William Ackermann Dies Of Stroke After Six Months Illness Dec 25

William M. Ackermann, 318 North Fortieth street, died at Alton State hospital last night at 11:50, after a six months illness. Death was due to a stroke.

He was born in St. Louis, April 15, 1883, a son of Michael and Mary Mohr Ackermann. The mother survives.

He was twice married, his first wife having died many years ago Ackermann was married the second time on June 5, 1928, to Jennie Schraeder at East St. Louis. She survives.

In addition to the widow, Ackermann is survived by the following children: Elmer, 214 North Charles street: William, 224 Bracket street; Robert, 412 North First street; George, 1647 North Church street and Marie, wife of Erskin Redfearn of Collinsville,

Also surviving are three sisters and a brother, Mrs. J. E. Preusser Sacramento, Calif.: Mrs. Mary Kuhn, 614 Sycamore street; Mrs. Walter Jansen, 1822 Raab avenue and Harry, 3000 West Main street, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from Bux funeral home to Walnut Hill cemetery, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating.

Mrs. Edith M. Akins, Dies Here Today, 38, Funeral On Saturday

Mrs. Edith Mae Akins, 38, wife of Charles R. Akins, of 1418 West Main street, died at 2:40 this morning at St. Elizabeth hospital. She had been ill three days.

She was a <u>daughter</u> of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Voyles. both of whom survive, residing at 1418 West Main street. Mrs. Akins was born April 14, 1902, at Glen Carbon. The mother is the former Lydia Jane Davis.

In addition to her parents, and her widower, whom she married at Collinsville, Nov. 1, 1919, she leaves a son, Virgil Truman Akins, at home; two brothers, Truman Voyles, of Chicago; Harry Voyles, of 1418 West Main street, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Remlius, of St. Louis, and Mrs. Gilbert Fletsam, 717 South High street.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Otto Schneider and Sons funeral home. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Pallbearers will be E. L. Kilbon, R. C. Albertts, H. W. Busse, John Keck, Carl Goff and C. W. Manning.



Calvin I. Badgley, 61 formerly of Belleville, 1014a Goodfellow avenue, St. Louis, died unexpectedy of a heart attack while riding in a cal at Monroe and Mascoutah avenus at 9:15 Saturday night. Taken to the nearby Schneider and Sonz funeral home, Badgley was pronounced dead. He had been suffering from a heart ailment and had recently been under treatment at a St. Louis Hospital. The car was being driven by his brother, James A. Badgley, building contractor, of 129 South Pennsylvania avenue here.

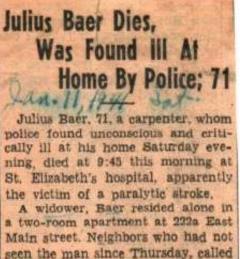
A carpentar in his young years, Badgley had been a Pullman conductor until retiring recently.

Born here Sept. 12, 1880, he was a son of the late Edward and Elizabeth Hoehner Badgley, both natives of Illinois.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Ida Junghaone Badgley, whom he married in Belleville; two sons and a daughter, Russel G. Badgley, of Rolla, Mo.; Sellers E. Badgley and Mrs. Calvina Whites, of St. Louis; two brothers and two sisters, James here; Benjamin O, Badgey, of St. Louis; Miss Mayme Badgley and Mrs. Emna Hall, both of Auburn, N. Y.

Badgley was a veteran of the Spanish-American War and a member of United Spanish War Veterans, Camp Hamilton Fish Jr., at St. Louis.

Funcral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Otto Schneider and Sons funeral home here where the body may now be viewed. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



seen the man since Thursday, called police shortly before 6:40 Saturday evening. Entering the home, police found Baer lying on the floor of the kitchen. The aged carpenter's con-

dition indicated that he had suffered the stroke at least several hours earlier. Dr. C. C. Kane, county coroner, will conduct an inquest into the death.

Baer was born at Red Bud. July 31, 1869, a son of the late Conrad and Elizabeth Prey Baer, the mother being a native of Switzerland, the father of Germany. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Goss Higgins Baer, whom he married in St. Louis in 1900, died April 30, 1931. A daughter, Mrs. Bertha Gibbons, died at Rapid City, South Dakota, Oct. 2, 1939.

Surviving are a granddaughter, Mrs. Mildred Hall, of Rapid City, S. D.; a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Henry, of East St. Louis, and two brothers, Andrew, of Rod Bud, and William, of Ferndale, Washington. The body may be viewed at the Gundlach and company fumeral home after noon Tuesday, Funeral arrangements have not been made.



Mrs. Cecelia K. Bangert, 59-yearold widow of 207 West B street, died unexpectedly at 11 o'clock this morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital, a few minutes after arriving there for X-ray examination of a long existent ailment.

Born at Millstadt, June 28, 1881, she was a daughter of the late Louis and Rosetta Fries. She was the widow of Edward A. Bangert.

She leaves two daughters, Lorene, wife of Walter D. Williams, of 247 Brackett street, Swansea, and Mrs. Albert Di Prospere, Overland, Mo.

The body may be viewed after noon Wednesday at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Willard Barnes Dies At County Hospital

Willard Barnes, 72, of East St. Louis, died at 11 o'clock this morning at county hospital here of a heart disease.

Barnes was born at Hull's Crossroads, N. C., the son of John and Mary Ruh Barnes, Jan. 22, 1869. His mother and father were natives of North Carolina, Barnes was admitted to the hospital here in May. Funeral services will be Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Burial will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. Rev B. J. Koehler will officiate.

Marjorie Barthel, 22 Year Old Local Mother, Dies Today

Mrs. Marjorie Barthel, 22, of 123 South Eighth street, died at/1 o'clock this afternoon at St. Mary's hospital, East St. Louis, where she had undergone an operation.

She was the wife of Lawrence Barthel who is employed in the auto parts department of Oliver C. Joseph automobile agency here. The couple was married in July of 1938. Mrs. Barthel leaves an infant son, Michael.

Born here Nov. 29, 1918, she was a daughter of Eli and Ella Meyer Miller. Both parents survive, residing at 9830 Baltimore avenue here. In addition to her widower, son and parents she leaves two brothers and five sisters, Charles, Wallace and Oretha Miller, all of Belleville; Ella, wife of Harold Smith, of French Village; Norma, wife of Alan Soule, Chicago; Jessie, wife of Robert Stage, St. Louis; Helen, wife of Raymond Goring, Belleville. Funeral arrangements have not

been made. The Gundlach and company funeral home will be in charge.

Dies 15 Years To Day After Death Of Her Husband

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilhelmina Becherer, 76, of 120 Brackett street, Swansea ,died at 12:45 this afternoon at her home from the affects of a stroke suffered two weeks ago.

She died fifteen years to the day after her husband, Jacob J. Becherer, retired farmer, who died June 11. 1926. The couple had been married June 15. 1882. Born in Caseyville township Jan.

16, 1865, she was a daughter of the late Frank and Wilhemina Reake Niebruegge.

She leaves three sons and three daughters, Katherine, wife of Herman Thomas, of Rural Route 2; Lambert Becherer, of Rural Route 2; Susan, wife of Edward Gross, of near O'Fallon; Mrs. Adeline Reake. with whom she had resided at 120 Brackett street, Jacob, of North Second street, and Oscar of Caseyville avenue; 28 grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; three sister and a borther, Mrs. Minnie Schneppe, of Rural Route 3; Mrs. Katie Bergman, of Caseyville; Mrs. Annie Mecklessel, of Black Jack; Frank Niebruegge, of Rural Route 2. Preceding in death were a son and a daughter, Dominic and Annie. Funeral services will be held at 2.30 Saturday afternoon /at the Gundlach and company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Green Mount cemetery. The body may be viewed after noon Thursday.

Mrs. Alvina Beutler Dies In Hospital; Was 52 Years Old

Mrs. Alvina Beutler, wife of Albert Beutler, 115 South First street, died at 6 p. m. yesterday at the Park Lane hospital in St. Louis. after a six months illness. She was 52 years old.

Mrs. Beutler was born at Summerfield, May 30, 1889, the daughter of Jacob and Marie Dahlem Braundel. She married Albert Beutler at Highland Park, Ill., Nov. 13, 1918.

Besides her husband, a sister, Mrs. Anna Eicher, Summerfield, and a brother, Jacob Braundel, of Hettic, Ill., survive. Mrs. Beutler was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. from the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Burial will be in the Summerfield cemetery.

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John A. Bien, 90, Old Pony Express Rider, Dies Here

Funeral services will be held here tomorrow for John A. Bien, 90, who as a young man had been one of the riders on the old Pony Express between St. Louis and Chester, had also been a driver on the coaches plying between the St. Louis railroad stations and the famous Planters Hotel there.

Born of pioneer parents at St. Louis, Jan. 29, 1851, a son of the late Andrew and Catherine Sturm Bien, he had later spent most of his active life as a cemetery sexton in South Dakota. Ten years ago he came to Belleville, residing with his brother. Charles Bien, of 903 South Jackson street, and for the last seven years living at St. Vincent Home for the Aged where he died yesterday afternoon.

He leaves his brother here; two half brothers, Jacob, of Waterloo; Sebastian of Granite City; eight nephews; four neices. Two brothers. Henry and George, preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Gundlach and company funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Bisser, prominent T7-year-old life-long resident of this sity, died at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Elizabeth hospital of the effects of a fail sufbred at her home, 210a East Main



street, Saturday, morning. Severe shock and a tracture of the laft hip were given. as the cause of death. She was the wife of George

A. Bieser, veteran operator of the harmon and suggage shop at 210 East Main street that bears his name. The

Mrs. Bleser firm is the oldest Main alrest, Basing been founded 84 years ago by the late Adam Bis-are, failher of the present owner.

Of an old ional family, Mrs. Bisper was been here June 1, 1864, a daughter of the late Perez J. and Predericks Unterfacement Manufer, the fullner being a native of Ger-many, the mother of Belleville. The old Kaerober family home was at the present site of the epunty highway building. Her father had been president of the Belleville Savings Bank,

Savings pane. She was married to Rieser here, April 20, 1094 the couple having been hoppared at a golden wedding celebration in 1995. Surviving are the widower: a son and a daughter. A ther W. Bjeser, manager of the Reflective Industrial Lean Association, 525 Process ave-nue, Paula, wife of Emil Cause, dry goods firm operator, of 25 North Penneylynais avenue; a grandson, poods him operator, or as scores Pennsylvania svenus; a grandeon, Arthur Leuca Binzer; a sinter-in-law, Lutie, sidow of Guy P. Kaer-cher, of Springfield, III. Preceding in death were a sun, Walter, in in-fancy; two brothers, Arthur B., and Guy P. Exercher, Mrs. Bieser sins a member of St. Paul's Evanaelical church.

Paul's Evangelical church.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemutery,



Mrs. Mary Birkner, 83-year-old life-long resident of this area, died at 9:30 last night at her home, 821 East Main street, after an illness incident to her age.

She was the widow of Leonard Birkner, to whom she had been married here in 1931 and who died in 1915. The couple had lived on a farm four miles east of Waterloo until 1904 when they moved to Belleville and for five years operated a hotel at 119 West Main street.

Born here July 6, 1857, she was a daughter of the late Michael and Theresa Klein.

She leaves four daughters and a son, Sonhia, wife of David Nesbit, 821 East Main street; Ella, wife of Leroy Forcade, of 604 South Twenty-first street; Olivia, wife of Walter Bragdon, of Oakland, Calif.; Mrs. Rose Auton, of Albany, Calif., and Michael Birkner, of Fredericktown, Mo.; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Preceding in death were a daughter and two sons, Leonard, Julius and Mary.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Friday morning at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Gustav Blauwitz, Retired Miner, Dies Suddenly

Gustav Blauwitz, 78-year-old retired coal miner, collased and died suddenly of a heart stroke in his home, 514 Freeburg Avenue, at 1:25 o'clock this afternoon. He had last worked about 10 years ago at the Groom Coal Company mine.

Mr. Blauwitz was born in Germany on December 6, 1862, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blauwitz, nee Augusta Schaefer, both natives of Germany. He married Marie Reiss in St. Charles, Mo., on January 26, 1938.

Surviving are his wife; three nieces, Mrs. John Schmidt, Mrs. Edward Wiethop and Mrs. Dan Helmbacher, all of St. Louis and two nephews, Ernst Mussbacher, St. Louis and William Schulter, Germany.

He was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Church and the Belleville Lodge No. 743, Fraternal Order of Eagles.

For funeral arrangements see the obituary column on page 15. Gustav Blauwitz, Coal Miner, Dies Was 78 Years Old

Gustav Blauwitz, 78, retired coal miner of 514 Freeburg avenue, died at 1:25 this afternoon at his home from the affects of a stroke suffered recently. Until ten years ago, Blauwitz had been employed at the Groom Coal Company.

Born in Germany, Dec. 6, 1862, he was a son of the late Edward and Augusta Schaefer, Blauwitz.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Marie Reis Blauwitz, whom he married Jan. 26, 1938; three nieces and two nepnews, Mrs. John Schmidt, Mrs. Edward Wiethop, Mrs. Oona Helmbacher, Ernest Mussbach, all of St. Louis, and William Schulter, Germany.

Blauwitz was a member of the Eagles.

The body will lie in state at the Bux funeral home where services will be held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

John A. Blum, well known 81year old retired machinist, died at 11:35 Sunday morning at his home, 401 Wabash avenue, after a lingering illness. Until his retirement six years ago, Blum had followed his trade successively at the Harrison Machine Works, United States Smelting Furnace Company and the Ideal Stencil Machine Company. Blum had served as an alderman at one time. Born here Oct. 18, 1860, he was a son of the late Adam and Margaret Liebig Blum.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna Hoehner Blum, whom he married here Sept. 30, 1899; two sons, Edwin F. Blum, 230 South Pennsylvania avenue; Fred J. Blum, of St. Louis, a daughter, Elsie J. Blum, 401 Wabash avenue, and two grandchildren. Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Blum was a member of Cavalier Lodge No. 49 of the Knights of Pythias. Fumeral services will be held at 2 o clock Wednesday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Dr. Charles Bracke, Veterinarian For 27 Years, Is Dead

Dr. Charles R. Bracke, 51, veterinarian, of 115 South Church street, died at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Elizabeth Hospital of blood poisoning which followed an infection developing from a carbuncle. He had been ill two months.

The veterinarian had practiced his prolession in this area for 27 years. Dr. Bracke had served overseas with the A. E. F. for two years in the supply company of the 333rd Infantry.

Born here May 20, 1890, he was a son of George and Augusta Faulbaum Bracke. The father survives, residing at 115 South Church street.

Preceding in death, on Sept. 6, 1940, was the vetenarian's wife, Frieda M. Hoering Bracke.

Surviving are the father; a daughter, Bernice, at home; a brother and two sisters, Mrs. Ella Eschman, of 1022 North Church street; Edwin Bracke, of Edwardsville; Mrs. Elsa Saurewein, of North Virginia avenue.

The body may be viewed after 4 o'clock this evening at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Sigel Franz Braeutigam, 78, retired bec keeper, of 115, West Lincoin atreet, was found dead in his sick bed at his home at 8 o'clock this morning by his sisters, Misses Emelle M. and Ottille E. Braeutigam.

On a table near the bed Police Officers Walter W. Magin and John Smith, who investigated, found a nearly empty bottle of strychnine, which the man, who had been ill for several years, drank in a giass I water which he regularly kept on the table.

Bracutigam in feeble scrawl wrote a note in which he said among other things, "I did it. I must give up. Too much pain." He referred to gas and poison, but the officers said there was no indication that gas was used.

Alive At 7 A. M. Miss Emelie Braeutigam said that she heard her bother moving about between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning and called to hun, asking if she could help him. He replied, "No, I've just got that terrible pain." For the last week he had been complaining of pains in the head, shoulders and side, she declared.

At 7 a. m., Mina Braeutigam said the rose to start a fire in a stove ind saw her brother standing at dresser in his room at that time. the told the officers she asked him hen if there was anything he anted and he replied, "No. let ne alone. I'm going back to bed," By 8 o'clock, when she had pre-(Continued to Page 9. Column 3)

pared breakfast, she looked into her brother's room and found him motionless after he failed to respond to her calls.

Text Of Note

The note left by Braeutigam was dated, "Friday night, Nov. 31, 1941," and read: "Farewell to all, dear daughter and all. I must give up Too much pain Can't stand it any longer. I am too weak. So goodbye to all. God bless you and all, forgive me. Lovingly yours, Your Dad.

The note continued: "Gas and poison. I did it. Can't hold out any longer. Goodbye sisters. Siegel B. 12-5 P. M."

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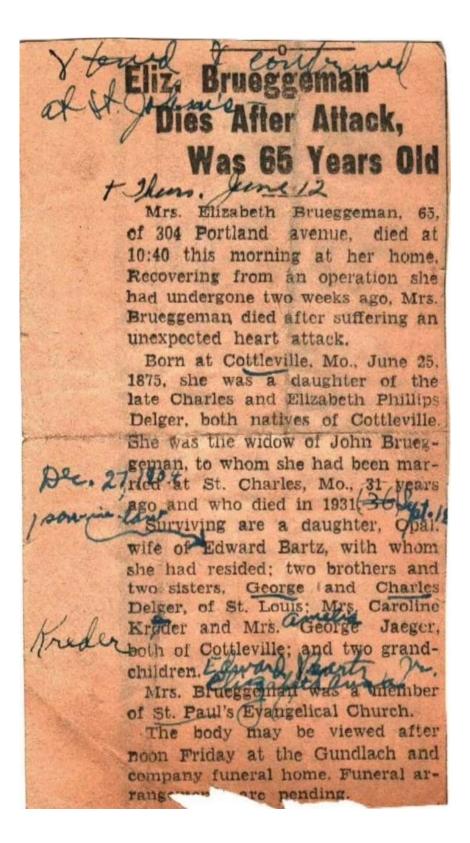
Adam Bretsch Dies, Was 82 Years Old, Funeral On Friday

Adam Bretsch, 82, of North Forty-fifth street, died at 3:15 this morning at his home after an illness incident to his age. He was formerly an employee of the old Suburban Railway.

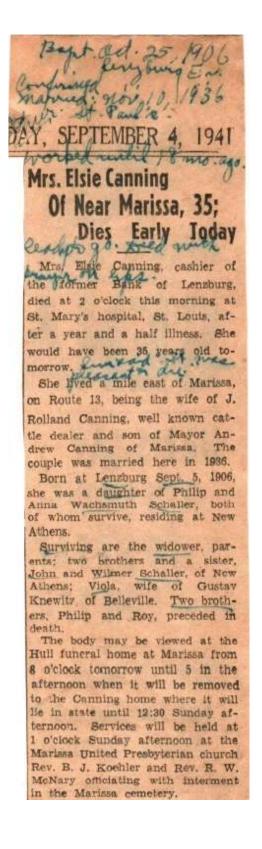
Born in New Athens township, June 24, 1859, he was a son of the late John and Christine Knell Bretsch, both natives of Germany. His wife Mrs. Louisa Mary Wormeley, died six years after their marriage in 1884.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Mary Conrath of North Fortyfifth street; Caroline, wife of Gus tEtling of 821 North Charles street; three brothers, John, of Lenzburg; George and Fred, of New Athens; a granddaughter, Mrs. Elsie Athmer; a greatgrandson, Wayne Athmer.

The body may be viewed after 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.







Gerald R. Cathers, Three Months Old, Dies Last Night

Gerald Russel Cathers, 3-monthold infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Cathers of 6494 West Main street, died at 8:20 last night at the St. Louis Children's hospital. The baby was ill three weeks.

The mother is the former Lucille Randle. The baby was born Oct. 6, 1940 at St. Louis.

