Decatur Library (IN) Obit Book G, dated May 22, 1972

Otto Schneider dies at hospital

Otto D. Schneider, 83, of 115 North Adams street, Mansfield O., a native of this city and former Decatur resident, died Sunday afternoon at the People's Hospital in Mansfield, where he had been a patient five weeks.

He was born in Decatur Oct. 23, 1888, a son of Peter and Catherine Weber-Schneider, and had lived in Mansfield for the past 22 years.

Mr. Schneider, a retired cigar maker, was a member of St. Peter's Catholic church, the Eagles lodge and Veterans of Foreign Wars, all of Mansfield. He was a veteran of World War 1.

Surviving are his wife the former Marie Barney; one daughter, Miss Esther Snyder, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Phelps, Mrs. Elizabeth Wansely, and Mrs. Frances Peterson, all of Decatur; two brothers, Edgar and Norbert Schneider, both of Decatur; three grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and seven great-greatgrandchildren.

Funeral rites will be held at 11 a.m. (EDT) Wednesday at St. Peter's Catholic church at Mansfield, with Msgr. Edward C. Dunn officiating. Burial will be in Mansfield Memorial park. Friends may call at the Waltner funeral home at Mansfield Tuesday afternoon and evening. The rosary will be recited at 8:30 p.m. (EDT) Tuesday.

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