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Mrs. F. E. Lindsey Found Dead in Her Home

The body of Mrs. Minnie Lindsey was found in the basement of her home on High Street at 6:30 p.m. Friday. Apparently she died about noon that day while looking after the fire in her furnace. Mrs. Lindsey had spent the winter with her daughters in South Bend and Fort Wayne, returning to Geneva two weeks ago. The daughters had tried to dissuade her from coming home to live alone, so she told friends, she being 82 years of age and suffering from high blood pressure, but she was so anxious to get home again that the daughters finally relented. Mrs. Lindsey was born in Linn Grove, where she spent her youth, and was married to F. E. Lindsey, also a Linn Grove native. The young couple moved to Geneva where Mr. Lindsey operated a barber shop before his retirement a few years before his death in 1949. Mrs. Lindsey was a member of the Geneva E.U.B. church, and during her prime had been active in church and lodge circles. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Dickey of South Bend, and Mrs. Harold Garrett of Fort Wayne; three grandchildren, and three brothers, Frank and Arch Haughton of Geneva, and Mason Haughton of Fort Wayne. Funeral services were held 3 o'clock p.m. Monday at the Geneva E.U.B. church, Rev. A. B. McKain officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Cemetery. Previous to the funeral, the body lay in state in the Hardy and Hardy funeral home where it was viewed by her many friends.