

MONDAY RITES HELD FOR MRS. BURKE'S FATHER

Father of Mrs. Richard (Mary Ann) Burke of Ossian, James N. Gilbert, 67, of Decatur, a retired All-American Homes Inc., employe died at 6:10 a.m. Saturday in Decatur Hospital following an extended illness.

Services were Monday at the Winteregg, Linn and Haggard Funeral Home with Rev. Matthew Worthman officiating. Burial was in the Salem United Church of Christ Cemetery at Magley.

Born in Decatur May 18, 1909, Mr. Gilbert was a son of William and Rhoda Smith Gilbert and was married July 2, 1932 to Emma Bloemker, who died April 30, 1973.

Surviving are six other children, Edgar, Robert and James Gilbert, all of Decatur, Norma Newhard of Springfield, Ill., Mrs. Kenneth (Edith) Springer of Fort Wayne, Marilyn L. Gilbert of Decatur; three sisters, Mrs. Paul (Viola) Wietfeldt of Decatur, Mrs. Harvey (Marcella) Sudduth of South Milford and Mrs. William (Clarice) Yake of Sturgis, Mich., and 14 grandchildren.