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HERBERT D. ATKINSON, 79, died Thursday at home. Born in Fort Recovery, Ohio, he retired in 1981 from Sheller-Globe Corp. in Portland after 36 years and was a World War II Army veteran. His wife, Florence E., died in 1997. Surviving are a son, Phillip of Portland; a daughter, Janet Bost of Portland; a brother, Roger of Dunkirk; three sisters, Rosemary Williams of Berne and Ruth Morgan and Nova Evans, both of Albany; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. Services at 11 a.m. Monday at Evangelical Methodist Church, Portland, with calling one hour before services. Calling also from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home, Portland Chapel. Burial in Hill Crest Cemetery, Redkey, with full military graveside rites. Memorials to Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana.

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