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E. IRENE HOFFMAN, 87, of Decatur died Monday in Woodcrest Retirement Center. The Cando, N.D., native was a retired registered nurse and widow of Harold J., who died in 1980. Surviving are a daughter, Jean Suelzer of Bowling Green, Ohio; a son, James H. of Las Vegas; and five grandchildren. Services are 10:30 a.m. Thursday in Zwick-Sefton & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, where calling is 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery. Memorials are to the Adams County Heart Club or Zion United Church of Christ, Decatur.