

W. O. Rice

W. O. Rice, 87, 915 E. Superior St., died in the Kokomo Nursing Home at 7:50 p.m. Wednesday following a six-month illness.

Born June 14, 1884, in Boone County, he was the son of Marlon and Mary E. (Lappln) Rice. He had lived in this vicinity since 1921 and was a former insurance agent for the Commonwealth Insurance Company. He had also farmed for a number of years in the Russiaville and Alto areas.

In 1904 he was married to Goldie Blacker, who preceded him in death in 1968. *16 Mai 1972*

Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Edward (Mary) Goetzman, Mrs. Mabel Beane, Mrs. Marvin (Nora) Shanks and Mrs. Jay (Doris) Orem, all of Kokomo, and Mrs. Wendell (Dessie) Holden, Brownsburg; two sons, Glen E. Rice and Robert N. Rice, both of Kokomo.

Also surviving are 18 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Ingram, San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Edith Holmes, Lebanon, and two brothers, Orville Rice, Thorntown, and Clarence Rice, Lebanon.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Ellers Funeral Chapel with the Rev. J. McFarlane Smith officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home between 2-4 and 6-9 p.m. Friday.