Surviving are the parents; a brother and a sister, James and Jacqueline, at home; a great grandfather, William Randle, of Freeburg; and three grandparents, Mrs. Emma Cathers, of 801 North Douglas avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Randle, of Freeburg.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Interment. will be in Elmwood cemetery at Freeburg. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate.

MOTHER OF 2 DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Mildred Conrad Victim of Peritonitis After Appendix Bursts.

Mrs. Mildred Conrad, 26-year-old mother of two children, died of peritonitis in St. Elizabeth's Hospital at 6:15 o'clock yesterday morning following a short illness. Peritonitis developed from an infected appendix which burst before she became a patient in the hospital on Saturday.

The young woman had been ill at her home, 407a Walnut Street, for six days. While in bed last Monday, she was routed from her home by a minor roof fire which the Fire Department extinguished at 10:35 a. m.

She was born in Belleville on January 31, 1915, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Klingenfus, nee Elizabeth Eckel. Her father, a native of New York, died on March 22, 1937; her mother, a native of Belleville, resides at 321 South Charles Street. She married Walter Conrad at Springfield, Ill., on January 19, 1934.

Surviving are her husband, a shoe worker; her mother; two sons, Walter, 6, and Larry, 4; two brothers, Joseph and Norman Klingenfus, 421 South Charles Street, and two sisters, Iva Mae, wife of Charles Greanery, 216 South 11th Street, and Edna, wife of George Mauterer, 18 South 52nd Street.

She was a member of the Bunsen School Mothers Club.

For funeral arrangements see the obituary column on Page 11.

Mrs. Mildred Conrad **26 Years Old, Dies From Appendicitis** + Mar. 23 126 Mrs. Mildred Conrad, 26, wife of Walter Conrad, of 407A Walnut street, died at 6:15 Sunday morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital from the effects of an attack of appendicitis suffered a week ago. Born here Jan. 31, 1915, she was a daughter of August and Elizabeth Eckel Klingenfus. The mother survives, residing at 421 South Church street She reaves her mother; her wi-dower, whom she married in 1934; two sons, Walter, Ur., six years old, and Larry, four years old; two brothers and two sisters, Joseph Klingenfus, and Norman Klingenfus, both of 421 South Charles street; Iva Mae, wife of Charles Greaney, of 216 South Eleventh

street, and Edna, wife of George Mauterer, 18 South Fifty-second street. Funeral services with active o'clock Wednesday alternooi at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Valhalla cemetery.

ieorge C. Conrath, Coal Miner, Dies, At Home Here, 58

George C. Conrath, 58 year old coal miner of North Forty-fifth street died at 6 a. m., this mornng at his home after an extended liness. Formerly he had operated barber shop at Freeburg.

Born at Freeburg, Nov. 27, 1882, e was a son of Gustav and Louisa arthel Conrath

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Mary retsch Conrath whom he married ere 35 years ago; a brother and rre sisters, Bertha, wife of Peter rine, of 4817 West Main street; Irs. Elizabeth Theiss, of Jersey ity N. J.; Miss Tillie Conrath, also that city; Theodore Conrath, of lexandria, Va. A son died in inncy.

Conrath was a member of local 4 the PMA.

The body may be viewed after 10 m. Tuesday at the Pete Gaerdner ineral home. Services will be held here at 3 o'clock Thursday afterbon.

Mrs. Mary J. Cook, Dies At Home Here, Was 83 Years Old

Mrs. Mary Josephine Cook, 83, of 6012 West B street, died at 3:30 Monday afternoon at her home after being ill a week.

Born in Glen Carbon, March 25, 1858, she was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Zarbel. Her husband, Frank Cook, to whom she was married at Edwardsville in 1875, died in 1919.

She leaves two sons and three daughters, William, of 615 North Eighty-seventh street; John Cook, of 418 Brackett street; Mrs. Mary Henderson, of St. Louis; Mrs. Lena Falbe, of New Athens; Elizabeth, wife of Jacob Wittauer, of 616 Clay street; 36 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren. Three sons preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

George Corn Dies, Foundry Worker, Was 57 Years Old

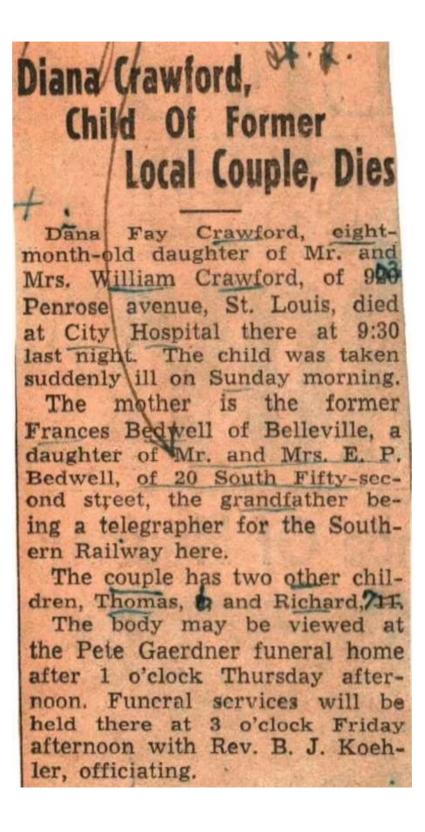
George Corn, 57 year old foundry worker of 837 Portland avenue, died at 3:50 this morning at St. Elizabeth hospital after being ill for six months.

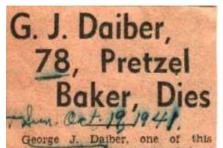
Born at Bolivar, Mo., Sept. 6, 1884, he was a son of the late Silas and Mary Lee Sanderson Corn.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Eva N. Warren Corn, whom he married in 1910; a daughter, Mrs. Laura Mae Schwalb, of 615 Rodenmeyer avenue; three sons, Melvin, Arthur and Roy, all at home; one granddaughter; two brothers, Davby Corn of Middleton, Idaho; Ollie Corn, of Morris, Okla.; five half brothers Raymond, Everett, Emery, Dorman and Fred.

Corn was a member of local 182 of the Molders Union.

The body may be viewed at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home after 6 o'clock this evening. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.





city's most widely known bakers and particularly famed as a pretzel maker, died at 1:15 Sunday morning at his home, 307 Mascoutah avenue. Ill with a heart allment for the last 16 months, the 78 year old baker suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

Learning the trade in his native Germany as a boy Daiber had been a baker until his illness. When first coming to this city as a youth, Daiber had worked in the old Bauman and Merck shops. Later he located in the 300 block of West Main street.

Then for 23 years he had his widely known stand at 5210 West Main street. Daiber had an ice cream garden in a grove near his shop with the main attractions being his famous pretzels and a zoo. In the zoo Daiber had a deer several foxes, a collection of bird. It was six years ago that Daiber moved to the small shop on Mascoutah avenue, and limited his business strictly to pretzels.

Born in Wurttemberg, Germany, Sept 7, 1863, he was a son of John and Barbara Daiher

He leaves his worldw, Mrs. Mary A. Eltrich Daiber whom he married

here Nov. 5, 1887; a son and a daughter, Irma, wife of Edward Bailey, of 5206 West Main street; Walter Daiber, of Chicago; one grandghild, Walter Daiber, Jr., of Chicago. Three, children died in infancy.

Daiber was a member of the Germania Bund.

Funeral scrvices will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Gundlach and company funeral home, Rev. B. J. Kochler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill comptery.

Mrs. Ida Daubach, 64, Dies At Hospital, **Funeral Wednesday** Same Oll. Mrs. Ida Daubach, 64, of 1001 West D street, died at 4 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Elizabeth hospital after an extended illness. Born here August . 22, 1876, she was a daughter of the late David and Eliza Arras Dahlem, the mother being a native of Turkey Hill, the father of Germany. She was the widow of Julius Daubach. +///8 She leaves a daughter, Irene, wife of Wilbur Weyhaupt, of 1001 West D street; a brother and two sisters, Lena Dahlem and Mrs. C. G. Wagner of Overland, Mo., and Walter O. Dahlem of Chicago, Preceding in death were three brothers and a sister, Amanda, Arthur. John and Adolph Dahlem. Mrs. Daubach was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical church and the Ladies' Aid of that congregation. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery a staller, ford

Mrs. Emilie Debus, St. Paul's Home, Dies; 80 Years Old

Mrs. Emilie Debus, 80, died at 7:50 last night at St. Paul's Old Folks Home where she had resided for the past four years. Death followed an illness incident to her age.

Born here March 11, 1861, she was a daughter of the late Carl and Katherine Rexroth Glaesing, both natives of Germany. She was the widow of Charles H. Debus, to whom she was married here in 1892, and who died in 1934. She leaves four neices and two nephews, Jacob and Emilie Krug; Mrs. Ida L. Roediger, Edna, Irene and Arthur Debus. A sister, Mys. Louisa Krug preceded in death. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Monday afternoon at Gundlach and company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Clarence L. Dewein Dies, 44 Years Old; Funeral Wednesday

Clarence Lee Dewein, 44, of 11 South First street, died at 9 o'clock last night at St. Elizabeth hospital. His death was due to an illness which began as a severe cold on Friday. He had last been employed on the Scott Field WPA project.

He was born here April 25, 1894, a son of John and Rebecca Rettinghouse Dewein, the father being a native of Belleville, the mother of Mascoutah. Dewein married Mildred Boul, April 25, 1935.

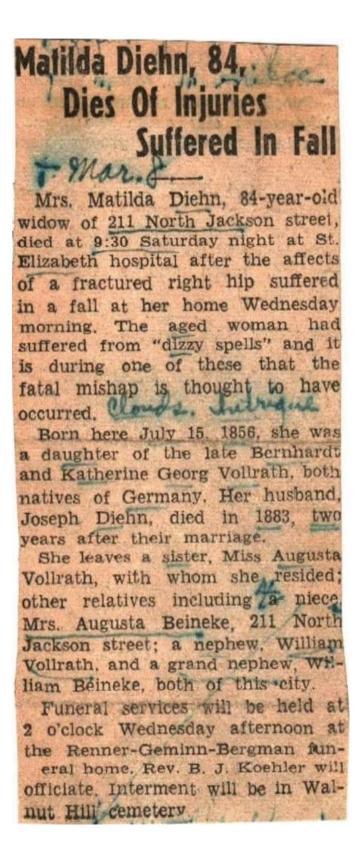
Dewein leaves his mother, residing at 1013 Freeburg avenue; his widow; and a sister, Estelle, wife of Edwin Seubert, of 1013 Freeburg avenue. Three brothers and two sisters preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Dewein Funeral Will Be Tomorrow

Funeral services for Clarence L. Dewein, 46, of 11 South First street, who died Sunday night, will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Lester Hofmeister, Charles Wade, John Hall and Charles Seilber, all of the local Moose lodge and Jesse Hardt and John Woodcock of the miners' union.



Mrs. Bertha Eckel, 66, Dies Three Days After Young Niece

'Mrs. Bertha Eckel, 66, of 815 North Charles street, died at 3 o'clock this morning at her home. She had been in failing health for three years.

She was an aunt of Mrs. Mildred Conrad, 26, of 407a Walnut street, who died of the affects of appendicitis Sunday and who was buried this afternoon.

Born at Turkey Hill, August 6. 1874, Mrs. Eckel was the daughter of Adam and Elizabeth Hertlein Roth, the mother being a native of Quincy, the father of Turkey Hill.

She leaves her widower, Theodore Eckel; two brothers and four sisters, Sophia, wife of Jacob Sensel, of Ashley; Minnie, wife of Paul Bucholz, of St. Louis: Tillie, wife of Charles Dermint, of 601 North Douglas avenue; Millie, wife of Emil Baquet, of 119 South Second street; Rudolph Roth of 215a East Washington street; and Henry Roth, of 118 North Eighth street, Two children preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Charles E. Eckhoff 83) Dies At Home Of His Daughter Here

Charles E. Eckhoff, Sr., who resided at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Fred W. and Emma Pèters, East B street road, died there at 5:30 this morning following a five weeks illness, which culminated in a stroke of paralysis last Wednesday.

Eckhoff was born in St. Louis, Nov. 20, 1857, a son of Charles and Sophia Kasal Eckhoff, both natives of Germany and both of whom are deceased.

On Sept. 25, 1883, he was married to Miss Emilie Voeldel and they observed their golden wedding anniversary in 1933. Mrs. Eckhoff died four years later, June 30, 1937. In addition to Mrs. Peters three other children survive. They are Charles E. Jr., of Carsonville, Mo., Ernst, of Venita Park, Mo., and Mayme, wife of George Wagner, Kirkwood, Mo. Two children preceded in death. Eckhoff is also survived by one brother. Ernst, of Cadet, Mo., and six grandchildren. The body will be at the Schumacher funeral home, 3013 Meramee street, St. Louis, and the funeral probably will be held Tuesday, though definite arrangements had not been completed today.

Stephen Ehret Dies; Founder Of Plumbing Firm Here; Was 77

Stephen Ehret, founder of the heating and plumbing firm here that bears his name, died at 7 o'clock this morning at St. Elizabeth Hospital after being seriously ill two weeks. Ehret, 77 years old, resided at 318 Mascoutah avenue,

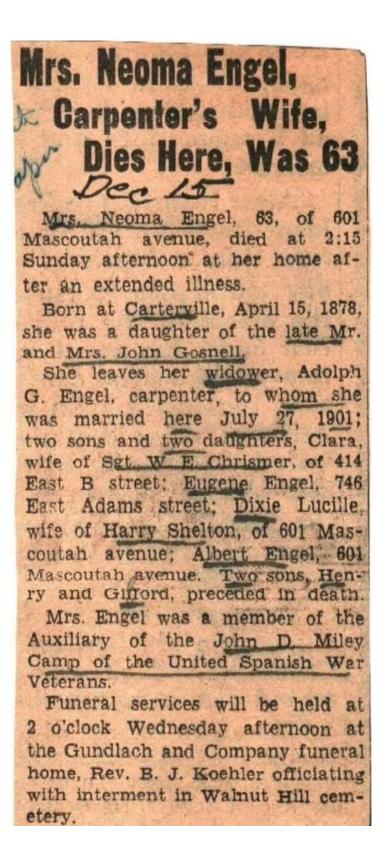
It was in 1898 that Ehret founded the Stephen Ehret Flumbing and Heating Company. Until two years ago he had been active in the firm which is now managed by a son, Elmer J. Ehret. Before entering business Ehret had worked as a plumber and machinist.

Ehret resided on Mascoutah avenue practically all his life. He was born here Dec. 12, 1863, a son of the late Stephen and Mary Kraus Shret. 10, 1937 He leaves his widow, Mrs. Emma Spies Ehret, whom he married here April 9 1887; two sons and three daughters, Elmer, 608 Mascoutah avenue; Stephen, Jr., 116 Kansas avenue; Emma, wife of William Schwesig, local bus driver, 136 North Virginia avenue; Hilda, wife of George Schaab, 1018 Lebanon avenue, and Viola, wife of C. J. Fietsam, 122 West Main street; 11 grandchildren; and a brother, Conrad Ehret, of Oklahoma City. Okla. Preceding in death were a daughter Elsie; four brothers and two sisters.

Ehret was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical church.

The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Gundlach and company funeral home. Funeral arrangements are not completed.

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Amelia Essenpreis Dies Here Today, Was 53 Years Old Mrs. Amelia L. Essenpreis, 53, of

217 Wabash avenue, died at 3 o'clock this morning at St. Elizabeth hospital after an extended illness.

Born in Clinton county, Jan. 4. 1888, she was the daughter of the late Ernst and Minnie Seiver Schlueter, both natives of Germany. She was the widow of Otto J. Essenpreis, to whom she was married Dec. 27, 1910, at Breese, and who died Jan. 22, 1933.

She leaves two daughters, Lorrean, wife of Harold Euess, of Cincinnati, Ohio; Eleanor, wife of Floyd Herman, of 217 Wabash avenue; four sisters, Mrs. Dora Mc-Guffin, of Stockton, Calif.; Clara, wife of Otto Brunsmann, of 138 South Douglas avenue; Amanda wife of Herman Voland, of 317 Portland avenue; Katherine, wife of Gus Schmeder, of 18 Weat F street; a brother, William Schlueter, of Prairie Du Long, and a half brother, Hugo Schlueter, of Breese,

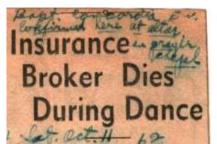
The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home and will lie in state there until noon Thursday when it will be taken to St. Paul's Evangelical church.

Services will be held at the church at 2 o'clock Thursday, Rev. B J. Kochler, officiating, with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

MRS. ETTLING + Mrg. Katherine Ettling, 76, mother of eleven living children, died at 4:15 Saturday afternoon at her home, 115 West C street, shortly after suffering a heart attack in the yard of the home. Though not seriously ill, she had suffered from a heart ailment for two years. Born at Du Quoin, Sept. 10, 1864. she was a daughter of the late Philip and Mary Mueller Bretach. Preceding in death was her husband, Christian Ettling. She leaves list sons and -1140 daughters, Bertha, wife of Adolph Seibert, of 324 North High street: Gustav P. Ettling, of 821 North Charles street; John Ettling, of 414 Cathedral Lane; Olivia, wife of Peter Anna, of 909 West C street; Edward Ettling, of Smithton road; Lydia, wife of Oswald Ross, of 212 North Second street; Elmer A. Ettling, of rural route 1; William Ettling, of South Sixteenth street; Kate, wife of Charles Werner, of Butler, Ill.; Chris Filling, of Kansas City: Mrs. Emma Mueller, of St. Louis; 20 pranochikiren; 15 great grandchildren. Preceding in death were three children: a sister and a brother. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon at St. Paul's Evangelical church, Rev. B. J. Kochler, officiating, with interment at Freeburg. The body will lie in state at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home until 11 o'clock Tuesday morning when it will be taken to the church. Pallbearers will be grandsons. Marvin, Leroy, Lloyd and Clifton Anna: Walter and Clarence Hoffman,

William Ettling,

Janitor, Dies At 73; **Funeral Sunday** + Thurs my 21 William Ettiling, 72, of 23 South Sixteenth street, died at 11 o'clock last night at St. Elizabeth Hospital after an extended illness. Last employed as a janitor by the Hoeffken Bros. Construction Company, Ettling had formerly been on the maintenance staff at the Township High School and was a miner in his younger years. His step-mother, Mrs. Katherine Breisch Eitling, 78, of 115 West C street, died last Friday night. Born in Presburg township, August 2, 1865, he was a son of the late Christian and Katherine Meener Ettling. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Katherine Reck Duensing Ettling, whom he married at Edwardsville May 5. 1928, Previously he had married Katherine Mosser. Quintriving are the middent a son and four daughters; Mrs. Lacrecia Scheidrich of Harvey, Ill.; Emily, wife of Charles Steiner of 2425 West Main street; Alma, wife of Fred Meyer, of 1005 Scheel street; Kate wife of Edward McDaniels, of 121 Centerville avenue: William Ettling, of Witt, Ill.; a step-son and a stepdaughter, George Duensing, of 1118 East A street; Opal, wife of Harold Bedwell, of 21 South Fifty-second street; 23 grandchildren; five great grandchildren. Two daughters died in infancy. He leaves five brothers and five sisters: Bertha, wife of Adolph Selbert, of 324 Noth High street; Gustay P. Eitling, of 821 North Charles street; John Ettling, of #14 Cathedval Lane; Olivis, wife of Peter An-na, of 909 West C street; Edward Eitling, of Smithton road; Lydia, wife of Oswald Hoss, of 212 North Second atreet; Elmer A. Eitling, of rural route 1; William Ettling, of South Sixteenth street; Xate, wife of Charles Werner, of Butler, Ill.; Chris Ettling, of Kansas City; Mrs. Emma Mueller, of St. Louis. Services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. Arthur E. Reiss officiating with interment In the New Athens cemetery.



