

OPAL DUHANE, 84, DIES THIS MORNING

Mrs. Opal Duhane, 84, who resided at the St. Anne's home, Fort Wayne, a former resident of Decatur, died at 2:50 a.m. today at the Adams County Memorial Hospital. She had been hospitalized three days. She was a member of the St. Mary's Catholic church, Rosary society and the Catholic Ladies of Columbia. Born in Geneva on Nov. 1, 1888, she was the daughter of George and Rose Pyle-Shoemaker, and was married to Thomas Duhane who died in 1964. She lived in Okmulgee, Oklahoma for 25 years and in the Berne area for 10 years. In 1965 she moved to Decatur, and the past 3 years made her home at the St. Ann's home in Fort Wayne. Surviving are three brothers, Guy Shoemaker of Largo, Florida, Andrew Shoemaker of Ottumwa, Iowa and Wilbur Shoemaker of Red Oak, Iowa. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the St. Mary's Catholic church with the Rev. Simeon Schmitt officiating. Burial will be in the Westlawn Cemetery. The rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Friday. Friends may call at the Winteregg-Linn Funeral Home after 2 p.m. Friday.