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WIFE OF JOHN BOLLENBACHER DIES SATURDAY

Mother of Local Woman is Victim of Cancer

FUNERAL IS TUESDAY P.M.

Mrs. Emma Bollenbacher, aged 56, wife of John Bollenbacher of Jefferson twp., died Saturday morning at 12:30 o'clock at the Adams County Memorial Hospital, following an operation for cancer last Thursday morning. Mrs. Bollenbacher had been failing for some months, but her condition did not become serious until a week or ten days ago. She suffered much during her illness.

Mrs. Bollenbacher's husband was formerly trustee of Jefferson twp. and the family is well known here.

Mrs. Bollenbacher was born on April 1, 1878, in Mercer County, O., a daughter of Jacob and Caroline Schott Bollenbacher. On Aug. 9, 1900 she was married to John Bollenbacher. Soon after their wedding they moved to Jefferson twp., Adams Co., where they resided since.

Surviving are the husband and the following children: Victor, Jefferson twp.; Mrs. Helen Kuhn, Jefferson twp.; Lucille and Ralph, at home; and Mrs. Chester (Esther) Heare of Berne. One son, Martin, is deceased.

The following sisters and brothers remain: Mrs. Phoebe Garres, Van Wert; Alolph, Merrill, Mich.; Mrs. Henrietta Garres, Van Wert; Fred, Celina; William, Jefferson twp.; John and Mrs. Elizabeth Bollenbacher, Celina; Mrs. Miriam Baker, Berne; Mrs. Hulda Linn, Rockford; Dan, Celina and Jacob, Rockford.

One brother and three sisters preceded.

The deceased was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 p.m. at the house and at 2 o'clock, EST, at the Zion Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl Yahl officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

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