Theodore I. Eyman, in insurance broker residing at 311 Abend street, died a few moments after suffering a heart attack while dancing at the Bob White Grange, on Millstadt Road, at 9 o'clock Saturday night. The business man had been in apparently good health, and had not suffered any previous attacks. Associated with the E. A. Me-

Associated with the E. A. Mc-Laughlin insurance agency as a broker in recent years, Eyman had for 20 years been secretary-treasurer of the Baker Stove Works. Previous to that he had been chief clerk at the Illinois Central station here for 13 years. Eyman was secretary of the board of directors of St. Paul's Old Folks Home.

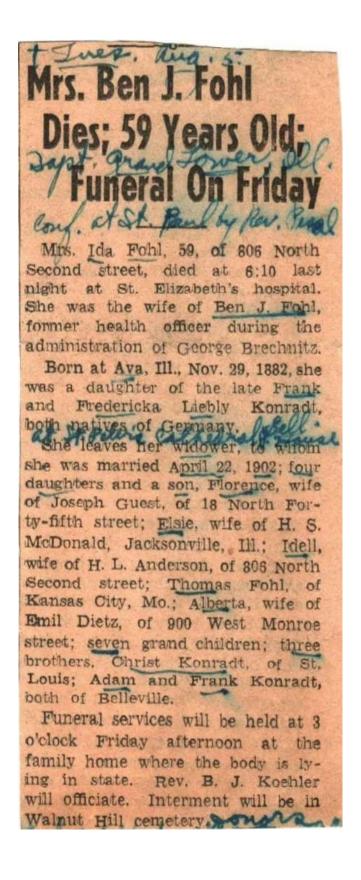
He leaves his widow. Mrs. Sophie Nowotony Eyman whom he married here in 1903, a daughter, Florence, wife of Dr. Leroy J. Scheske, chiropodist residing at 311 Abend street; two grandsons, Carl and Ted Scheske.

Of an old Stockey township family. Eyman was born there April 19, 1879, a son of the late Theodore and Dora Ruhmann Eyman, both parents being natives of Stockey township. Eyman was getive in the affairs

Eyman was active in the affairs of St. Paul's church; was a member of Tancred Commandery No. 50 of the Knights Templar and St. Clair Lodge No. 24 A. F. & A. M. and other Masonic bodies.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at St. Paul's Evangelical Church. Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Gundlach and company funeral home until 11 o'clock Wednesday morning when it will be taken to the church.

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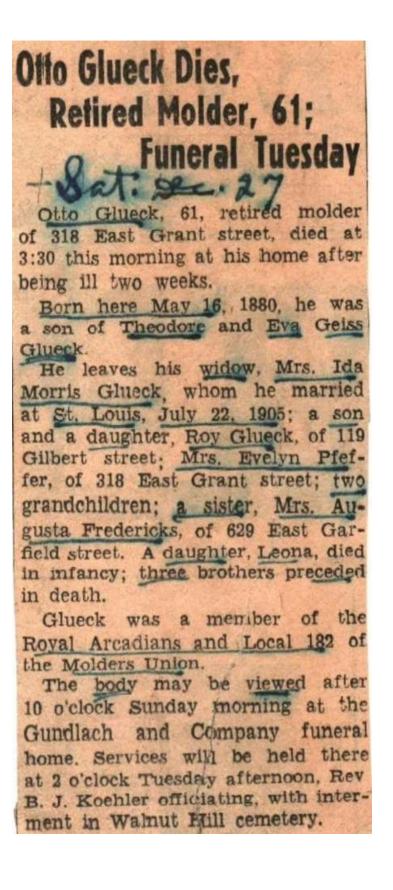
Fred Gaubatz, 62, Dies Here Today, Funeral Thursday

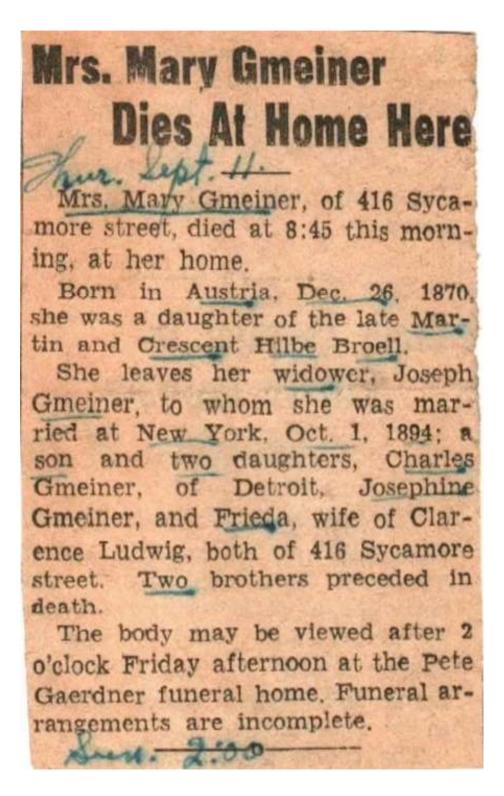
Fred Gaubatz, 62, of 815 South Illinois street, died at his home at 9:50 this morning after being ill for the past four years with a heart ailment. Until his illness, Gaubatz had been a brewery worker at the Western Brewery, previous to that being a janitor at the Belleville Savings Bank.

Born at Darmstadt, Dec. 27, 1878, he was a son of the late Phillip and Anna Gausmann Gaubatz,

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Eli-zabeth Schaefer Gaubatz whom he married at St. Louis in 1901; two sons, George, of 126 North Douglas avenue; Sylvester, at home; a daughter, Irma, wife of William Wallenfels, at home; a step daughter, Mrs. Florence Bergman, of 511 South Charles street; seven brothers Henry and Herman, of Darmstadt; Peter and Conrad, of Marissa; Phillip, of 1000 South Church street, Martin, of 1817 North Church street; William, of 1705 North Charles street; three sisters, Mrs. Julia Reuss, of New Athens; Mrs. Margaret Petri, of Darmstadt; Mrs. Elizabeth Lehr, of Marissa; five grandchildren. A daughter and a brother preceded in death. Gaubatz was a member of the St. Paul's Church Men's Aid. The body may be viewed after 10 o'clock, Tuesday at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home where ser-

Gaerdner funeral home where services will be held at 1:30 Thursday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Kochler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.





Charles Green, 74, Foundry Worker, Dies Here Today

Charles Green, 74-year-old retired foundry worker of 1013 La Salle street, died at 9:30 this morning at his home after a six months' illness.

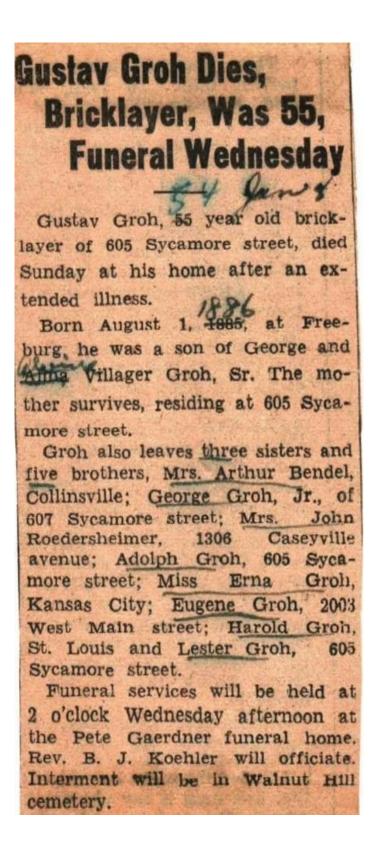
Until January of 1938. Green had been employed in the molding plant at the Supreme Foundry Company, retiring at that time. He had been a roller boss in both of the old time rolling mills here. Green had been a well known ball player in his younger years, being a member of such teams as the famed Pinafores.

Born here July 19, 1867, he was a son of the late Daniel and Magdalene Hohm Green, the mother being a native of Millstadt, the father of England His wife, Mrs. Matilda Meyer Green, whom he married here in 1890, preceded him in death.

He leaves five sons and a daughter. Charles, Jr. of 1007 La Salle street; William, of 109 South Jackson; Henry, of 817 Sycamore street; James, and Walter; Annie, wife of Alex McLeod, all of 1013 La Salle street; six grandchildren, two great grandchildren; a brother, Edward, of 1216 North Church street; two sisters. Mrs. Emma Sizvenson and Mrs. Lavina Metz, of St. Louis. Preceding in death were two sons and a daughter, George, Joseph and Dora; three brothers, Conrad, Danlei and Valentine.

Green was a member of Local 182 of the Molders' Union.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Duck Hunter Dies After Frantic Fight For Life

Fred 'Slim' Gronemeyer Victim Of Odd Tragedy On Grewe Lake Near Venedy

Frederick E. "Slim" Gronemeyer, 40 year old local garage operator, went to his death Tuesday morning in one of the oddest duck hunting tragedies over to occur in this area.

Somehow or other falling from his heat in Group Luke, a backedy station. the hunter became hopelessly enlangled in a mass of hrush and vines. For an hour and a half he struggled, When help rame at last Occasionyng collapsed and died within a tew minutes of exhaustion and exposure.

Theory On Trayedy. strongenesses, who resides at and Morth Clustine street, had a cabin on the west shore of the river, couthwars of Venedy station. At 6:10 he revea upstriam and crossed the river into the late which is one of the "Twin Lakes," Apparently the trall duck boat hit a log or pussilky Ononemeyer suffered one of the severe muscular cramps with which he had been bothered in recent westky.

At any event it appeared that Oronemeyer pliched from the boat Itto the ky waters of the lake. His had dipped too much water to be of any use. Apparently Groenemeyer, though heavily clothed and wearing hip length rubber booth aware 20 feet to a mass of "Buck brush" and tangled grape vines in the water near the usual shore line. The lake now has flooded the surtuitiding area.

Syldence is that Gendemeter was unable to make his way through the bravy tangle which was above and below the water line, Just a few feet turiher on the overflow water is but a few inches deep. At the spot of the tragedy there was about right feet of water.

Fought Vielently

Grossemeyer, an to has much in line water, fought the vines futilely for minely an teour and a half it is believed. His frantie calls for help. (Continued to Page 3, Column 4)

Hunting Victim



Fred "Slim" Gronemeyer, garage operator, who died of exhaustion when he fell from his bost while duck hunting near Venedy Station on Tuesday morning.

Duck Hunter Dies After Frantic Fight For Life (Continued From Page 1)

according to Deputy Sheriff William Kann, of Washington county, were heard a mile away by Roland Schuetz, 21, farmer of the area. With William Diebl, \$1, the young farmer rowed to the scene in a bost.

The hunter was so tangled up in the vines that it was necessary to hack him free. Taken into the boat Grouemeyer collapsed and died within two or three minutes, the rescuers said. The hunter was meanly out; when found and was mumbling "Bob" at first leading the rescuers to believed another hunter was involved. However, the dazed Gronemeyer was calling for aid to his 15 year old friend, Robert Ford, who lives near his diubhouse, The rescue was made at 8:45.

Dr. George A. Green, of Nashville, coroner of Washington county, conducted an inquest at Okawville which resulted in a verdict of "accidential death due to exhaustion and exposure." The physician reported that Gronemeyer had managed to keep his head above water during the frantic struggle and that drowning was not a factor in the death. Full Lie E. Martically Light the past file years Grome-meyer has been in the auto repair

business, hir garage being located at 218 East B street. Previous to that he had operated the Gronemeyer Truck Company.

Funeral Friday

Born at Edwardsville, Nov. 29. 1901, he was a son of Henry and Louise Harhausen Gronemeyer, the mother being a native of Belleville. the father of Germany, Both parcuis are dead, the mother dying a month ago.

He leaves three daughters, Ruth Marie, 14; Katherine Louise, 12; Doris Jean, 16; four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Minnie Eckert, of 218 Lebanon avenue; Mrs. Bertha Winker, of 5 Iowa avenue; John Gronemayer, of 118 South Sixteenth streets Mrs. Louise Arbruster, of 204 South Stateenth street; Henry Gornemeyer, of 514 Court street; Miss Sophie "Babe" Gronemeyer, of 503 Wabash avenue; two half sisters and ino The body may be the and to be The body may be the destrict and oclock this eventing for end to the Geminn - Bergando fundation to be Services will be held (there at 2 o'clock Priday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Kochler will officiate. Interment will Janitore Ar Highy are

Jacob Haas Dies, Retired Cupola Tender, Was 77

Jacob Haas, 77, retired foundry worker of 1647 North Church street, died at 6:15 this morning at his home after being ill for a year. He had been a cupola tender at the Enterprise foundry.

Born in Freeburg, Nov. 9, 1864, he was a son of the late Jacob and Catherine Galie Haas, both natives of Germany.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Katherina Graf Haas, whom he married here Sept. 5, 1888; two daughters, Mrs. Alvin Karch, of Lebanon; Mrs. Walter Keller, of 723 Hecker street; three grandchildren. Five sisters preceded in death. Haas was a member of local 182 of the molder union.

Services will be at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery. The body may be viewed at the funeral home after 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

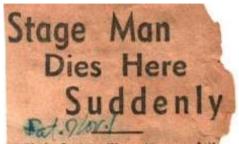
Gustav Haentzler, 62, Former Police Officer, Is Dead

Gustav J. Haentzler, 62, former local police officer, died at 9 o'clock this morning at his home, 602 South Twenty-second street. He had been ill since October.

A member of the local police department from 1920 to 1928, Haentzler had previously operated a tea and coffee route here.

Born at Olum, Germany, August 25, 1878, he was a son of the late Baptiste and Fredericka Murdel Haentzler.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Carrie Belle Whiteworth Haentzler, whom he married Feb. 22, 1915, at Catawissa, Mo.; five daughters and two sons, Margaret, wife of William Rahning, Mediria, Ohio; Lenos, wife of Kenneth Lasco, 118 North Fortieth street; Helen, wife of Lawrence Geary, 1812 Bunsen avenue; Lois, wife of Robert Doty, 118 North Fortieth street; James L. Haentzler, seaman in the United States Navy on duty on the S. S. Enterprise; Phyllis Jean and Robert Haentzler, at home; two grandchildren, Wilmer Rahning and Carol Ann Geary. The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Funeral arrangements are pending.



Clyde L. Hamilton, 42, one of thmore prominent entertainers hall, ing from Belleville, died unexpect, edly of a heart attack at 10 o'clock. Saturday night at his home, 310 South Charles street.

A master of ceremonies at theaters and night clubs, Hamilton had entertained throughout the country though being best known in the eastern states. For 15 years he had lived at Philadelphia, the last two years at Belleville. Hamilton had made appearances at local theaters with traveling revues.

Born at Lockport, N. Y., March 18, 1899, he was a son of Mark and Elizabeth Victor Hamilton. The mother survives, residing at 310 South Charles street.

He leaves four sisters, Mrs. Joseph W. Igel, of 130 North Douglas avenue; Mrs. Conrad Sattler, of 620 Union avenue; Mrs. Walter Andres, of 34 North Thirty-second street; Mrs. Helen Rowland, of 310 South Charles street, widow of Jess Rowland. A brother Charles, preceded in death

Hamilton was a veteran of the World War, having served with the 131st Infantry of the Nation Guard at Camp Logan, Texas.

Funeral services will be held 1 3:30 Tuesday afternoon at Gum lach and Company funeral hom Rev B J. Koehler officiating with interment in Mt. Carmel cemetery Pallbearers will be J. W Tzel, Jr Marcus J. Igel, Charles M. Hamilton, Edward H. Balley, Curt C, Lin dauer, and Leonard G. Miller.

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Johanna C. Hardt Dies Today, Was 67; June Funeral Saturday

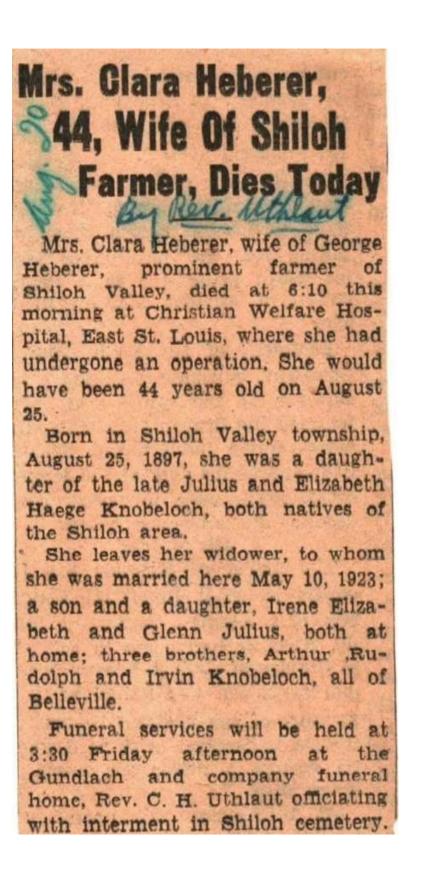
Mrs. Johanna C. Hardt, 67, wife of William J. Hardt, retired grocer of 4000 West Main street, died at 5 o'clock this morning at her home. Born at Ridge Prairie, May 20, 1873, she was a daughter of the late William and Frederick Kahlman Deppe, both natives of Germany.

She leaves her widower, whom she married at St. Louis, Nov. 15, 1898; and two brothers, Henry Deppe, of Smelting Works Road; Fred Deppe, East St. Louis. Preceding in death were three brothers and two sisters, Louis, William and Edward, Mrs. Mary Mowe and Mrs. Lena Suever.

Mrs. Hardt was a member of the Women's Relief Corps, the Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Evangelical Church.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's Church. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate with the Relief Corps conducting the rites, Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

The body will lie in state at the Gundlach and company funeral home until 11 o'clock Saturday morning when it will be taken to the church.



Herman Heberer, 93, 'Pump Man' Here For 50 Years, is Dead

Herman Heberer, 93 year old pump repair man, died at the Convalescent Home here at 11:45 o'clock this morning of the infirmities of old age. He had been ill for the past three weeks and in serious condition for several days.

Heberer had operated the pump repair shop at 403 North Illinois street where he also resided, for the past 34 years. Before that he was engaged in the same business on West Main street. Heberer sold, installed and repaired pumps. It is estimated that he had been known as the "pump man" for more than fifty years.

Only surviving member of the family is a brother, Charles Heberer, an artist, who is now being detained in Nazi-occupied France, where he went about two years ago on business. Heberer was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Heberer, nee Caroline Voelker, both natives of Germany. Heberer was born near Belleville. He had never married. Funeral arrangements have not been made. The body will be at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home

JACOB HERRMANN Herrmann, widely known 86-year-old retired farmer, died at 4 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Paul's Old Folks Home, after a short illness. After operating farms near Millstadt and Freeburg. Herrmann had retired and moved to Belleville 28 years ago. Formerly he had resided at 410 South Eleventh street, entering the home after the death of his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Meier Herrmann, April 8, 1940. The couple had been married March 20, 1887, at Concordia church, observing a golden wedding anniversary in 1937. Herrmann was born in Millstadt township, Jan. 31, 1855. The farmer leaves a son, William

Herrmann, of 929 South Fifth street; a granddaughter, Mrs. Fern Griffith and a great grandson, Jackie Griffith.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.





GUSTAV HERZIG, SR.

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Gurthy Phul Herner, Sr., 67 year old retired coal miner of 23 North Twelfth street, died at 12:30 Bunday afternoon at his bone. He had been ill for three works.

He had last been employed, six years ago, at the Nigger Hollow Mine of the St Louis and O'Fallon Coal company. Hersis was a member of local & Progressive Miners of Anterica.

