

Pearl Venus Broughton
March 17, 1880 - May 23, 1943

Exeter Native Dies At 63; Final Rites Held Tuesday P. M.
Mrs. Pearl Broughton is Called Following Two Year Illness

Albany—Funeral services for Mrs. Pearl Broughton, 63 years of age, native of Exeter township and a well known resident of the Attica vicinity, who passed away early Sunday morning in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, where she had been a patient for four months, were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon in the Sharer funeral home here.

Rev. C. W. Emery, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, and interment was in Hillcrest cemetery.

Mrs. Broughton, who had resided in the Albany vicinity for the past number of years, had been ill for about two years.

She was born in Exeter township, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, pioneer settlers in that community. On June 26, 1901, she was united in marriage to Walter J. Broughton. They resided on a farm a short distance northwest of Attica until his death which occurred March 28, 1927. Following the death of her husband, Mrs. Broughton made her home with her children.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Clayton Stephenson and Mrs. Roy Sellnow, Albany, and two sons, Donald Broughton, Attica, and Coburn Broughton, Albany; two brothers Jay Lewis, Albany, and Frank Lewis, Moline, Ill.; and several grandchildren.