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AMANDA MOATS DIES AT HOSPITAL

Lifelong Resident of Adams County Dies Last Night; Age 71 Years

Mrs. Amanda Archer Moats, 71, lifelong resident of Adams County died at the Adams County Memorial hospital at 6:20 o'clock last night, following an illness of several weeks. Gangrene was said to have been the cause of the death.

Amanda Archer Moats was born in St. Marys Township, July 15, 1856. She was the daughter of Aaron and Susanna Archer. In early life, she was united in marriage to William W. Moats, who preceded her in death several years ago.

For the last 30 years, Mrs. Moats has been a resident of Decatur. No children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Moats, but a foster son, Clarence Moore, who resided with Mrs. Moats on North Ninth street, survives. Three brothers, C. H. Archer, of Spencerville, Ohio; Jerry Archer of Midland, Michigan and Albert Archer of Fort Wayne, and a sister, Mrs. Isabel Winans of near Pleasant Mills, also survive.

Mrs. Moats was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of this city. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home and at 1:30 o'clock at the Methodist church. Burial will be made in the Mt. Tabor cemetery. The Rev. R. W. Stoakes will have charge of the services.