

Feb. 9, 1945

## JACOB BLOEMKER DIES AT COUNTY HOSPITAL

Funeral Services Sunday Afternoon

Jacob Bloemker, 77-year-old retired farmer and resident of Magley, died at 9:20 o'clock Thursday night at the Adams county memorial hospital after an extended illness of complications and heart trouble.

He was born in Preble township May 20, 1867 [sic], the son of Ernest and Berdina Lindemann-Bloemker, and was a lifelong resident of that township. His wife, the former Lydia Hilgeman, died 15 years ago.

He was a member of the Salem Evangelical and Reformed church at Magley.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Emma Gilbert, of Defiance, O.; two brothers, Henry of Adams county, Fred of Tocsin; a sister, Miss Minnie Bloemker of Adams county, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the home of a nephew, Edward Kolter, in Magley, and at 2 o'clock at the church with Rev. John Michael officiating. Burial in the church cemetery. The body will be removed from the Jahn funeral home to the Kolter residence Saturday morning.

**"Salem United Church of Christ in Magley" by Lila Kruetzman Rauner**

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