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RUDOLPH STEURY DEATH'S VICTIM LAST EVENING
Well Known Monroe Twp. Farmer, 64, Dies At His Home
FUNERAL ON SATURDAY A.M.

Rudolph Steury, aged 64, prominent Monroe twp. farmer, died at his home three miles north and one-half mile east of the Gottschalk tile mill at 10:20 o'clock Wednesday evening. Mr. Steury had been in failing health for the last year or two and had been confined to his home since the holidays. He suffered from dropsy and complications. The attending physician stated today death was caused by organic heart lesion.

Mr. Steury's condition, which had not been good for several days suddenly became serious Wednesday noon. He complained of severe pains in his stomach and he became unconscious soon afterwards. He remained in a coma until his death.

The deceased was born in Canton Bern, Switzerland, January 1, 1871 [sic], a son of John and Anna Langacher Steury. He came to this country with his family when he was six months old. The family settled in Allen county and there Mr. Steury grew to manhood.

On November 22, 1896, he was united in marriage to Miss Anna Mazelin of this community, and the family resided in this vicinity ever since, living on their present farm for about 30 years. Mr. Steury was well known as a farmer and dairyman and also served as director of the Berne Equity Exchange Co. for some time.

Surviving are the wife and the following children: Mrs. Jacob D. Mazelin, of Berne, who grew up in the Steury home; Noah R., of Berne; Mrs. Victor C. Graber of north of town; Mrs. Philip D. Nussbaum, at home; Reuben and Amos R., who operate the Blue Creek dairy at Decatur and Bluffton, and Calvin, at home. 13 grandchildren survive, and one brother, Albert, of near Topeka, Ind.

One daughter preceded him in infancy and the following brothers and sisters: Chris, John, Peter, Mrs. David Schwartz and Susie. Two grandchildren are deceased.

Mr. Steury was a member of the A. C. church. Funeral services will be held at the home at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, with burial in the church cemetery, two miles north and one-half mile west of Berne.

(Karin King note: buried Mazelin Cemetery)

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