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Elmer C. Rich

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Elmer C. Rich, 89, of Berne, a member of St. John's United Church of Christ, died Saturday, Nov. 18, 2000, at home. The Adams County native was a retired French Township farmer and also had worked for the Adams County Surveyor's Office for 20 years. He enjoyed collecting exotic birds and animals. Surviving are his son, Larry G. of Fort Wayne; a daughter, Darlene Gibson of Portland; nine grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Lucile; his second wife, Edna; and brothers Albert and Everett. Services are 3 p.m. Tuesday at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, with calling one hour before services and also from 4 to 8 p.m. today. Burial will be at M.R.E. Cemetery, Berne.