

**Mrs. Hattie Nelson Is Taken By Death
Funeral Services Thursday Afternoon**

Mrs. Hattie Elizabeth Nelson, 78, resident of Decatur for more than half a century, died suddenly at 5 o'clock Monday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Homer Bittner, 122 South Fourth street. Death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage.

She was born in Auglaize county, O., March 30, 1868, the daughter of Nathan and Thelma Parr-Watkins. Her husband, Isaac Nelson, former Decatur lumberman, died February 27, 1926.

She was a member of the Trinity Evangelical United Brethren church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Bittner and Mrs. Ralph E. Roop, both of Decatur; one son, Tracy Nelson of Fort Wayne; one sister, Mrs. Martin Thrush of St. John's, O.; a half-brother, Ralph Corson of Valparaiso and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Zwick funeral home and at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Evangelical United Brethren church with the Rev. Charles White officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur cemetery. The body may be viewed at the funeral home after 7 p.m. Wednesday.