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Attack of the Heart Causes Sudden Death of Mrs. Harvey D. Ride Today Had Eaten Dinner

An attack of the heart that seized her in swift fatality at 12:30 o'clock today caused the sudden death of Rose Kuntz Rice, wife of City Mail Carrier Harvey D. Rice, at their home on South Seventh street. Mrs. Rice had been ailing the greater part of the winter. While it was known that she had leakage of the heart and anaemia, her condition was not thought to be serious. She was about the house as usual today and had prepared dinner, and the family had partaken of it as usual. After dinner she walked to the front porch to get the milk and returning to the dining room was suddenly stricken. She sank into a chair and in a very few minutes, less than five minutes after the attack, and before the physician, who was summoned with all possible dispatch, could arrive, had breathed her last. Fortunately, Mr. Rice was at home at the time and all that could be done for her was accomplished, but to no avail.

Mrs. Rice, who was an exceedingly pleasant little woman and well liked by all that knew her, was just in the prime of life, having arrived at her thirty-first birth anniversary last March 18. She was born in Bellefontaine, Ind. in 1882, and when six weeks of age, went with her parents to Berne, where she lived until her marriage to Mr. Rice, August 22, 1910. Since their marriage they have lived in this city. While she resided in Berne she was employed as telephone operator and is widely known. Besides the husband and two little baby sons, Harvey Benjamin and Edward Merle, she leaves her mother, Mrs. Christena Kuntz of Berne, and the following brothers and sisters: Samuel Kuntz, Fort Wayne; Ulysses Kuntz, Monteith, Mich.; Edward, Frank and Bertha Kuntz, at home; Esther, wife of Ernest Bolds, of Robison, Ill. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

The remains were brought here from Decatur today and the funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon, at one o'clock at the home and two o'clock at the Evangelical church, Rev. D. A. Keley officiating.