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MARY RUTH SPAHR, 86, died Wednesday in Chalet Village, Berne. Born in Geneva, she was retired from Modern Book Binary and had worked at Jay Garment. Her husband, Kline, died in 1975. Surviving are a son, Gary of Pittsburgh; a brother, Charles Votaw of Frostproof, Fla.; a sister, Lavon Eley of Decatur; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services at 10 a.m. Saturday at Baird-Freeman Funeral Home, Portland. Calling from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday.

Burial at the IOOF Cemetery, Pennville. Memorials to Jay County Cancer Society.

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