

MOTHER OF WREN MAN PASSES AWAY

MRS. MARTHA ELIZABETH ROOP, WIFE OF RICHARD ROOP, of Decatur, Indiana, died at the Adams County Memorial Hospital from cerebral apoplexy. She had been in failing health for several years and critical for the last 10 days. A life long resident of Adams Co. and Decatur, she was a daughter of John R, and Jane Strickler-Drummond.

Surviving in addition to her husband are one daughter Mrs. Joe Linn of Decatur, two sons, Ralph J. Roop of Decatur and George J. Roop of Wren; seven grandchildren; five great grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. George W. Kramer of Decatur R D 1.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Black funeral home at 2:00 at Bethany Evangelical United Brethren Church, of which she was a member. Rev. R. H. Willard officiated. Burial was in Decatur Cemetery.

Unknown newspaper dated Monday, July 10, 1950 (Found in Van Wert Co, Ohio library)

MRS. RICHARD ROOP DIES THIS MORNING

Funeral Services Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Roop, wife of Richard Roop, of 120 South Eighth Street, died at 7:55 o'clock this morning at the Adams County Memorial Hospital. Death was caused by cerebral apoplexy. She had been in failing health for several years and critical for the past 10 days.

A lifelong resident of Adams County and Decatur, she was a daughter of John B. and Jane Strickler-Drummond. She was married to Richard Roop Sept 6, 1894.

She was a member of the Bethany Evangelical United Brethren church.

Surviving in addition to her husband are one daughter, Mrs. Joe Linn of Decatur; two sons, Ralph J. Roop of Decatur and George Roop of Wren, O.; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. George W. Kramer of Decatur rural route one. One son and one great-grandchild preceded her in death.