

Two Funerals Are Held Today

Services for Drowning Victims Held at United Brethren Church

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucinda Johnson and Richard Harker, drowning victims, who lost their lives in the Cline sand pit Sunday afternoon, were held today at the United Brethren church.

The funeral for Mrs. Johnson was held at 10 o'clock this morning with Rev. R. E. Vance officiating. Burial was made in the Ray Cemetery, west of Monroe. Members of the D. Y. B. class of the United Brethren Sunday School, of which the deceased was a member, attended the services in a body.

Services for Mr. Harker were held this afternoon at 1:45 o'clock at the home, 815 West Jefferson street, and at two o'clock at the United Brethren church. Rev. R. E. Vance, pastor, officiated and burial was made in the Decatur cemetery.

The double tragedy occurred Sunday when the couple, together with friends and relatives, went to the sand pit to swim. Mrs. Johnson, who was unable to swim, slipped off a sand bar into deep water. Mr. Harker attempted to rescue her and both were drowned. Mrs. Johnson suffered a hemorrhage as she was removed from the water.