

## TEEPLE RITES SET FOR SUNDAY

Former Decatur Mayor and Attorney Dies Suddenly of Heart Attack

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Decatur, July 10 - Judson W. Teeple, 79, former mayor of Decatur, died suddenly Thursday night at the Ellis apartment on South Second street.

Friend and legal adviser to the Ellis family, he called at the apartment but complained of feeling ill. He suffered a heart attack a few minutes after arriving at the apartment and efforts to revive him were futile. Coroner Robert Zwick said death was caused by angina pectoris, superinduced by the extreme heat.

Mr. Teeple was mayor from 1909 to 1913 after serving four years on the city council. He was prominent in Republican political activities and an active member of the Adams county bar association, of which he was the second oldest member, only Judge James T. Merryman exceeded him in years.

The deceased was admitted to the local bar in 1883.

Born in St. Mary's township October 29, 1856, a son of John and Catherine Teeple, the deceased spent his entire life in Adams county. In his early life, he followed the teaching profession for 15 years.

Surviving are a son, Ray Teeple of Fort Wayne; a sister, Mrs. Annise Moser of Wren O., and two brothers, Jack of Ashley and Benjamin of New York City.

Funeral services will be held at the Zwick funeral home at 2 p.m. Sunday, with the Rev. Harry Thompson officiating. Burial in the Decatur cemetery.