

Berne Witness, Adams County, Indiana; Friday, November 21, 1947

WIFE OF JOHN RINAKER DIES ON THURSDAY

Funeral Saturday Afternoon for Elderly Local Woman

Mary Catherine Myers Rinaker, 78, wife of John E. Rinaker of East Main street, died at 2:50 a.m. Thursday at the Adams County Memorial hospital. Death was caused by high blood pressure and heart complications according to the attending physician. Mrs. Rinaker was a patient at the hospital two weeks. When she was admitted she suffered from pneumonia but this had cleared up.

Mrs. Rinaker was improved considerably over the week-end but suffered a relapse Monday and her condition was critical since. She had been ill about six weeks.

Died on Anniversary

Mrs. Rinaker died on their 60th wedding anniversary. She was married to John E. Rinaker November 20, 1887, in Blue Creek township. She and her husband resided in Berne for many years. Mr. Rinaker is employed as janitor by the Economy Printing Concern.

Mrs. Rinaker was born in Blue Creek township October 21, 1869, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Myers. She was a lifelong resident of Berne and community.

Surviving are the husband; two sons, Floyd, Fort Wayne, and Alva, Berne; two brothers, John Myers, Willshire, Ohio, and Josiah Myers, Decatur.

A daughter, Mrs. Milton Gilliom, and a half-brother preceded in death.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Trinity Evangelical U. B. Church of which she was a member, following a short service at the house at 1:45. The Rev. C. P. Maas will officiate and burial will be in the M.R.E. Cemetery. The body was taken to the residence from the Yager Mortuary.

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