

John B. Rice Dead

Well Known Horse Buyer Passed Away on Sunday Afternoon at Home Here

Ill Several Weeks; From Carcinoma of the Liver

Funeral Service Tuesday at 2:30 O'clock

John B. Rice, well known resident of South Sixth street, passed away Sunday at 12:30 o'clock after an illness which dated back several months, having been confined to his home much of the time. Mr. Rice was born in Adams county, August 29, 1853, making his age at death sixty-seven years, eight months and twenty-two days.

He had been a resident of this county since birth and was known to many people, having been a horse buyer and traveled over this section purchasing animals for sale purposes. He was twice married, the first union being to Miss Saloma Pillars. Following her death several years ago he remained a widower until last winter, when he was again united in marriage to Mrs. Bell Robison, who survives. There are no children. James M. Rice and David M. Rice, of Decatur, are brothers and Mrs. Jonas Cline of Decatur and Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner of Fort Wayne are sisters.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from the Methodist church, Rev. Charles Tinkham officiating. Burial will be at the Decatur cemetery.