

Violet E. DeBoy, 72, 107 N. Pleasant St., Portland, died Sunday afternoon at Jay County Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack.

She operated DeBoy's Café on West Water Street, Portland, for many years and also operated a restaurant in Redkey for several years.

Born October 25, 1919 in Greene Township, she was the daughter of Ruben and Emma (Wine) Hutson. She was married Dec. 21, 1935, to Hubert L. DeBoy, who died in 1966.

Surviving are one daughter, Bonnie A. Aker, Portland, one sister, Nellie M. James, RR 1, Pennville; seven grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services are set for 11 am Wednesday in the Portland Chapel of the Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home with the Rev. Linwood Doane and William E. "Woody" Cook officiating. Burial will be in the Center Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 2 to 8 pm Tuesday and prior to services Wednesday.

Memorials may be made to the Jay County Heart Fund.

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