

(Handwritten: Monday, July 6, 1936)

DEATH TAKES JACOB WAHLI

Former Resident of This Community Dies at Infirmary

Jacob Wahli, aged 64, for many years a resident of this community, died at 5 o'clock Saturday morning at the Adams county infirmary. Death was caused by dropsy and complications, from which he had suffered for many years.

Wahli was taken to the infirmary five years ago. He had been living by himself in a shack on the Frank Cottrell place southeast of Berne. Wahli was born in Switzerland and came to this country when a small boy. He worked several years for Peter Sprunger and for other farmers in the community. He then went to Ohio for several years, and then returned to this community. He was a laborer and besides working for various farmers, did odd jobs.

Wahli is survived by several nephews and nieces, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Rosa Wahli, widow of Abe Wahli. Abe Wahli was a brother of the deceased.

The body was brought to the Bierie and Yager undertaking establishment here where it was prepared for burial. The funeral was held this forenoon at 10 o'clock at the L. L. Yager (cut off)

Adams County Historical Museum

1936 Scrapbook

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[according to Jacob's IN death certificate he was born in 1872 and was buried 7/4/1936 in MRE Cemetery]