of her life. Mrs. Spuller was a devoted member of the Evangelical church of this city, and was a regular attendant at the church services.

Besides the two children, three brothers survive. They are G. W. A. Luckey of Washington, D. C.; The Rev. L. W. A. Luckey, New York City and The Rev. J. Thomas W. Luckey of Marion, Indiana. Three sisters preceded her in death. They were: Mary Kern, Louisa Brock and Lavina Cline. Four grandchildren also survive. Their names are, Clarence, Paul and Dorothy Spuller, and Marth Erma Butler.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Evangelical church in this city. Burial will be made at the Salem Cemetery, east of Decatur. The Rev. M. W. Sunderman will officiate.