

MRS. GALLOWAY DIES ON SUNDAY

Funeral here Wednesday, for Mrs. Ida May Galloway, 78.

Mrs. Ida May Galloway, 78, former local woman and widow of the late James Galloway, died at 5:45 o'clock Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mamie Dix at Toledo, Ohio. Death was caused by complications and infirmities. She suffered a stroke sometime ago and gradually failed since then. She had been in ill health for several years.

Mrs. Galloway was born south-east of Berne on March 15, 1867, a daughter of Peter and Catharine (Tindall) Aumiller. She was married to James Galloway, March 4, 1887. He preceded more than 45 years ago and Mrs. Galloway made her home with her daughter at Toledo, for many years.

Surviving are two sons Riley and Russell, both of Portland; two daughters, Mrs. Mamie Dix and Mrs. Hazel Herfordt, both of Toledo, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Buckey of southeast of Berne, and Mrs. Ann Blowers of Geneva. Twelve grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren also survive.

The husband, a sister, Mrs. Daisy Roe, and another sister in infancy, preceded her.

The body is being brought back to Berne. It may be view at the Yager Funeral Home after Tuesday noon. The Funeral will be held Wednesday at 3:00 o'clock at the Mennonite Church with the Rev. Olin Krehbiel officiating. Burial will be in the Crawford Cemetery, southeast of Berne.

Ida May was reared in Wabash township of Adams Co. in the Christian home of her Father and Mother, Peter and Sarah Aumiller along with her five brothers and two sisters. Their home was located on family land that had been in the family since the 1830's was known as Petersburg by the friends and landowners in the area. After she reached the age of twenty, she fell in love married the neighbor boy, Jim Galloway. Six children were born into this family and the youngest, Mamie, only three months old when their Father was gravely ill. He had tuberculosis and James was sick several months when he died in July of 1899. Before he died he requested to be baptized.

The next few years were extremely hard for this family, but Grandma Galloway was a remarkable Lady and with the help of the good Lord they made it through these hard time. They lived a few miles away into Jefferson township, where Ida had purchased 12 acres of land with the money she received from the estate of her brother, David. They had their own home and lived there until they moved to the Aumiller property, when Ida May received 33 and a third acres from her Father. All her brothers and sisters made their home next to each other on the Peter Aumiller farm. Ida with the help of Andy Blowers and all the neighbors built a nice home back a long lane located in the woods. This was to become her last home.

Berne Witness, Adams County, IN; Monday, Nov. 19, 1945

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