

POLLY GAUNT DIES TODAY

Aged Adams County Woman Dies At Home Of Grandson Today

Mrs. Polly Gaunt, 84, a resident of Adams county for the last 70 years, died at the home of her grandson, Wayne Gaunt, seven miles east of Decatur on state road 224.

Death was due to complications. Mrs. Gaunt died at 9 o'clock this morning following an extended illness. She had been bedfast for the last five months.

Mrs. Gaunt was born in Van Wert county, Ohio, November 19, 1849, a daughter of James and Mary Neiford Swygart. She was united in marriage to Lafayette Gaunt who preceded her in death 24 years ago. One child was born to the union, Ola L. Gaunt, who died 12 years ago.

Surviving are the daughter-in-law, Mrs. Goldie Gaunt of Fort Wayne; two brothers, Elzey Swygart of Portland, and Sam Swygart of Oxford, Kansas; three grandsons and a granddaughter and seven great grandchildren. Ten brothers and sisters are deceased.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Calvary Evangelical Church of which she was a member. Rev. M. W. Sundermann, pastor, will officiate and burial will be at the Mt. Tabor cemetery.

The body will be removed to the Wayne Gaunt home from the S. E. Black funeral home this evening.