Born at Waldenburg, Germany, August 30, 1873, he was a son of the late Perdinand and Ernstina Newman Herzig.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Pauline Wagner Herzig whom he married in Germany, is yearn and two sons and three daughters, Gustav Hersig, Jr., 204 North Illimola street; Mrs. Barriet Goodwin, of 23 North Twelfth street; Richard P Herzig, of East St. Louis; Elizabeth, wife of Reginald Beaumont Binral Route 3: Mrs. Ida Erwin, 23 North Twelfth street; 11 grandchildren, ong great grandchild; a wrother and two sisters. Paul Bersig, Mrs. Louis-Schmidt and Mrs. Beima Blumphe all M Germany.

Puneral services will be at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon at the Perie Gaerdner funeral home. Bay, B. J. Kochler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Christ Hofstetter, 88, Retired Miner, Dies At Home Here

Christ Hofstetter, 88 year old retired coal miner of 923 North Illinois street, died at his home at 9:15 Sunday morning after an extended illness.

He was born in Germany, Sept. 9, 1853. His wife, Mrs. Carrie Rock Hofstetter, died in 1936. He leaves a daughter, Mary, wife of William Meyer, with whom he resided; five grandchildren; six great grandchildren; two half brothers and a half sister, Albert and Simon Rock and Mrs. Elsie Fournie, all of O'Fallon. A son, a sister and a brother preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. Victor L. Huber, assistant pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical church, will officiate with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Nic Hottenrott, Goal Miner, Dies, Funeral Friday

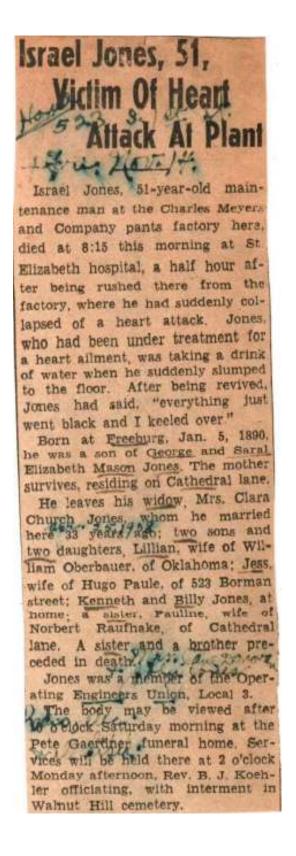
Funeral services for Nicholas Hottenrott, 75, coal miner of 920 Union avenue, will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon from the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating, with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

A coal miner for 55 years, Hottenrott had last been employed at the White Rose mine. He was a member of Local 4, Progressive Miners of America.

Born at Reeb Station, May 28, 1866, he was a son of Adam and Henrietta Ott Hottenrott, both natives of Germany.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Caroline Burr Hottenrott, whom he married here Oct. 31, 1891; seven sons, Albert, 920 Union avenue: Adam, Millstadt road: John, West Monroe street; Henry, 418 South Second street; Edward, 1109 West A street; Ferdinand, 35 North Seventeenth street, and Franklin, 920 Union avenue; two daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Frank RodenBerg, 240 Brackett street, Swansea, and Margaret, wife of George Bien, Shiloh road; 13 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.





Mrs. Sarah E. Jones, Dies At Home Here, Was 85 Years Old

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Jones, 85, of 411 Cathedral Lane, died at 8:10 this morning at her home after an illness incident to her age.

Born March 16, 1856, at Prairie du Rocher, she was a daughter of the late George and Sarah Nation, both natives of that area. She was first married to James Ledford. In 1890 she married George Jones, mine engineer of Freeburg, who died in 1913.

Surviving are three daughters and a son, Pauline, wife of Norbert Raufhake, of 411 Cathedral Lane; Mrs. Mary Hesse and Mrs. Barbara Mauerer, both of near Freeburg; James Ledford, of St. Louis; 20 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren. Two sons and a daughter preceded in death.

The body may be viewed after noon Thursday at Gundlach and Company funeral home. Services will be held there at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating, with interment in Walnut Hill Cemetary.

Eugene Juenger, 51, 50 Linotype Operator, Dies In Colorado

Eugene Juenger, 51, formerly a linotype operator of the Daily Advocate mechanical staff, died this morning at the Union Printers Home at Colorado Springs, Colo., where he had been under treatment since January. The printer had suffered the first of a series of strokes in August of last year.

Learning the printing trade here as a youth, Juenger had been employed at various shops in Belleville and St. Louis. He had been with the Advocate until eight years ago.

Juenger was born here, his parents being Henry and Mary Bollmeier Juenger.

He leaves a son and two daughters, Eugene Juenger, Jr., of 600 East B street; Ramona, wife of Arthur Jacober, of Highland, and Thelma, wife of Lawrence Agne, of Swansea. A sister and two brothers survive, Mrs. Augusta Stoelzle, of Muskogee, Okla.; Henry Juenger, of 710 South Church street, and Otto Juenger, of 529 South Virginia avenue.

The body will be brought to Belleville for burial.

Sleeps With Cigaret, Man Burned Dead

Ralph Juenger, of <u>818 Brady</u> avenue, East St. Louis, died at St. Mary's hospital, East St. Louis, at 4:30 this morning of burns suffered at 10 o'clock Saturday night when he fell asleep in an automobile while smoking a cigaret.

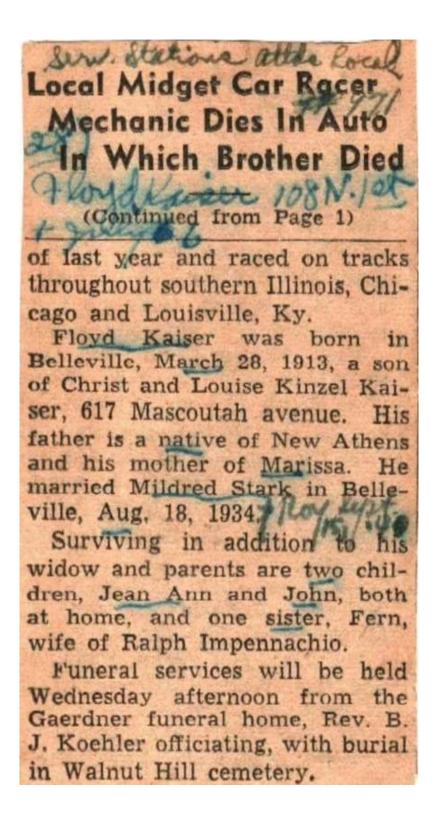
Juenger, a son of the late Joseph Juenger, and a grandson of the late George Juenger, both formerly of Belleville, was brought to the hospital by Kenneth Holten. 20, of 210 South Sixth street, East St. Louis.

Holten told police that he and Jumper had been sleeping in Helten's automobile in the rear of Holten's home. Before he fell asleep, Holten said, he saw Juenger light a cigaret.

Holten said he was awakened to find the automobile ablaze and Juenger lying on the ground outside the car, his clothes affre. Holten said he estinguished the flames, then drove the burned man to the hospital in Juenger's automobile. He was severely burned about the face, head and body. Juenger is survived by his wife.

Lucille, and daughter, Shirley Jean, and an aunt, Mrs. Joseph Bingheim, 20 North Douglas avenue, here. The body is at the Gundlach fumeral home. Anthonest is pending.

East St. Louis police today reported that the dead man's brother and another member of the family were injured in an auto accident while using the car owned by the fire victim, Charles Juenger, 20, of 420 North Sevenih street, East St. Louis; and Louise Juenger, 17, suffered cuts and bruises when the car hit a tree this morning.



John H. Kaiser Found Dead, Was Father Of Nine

John H. Kaiser, 73-year-old yardman employed at the home of Mrs. Bessie Spoeneman of 420 North High street, was found dead in his quarters there at noon today. Apparently he was suddenly stricken while asleep last night as he had recently been in good health.

Kaiser had formerly been a coal miner, being employed at the Eldnar mine.

Born at Mt. Olive, Ill., March 21, 1868, he was a son of the late Herbert and Gretchen Kaiser.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Clara H. Reuter Kaiser, whom he married at Mt. Olive, Dec. 16, 1891; four sons and five daughters, Walter, of St. Louis; Herman, of East St. Louis; Elmer, of Seattle, Wash.; Leona, wife of Fred Mu-nie, 137 Indiana avenue; Wilma, wife of Irwin Kauffman, grocer of 320 Mascoutah avenue; Vera, wife of Howard Ransin, of St. Louis; Clarence, of 1025 South Charles street; Gertrude, wife of Milton Krupp, of 617 State street; Doris, wife of Irwin De Grote, of St. Louis; 11 grandchildren; six great grandchildren. Preceding in death was a daughter, Mrs. Josephine Sprecher.

The body may be viewed after noon Thursday at Gundlach and Company funeral home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

James Kara Dies, Retired Goal Miner, Was 72 Years Old

James Kara, 72-year-old retired coal miner, died at noon today at his home, North Fifty-seventh street. Until a year ago he had worked at the Summitt mine here, was a member of Local 4, of the Progressive Miners of America.

Born in Cvrcovice, Czechoslovakia, Sept. 21, 1868, he was a son of the late John and Mary Elouhy Kara. His wife, Mrs. Antonio Kosta Kara, whom he married in Czechoslovakia in 1896, died June 19, 1938.

He leaves a son and six daughters, Frank Kara, of Cleveland, Ohio: Mrs. Frances Nolte, Germany: Mrs. Rose Lessner, at home; Mrs. Anna Donovan, Chicago; Mrs. Julia Walta, Belleville; Mrs. Marie Williams and Mrs. Minnie Rongey, both of East St. Louis; 29 grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Mathilda Renek, Czechoslovakia. A son, Robert, and a daughter, Antonia Campbell, preceded in death.

Kara was a member of the C. S. P. S., a Czechoslovakian lodge here, The body may be viewed at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home after 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, Funeral arrangements have not been made.

James Kara, 72, Retired Miner, Dies in His Home

James Kara, 72-year-old retired coal miner, died in his home on North 57th Street, Rural Route No. 3, Belleville, at noon today following a lingering illness. Mr. Kara was last employed at the Summit Mine.

He was born in Cvrcovice, Czechoslovakia, on September 21, 1868, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Kara, nee Mary Dlouhy, also natives of Czechoslovakia. He married Antonia Costa in Bruch, Czechoslovakia on January 25, 1896. She died on June 19, 1938.

Surviving are a son, Frank Kara, Cleveland, O.; six daughters, Mrs. Frances Nolte, Germany; Mrs. Rose Lessner, at home; Mrs. Anna Donovan, Chicago; Mrs. Julia Walta, Belleville, and Mrs. Marie Williams and Mrs. Minnie Rangey, East St. Louis; a sister, Mrs. Mathilda Ranek, Czechoslovakia; 29 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

A son, Robert, died in 1928, and a daughter, Mrs. Antonia Campbell, died on June 13, 1937.

He was a member of the C. S. P. S. of Belleville and Local No. 4. Progressive Miners of America. For partial funeral arrangements see the obituary column on Page 15.

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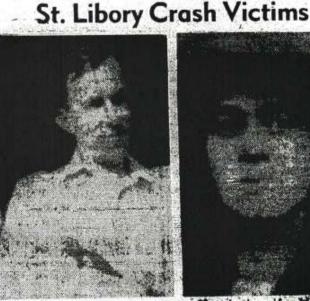
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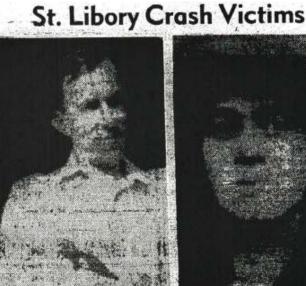
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Jacob M. Kloess, Brewery Worker, 56, Dies At Home Here

Jacob Martin Kloess, 56, brewery worker, 424 South Pennsylvania avenue, died at 7:30 Saturday evening at his home. He had been ill three days. Kloess was employed at the Western Brewery.

Of an old prominent local family, Kloess was born Nov. 4, 1884, a son of the late John Kloess II and Maria Krummrich Kloess, both natives of Germany.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anita Wetzel Kloess, whom he married at Murphysboro, Nov. 28, 1928; two brothers and five sisters; Philip Kloess, Sr., 701 North Illinois street; George A. Kloess, Sr., building contractor, 2016 West A street; Mrs. Margaret_ Atzinger, 400 West C street; Mrs. Louise C. Mohr, 805 Lebanon avenue; Mrs. Christina A. Schweinfurth, Mt. Vernon; MIS. Augusta J. Obernagel, of Freeburg, and Mrs. Martha C. Obernagel, 701 N. Illinois street. Preceding him in death were a brother, John, and two sisters, Emma Kloess and Lillian Brockmann.

Kloess was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical church, and the Men's Aid of that congregation.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Renner - Geminn - Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Mrs. Howard Tritt will be the soloist. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery,

Mrs. Lena Knefelkamp Dies, Wife Of City Weighmaster; Was 61

Mrs. Lena Knefelkamp, 61, wife of City Weighmaster Albert Knefelkamp, died at 12:20 this morning at her, home, 312 East B street, after a lingering illness.

Born here March 29, 1880, she was a daughter of the late Ernst Louis and Anna Wessel Stein, the mother being a native of New Hanover, Ill., the father, of Germany.

She leaves her widower, to whom she was married here in 1902; one daughter, Miss Esther Knefelkamp, first grade teacher of the Douglas School; three brothers and a sister, Mrs. R. P. Briegel, of Columbia; August Stein, of 715 Abend street; Gustave Stein, of 521 South Missouri avenue. Preceding in death were a brother and a sister, Mrs Louis Schiermier and Henry Stein.

The body may be viewed after 5 o'clock this evening at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler and Rev. Frank L. Eversull wil. officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

James Knowles, 62, Dies At Home Here, Funeral Tomorrow

James Knowles, 62, of 16 Groom Addition, died at 7:22 Saturday night at his home after an extended illness.

Born at Alton, March 8, 1879, he was a son of the late James and Julia Price Knowles, the mother being a native of Pennsylvania, the father of Alton.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna Davis Knowles, whom he married at Litchfield in 1902; two daughters, Eleanore, wife of Leroy Groom, of 16 Groom Addition; Hazel, wife of Dr. P. H. Fox, of North Pleasant, Texas; 10 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren . two sisters and a brother, Bessie, wife of Arthur Stock, of Madison avenue; Lourella, wife of George Becker, of 102 South Nineteenth street, and William Price, of 201 South Nineteenth street. A sister and a brother preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler, officiating, with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

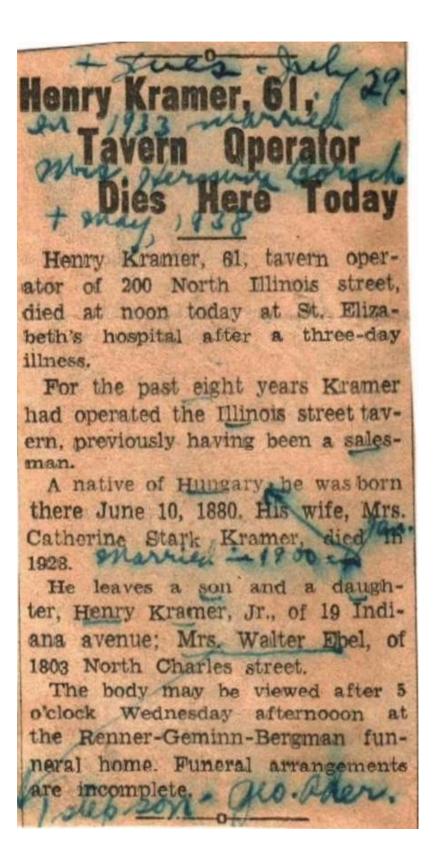
Peter Koller Dies Here, 79; Retired Foundry Laborer

Pete Koller, 79, retired foundry worker of 727 State street, died at his home at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon after a four day illness incident to his age.

A life long resident of this city, he was born here June 29, 1862, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Koller, both natives of Germany. His wife, Mrs. Bertha Lenz Koller, died 19 years ago.

He leaves two daughters, Johanna, wife of Clem Muren, of 601 South Missouri avenue; Adele, wife of Wilbur Forrester, of 727 State street; and three grandchildren. Another child preceed in death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Geneva Krauthamer Funeral Services Will Be Tomorrow

Funeral services will be held Thursday for Mrs. Geneva Krauthamer, 38, of 200 West J street, who died yesterday afternoon at St. Elizabeth hospital after a lingering illness.

Born here Jan. 18, 1903, she was a daughter of Adam and Lena Becker Roedersheimer. The father survives, residing at St. Louis.

She leaves a son and four daughters, Delores, wife of Melvin Arnold, Caseyville; Newman Snyder, June Snyder and Eileen Snyder, all of 200 West J street and Louise Krauthamer, of Rural Route 1; and one grandchild.

Also surviving are four sisters: Minnie, wife of Joseph Yocks, 1833 West Main street; Susie, wife of Albert Lemen, of Rural Route 2; Mrs. Lena Fickinger, East St. Louis; Alvina, wife of Robert Schmisseur, Belleville; a brother, Earl Roedersheimer, of South Fifteenth street and a half-brother, Charles Schmidt of Flint, Mich. Two brothers preceeded in death.

Services will be at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

John Kremmer, 82, Retired Farmer, Dies Near Here

JOHN N. KREMMER John N. Kremmer, fromineent all rear old forement of Moscoulan read, aird, at 10:10 last night at his home after an illness incident to his age. In his active years Kremmer had been regarded, as one of the outstanding farmer of the area. Burn in Millstell, March 20, 1961, he was a son of the late John and Margaret. Osen Kremmer, His wite, Min. Anna Wagner Kremmer, whom he married here in 1988 died in 1978.

He leaves four daughters and a son, Katte, wife of Charles Lois, Macoutan Read; Mary, wife of Artinut Bechtold, of Millstodt; Frieds, wife of Walter Hamann; Tulle, wife of Julius Hamann, both of Plum Hill Road; Garence Krepmer, on the family form; sis grandonistren. The Judus Hamann family won the district henors in the Hilman Typical Farm Family content this past summer. A son John proceeded in death. Two brothers and a mater survive, Jacob Kremmer, of Collingstille; Joseps, of St. Louis; Mrs. Kate Hardt, of Bellevelle. The Bean gar is placed for a factor is and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtion, and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtion and commers, foundtions, sub-friend there at 1:20 Monday afternom, Rev. B. J. Koeher officiating with interment in Green Mount constants.

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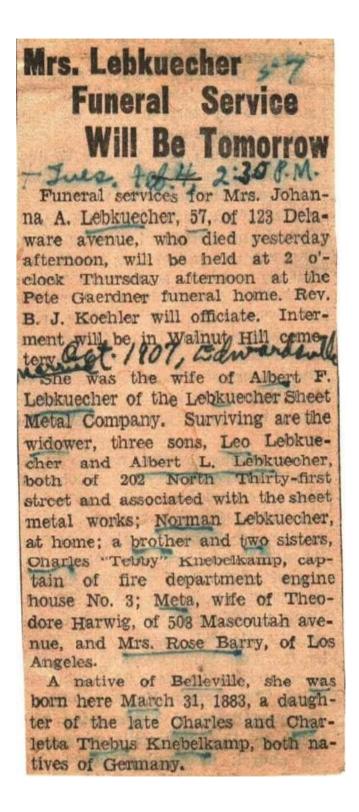
Amos Lashley, <u>73-year-old</u> retird coal miner, of 1108 La Salle treet, died at 6:20 yesterday evening at his home.

Born at Ironton, Mo., Nov. 17, 1867, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Lashley, both natives of Missouri.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Margaret McBride Lashley, whom he married at St. Louis in 1897; three sons and two daughters: Oordell Lashley, of 929 South Church street; Monroe Lashley, 726 West Lincoln street; Curties Lashley, of Roxana; Elnora, wife of Raymond Hemmer, St. Louis, and Avarah, wife of John Riesenberger, of Schilling avenue; seven grandchildren and one great-granchild.

