

Thursday, April 30, 1964

**Myrtle Coon, 90,
Longtime Kellogg
Resident, Dies**

(Perry)

Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle E. Coon, 90, were held at the Kellogg Methodist church Tuesday afternoon with the Rev. James Seibert, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Coon, a resident of the Kellogg community for the past 78 years, died Saturday at a Grinnell hospital.

Organ music at the services was provided by Mrs. Mabel Veber. Pallbearers were Adolph Ebert, James Roth, Charles Simpson, Louis Hasselbrink, Howard Guthrie and Bruce Parsons. Interment was in Our Silent City cemetery at Kellogg.

The daughter of William and Mary Lippard Parsons, she was born Mar. 28th, 1874, at Elrod, Ind. When she was 12, the family moved to the Kellogg area.

On Mar. 26th, 1895, she was married to Perry Coon at Kellogg. He preceded her in death in 1951.

Survivors include a niece, Mrs. Elmer (Ruth) Starrett, and a nephew, C. W. Birchard, both of Newton.

Mrs. Coon was a member of the Kellogg Methodist church, past matron of the Kellogg Order of Eastern Star, past member of the Rebekah Lodge, member of the W.S.C.S., and for 10 years was president of the Kellogg Cemetery Association.