

Decatur Daily Democrat, Adams County, IN; Thursday, 9 July 1936

Robert Edward Brown, 45, lifelong resident of Adams county, died suddenly at 2 o'clock this morning at his home one mile east of Decatur. Death was due to heart trouble. Mr. Brown had not been ill previous to his death. He had visited with neighbors Wednesday evening and was in his usual good health. He suffered a heart attack shortly before 2 o'clock this morning and did not regain consciousness.

Mr. Brown engaged in farming. He and his family had moved to a farm near Decatur from Monroe in early March. He was a member of the Winchester United Brethren Church.

He was born in Peterson on September 19, 1890, a son of Robert and Katheryn Brown. He was united in marriage to Bessie Lobsiger of Monroe, who survives.

Survivors include, besides the widow, the mother, Mrs. Katheryn Brown of Midland, Michigan; two children, Harry McGee and Dixie Joan, at home; two sisters, Mrs. Sam Deihl of Decatur, Mrs. Lucy Miller of Gary, a brother, John Brown of Bay City, Michigan; two half-brothers, Oscar Brown of Decatur; James Brown of Peterson; two half sisters, Mrs. Lizzie McGill of Decatur, and Mrs. K. Lenhart of Jackson, Michigan, and three step sisters, Tena, Bessie and Pearl of Midland. Two children are deceased.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home, east of Decatur and at 2 o'clock at the Winchester United Brethren church with Rev. George Sill of Rockford, Ohio, officiating. Burial will be made in the Ray cemetery at Monroe.

The body will be returned to the home from the S. E. Black funeral home this evening and may be viewed after 7 o'clock.

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