

**Dated Thursday, October 5, 1967**

Bertha Kilbourne dies at hospital

Mrs. Bertha A Kilbourne, 83, member of a prominent pioneer Adams county family, died at 4:02 p.m. Thursday at the Adams county memorial hospital where she had been a patient for the last 10 months.

She was born in Decatur July 12, 1884, a daughter of Civil War veteran Ulrich and Magdalena Bremerkamp-Deininger. She had resided in Fort Wayne and Rome City for 30 years prior to returning to Decatur.

Mrs. Kilbourne was a member of St. Gaspar Catholic church in Rome City, and the rosary society of the church.

Surviving are one brother, Richard Deininger; one sister, Mrs. Frances Terveer of Decatur; four nephews, Dr. John Terveer of Los Angeles, Calif., David Terveer of Decatur, Thomas Terveer of Alliance, O., and Phillip Terveer of Virginia Beach, Va.; and three nieces, Mrs. James Miller of Decatur, Mrs. Cletus Runschlag of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Ivan Hakes of Decatur. One brother and one sister are deceased.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Catholic church, with Rt. Rev. Msgr. Simeon Schmitt officiating. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery. Friends may call at the Gillig-Doan & Sefton funeral home after 7 p.m. Saturday until time of the services. The rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Sunday.

**Transcribed by Janice Vasilovski**