Mrs. Eva Nelson, 63, wife of Harry Nelson, of North Meridian street, died Sunday at 12:45 a.m. at the Jay County Hospital following an extended illness.

Mrs. Eva Nelson Dies After An Extended Illness

Mrs. Nelson was born in Jay County July 28, 1886, the daughter of James and Catherine (Metzner) Huston. She was married Feb. 13, 1902 to Harry W. Nelson, who survives with a son, Everett Nelson, of Portland, and two daughters, Mrs. Harley Millett and Mrs. Dan Pensinger of Portland; seven grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren. Two sisters are deceased.

The body was removed to the Baird funeral home, where friends may call. Funeral services will be held from the Baird Chapel Tuesday at 2 p.m. in charge of Rev. J. H. Nall, with interment in Green Park cemetery.

Mrs. Nelson was with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Nelson, in an apartment above the Valentine confectionery when the Home Café explosion demolished the two brick structures February 15th. Mrs. Nelson and her son escaped injuries when they were knocked down to the first floor level and the daughter-in-law was removed from the balcony by a ladder.

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