

DEATHS

Mrs. Karl Gretchen

Funeral services for Mrs. Karl (Marie) Gretchen 68, Philadelphia, Pa., were held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. in the Thomas Funeral Home with the Rev. Edward J. Finley officiating. Burial was in the Galveston Cemetery.

Mrs. Gretchen died unexpectedly Thursday Feb. 17 at Fort Wayne where she was visiting her daughter.

Born September 25, 1899 at New Albany, she was reared by Jeremiah and Healon (Hunt) Helatt. Her marriage was to Karl L. Gretchen, and he survives.

Mrs. Gretchen had lived in the vicinity of Kokomo prior to moving to Philadelphia in 1940.

Other survivors are one son, Hildreth Nearon, Galveston, one daughter, Mrs. Jenny Taylor, Ft. Wayne seven grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. one son, Harry died in 1955.