Lashley was a member of Local No. 4, Progressive Miners of America.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Mrs. Lehman, 75, Is Dead Following 15 Months' Illness

Mrs. Elizabeth Lehman, 75 years of age, died from infirmities of age at her home on the Shiloh Road, just outside the Belleville city limits, at 8:55 o'clock Saturday night after an illness of 15 months.

Mrs. Lehman was born in Frankfort-On-the-Main, Germany, on April 2, 1865, and was a daughter of the late Conrad and Caroline Dern, nee Illig. She came to the United States at the age of six months. She married George Lehman in Belleville on March 18, 1890. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on March 18, 1940.

Besides her husband, she leaves five daughters and two sons, Melinda, wife of Frank Roehrig, Mascoutah; Adela, wife of Nic Bossler, Shiloh Valley Township; Flora, wife of Walter Bress, Troy; Clementine, wife of Earl Compton, Belleville; Elsa, wife of Oscar Hauselman, St. Louis; Walter Lehman, Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Oscar Lehman, Shiloh Road.

She also leaves eight grandchildren, a half-sister, Mrs. Philip Geminn, and a half brother, Henry Damm, both of Belleville.

She was a member of the Woman's Guild of St. Paul's Evangelical Church.

The pallbearers will be Adam Heinemann, Ethel Compton, John Schobert, Clarence Wagner, Mike Bossler and Charles Goetz.

For funeral arrangements see obituary column on Page 11.

CHARLES LENZ, **DEAN OF LOCAL** PRINTERS, DIES

President of West Side **Building and Loan Was** Heart Ailment Victim,

Charles Lenz, 72 years old, dean of Belleville printers and president of the West Side Building and Loan Association, died suddenly at 4:20 o'clock this morning at St. Elizabeth's Hospital from a heart ailment.

Stricken at his home, 110 South Eighth Street, at 10 o'clock last night, Mr. Lenz was removed to the hospital. He had been in poor health for several months.

Mr. Lenz was a printer for more than 60 years, retiring a few years ago because of his advanced age. Born in Belleville

He was born in Belleville on August 7, 1868, and was a son of the late Karl F. and Pauline Lenz. nee Walter. His father, a native of Rohrdorf, Wuerttenberg, Germany, was born on February 24, 1843, and came to America.at the age of one and one-half years. He served in the Civil War, enlisting in Company F, 15th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, on December 7, 1861. Six months later he was discharged because of his health, but he regained his health and re-enlisted in Company H, 149th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and served to the end of the war. He was discharged at Dalton, Ga., on January 27, 1866.

His mother was born on October 13, 1850, in Dachsen-Coburg, Germany, and came to America in 1857 with her mother. The family spent 13 weeks in crossing the Atlantic Ocean and settled at Booneville, Mo., where her mother died in 1858. She came to Belleville in 1863. Charles Lenz' parents were married March 7, 1867, and his father died January 27 1896. Mrs. Lenz, who is 90 years old, survives and lives at 1615 West Main Street.

Began Work in 1881 Mr. Lenz went to work on February 18, 1881, with the old Belleville Zeitung and stayed there for two years. In 1883 he transferred to the old Daily News, a morning paper, and helped get out the first. issue. This paper was later consolidated with the Democrat and became the News-Democrat. He left the News-Democrat in 1885 and went to work with the Belleville Post and was with that firm and its successors for 28 years. In the spring of 1914 he start-

ed work with the Daily Advocate, a short time after the late Fred E. Evans had purchased that paper. He remained with the Advocate until three years ago, retiring because of failing health. Charter Member of Union

Mr. Lenz was a charter member of the German-American Typographical Union No. 18 which was organized on August 21, 1886. He was one of the first delegates to the Belleville Trades and Labor Assembly which was formed in 1889. In 1891, when the Assembly received a charter from the American Federation of Labor, he was serving as a delegate from the printers' union, an office he held for about six years. He helped arrange the first Labor Day picnic at the old Fair Grounds. The deceased was a charter

member of Christ Evangelical Church, which was formed in 1893, and served as its first secretary and later as president for several years.

Active as Mason -4.

In 1935 he was elected a member of the board of directors of St. Paul's Old Folks Home. He was active in the affairs of the, Masonic Lodges and was editor of the Masonic Temple News since 1927. He held membership in the following Masonic orders: St. Clair Lodge No. 24, A. F. and A. M.; Belleville Chapter No. 106. Royal Arch Masons; Belleville Council No. 67, R. and L. M .; Tancred Commandery No. 50, Knights Templar; Belleville Chapter No. 423, Order of Eastern Star; Cedar Shrine No. 60, W. S. of J., and a member of the Masonic Temple house committee since 1931.

Twice Married

Mr. Lenz was twice married. His first wife was Lena C. Jung, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jung, well-known residents of the West Side. They were married May 10, 1892, and she died on March 18, 1893, at the age of 23 years. To that union one son was born, Peter W. Lenz, 519 South Douglas Avenue.

His second wife was Lena Wenzel, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Wenzel. They were married October 22, 1901. She was born in New Athens on January 28, 1875. To this union one son, Carl G. Lenz of Orchard Drive, was born.

Besides his wife, his mother and his two sons, he leaves three grandchildren, Russell and Mildred, children of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lenz, and Judy Kay, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lenz.

4 Sisters, 3 Brothers Survive

He also leaves four sisters and three brothers, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Oelke, Los Gatos, Cal.; Mrs. Lulu Watts, East St. Louis, and the Misses Kate and Johanna Lenz, both of Belleville; George J. Lenz, St. Louis; Julius F. Lenz, San Diego, Cal., and Cornelius W. Lenz, Belleville, Helped Form Turner Society

He helped organize the Belleville Turner Society which was formed on April 26, 1899, and was the first secretary of that organization, serving about 10 years in that capacity.

He was elected on April 20, 1912, as a member of the Grade School Board of Education in one of the most bitterly contested campaigns ever held in a school election in Belleville. Women candidates were placed on the ballot for the first time in that election but they were defeated by a majority of 4 to 1. He served three years on the board.

He became a member of the first board of education for the Belleville Township High School, being elected on August 25, 1914, and served 17 successive years with the board.

Charter Member West Side Group Mr. Lenz was a charter member of the West Side Improvement Association, oldest civic body in Belleville. It was formed in 1914 and he served many years on its board. In 1922 he helped organize the West Side Building and Loan Association and after serving as a director for several years was made its president in 1925, a position he held until the time of his

death. In 1929 he became a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Church and at the time of his death was serving on the council of that church.

Early in 1934 he was elected a member of the board of directors of the Belleville National Bank. He also served for three years on the board of health, beginning in May, 1915, while R. E. Duvall was mayor.

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Leng was a charter member of Dernicit - American Typographical No. 18, which was organised No. 18, which was organized August 21, 1886. Lenz was one of the first delegates to the Delleville Trades & Labor Assembly which was urganized about 1888 or 1888. To 1891 a charter was given the organization by the American Federation of Labor. He helped to arrange the first Labor Day pictule held at liciterille Fait Grounds.

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Active In Civic Life

He helped to organize the Belleville Turners in 1899 and was the first secretary, serving in that ca-

On April 10, 1912, Leng was elected a member of the Board of Education of District No. 118. in what to that time was one of the notiest school elections ever incld here, wills the names of women appearing on the ballet for the first time. He served three years on this board.

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Lanz was elected a member of the Board of Education of the Balleville Township High School in Aug. 1914, the date of He inception and served IT years on that board.

In 1922 he helped to organize the West Side Building and Loan Association, was a director for several years and had been president since 1905

In May of 1915 he was appointed by R E. Duvall, then Mayor of Belleville, to the board of brailth. cerving in that capacity for three Sears.

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Resolution

IN MEMORY OF CHARLES LENZ Born Aug.7, 1868 - Died March 24, 1941

Whereas, God in his infinite wisdom, has summoned unto eternal rest, our Financial Secretary, Charles Lenz, and

Whereas, the City of Belleville records the loss of a trusworthy leader, a congenial associate, a loyal friend, a stalwart citizen, and a man of unquestioned integrity and honor

Whereas, we, as fellow-members of the Church Council of St. Paul's Evangelical Church of Belleville, Illinois, know that we have suffered a great loss in the untimely passing of Brother Lenz, a Christian who has served with exceptional ability and faithfulness,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That while we recognize the brevity of life, and its many uncertainties, yet we find deep solace in our unshakable faith and knowledge that our friend and brother having finished his task here and kept the faith, has now entered upon Life Eternal-the true Victory over death, and so we close the record in his life, and while we mourn his loss, we acknowledge with gratitude the results of his life's work, Therefore, Be It Further Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the Church Records as a tribute to his memory, and that a copy thereof be sent to the members of the bereaved family, to whom we extend our deepest sympathy, in this, their hour of great trial.

Dated this 24th day of April, A. D. 1941.

By order of the Church Council, Charles Niess

Edwin E. Blum

B. J. Koehler, Minister.

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Christina Lessing Life Long Resident Dies At Age Of 83

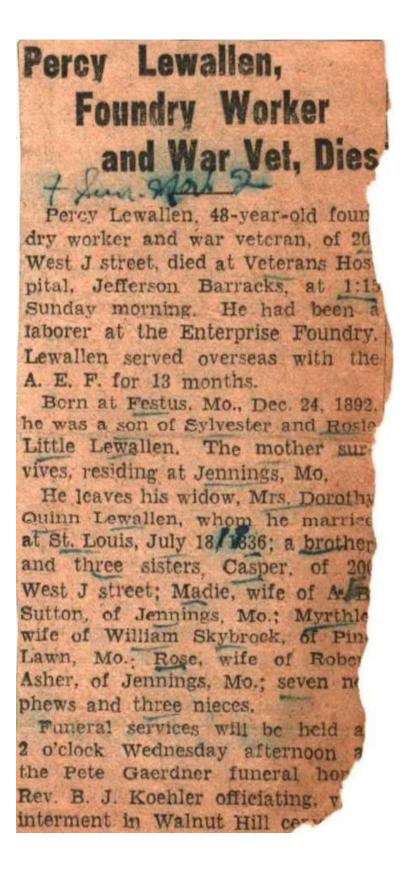
Mrs. Christina Lessing, 83, of 229 North Twelfth street, died at 5:20 Sunday afternoon at her home after an illness incident to her age.

Born here Jan. 2. 1858, she was a daughter of Gottlieb and Theresa Haegle Loeffler, both natives of Germany. Preceding in death, in 1900, was her husband, Herman Lessing, to whom she was married in 1876.

She leaves a son and a daughter, Mrs. Emelia Bogner and Carl Lessing, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Elmer Hemmer, all of 229 North Twelfth street; three great grandchildren; two brothers and a sister, Gustave Bauer, of 701 West E street; Joseph Bauer, of East St. Louis; Mrs. Grover Severs, of Cripple Creek, Colo. Preceding in death were two daughters and three sons, Hermina, George, Alvina, Henry and Edward.

Mrs. Lessing was a member of St. Paul'z Evangelical church.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Gundlach and Company funeral home, Rev. Arthur E. Reiss officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Sam Llewellyn, 61, Fireman and Miner, Dies At Pontiac

Samuel J. Llewellyn, 61, former railroad fireman and coal miner of Pontiac Station, died at 6:50 yesterday evening at his home of a heart ailment after a six months' illness.

In his younger years he had been a fireman for the Frisco and Illinois Central railroads, later a miner at the Nigger Hollow mine of the St. Louis and O'Fallon Coal Company.

Born at Birkner Station, March 23, 1879, he was a son of William and Josephine Forquer Llewellyn, the mother being a native of St. Clair township, the father of Pennsylvania.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Julia Regelmann, whom he married at East St. Louis, Nov. 28, 1907; a son and two daughters, Ida Mae, wife off John Driscoll, of Houston, Texas; Florence, wife of Earl Geter. of Brentwood, Mo., and Clarence Llewellyn, St. Louis; two brothers and a sister, Walter D., of St. Paul, Minn ; John A., of rural route 3, and Mrs. Ida Hobbs, of Springfield, Mo. Llewellyn was a member of the Odd Fellows of O'Fallon; Local No. 7 of the Progressive Miners, and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home.

Morrison A. Mank, Brewery Salesman, Dies Here Today

Morrison Andrew Mank, widely known 44-year-old salesman of the Griesedieck-Western Brewery, died at 12:40 this morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital. He had resided at 531 Park avenue.

The death of Mank was due to pneumonia and a complication of ailments. He was taken seriously ill Tuesday.

For 24 years Mank had been employed at the brewery here, being one of the small staff that remained active at the plant during prohibition days. He began as a driver, was later in charge of all truck deliveries and for the past three years has been in charge of sales for the local area.

Born here Nov. 27, 1896, he was a son of Andrew and Mary Wagner Mank. The father survives.

He leaves his father; his widow. Mrs. Mary Ellen Lippert Mank, whom he married at Waterloo, June 19, 1935; three brothers and three aisters. Andrew. Jr. of 1027 South Charles street; Mrs. Lucille Butts, of 214 North Thirty-eighth street; Mrs. Elenors Traube, of 117 South Thirty-fifth street; Arthur, of 104 Indiana avenue; Mrs. Leons Fledler and Charles Mank, of New Baden. Two brothers preceded in death.

Mank was a member of the Turner Baers, the South Side Improvement Association and the International Brewery Workers Union. The body may be viewed after 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Otto Schneider and Sons funeral home. Services will be held there at 1:30 Monday afternoon. Interment will be in the Mascoutah city cemetery.

Sandra Sue Meyer, 8, Nashville, Dies Grandmother Here

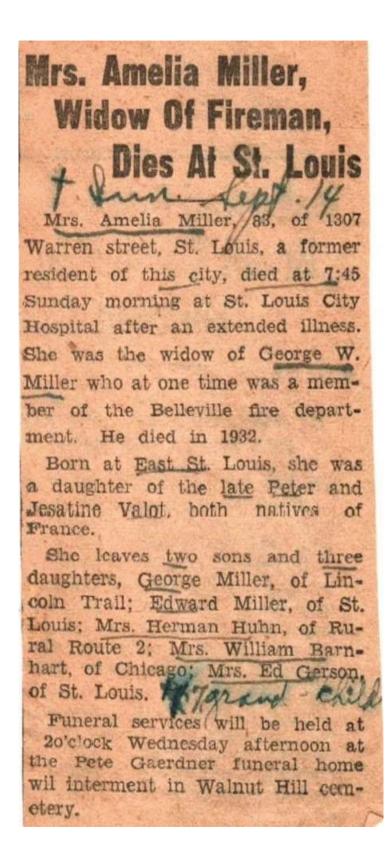
Sandra Sue Meyer, eight-year-old daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Oren Meyer, of Nashville, died at 8:55 this morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital. The child's death was due to a complication of ailments after she had been seriously ill for a week.

The mother is the former Anita Dittle of Belleville. The child was born at the hospital here Dec. 22, 1932.

Sandra had spent each weekend in Belleville with her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Dittle, of 414 East Main street, and was a member of the Sunday school of St. Paul's Evangelical church here.

In addition to her grandmother here; and her parents, she leaves a brother, Walter, and her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Meyer, of Nashville.

The body will lie in state at the Mann funeral home at Nashville. After a service there at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon the body will be brought here for services at 2:30 in St. Paul's church. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



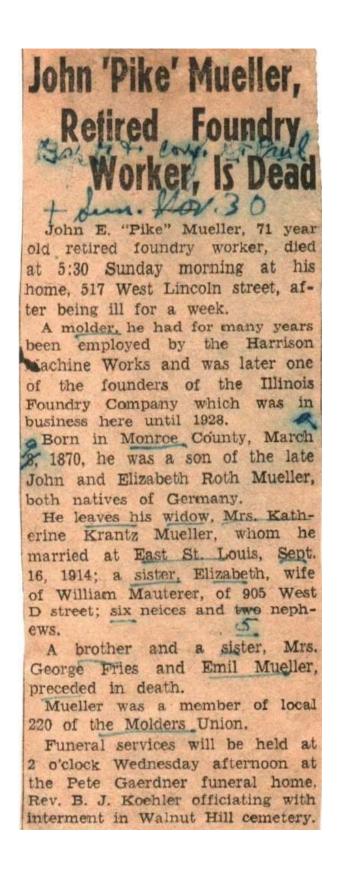
Mrs. Rose Morris, French Village, Dies Here At Age Of 45

Mrs. Rose Morris, wife of Edward Morris, French Village groceryman, died at St. Elizabeth hospital at 5:20 p. m. yesterday. She was 45 years old.

Mrs. Morris was born in Germantown, July 4, 1896, the daughter of Henry and Marie Korte Foppe, both natives of Germany. Her parents do not survive.

She married Edward Morris at Orlando, Fla., May 4, 1915. Surviving are two sons: Edward Henry Morris and Louis Price Morris. both of French Village. Also surviving are three brothers: August and Edward Foppe, both of Belleville; Aloys, of Chicago; and a sister, Clara Buesse, of Peoria. A brother and a sister preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Burial will be in the St. Clair Memorial Park cemetery, at French Village.



Mrs. Lydia Muskopf Dies 23 Hours After Being Hurt In Crash

Mis. Lydia Anna Muskopf died at 9:40 this morning at St. Elizabeth's hospital, 23 hours after she was critically injured when the automobile, she was driving, was struck by an Illinois Central freight train on Centerville avenue southbound crossing.

The 48-year-old victim of yesterday morning's crash was the wife of Oswald Muskopf, farmer, and had resided on the Millstadt road, five miles southwest of Belleville.

Apparently the woman's car stalled on the tracks, too late for the train to be stopped, or for Mrs. Muskopf to leap to safety. The car was dragged across the street and crushed against an iron signal standard.

Mrs. Muskopf suffered a fractured skull and other injuries. Her condition had been pronounced "very critical" on arrival at the hospital. Of a well-known Stookey township family, she was born March 4, 1892, a daughter of Robert and Margaretha Keck Huwer. The mother survives, residing in Stookey township.

In addition to her mother and her widower, to whom she had been married at St. Louis in 1923, Mrs. Muskopf leaves a daughter, Miss Erna Muskopf, 16 years old, two brothers and a sister: Oliver Huwer and Tillo Huwer, of Rural Route 3, and Otillia, wife of August Agne, of 824 Centerville avenue. Preceding her in death were two brothers, Theodore, at 1935, and Jerome in 1918.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. Gundlach and company will be in charge.

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Miss Mary Neubauer, 78, Seamstress, Dies; Funeral Saturday

Miss Mary Neubauer, 78, of 105 South Church street, died at 2:45 this morning at her home after an extended illness. She was well known as a seamstress.

Born Sept. 7, 1862, she was a daughter of Valentine and Elizabeth Hartmann Neubauer, being born at Gross-Herzogthum, Hessen, Germany, while her parents were on an extended visit to their native land.

