Lella Bishop-timmons

Despondent Over Ill Health, Takes Dose Carbolic Acid

Despondency over ill health is said to be the cause of the suicide of Mrs. Charles Timmons, which occurred at her home on North Main street Wednesday morning. Mrs. Timmons had been in ill health for the past eight years and this morning the family arose as usual and Mr. Timmons assisted her in dressing. He then went to the grocery and when he returned found her lying on the bed. He immediately called Drs. Coffin and McCann and it was found that she had taken more than an ounce of carbolic acid. Her death occured abut and hour later.

Mrs. Timmons was a daughter of and Lewis is suffering from a crushed shoulder and while the exact Richard Cornell, who passed away last Saturday and it is believed that worry over his death coupled with her ill health and partially unbalanced her mind causing her to commit this rash deed.

She was born in Liberty township, White county and was twice married, her former husband having been Burley F. Bishop, who died several years ago. In 1914 she was married to Charles Timmons, who survives. Three son, Paul, Eugene and Richard Bishop and three step-children Fred, Bessie and Jessie Bishop also survive.

Mrs. Timmons is also survived by three brothers, Arthur Cornell, of Idaville, Herbert Cornell of Jackson Center, Pa., and Guy R. Cornell of Union Grove, Wisc., two sisters, Mrs. David W, Baer of Monticello and Mrs. W.O. Thomas of Crown Point. The funeral will be held Friday and interment will be made in the Davis cemetery at Burnettsville.

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