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MARY EVELYN HIDY, 93, died Thursday at Portland Community Care East Nursing Home, Portland. She taught at Silver Lake School in Greene Township, Jay County, from 1923 to 1925. She and her husband, Cleo R. Hidy, owned and operated Hidy Oil Co. in Portland for 42 years, and farmed in Penn Township, Jay County. Her husband preceded her in death. Surviving are three sons, Tom of Bryant, Richard D. of Shelbyville and Dan L. of Pennville; 10 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services at 11 a.m. Monday at Pennville United Methodist Church. Calling from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Pennville Chapel of Williamson & Spencer Funeral Home.

Burial in Pennville IOOF Twin Hill Cemetery. Memorials to the church or to donor's choice.

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