She leaves two brothers and two sisters, Miss Emma Neubauer, with whom she had resided; Mrs. Emanuel Haug, of New York City. Henry Neubauer, Philadelphia, and August "Goody" Neubauer, compositor for the Daily Advocate, residing at 821 South Charles street: four nieces and four nephews. A sister, Mis. George Rodenmayer, of Cape Girardeau, Mo., preceded in death, Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

ilv. Neubert **Local Family** St. Louis inner St. Penl Er. C Miss Emily Neubert, 82, of an old prominent local family, died at 5:55 this morning at her home, 3525 Halliday avenue, St. Louis. She had been ill two weeks. A daughter of the late Carl and Eva Mathilda Languth Neubert. both natives of Germany, she was born here Oct. 24, 1858. Two brothers preceded her in death, Prof. Gustav Neubert, for many years a leader in musical circles here, being instructor of the Kronthal-Liedertafel, and Adolph Neubert. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery



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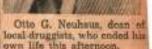
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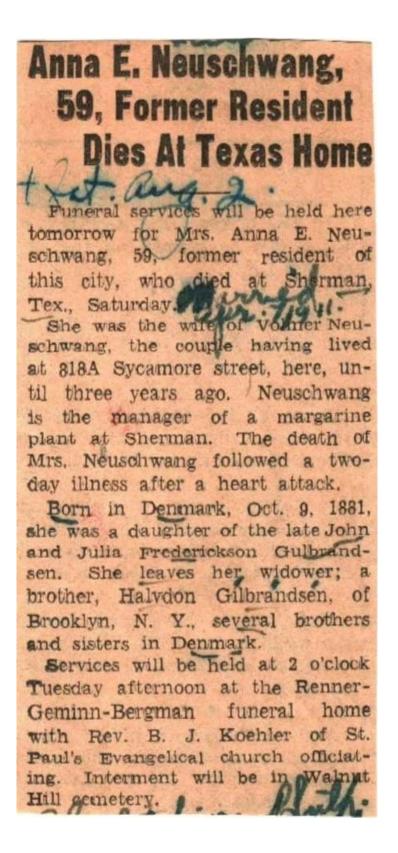
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August J. Nold, retired druggist and former mail carrier, died at 10:05 last night at his home, 716 South Jackson street. His death, at the age of 81, followed an extended illness.

For more than 20 years he had been associated with Nold's Drug store at 423 North Illinols street, active management of the firm being by his son, George W. Nold. Prior to that he had been a mail carrier of the local post office for 21 years. As a young man he had been in the liquor business, was a carponter for a time, worked for the old Adams Express Company, picked cotton in the south. Of a pioneer local family, Nold was born here August 12, 1859.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Theresa Kuehn Nold, whom he married at Mascoutah 59 years ago; three sons and a daughter. Julius E Nold, variety store operator of O'Fallon; George W. Nold, 824 East Main; Edwin A. Nold druggist, Litchfield; Laura, wife of Louis Koch of St. Louis; six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Albert C. Oldendorph, Pontiac Station, Dies At Home, Saturday Albert C. Oldendorph, retired teamster of Pontiac Station died at his home at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon after a two week's illness from heart disease.

Oldendorph for a number of years was employed as a teamster for the city of St. Louis, but retired eight years ago on a change of administration, when he took up his residence in Pontiac.

He was born Dec. 15, 1865 at Millstadt, a son of George and Mary Briesacker, both deceased He never married and is survived by three sisters, Misses Otillie, Rose and Lucinda, all at home. Funeral services will be held

Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at the Schwarz funeral home in O'Fallon, with burial in Mt. Evergreen cemetery at Millstadt, Rev. B. J. Koehler, Telleville, officiating.

Len Perschbacher, 51, Molder, Dies At His Clubhouse

Leonard Perschbacher, 51, molder, of 325 East Main street, died unexpectedly at 3:30 yesterday afternoon at his clubhouse near Queen's Lake in Clinton county. His death was due to a heart attack.

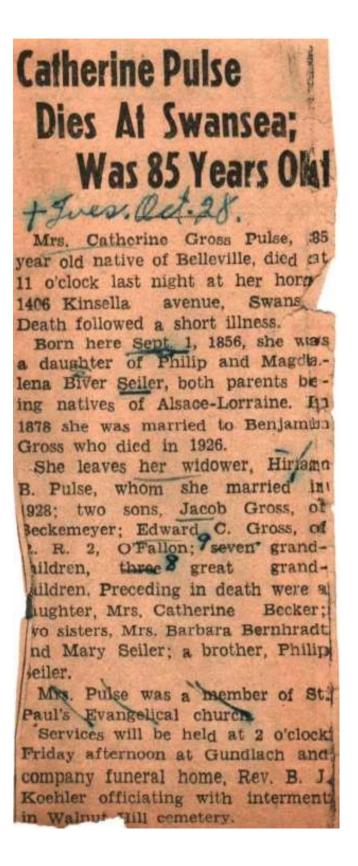
Born here March 2, 1890, he was a son of the late Henry and Katherine Schiltiknecht Ferschbacher, both natives of Illinois, He had never married.

He leaves a brother, Julius of New Memphis; two nephews and a niece, Walter Portz, Fred Mueller and Elenore Bram, all of St. Louis. Five sisters preceded in death.

Perschbacher was a veteran of the World Wur. He had been employed at the Excelsior Foundry and was a member of Local 220 of the Molders' Union and also of the Eagles Lodge.

Funeral services will be held at 3:15 Wednesday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in the Shiloh cemetery.

Miss Meta Peters Dies At Home Here, Was 46 Years Old pere. 19 Miss Meta Wilhelmina Peters, 46, died at 2:30 Sunday afternoon after an extended illness at her home, 1217 North Second street. She was a daughter of Qharles and Fannie West Peters, both of She also leaves whom survive. three brothers and two sisters, Ollie and Lester Peters, 1217 North Second street; John Peters, 125 South Thirty-fifth street; Elsie, wife of Emil Becker, of St. Louis county, and Mrs. Melva Ilwain, of San Francisco. Miss Peters was born here Sept. 16. 1894. The body may be viewed at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home after 5 o'clock this evening. Services will be held there at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery. Pallbearers will be Kenneth, Norman and Louis Peters, Joseph Harnist, Virgil Becker and Aloys Rauer.

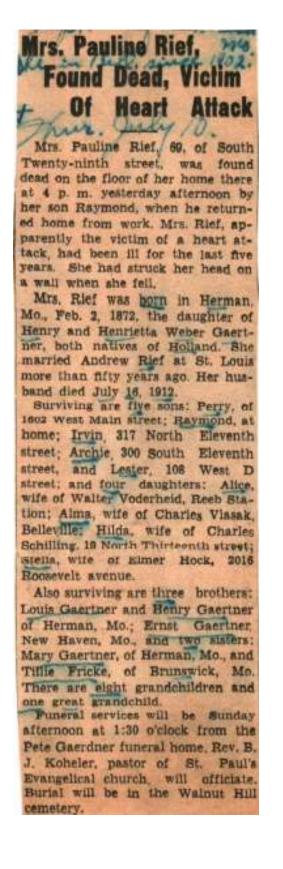


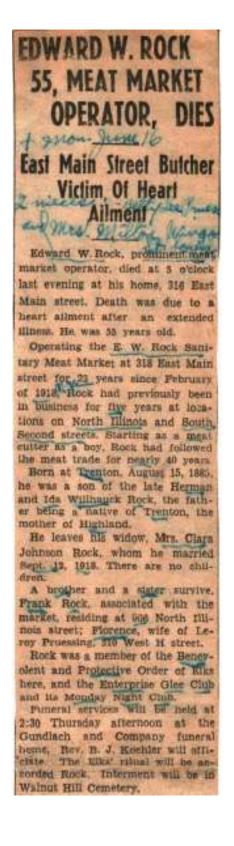
Mrs. Elizabeth Rapp **89 Year Old Widow Dies At Home Here** ues, ter. 25. Mrs. Elizabeth Rapp, 89, died at 6:15 yesterday evening at the home of her son, William Rapp, 213 South Missouri avenue, after an illness incident to her age. She was born in Prairie du Long township, July 27, 1851. She was the widow of Christ Rapp, to whom she had been married in 1870 and who died in 1904. Surviving are the son, William; three daughters, Mrs. Theresa Dobbins, East St. Louis; Mrs. Hannah Owens, O'Fallon; Dora, wife of William Kaesberg, 705 North Illinois street: 15 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and a sister, Theresa Stell, of Smithton. The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Funeral

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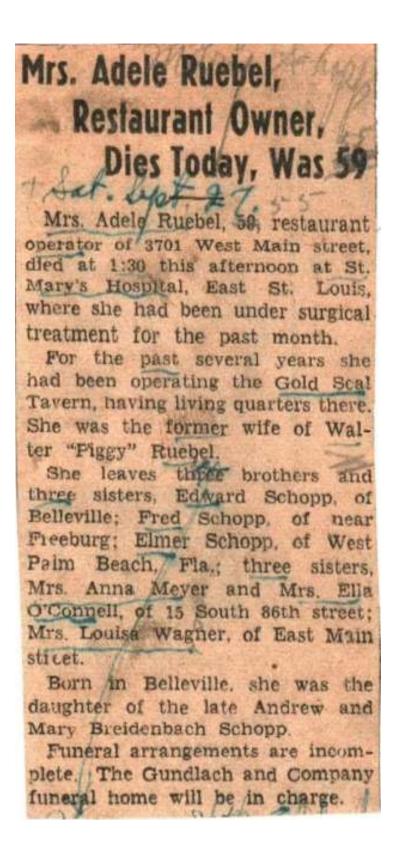
Margaret C. Rapp, Of Mulligan Lane, **Dies: 61 Years Old** - mon. bot. 6 Mrs. Margaret C. Rapp. 61. of Mulligan lane, died at 11:20 this morning at the home of her brother. George Rhein, of Smithton road, after being ill three months. She was the wife of George Rapp, the couple being married in 1922. Born in Smithton township, Dec. 2, 1879, she was a daughter of Louis and Lisetta Schwinn Rhein. She leaves her widower, two brothers and three sisters. George. Adolph, Hilda and Linda Rhein, all of Smithton road; Mrs. Edna Thomas, of O'Fallon; four nieces and four nephews. Mrs. Rapp was a member of the Turkey Hill Grange and the Smithton unit of the Home Bureau. The body may be viewed at the Gundlach and Company funeral home after 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Henry Ribling Dies, Goal Miner, Was 59, Saturday 59-year-old coar Ribling. miner of 13 South Seventeenth street, died at 5:45 this morning at his home after a brief illness. Born here Nov. 7, 1881, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ribling. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna E. Mayer, whom he married here Jan. 11, 1904; four sons and four daughters, John, Frank and Charles, all at home: Raymond, of 1208 North Church street: Gladys, wife of Robert Morgan, at home: Viola, wife of Harold Zink, 14 North Eleventh street; Florence, wife of Fred Schmittling, of 416 South Second street, and Aurelia, wife of Arthur Cordie, of Bristow street; six grandchildren; a brother and a sister, Charles Ribling, of 217 North High street; Mrs. Katherine Schneidewind, of 101 North Sixteenth street. The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.





Roeders Adam resident here, 8 Louis, formerly died at 8:55 last night at a hospital there after an extended illness. Roedersheimer While living here had geen a teamster. He was born at Prairie du Rocher, Oct. 14, 1861. He had married twice, both wives preceding in death. He first married Mary Hall, who died in 1898 and in 1932 he married Jennie Denny, who died Aug. 16 of this year. He leaves a son and a daughter, Earl Roedersheimer, of 518 South Fifteenth street; Alvina, wife of Robert Schmisseur, of Rural Route 1; four stepdaughters and two stepsons; Minnie, wife of Joseph Yock 1933 West Main street; Susie, wife of Albert Lemen, of Rural Route 2: Mrs. Lena, Figkinger, St. Louis; Charles Smith, of Flint, Mich.; Earl Denny and Mrs. Florence Sleme, of St. Louis; a grandchilren, three peat-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Barbara Schmidt, of Jacksonville, Mo. The or the, Pete o cloc Gaerc will be Thursday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Kochler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Arthur W. Ruhl, 44, Laborer, Dies Here; Funeral Tomorrow

Arthur W. Runl, 44-year-old foundry laborer, died at 2:45 Saturday afternoon at his home, 46 North Missouri avenue, after a lingering illness.

For the past 23 years he had been employed at the Orbon Stove Works. Ruhl was a member of Local 182 of the Molders' Union.

Born in Prairie du Long township, Dec. 27, 1896, he was a son of Robert and Margaret Langstorf Ruhl. The mother survives, residing at 1801 North Church street.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Emma Schumacher Ruhl, whom he married at Columbia, March 26, 1922; a six months' old son, Robert, and five sisters: Henrietta, wife of Edward Pabst, Prairie du Long; Emma, wife of Henry Barthel, 417 East D street; Louise, wife of John Hepp, 518 Portland avenue; Olga, wife of Fred Armstutz, 1317 Lebanon avenue, and Edna, wife of Wil-Ham Heck, 1819 East B street.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Tamaroa cemetery, five miles east of Hecker. Pallbearers will be Walter Weidman, Robert Ruhl, George Boller,

Bob Busch, Clarence Keller and

Lorraine Lacquet.

L. F. Sappington Dies, His Family Founders Of City

Leon F. Sappington, 77, retired railroad clerk of 745 State street, died at 7:40 Friday night at St. Elizabeth Hospital after being ill two months.

Of a pioneer Missouri family, he was a descendant of the farming families who founded and gave their name to Sappington, Missouri, southeast of St. Louis. He was born at Sappington, Nov. 1C, 1864, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Linton Sappington.

For 39 years Sappington was a shipping clerk for the Missouri Pacific railroad at St. Louis. In recent years he had worked at the Dintelman Nursery here. Sappington resided in Belleville for the past 26 years.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Catherine Rauser Miller Sappington, whom he married at Collinsville, June 24, 1916; a son, Ed Sappington; a daughter, Mrs. Unita Kenkel, both of St. Louis; a step-son, Fred Miller, of 120 South Eleventh street; six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 Monday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Marie E. Schade School Teacher Dies Today, 44

Mis Marie E Schade, 44, principal of the Henry Raab school, died at 12:35 this afternoon at her home, 524 North Illinois street. The death of the teacher was unexpected though she had been under the care of a physician for the past month. This morning, shortly after 11 o'clock, Miss Schade was taken ill at the school. On reaching her home, the teacher collapsed, the victim of cereberal thrombosis, and never regained consciousness.

Miss Schade had been a teacher in the local public grade schools for 25 years, had been principal of the Henry Raab school for the past three years and had held that position in previous years. Before teaching here, Miss Schude had for a short time taught in the rural schools of the area. Mant She was active in St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed Church, having been a Sunday School teacher there, a past president of the congregation's Board of Christian Education. Miss Schade was a niembor of Delta Kappa Gamma-

The teacher was born at New Athens, July 20, 1896. Her parents, both of whom survive and reside at 524 North Illinois street, are Herman and Emelia Schmidt Schade, The father is a native of New Athens, the motheri of Lenghurg. She leaves her parents: a brother and four sisters, Herman W. Schade, barber, of 310 South Eleyenth street; Mrs. Frieds Lenz, of 8% Louis; Miss Lu Schade, 524 North Illinois street; Elsie, wife of Sam White, of 1911 West A street

Elizabeth Scheich Dies, 70 Years Old; Funeral Thursday

Mrs. Elizabeth Scheich, 70, of 737 South First street, died at 7:30 last evening at her home after a lingering illness.

Born here May 9, 1871, she was a daughter of the late Martin and Christine Young Schwoebel, the father being a native of Germany, the mother of Belleville.

She leaves her widower, Philip Scheich, to whom she was married here Oct. 4, 1895; four sons and two daughters, Charles, William and Raymond Scheich, all of 737 South First street; Mrs. Louise Frey, of East St. Louis; Leona, wife of Wal-Foerste, of Dupo; Lester lace Scheich, of 1713 North Charles street; three grandchildren; three brothers, Fred Schwoebel, East St. Louis; Christ, of 737 South First street; Henry, of Centerville avenue. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

John Schewe Dies, Enamel Worker, 46; Funeral Saturday

John Schewe, 46, enamel worken of 412 Abend street, died at 10 o'clock last night at St. Elizabeth Hospital where he had been under medical treatment.

Born in Belleville, Feb. 2, 1895, he was a son of Albert and Antoinette Semrue Schewe, both natives of Germany. The father survives, residing at 1123 Freeburg avenue.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Georgia Mae Huber Schewe whom he married here 26 years ago; a son, James Schewe, of 412 Abend street; four sisters, Anna, wife of William Green, of 109 South Jackson street; Mrs. Martha Rettle, of 1123 Freeburg avenue; Mrs. Mary Hornkamp of Mount Vernon; Mrs. Theresa Pajot of Detroit; a brother, Herman Schewe of Detroit. Another brother preceded in death.

Schewe was last employed at the Roesch Enamel Range Company and was a member of the enamel workers union.

The body may be viewed after noon Thursday at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cometery.



Henry A. Schmitt, Local Artist, 75, Dies At His Home

Henry A. Schmitf, 75. portrait and landscape painter, of 115 West Washington street, died at 7:45 this morning at his home of heart failure. He had been in declining health for twogyears.

Beginning as a sign painter, Schmitt developed inherent artistic ability to the point that he d'd meritorious oil paintings, as well as hand-painted holiday novelties.

Schmitt was born in Belleville, July 30, 1866, a son of the late Heinrich and Clara Voegeli Schmitt. His mother was a native of Switzerland and his father of Germany. He married Stella Chesley in Belleville, June 4, 1892, In addition to his widow he is survived by four sons and a dauganter, Walter D. Schmitt. St. Louis; Elsie, wife of Fred Grosspitch; Herbert Schmitt and Arthur Schmitt.

all of Belleville, and Victor A. Schmitt, of Urbana. Another son died in 1903.

Also surviving are five grandehlldren and two brothers. Simon Schmitt and Walter D. Schmitt, retired local newspaper man, formerly associated with the Advocate; and two sisters. Miss Freda Schmitt and Miss, Lena Mueller, and a half sister, Miss Elizabeth Metz, all of Belleville.

The body is at the Gundlach funeral home, where services will be conducted at 1:30 Monday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Church, officiating. Burial will be in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

Simon Schmitt, 72, Foundry Man, Dies At Hospital Today

Simon Schmitt, 72. of 108 Carlyle avenue, long prominent in local stove foundry activity, died at 11:30 this morning at St. Elizabeth hospital after a six weeks' illness,

A machinist, Schmitt had for many years been foreman of the machine shop of the old Belleville Stove Works. His last association with the industry was as one of the operators of the Luzerne foundry plant here.

Born in Belleville, Jan. 28, 1869, he was a son of the late Henry and Clara Voegeli Schmitt, the mother being a native of Switzerland, the father of Germany.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Helan A. Born Schmitt, whom he married here July 19, 1899; a daughter, Helen Claire, wife of Frederick H. Engel, of 108 Carlyle avenue; two grandchildren; two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Magdalena Mueller, of 202 South High street; Walter D. Schmitt, of 110 North Illinois street; Miss Frieda Schmitt, of 115 North Church street; a half-sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Metz, of 612 St. Clair avenue. Two brothers and a sister preceded in death.

The body may be viewed after noon Tuesday at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Margaret Schmitz Dies, 78 Years Old; **Funeral Tomorrow** Such.

Mrs. Margaret Schmitz, 75-yearold life-long resident of Belleville, died at 3 o'clock Sunday morning at her home, 616 East Garfield street. In failing health for a num-

ber of years, Mrs. Schmitz had been seriously ill for three days. Born here July

25, 1865, she was a daughter of the late Christ and Elizabeth Roth Schaal, both parents being natives

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of Germany. Her husband, Frank Schmitz whom ahe had married Oct. 20, 1881, died

Mrs. Schmitz

She leaves four sons and two daughters. George and William, of Detroit; Mrs. Gll Peneyra, of Detroit; Frank and Alfred Schmitz, of Belleville; Louise, wife of Frank Spindler, 616 East Garfield street; 15 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a brother, Charles Schaal, of East St. Louis, and a sister, Mrs. Louis Walters, St Louis. Mrs. Schmitz was a member of

St. Paul's Evangelical church and the Ladies' Aid of that congregation.

Services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Otto Schneider and Sons funeral home. Rev. B. J. Kochler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Louise Schneider, 83, Dies At Hospital, Funeral On Sunday

Mrs. Louise Schneider, 83, of 2911 Reiss avenue, died at 9:20 last night at St. Elizabeth Hospital, after an illness incident to her age.

