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George Hakes Dies At Home Saturday

Funeral Services Tuesday Afternoon

George O. Hakes, 68, Decatur building contractor, died at 11:15 o'clock Saturday night at his home, 728 Walnut street, following a six months illness of a heart ailment.

He was born June 5, 1884, at Willshire, O., a son of William and Irene Montgomery-Hakes, and had lived in Decatur for the past 30 years.

Mr. Hakes was a member of the Pleasant Mills Methodist church.

Surviving are his wife, Lydia; two daughters, Mrs. Oscar Edwards of Decatur and Mrs. Jack Havens of Fort Wayne; one son, Paris Hakes of Decatur; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two brothers, Harrison Hakes of Decatur and Walter Hakes of Elkhart, and two sister, Mrs. Earl Hilyard and Mrs. Ada Hower, both of Decatur. Three brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the home, 728 Walnut street, the Rev. Luke Martin officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur cemetery. The body has been removed from the Gillig & Doan funeral home to the residence where friends may call until time of the services.