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Mrs. John Parrish Dies This Morning Prominent Decatur Woman Dies Today

Mrs. Nelle Parrish, wife of John R. Parrish, and a prominent Decatur resident, died at 4 o'clock this morning at the Adams county memorial hospital, following a cerebral hemorrhage suffered last Friday evening.

Mrs. Parrish, who resided practically her entire life in Decatur, taught for a number of years i the Decatur and Huntington public schools, also at the Monroe and Monmouth schools. She was a graduate of the Decatur high school and the state normal school at Terre Haute.

She was born in Decatur April 11, 1875, a daughter of Henry and Sarah Mangold-Krick, and was married to John R. Parrish July 5, 1906.

Mrs. Parrish, active her entire life in church and civic activities, was a member of the First Methodist church. A member of the women's society of Christian service of the church, the Decatur Woman's club and the Research club, she had served as president of all three organizations.

Surviving are her husband, a teacher in the Lincoln school; one daughter, Mrs. Miriam Hall of Fort Wayne; one son, Ronald Parrish of Decatur; seven grandchildren; four brothers, Frank, George, Walter J. and Virgil Krick, all of Decatur, and two sisters, Mrs. Kate Butler of Fort Wayne and Miss Agnes Krick of Detroit, Mich. Two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Nicholson and Mrs. Dessie Dolch, are deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Methodist church, Dr. Gerald H. Jones officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur cemetery. The body will remain at the Zwick funeral home where friends may call after 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The casket will not be opened at the church.