Born in Montgomery county, Missouri, Feb. 14, 1858, she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Wickers, both natives of Germany. Preceding in death was her husband, Conrad Schneider, to whom she had been married in 1830 in Missouri and who died in 1924.

She leaves three sons and three daughters: Fred C. Schneider, of Enid, Oklahoma; Harry Schneider, of 516 East Washington street; Carrie, wife of Alex Wehrheim, of 2911 Reiss avenue; Lillian, wife of Elmer Fehr, of South Eleventh street road; Herbert Schneider, South Eleventh street road; Flora, wife of James Burke, of Tulsa, Okla.; seven grandchildren. Four daughters died in infancy.

Funeral services will be held at 4:30 Sunday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

Death Takes Well Known Resident, 82

J.40. Ward-/8 Doctal Schneideword, promit-ent 85 year old life long resident of this city, died at 430 this morning at the Convolencent Bione where he had been under Greatment for the past eighteen months. He had verided at 212 North Church street. In his younger years Schneide-



wind had been a up a rintendent of the old Ship-man keg shee h a r a and was to to r employed by the Ehinger mill and con-tracting firm.

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mearly immemerable meets as attested by a hups collection of trophies. He had been a member of the now dishanded SE Louis Sharpshooters

"Born at 218 East Main street on "Been at 210 and bain breet on Duc. 17, 1858, he was a son of the hele Zdward and Samma Sei-risat Schleidewind, the parents being natives of Germany. His wife, Mrs. Troma Hoffman Schnei-dewind, when he married Oct.

The heart of the set o Kast H street here; three grandchildren, John Harvey and Hug Edward Schneidewind; Mrs. Ja-O'Drigoell, of Little Bock, Are and a great grandchild, Sue O' Driscolf.

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Funeral services will be held. 2 o'clack Thursday atterned Gundlach and company future home. Rev. R. J. Koshler w officiate. Internent will be i Walnut Hill cometery.



August Schopp, 74, Retired Carpenter, Dies Here Today

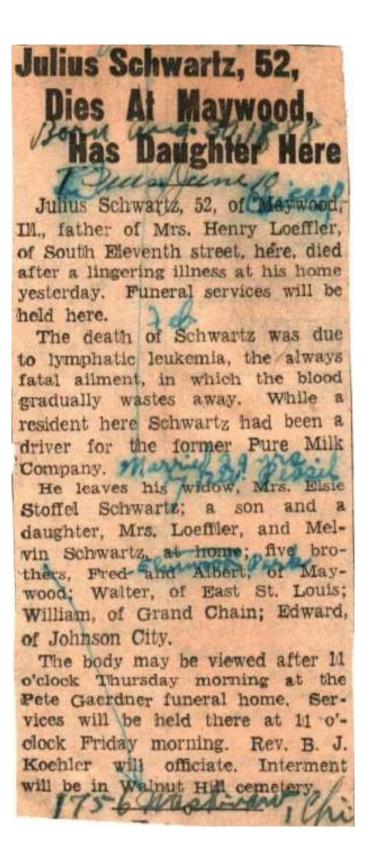
August "Gus" Schopp, 74, retired carpenter, died at 1:30 this afternoon at his home, 508 East A street, after an extended illness.

A carpenter here during his entire active life, Schopp was also prominent as a musician, being a member of such well known musical groups of former days as the Bavarian Band.

Born at the same address where he died, Feb. 2, 1867, he was a son of the late George and Elizabeth Mueller Schopp, both natives of Germany.

Schopp, who had never married, resided with his sister, Miss Margaret Schopp, who is his only immediate survivor. A brother, George preceded in death.

The body may be viewed at the Gundlach and company funeral home after 12 o'clock noon Sunday. Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemeterv.



Michael A. Seger, 60, Molder, Dies Funeral On Friday

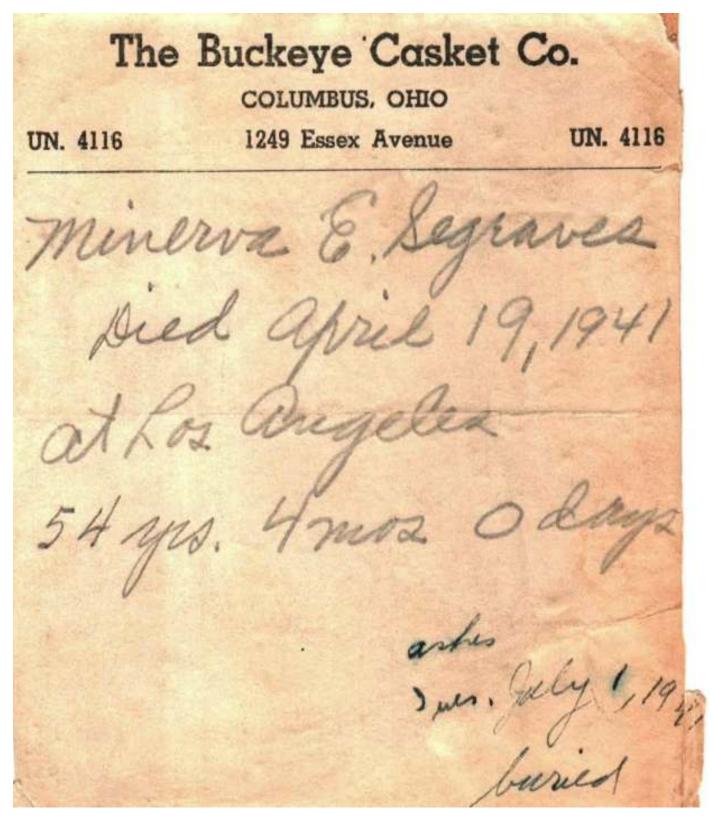
Michael Adam Seger, 60-year-old molder, of 1213 North Church street, died after a lengthy illness at his home yesterday afternoon.

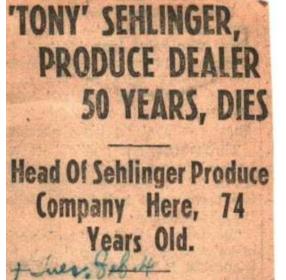
Born at O'Fallon, Feb. 14, 1881, he was a son of Michael and Sybil Hoffman Seger.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Ohl Seger. whom he married at Mascoutah, Oct. 14, 1920; a son, Clifford, at home, and a sister, Mrs. Anna Rampenthal, of East Alton.

Seger was a member of Local No. 182, of the Molders' Union.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Otto Schneider and Sons funeral home. Rev. B. J. Kochler will officiate. Interment will be in the Mascoutah city cemetery.





Anton J. "Tony" Schlinger, widely known 74 year old farm produce company operator, died at 7:12 last night at his home, 612 East Grant street. In failing health for two years, Schlinger had been seriously two weeks.



Fresident of the Schlinger Produce Company at 800 Abend street, he had been in the grain and produce business at that location for more than half a century. As a young man

he came into the Sehlinger Grain Company firm operated by his

Schlinger. It was in 1922 that the son organized the Schlinger Froduce Company, dealing in feed, poultry and other farm items. Two sons, Julius and Albert Schlinger are now associated with the firm.

Born Oct. 20, 1866, at Mascoutan, he was a son of Anton J. and Louisa Faust Schlinger, the father being a native of Germany, the mother of Mascoutah. Preceding in death on Oct. 10, 1935, was his wife, Mrs. Pauline Knefelkamp Schlinger whom he had married June 21, 1892 in selleville. Schlinger leaves three sons and flve daughters, Julius, 604 East Grant street; Emil, 610 East Mc-Kinley street; Albert, 612 East Grant; Laura, wife of Anton Meyer; and Aurelia, wife of John Meyer, both of Prairie du Long: Irene, wife of Henry Kabureck, of 712 East McKinley street; Miss Florence and Miss Corrine Schlinger at home: and 12 grandchildren. A son William died in 1934 and a daughter Clara in infancy. Two brothers and three sisters survive, George of 510 East Grant street; Edward, of 800. Freeburg avenue; Miss Mary, 500 East Grant street; Mrs. Anna Cordie, of 914 South Charles and Mrs. Lena Haney. of St. Louis. The body will lie in state at the

family home: Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnue Hill cemetery. Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home will be in charge.

Mrs. Minnie Seibel Dies At Home Here, Was 85 Years Old

Mrs. Minnie Seibel, 85, of 1611 North Illinois street, died at 5:10 this morning at her home after a two months illness incident to her age,

Born at Lebanon, July 4, 1855, she was a daughter of the late Henry and Anna Keppler, both natives of Germany.

She leaves her widower, Mr. Henry J. Seibel to whom she was married at Ridge Prairie, Oct. 23, 1873; five sons and a daughter, John, East St. Louis, Ed. of 1611 North Illinois street; Johanna, wife of August Munic, Sr., of 1806 North Illinois street: Fred, of East B street, road; Henry, of South Twentleth street; Louis, of Brackett street; 12 grandchildren; four great grandchildren. A sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Conwell of Lamar, Calif., Preceding in death were a daughter Mrs. Margaret Glenn and two sisters. TATT.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Paul's Evangelical Church, Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Gundlach and company funeral home until 11 o'clock Monday morning when it will be taken to the church.

Edgar C. Seibert Victim Of Stroke; Was 40 Years Old

Edgar Clyde Seibert, 40, of 210 South Virginia avenue, died at 1:30 this morning at St. Luke's Hospital, St. Louis, from the affects of a paralytic stroke suffered last Friday morning at his home. He had been associated with his brother. Eugene Seibert, in the operation of a service station at 1000 Lebanon avenue. Of a prominent Shilon Valley family he was born there May 25, 1900, a son of the late George and Elizabeth Bug Seibert, both natives of Shiloh Valley.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Anna Miller Selbert whom he married Jan. 14, 1923; a son, Donald Edgar Seibert, at home; six brothers and a sister, Walter, Arthur and Charles Siebert, all of Shiloh Valley; Oliver Seibert, of Freeburg; Eugene Selbert, 612 Mascoutah avenue; Ormond Seibert, O'Fallon, and Mrs. Lorraine Klein, of O'Fallon. A brother and sister died in infancy. The body may be viewed after 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Renner - Gemin - Bergman funeral home. Services will be held there at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Interment will be in Valhalia cemetery. Masonic rites will be accorded Seibert by the local lodge of which he was a member. Tancred Commandery, Knights Templar, of which Seibert was a member, will also participate in

the rites at the funeral home and

at the cemetery.

Oliver Siegler, 66, Molder, Dies Today; Funeral Saturday

Oliver Siegler, 56, molder, of 1907 West A street, died at 11:45 this morning at St. Elizabeth Hospital where he had been under medical treatment.

He had been employed at the Excelsior Foundry and was a member of local 229 of the molders' union. Siegler was a charter member of the West Side Rifle Club.

Born here June 1, 1874, he was a son of the late William and Caroline Lami Siegler, the father being a native of Germany, the mother of Alsace-Lorraine.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Sarlouis Siegler, whom he merried here, Oct. 1, 1898; two sons. Elmer, 4413 West Main street; Erwin, 1907 West A street; two grandchildren, Ralph and Shirley Sicglei; five brothers and five sisters. William, St. Louis; Robert, San Diego, Calif.; Otto, 405 West Main street; Henry, 19 South Twentieth street; Adolph, San Francisco; Mrs. Louisa Sarlouis, 19 South Twentieth street; Mrs. Lorena Neahler and Mrs. Marie Giras, both of Chicago; Mrs. Martha Metzler, Iowa avenue; and Mrs. Joseph Lumbattis, South Twentieth street; a sister and a brother preceded in death. The body may be viewed after noon Thursday at the Gundlach

noon Thursday at the Gundach and company funeral home. Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon Rev. B. J. Kochler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Jonas Snyder Dies Shiloh Road, Was 78 neral Tomo Jonas A. Snyder, 78, of the Shilon Road, died yesterday evening after an illness incident to his age. Born at Baltimore, Feb. 10, 1862, he was a son of the late John and Nancy Snyder. His wife, Elizabeth Keck Snyder, whom he married in 1887, died in 1913. He leaves a son and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Knefelkamp, 17 North Thirty-ninth street: Mrs. Laura Hammer, 618 South Nineteenth street and Henry Snyder, of Kalamazoo, Mich.; eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Rev B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Elizabeth Soukup, 65, Swansea, Dies **Funeral Tuesday** - Let 2102/15-Mrs. Elizabeth Soukup, 65, of 1705 Garden street, Swansea, died at 8:55 this morning at St. Elizabeth bospital after being ill two weeks. Born in Ausiria, May 4, 1876, she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Walts. She was the widow of Frank Soukup, who died in 1917. She leaves two sons and aix daughters. Marie, wife of Ignatz Sorgman: Anna, wife of Elmer Hagemen, both of Detroit; Rose wife of Monroe Haemann, of 1711

Garden street; Edna, wife of Elmer Ford, of Overland, Mo.; Vlasta, wife of Elmer Mineminn, of 700 Gilbert street; Mildred, wife of Walter Popek, of Evansville, Ind.; Frank Hartman, of Chicago; William Soukup, of St. Louis; and nine grandchildren.

Also surviving are a brother and three sisters, Frank Walta, of Walter street; Mrs. Marie Koudelka, of West Main street; Mrs. Rose Lidisky, of rural route 2; Mrs. Alberta Pechman, of Chicago.

The body may be viewed after 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Funeral services will be held there at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating, with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

George N. Stammer, Molder, Dies Here; Was 56 Years Old Mon. Mar. Jo George N. Stammer, 56 year old

molder, South Virginia avenue, died at 6:30 this morning at his home after a lingering illness. He had last been employed at the Excelsior Foundry.

Born here Dec. 3, 1884, he was a son of John and Eva Schaefer Stammer, both natives of Germany He leaves a sister, Emma, wife o Oscar Mueller, 1726 North Church street. Four brothers and a siste preceded in death.

Stammer was a member of loca 220 of the molders union.

The body may be viewed afte 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at th Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Fu neral arrangements have not bee made.

John Steinhauer Retired Laborer Dies, 83 Years Old

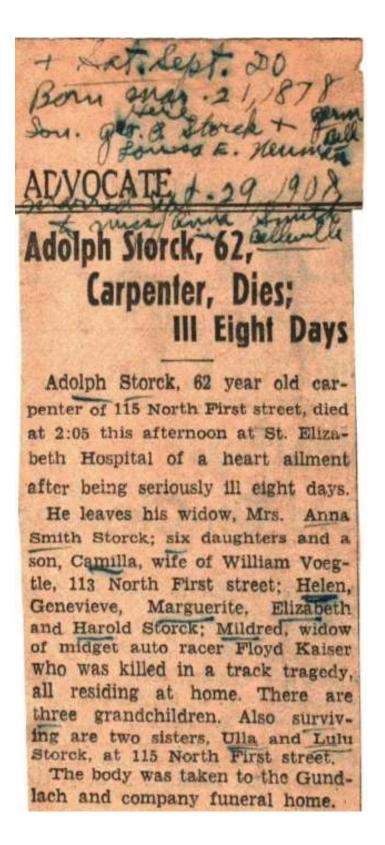
John Steinhauer, 83 year old retired laborer of 304 South Jackson street, died at 6 o'clock this morning at the Alton State Hospital after an extended illness.

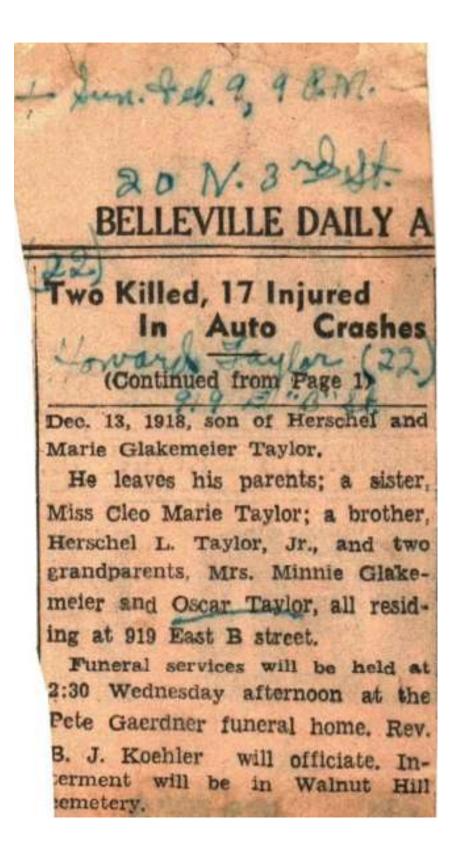
Born here, August 11, 1857, he was a son of the late Fred and Charlotte Amann Steinhauer, both natives of Germany. His wife, Elizabeth Leiner Steinhauer, preceded in death.

Surviving are a grandson, James Miles, of Belleville; six nieces and four nephews.

Steinhauer was a member of the laborers' union here.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Gundlach and company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.









died last night.

RETIRED CITY FIREMAN DIES AT AGE OF 75

Henry M. Tecklenburg Expires Following Operation.

Henry H. Tecklenburg, 75-yearold retired city fireman of 624 East Garfield Street, filed in St, Elizabeth's Hospital at 10:30 o'clock last night following a prolonged illness. Mr. Tecklenburg underwent operations at the hospital on September 5 and 13.

He was born in Shiloh Valley Township on February 6, 1866, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tocklenburg, nes Johanna Bader. He married Elizabeth Marie Schaedel in Shiloh Valley Township on July 27, 1888. Boon after his marriage Mr. Tecklenburg established a grocery budness which he operated until April 1, 1814 when he was appointed a member of the Belleville Fire Department.

He served for many years at the Jackson Street Station and in the few years preceding his retirement. -on May 1, 1938, he served an desix clerk and telephone operator. Surviving are his wife with whom he marked his golden wedding anniversary three years ago; two daughters, Mys. Gertrude Gehisuf, Union, Mo.; and Mrs. Malinda Erlinger, at home; a brother, Fred J. Tecklenburg, 401 Portiand Avenue; two sisters, Kate, wite of Julius Kurse, Sycanoous Street, and Mathilda, with Adolph Ohlendorf, O'Falle grandchildren, George, Buth and Dorothy Gehlauf, Union, Mo., and Fred Er 404 Mascoutsh Avenue, and Barnice Erlinger, 624 East field Street, and a greatdaughter, Betty Ann Erlin He was a member of the Firemen's Association. For funeral arrangemen the obltuary column on P

Margaretha Vogel, 92, Dies Today As Result Of Injury

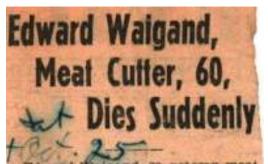
Mrs. Margaretha Vogel. 92-yearold widow of 509 East A street, died at 7:30 this morning at the Atkinson Nursing Home from the affects of a fractured hip suffered in a fall at her home last January 18.

Despite her advanced age, Mrs. Vogel had been unusually active and was working in the kitchen of her home when the mishap occurred.

A native of Sendt-Hessen, Darmstadt, in Germany, she was born Feb. 24, 1849, her maiden name being Schneider. When 20 years old she came to the United States. She was twice married. In 1874 she was married to Henry Hartman, who was fatally injured at the old Geiss-Brosius Oil Works here on May 27, 1878. In 1890 she married L. A. Vogel, shoe merchant, who died July 14, 1902.

Mrs. Vogel leaves a daughter, Miss Lena Hartman, with whom she resided: a step-son and stepdaughter. Mrs. Elsie Steck. St. Louis, and Herman G. Vogel. 505 East B street. A son, George Hartman, preceded in death.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. The Hecker Women's Relief Corps, of which Mrs. Vogel was a member, will be in charge. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.



Edward Waigand, 60, veteran meat outter, died at 12:04 this morning at his home, 411a East Main street. The unexpected death was due to a stroke.

