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Heart Attack Fatal To Mrs. Wilkinson Funeral Services Monday Afternoon

Mrs. Minervia Wilkinson, 88, widow of the late John Wilkinson, died of a heart attack as she was walking through a corridor at the Adams county home at 6 o'clock Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wilkinson had resided at the county home for the past two years. Apparently in good health, she had partaken of the evening meal and was walking to her room when seized by the fatal attack.

A member of a well known Decatur family, Mrs. Wilkinson was born in Blanchester, Ohio, December 26, 1860, a daughter of Emanuel and Jane Elzey Woods. Her father was a road contractor in this city. She was a member of the American Legion auxiliary.

Surviving is one son, Warren Wilkinson of this city. One son, four brothers and one sister are deceased. Four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren also survive.

The body was moved to the Black funeral home, where friends may call after 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Funeral services will be held at the funeral home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, with Dr. Gerald Jones, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur cemetery.

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