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Violet Paxson

June 10, 1922-Nov. 10, 2010

Services for Violet O. Paxson, 88, Portland, are Monday at 11 a.m. in the Portland Chapel of Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home with Pastor John Retter officiating. She was a former rural Pennville resident. Born in Knox Township in Jay County to William H. and Hazel (Whitacre) Horn, she graduated from Pennville High School in 1940. She was preceded in death on Jan. 31, 1999, by her husband Lloyd H. Paxson, whom she married on June 16, 1940. She and her husband were owners and operators of Rainbow Cleanette in Pennville for many years and farmed in Penn Township. She also was a cook for the Pennville Lions and a member of Oak Grove United Methodist Church, Oak Grove United Methodist Women, Gideon Auxiliary and Jay County Republican Women. Survivors include two daughters, Patricia I. Hartley (husband: Ronnie), Huntington, and Loretta F. Corle (husband: Dick), Portland; two sons, Walter W. Paxson (wife: Barbara), Harrod, Ohio, and Ronald J. Paxson (wife: Carol), rural Pennville; a sister, Dorothy Bullis, Muncie; a brother, George L. Horn, rural Portland; 17 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandsons and several nieces and nephews. Visitation is Sunday from 1 to 6 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be sent to Oak Grove United Methodist Church Memorial Fund or Gideon's International. Condolences may be sent to www.williamsonspencer.com.

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