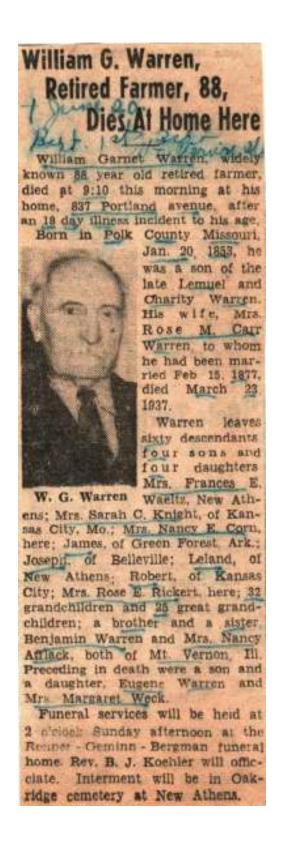
For the past two years Waigand has been empolyed in the meat depariment of the R. C. Stoltz Market at 409 East Main street. Previously he had been employed at other markets and packing houses of the area.

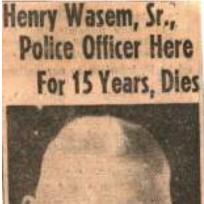
Born at Herman, Mo., March 13, 1881, he was a son of the late Charles and Wilhelmina Honig Waigand.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Katherine Marotte Waigand whom he married at Chicago, in 1901; a son and four daughters, Mrs. A. R. Gillaspie, St. Louis; Mrs. Walter Depper, Belleville; Mrs. Ernst Stringer, St Louis; Dolores and Edward Waigand, Jr., at home; two brothers and four sisters, Charles and Ben Waigand, and Mrs. O. Y. Mason, all of Nampo, Idaho; Mrs. Richard Keiner, of Boise, Idaho; Mrs. Edward Goodale, of Berkely, Calif., Mrs. Wilbur Norris, of Houston, Texas; nine grandchildren.

Waigand was a member of the Butchers Local 62.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, Monday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.







HENRY WASEM, SR. Henry Walen, Sr., 81, who for 10 years had been a member of the local police department, died at 1:40 this afternoon at his home, 416 North Second street. His death was due to a complication of allmenta.

Born in Jasper county, Dec. 3, 1859, he had spent the greater part of his life in Belleville. His wife, Anna, preceded him in death.

Wasem leaves two daughters and three sons, Jacob and Charles Waseen, and Mrs. Henry Milliteer, of Belleville, Henry Wasem, Jr., of Du Quoin and Mrs. Hollis Wheeler, of East St. Louis, and five grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements have not been made. The Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home will be in obarge.

Henry Wasem, 81, Former Belleville Policeman, Dies Wasem, Sr., S1-year-old

former Belleville police officer and for many years a prominent Democratic leader, died in his home, 416 North Second Street, at 1:40 o'clock this afternoon following five months' illness. Mr. Wasem operated a minnow hatchery at his home for 32 years.

He served 14 years as a member of the police department and for 12 years operated a saloon and hotel at Third and Main Streets. The past 22 years he was a Democratic precinct committeeman.

Mr. Wasem was born in Dudleyville, Ill., on December 3, 1859, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wasem, nee Anna Schwartz, also natives of Dudleyville. His wife, Anna Muerllort, whom he married in Dudleyville, many years ago, preceded him in death.

Surviving are three sons, Charles Wasem, at home: Jacob Wasem, 210 Wabash Avenue, and Henry Wasem, Jr., Du Quoin; daughters, Mrs. Louise Millitzer, 215 North Illinois Street, and Mrs. Hollis Wheeler, East St. Louis; a brother, Valentine Wasem, Chicago; a step-bruther, Martin Betz, Delton, O., and five grandchildren, For funeral arrangements occ the obituary column on page 13.



John Weber, 36, of 750 South Pirst street at 4:50 pesterday morning was found dead of carbonmonotide gas in the can of a grodery delivery truck on South Belt highway between Mascoutah and Presheave reads.

Presharg roads. The discovers was made to Louis Adams, SIS South Juckson street, and Floyd Snyder, 400 North Illinois street, who called police and an ambulance. Deputy filteriff Hopo Barth and

Deputy filterid Hugo Barth and Police Officers David H. Besse and John Smith, who investigated, found that Weber had attached metal tubing to the calistant pipe of the track and led it hold the abl by way of the right window. The cab was securely closed except for the space required for the tube. Act is Userghisted

Weber for the last four years had been employed as a delivery clark by the John L. Schweier gripery, 13 West Main street. Priorte that time he was a showmreer, weber worked Thursday, but did not return home in the evening. Members of his tamily had searched for him all night.

No note to explain Webern art was found in the truck or on his person. His wife told the authortiles they had no differences and at the store it was stated he hot no trouble there. An togent is pending.

Funeral Mendar Pureral services for Weber will be Welet at 3 o'clock Monday alternoon at the Pele Coertiner Internal borne, Rev. B. J. Koshiler will offclate.

Born here May 20, 1965, he was a son of the MW Albert and Barbeing nglives of Scattheor. He leaves here there, both patents heing nglives of Scattheor. He leaves here there is Charles Baltmann Weber, where he matthed at Nashgille, Dro. 15, 1925; a son and a dampiter, John, 14 peacs old, and Alargey, 11; a brokher and a sister. Lonis Weber, of St. Clair towning, and Marina, wile of William Ross, of all Letterm system. Weber was a negative of the figtall Clarks Union here.

Mrs. Minnie Weil, Shiloh Valley Dies At Daughter's Home

Mrs. Minnie Weil, 89, who made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seibert, son-in-law and daughter, Shiloh Valley, died at their home at 2:30 this morning after a year's illness incident to her age. Mrs. Weil was born at Rock

Springs, Shiloh Valley, Sept. 21, 1851, a daughter of Julius and Christine Dietzman Albert, both of whom were born in Germany, and both of whom are deceased.

On Nov. 28, 1871, she was married to John H. Weil in Shiloh Valley. He died Nov. 23, 1918.

She is survived by the following children: Emma, wife of W. H. Botts. Alberta, Canada; Gustave F., Shiloh Valley; George W., Mascoutah, and Caroline, wife of Walter Seibert, at whose home she died.

One son, Arthur, died July 18, 1939, and another died in infancy. One brother, Ben Albert also preceded her in death.

She leaves 14 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Schwarz funeral home in O'-Fallon, to the Shiloh cemetery. Rev. B. J. Koehler, pastor of St. Paul's church here, will officiate. The body will lie in state at the funeral home from 7 o'clock tonight.

Raymond E. Weiss, **Dies Three Hours** 33. molder died at 5:25 Sunday evening at St. Elizabeth hospital, less than three hours after being unexpectedly stricken by a hemorrhage of the stomach at his home. Though in apparent good health and not under medical care. Weiss had in recent days complained that his stomach "did not feel well." Employed at the Supreme Foundry, Weiss was a member of Local 182 of the Molders International, Born here Dec. 30, 1907, he was a son of Charles and Elnore Franz Weiss, both of whom survive, residing at 42 North Missouri avenue. Also surviving are a brother and two sisters, Margaret, wife of Julius Kassebaum, of 2116 East B street; Marcella, wife of Ray Buchert, 18 West Garfield street, and Ed Weiss, at home. Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Pete Gaerdner funeral, home, Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiale. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery 11

Charles Wess Dies; Shoe Repair Shop Operator 40 Years

Charles Wess, widely known 72 year old retired deaf mute shoe repair shop operator, died at 7 o'clock yesterday evening at St. Elizabeth Hospital after a brief illness. He had resided at St. Paul's Old Folks Home.

Following the cobbler trade for more than 40 years, Wess had retired three years ago, last having been located on West Main street and previously on South High street. Born here Dec. 19, 1868, he was a son of the late Willian and Susanna Gundlach Wess, both natives of Germany. His wife, Mrs. Ida Russ Wess, whom he married at New Baden, Nov. 22, 1905, died in 1935. The couple's only child died in infancy.

Wess leaves two sisters, Mrs. Susanna Schirmer and Mrs. Edward Abend of 308 North Pennsylvania avenue.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. A. O. Steidemann of St. Louis will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Pailbearers will be Walter, Ernst, Will and Homer Weidman, Ed Abend, Jr., and Gene Kreitner.

Jacob Wild Dies, Nail Mill Worker, s 82 Years Old Wild, 82, of 216 West C Jacob street, died at 3:25 this morning at his home after being seriously ill for 18 days. A laborer at the old nail mills here in his younger years, Wild had been a farm worker until retiring 10 years ago. Born in Shiloh Valley, July 25. 1859, he was a son of the late Henry and Magdalena Wild. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Dombach Wild, whom he married in 1890 died in 1913. He leaves a son and two daughters, Frieda, wife of Walter Woodrome, with whom he resided; Mrs. Tillie Lauermann of St. Louis: Walter Wild, of 216a West C street; 13 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren. A brother and sister, a half brother and two half sisters preceded in death. The body may be viewed after 6 o'clock this evening at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home. Services will be held there at 1:30 Monday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Effie E. Wilderman, Freeburg, Dies At St. Vincent's Home

'Mrs. Effie Ellen Wilderman, 79, formerly of Freeburg, died at 1:50 this morning at St. Vincent's Home for the Aged after a two-week illness.

Born at Canfield. Ohio, March 17, 1862. she was a daughter of the late William and Nancy Stout Collar. She was the widow of Lyman T. Wilderman, who died August 7, 1934.

She leaves three daughters and two sons. Georgia, wife of Adolph Lucash; Ada, wife of Edward Lucash; Eunice, wife of William Ahlers, and Thomas Wilderman, all of Freeburg; Celyn Wilderman, of New Athens; 13 grandchildren; two great grandchildren; a brother and two sisters, Mrs. Laura Klingenfus and Miss Clara Collar, both of 303 South Jackson street; Edward Collar, of 909 South Church street. Two sons preceded in death.

Mrs. Wilderman was a member of the Freeburg Methodist church Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday at the Renner-Geminn-Bergman funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in the Freeburg city cemetery.

Wally Williams, Town Character, Dies Here Today

Wally Williams, long one of the most familiar characters of the downtown sector, died at 7:45 this morning at the St. Clair County Hospital.

Without fail Wally had traipsed aimlessly around the Public Square and Main street every day until two weeks ago. That day, returning from his usual ramble, Wally told county home attendants that he "didn't feel so good." Becoming seriously ill, Williams was removed to the hospital where he suffered a cerebral hemorrhage on Sunday. His health had been failing for three years.

Wally's exact age is not known though he was in the neighborhood of 60. A life long resident of this city, Williams had at times done odd jobs. For the last thirteen and a half years Wally had been living at the county home, all that time successfully resisting every effort to have his record card data as to age, etc., completed.

The body may be viewed at the Pete Gaerdner funeral home after 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Services will be held there at 1:30 Thursday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

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POWER COMPANY OFFICIAL DIES WHILE BOWLING

Herman Wirth, 70, Dies Of Heart Attack At Elks' Club.

Herman Worth, 10, etteran superintendent of the gas distribution department of the Illinets lows. Power Company, died a few minutes after auffering a heart stack at a so has nutris while scotling at the files Club. He has realized at 900 Oenterville avenue, a so is the file Club. He has realized at 900 Oenterville avenue, a so is the file Club. He has realized at 900 Oenterville avenue, a so is the file Club. He has realized at 900 Oenterville avenue, a so is the file Club. He has realized at 900 Oenterville avenue, a so is the file Club. He was realized by the first game of the eventors that it is the when he collapsed while atting on a bench. He was proceedered dead by a physician who is a holes bowler in the imague.

In recent weeks With had been under treatment for a heart aliment. The exertion of the sport is helieved to have contributed to the strack. Wirth however had been in re-

With havever had been in relatively good health, in fact the pewer plant official had server minsed a simile day's work because of linear m the 53 years that he had been with the power firm.

It was on August 5, 1888, that Wirth then 38 years old, was bired as a laborer by the old Helleville Gas Light and Gale Company, foremainer of the present utility from In 1996 he because a shop formand and liste that position until 1923 when he was mined and trans of the gas department. With was born at Lensburg, Sept. 28, 3870.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Mary Maurer Writh; a son. Walter With, till Walsach avenue, an employee of the power company as departmini since 1914, forg granichtlideren: a breicher, Gamps Wirth bead of the Auto Store Waris at New Athens; and a half share. Mrs. Lens Kashierz, also of New Alhens. A 100, Jusenh J. "Berl" Wirth, formet Mitternan, Gen in January, 1940.

Wirth was a member of the local ledux of the Benevolent and Pro-

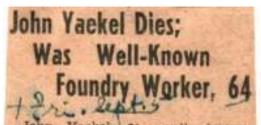
Function services will be hade at 2-36 Monday alternoon at the Gundlach and company funeral house. Rev. D. J. Ecology all adlisings. Interment will be in Walnut Hill genetery.

Walter Malzahn's Mother Dies Today; Funeral Tuesday

Mrs. Catherine Wolter, 74, of St. Louis, died there at 11:45 this morning after being ill two years. She was the mother of Walter Malzahn, 320 North Jackson street, chef at the Walkohl Drug Store grill. Born in Lenzbug township, March 7, 1867, she was a daughter of William and Alvina Heinecke Dinges. She was twice married, both husbands, Otto Malzahn and Edward Wolter, preceding in death. Surviving are the sons here; two brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Rudolph Malzahn, of Good Thunder, Minn.: Mrs. Charles Brandt, of Belleville; Robert and Otto Dinges of New Athens; two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Renner - Gemin - Bergman funerai home, Rev. B. J. Koehler officiating with interment in Walnut Hall cemetery.

Walter Malzahn's Mother Dies in St. Louis County Mrs. Catherine Wolter, 74-yearold former resident of Belleville, died in the St. Louis County Hospital at 11:45 o'clock this morning following two years' illness. She was born in Lenzburg Township on March 7, 1867 and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Dinges, nee Alvina Heinecke. She married Otto Malzahn on March 21, 1886. She later married Edward Wolter on September 19, 1905. He died on October 1, 1940. The couple lived for a time in Marissa, then moved to Belleville and 12 years ago moved to St. Clair County. Jours Surviving are a son, Walter Malzahn. 320 North Jackson Street; two brothers, Otto Dinges, New Athens Township, and Robert Dinges, New Athens; two sisters, Emma, wife of Rudolph Malzahn, Good Thunder, Minn., and Hedwig, wife of Charles Brandt, 11 North 11th Street, and two grandchildren. A brother, Charles, and two sisters, Mrs. Fredericka Lawrence and Mrs. Lena Gaebelt, preceded her in death.





John Yaekel, 64, well known foundry worker of <u>613</u> Forest avenue, died at 9:30 this morning at his home after being in failing health for the past eight years. Last employed as a molder at the Oakland Foundry. Yaekel had worked in the local stoye plants here all his active life.

Born here Oct. 16, 1876, he was a son of the late Conrad and Rose Kolkbrenner Yackel, the mother being a native of Belleville, the father of Germany.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Elia Johnson Yaekel, whom he married here in 1898; two sons and two daughters, Raymond Yaekel, of Jacksonville, Fia. Beatrice, wife of Lowell C. Allen, of 824 Forest avenue for C. Yaekel of 613 Forest are in and Ross, wife of J. E Anderson, of La Crosse, Wis., and one grandson, James John Yaekel. Mrs. Allen was recently elected state president of the American Legion auxiliary.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Glueck and Mrs. Adelia Sparrow, both of California. Yackel was a member of local 182 of the molders union: the Esgles, Knights of Pythias and the Moose.

The body may be viewed after noon Saturday at the Gundlach and company funeral home.

Services will be held there at 2:30 Monday afternoon, Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

XOURS, JOHN H .--- Of 915 North Becond Street, entered into rest at 13:28 p. m. Friday, October 31, Beloved husband of Mra. Berthas L. Yooka and father of Elmar S. and Müsses Elisio and Bernice, Yorks, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. George Collins, Mrs. Ben Cook and Max Clinert Mosser. Funnul at 1/30 p. m. Monday, November 3, from Use St. Faul's Brangelical Church to the Walnut Hill Cometary. The Rev. B. J. Roshler, the pastor, will officiate. The body will be moved at 11 s. m. Monday from the Pete Gaerdner Funeral Home to the Church.

John H. Yocks, 66, Foundry Worker, Dies at His Home

John H. Todles, 66-year-old foun-dry worker, died in his home, 918 North Second Street, at 11:28 o'clock last utght, following 11 months' illness. He was last employed as a shaker-out at the Supreme Foundry and was active until forced to rolline because of failing health. Mr. Yocks was born in Belle-

ville on January 11, 1875, and was a son of the late Mr and Mrs. Frank Yorks, nee Anna Schustz. His mother was a softward the France: his father a pattys of Lizzemberg, France. He married Bertha L. Hanyour In Peoris un November 18, 1897.

Hurwiving are his wife: a son. Elimer S. Yooks, 1008 North Church Street: siz daughters, the Misney Elsie and Bernice Yooks, at home: Adale, wife of John wright, 1027 North Charles Street; Long, wife of George Collins, 501 Bristow Street: Lucius, wife of Ben Cook, 713 Hecker Street, and Manue wife of Gilbert Morner, Contralia: a brother, Louis C. Yocks, Baldwin, III, and thrue grandchildren.

Two sons, John L. and Irvin W. Yocks: five brothers and one sis-ter preceded him is death. He was a member of Local No.

182, Iron Molders Union.

Pullheavers at the funeral will be Henry Wright, Arthur Main, James Collins, Charles Green, Paul Behwesig and Leo Fuerst.

For funeral arrangements are the obituary column on Page 0.

John H. Yocks. Shakerout, 66, **Dies Last Night**

John H. Vicks. 65, retired found-ty worker of 015 North Second street, died at 11:20 hast night at his home after being ill for eleven months.

its was last employed as a shakerout at the Suppense Foundry, Vocks was a member of local 182 of the Molders Union.

Born here Jan, 11, 1825, he was a son of the late Frank and Anna Schustz Yorks, both natives of Prance.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Bertina L Hammer Yocks whom he marrind al Peoris, Nov. 18, 1897; a son and six daughters, Bills and Bernice Yorks, at home; Afiele, wife of John Wright, of 1697 North Charles street; Lena, wife of George Col-lina, of an pristow street; Lutila, wife of Ben Cook, of 713 Meckar street; Minnia, wife of Gilbert Moeser, of Centralia; Eimer S Yocks, of 1008 North Church street. A brother, Lnuis C. Yncus of Bald-win, survives, 190 sites, donin and lewin; five boothers and a sister. preceded in death.

Funeral services will be hold at 1:30 Monday afternoon at St. Patil's Brangelical Church, Rev. R. J. Rootler officiating with interment in Walnut Hill cometery. The body may he viewed at the Pete Gnerdner funeral home where it will remain until 11 a. m. Munday,

Pallhearers will be Henry Wright. Arthur Main, James Collins, Charles Green, Paul Schwenig and Leo

William G. Ziehnerf **Dies; Former City** Engineer; Was 64 ma tes. William G. Ziehnert, 64, retired civil engineer and former city engineer of Belleville, died at 5:30 Sunday afternoon at his home, 1903 West A street, after a three months' illness. Born here Dec. 31, 1876, he was a son of the late G. F. and Elizabeth Bernhardt Ziehnert, both natives of Germany. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Adele Wiechert Ziehnert, whom he married here Oct. 8, 1902; a son and a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Mueller, 1903 West A street, and Edward W. Ziehnert, 324 South Virginia avenue, and a granddaughter, Judith Ann Ziehnert. Two brothers and five sisters survive: Henry, 1504 North Ohurch street; Fred. 114 North Missouri avenue: Mrs. Louise Fincke, 723 East Garfield street: Mrs. Herman Rose, Lynn, Julia and Etta Ziehnert, all of St. Louis. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Gundlach and Company funeral home. Rev. B. J. Koehler will officiate. Interment will be in Walnut Hill cemetery.

