

MRS. JOHN MAGLEY DIES THIS MORNING

Mrs. Bernice Peterson Magley, 86, widow of John C. Magley and resident of 103 Marshall street, died at her home at 10:30 a.m. today.

Although she had been suffering from heart trouble and had been in failing health the past four months, death was unexpected. Her daughter, Mrs. Dora Marie Aughenbaugh, had been staying with her most of the time during her illness.

The daughter of Robert S. and Fanny C. Kunkel-Peterson, she was born Feb. 17, 1883 in Decatur. She was married at Hoagland Aug 9, 1901 to John C. Magley, who preceded her in death March 23, 1957.

For nearly 50 years the Magleys lived in Root township, where Mr. Magley farmed. They had six children, three of whom survive: Mrs. Aughenbaugh of Fort Wayne, J. Robert Magley of Warsaw and Calvin P. Magley of Decatur. An unnamed son who died at birth in 1902, a son Charles H. Magley and a daughter Mrs. Hattie Florence Breiner, preceded Mrs. Magley in death.

Of 12 brothers and sisters, one brother, Calvin E. Peterson and two sisters, Mrs. Grace Allwein and Miss Elizabeth Peterson, all of Decatur, survive. Mrs. Magley has 11 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

The body was taken to Zwick funeral home where arrangements are pending.