

# MRS. HELENA KRUPP IS LAID TO REST

## Chesaning Township Resident Over Half Century, Dies After Long Illness

Final tribute was paid Wednesday to Mrs. Helena Krupp, 82, pioneer resident of this vicinity, who passed away at her home Sunday morning at 11:30. She had been confined to her bed intermittently for the past four months, suffering from complications.

Services were held at nine o'clock at Our Lady of Perpetual Help church, the Rev. Fr. John Grinzinger in charge, assisted at solemn requiem High Mass by Rev. Fr. A. O. Bosler, of St. Michael's church, Maple Grove, and the Rev. Fr. Maciejewski of St. Mary's church in St. Charles. Interment was made in Maple Grove Catholic cemetery. *2 APR 25, 1937*

Mrs. Krupp, formerly Miss Helena Hess, was born September 22, 1854 in Germany, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hess. She was married there in 1876 to John Krupp and soon after their mar-

riage the couple came to this country, locating in Ottoville, Ohio. Where they lived a year, moved to Grand Rapids, stayed a short time and then came to Maple Grove. They were one of the first settlers in that locality, then a wilderness, bought and cleared the land now known as the Krupp homestead, and as the years passed, became one of the vicinity's esteemed citizens, well liked by all who knew them. Seventeen years ago they moved to Chesaning.

Thirteen children were born to the union, two of whom died in infancy and two passed on later in life, Mrs. Barbara Schlachter, 13 years ago and Rudolph Krupp, 5 years ago.

Surviving are three daughters: Mrs. Mary Dietz of Kingsville, Texas, Mrs. Clare Mucahly of Detroit, and Miss Bertha Krupp at home; six sons; John of Toledo, Jacob of Clare, Bernard of Detroit, Charles, Leo, and Theodore all of Maple Grove. Mr. Krupp preceded her in death 24 years ago.

Mrs. Krupp possessed a beautiful character, kind and generous, always doing something for others. She was a devout member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help church, of the Altar Society, the Third Order of Dominicans, and St. Anne's Sodality, the latter of the Maple Grove catholic church.