

Joanne D. Kubly, 2

Victim of Meningitis

Funeral Rites Conducted for Mt. Pleasant Twp. Youth

Funeral services for Joanne Delores Kubly, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kubly, Mt. Pleasant township, who passed away at 9:15 Saturday morning in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, the victim of meningitis, an illness with which she became afflicted only two days before, were conducted at 1:30 Monday afternoon in the Abraham Kubly home, Mt. Pleasant township, and at 2 in the Monticello Evangelical and Reformed church.

Rev A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, officiated. Burial was in Highland cemetery.

Striking with lightning like suddenness which left friends and relatives of the family stunned with grief and sympathy, death claimed the life of the little girl after only two days of illness with the disease, the sixth case reported in Green county in 1940. The little girl first showed signs of illness Thursday and was taken to the hospital the following day. Expert medical care, however, failed to bring about the improvement which was so hoped for and she breathed her last Saturday morning.

Joanne was born in Monroe April 18, 1938, the daughter of Ralph F. and Arlene Ritschard Kubly. In June, 1938, she was baptized in the Monticello Evangelical and Reformed church by Rev. A. Muehlmeier.

She is survived by her parents; four grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Kubly, Mt. Pleasant township, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ritschard, Monroe; and two great-grandmothers, Mrs Elizabeth Jenny, New Glarus, and Mrs. Abraham Kubly, Sr., Monticello.