

Fort Wayne News & Sentinel, Allen County, Indiana; June 9, 1919

PIONEER DIES

DECATUR, Ind. June 9 - Prenetta, widow of Samuel Springer, died this morning, at 8 o'clock at the home of her son, Orlando Springer, at Bobo, where she had made her home for the past fourteen months. Death was due to infirmities of age, with dropsical complications, and she had been practically helpless for many months. Had she lived until next July, she would have been 88 years of age. Her husband succumbed many months ago. Surviving children are: Orlando Springer, of Bobo; Mrs. Charles Miller of Union township; Mrs. Ida Brown of this city and John Springer, of Fort Wayne.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. SPRINGER

DECATUR, Ind. June 10 - Funeral services for Mrs. Samuel Springer of Bobo will be held at the Methodist Church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Her death resulted yesterday from infirmities of age. She was 88 years of age.

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Prenetta [sic] Springer, aged about 88 years, widow of Samuel Springer, who has been making her home with her son, Orlando for the past fourteen months, died at the home of her son, at Bobo, about 8 o'clock this morning, death being due to infirmities and complications. She is survived by four children. Funeral services for the deceased will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the Rivarrie M. E. Church.

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