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MRS. BERTHA KAEHR DIES; Mother of Mrs. Amos Moser Dies Monday Night

Bluffton, April 29 - Mrs. Bertha Shurerk Kaehr, widow of Samuel Kaehr, who resided on East Ohio street, died at 5 p.m. Monday, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Olen Geisel, two miles east of this city. She had been ill the past year.

Mrs. Kaehr was born in DeKalb county, on May 2, 1877, a daughter of Carl and Lena Smith Shurerk. Her marriage to Samuel Kaehr took place in April, 1900. He preceded her in death on September 22, 1929.

The following sons and daughters survive: Mrs. William Steffen, Bluffton; John Kaehr of Bluffton; Mrs. Henry Williams of Fort Wayne; William Kaehr, Emma Kaehr, Ervin Kaehr, and Mrs. Olen Geisel, of Bluffton; Mrs. Harold Barger of Adams county; and Mrs. Amos Moser, of Berne. Two sons, Raymond and Lewis Kaehr, are deceased.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. today at the home, and at 2 p.m. at the Christian Apostolic church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

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