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HOWARD A. RAVER

DECATUR, Ind. - Howard A. (Tate) Raver, 73, of Decatur, died Saturday in Adams County Memorial Hospital. He had been in failing health for the past two years.

Born February 13, 1898 in Wells County, Ind., he was the son of John and Martha (Nash) Raver. He was a member of the Nuttman Ave. United Brethren Church in Decatur, and had operated the South End Grocery in Decatur for 36 years prior to his retirement two years ago due to illness.

Mr. Raver was the father of Richard L. Raver of Van Wert.

Also surviving are his widow, Gladys; a brother, Gerald of Logansport, Ind.; and a granddaughter.

Funeral services were to have been at 2 p.m. today at the church with the Rev. Sylvester Martin officiating. Burial was to have been in the Decatur Cemetery.

The Zwick Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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