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MRS. YOUNG DIES FRIDAY

Grandmother of Mrs. Aaron Yoder Dies Three Weeks After Husband

Mrs. Sarah Jane Young, widow of the late William Young, died at her home in Blue Creek township Friday night. Death was caused by heart trouble. Mrs. Young had ailed for the past three years but her condition did not become serious until after the death of her husband. Mr. Young died February 21, 1936. Mrs. Young was the grandmother of Mrs. Aaron Yoder of Berne.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. William Riff, Mrs. Marion Tinkham, Roy, John and Oscar Young, all of Blue Creek township. One brother, James Richard of (cut off)

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The Misses Vera Schwartz, Betty Sprunger, Vivian Schwartz of Berne, and Louise Niles, Opal Sprunger and Mabel Fricke of Monroe attended the wedding of Miss Virginia Ray, formerly of Montpelier to Oscar Ebner of East Orange, N. J. Wednesday evening. The wedding was held at the M. E. church at Montpelier and immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Anna M. Ray. The above six girls served at the lovely reception. Mrs. Ebner was a former teacher of the girls, having taught in the Monroe high school.

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MRS. SPEICHIGER CELEBRATES HER 104th BIRTHDAY

Grandma Speichiger, who lives with a daughter at Craigville, and who has several relatives in Berne, is this month celebrating her 104th birthday. The records of her birth were lost, but it is around the 20th day of July, members of the family said yesterday. Mrs. Speichiger is without a doubt one of the oldest persons in the state.

Mrs. Speichiger found the hot weather very uncomfortable but through it all remains cheerful and she is still in fair health considering her old age.

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DEATH TAKES J. D. MAZELIN WEDNESDAY P.M. Well-Known Local Man Dies at Hospital Following Operation FUNERAL IS SATURDAY A.M.

Jacob D. Mazelin, age 41, well known local man, died at the Adams county Memorial hospital at Decatur shortly before 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Death was caused by a strangulated bowel,

according to the attending physicians. Mr. Mazelin underwent an operation Wednesday morning following a two-day illness. He suffered greatly before and after the operation but was conscious until a few minutes before he died.

Mr. Mazelin suffered a similar attack several weeks ago but apparently recovered. Monday he became sick again and treatment failed to give relief. He was in good health otherwise.

Mr. Mazelin had been employed as fireman at the local milk plant for the last 14 years. The family has been living in the north part of town, just west of the milk plant.

The deceased was born in Monroe township, October 26, 1894, a son of Daniel and Catherine Lengacher Mazelin. He grew to manhood on his father's farm and was engaged in the threshing business for several years before starting work for the milk company. During the World War he spent considerable time in camp. He was married to Miss Florence King, who was reared as an orphan in the Rudolph Steury home, April 18, 1920.

Surviving are the wife and five children, Kathryn, 14; Raymond, 12; Mary, 10; Rebecca, 3; and Daniel, one year of age. Another child, Cora, died several years ago.

The parents also survive and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Sam D. Nussbaum of Monroe township; David, at home; John, an employe of the Berne Hardware Company; Mrs. Noah N. Schrock, of Monroe township; Noah, Benjamin, Martha and Leona, all at home. Two brothers, Peter and Amos preceded him.

Mr. Mazelin was a member of the A. C. church of north of town. The funeral will be held Saturday forenoon at 9:30 at the residence in Berne and at 10 o'clock at the church, three miles north and one-half mile west of Berne. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

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Among those from out of town who visited at the Jacob D. Mazelin home last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Lengacher, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Lengacher, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lengacher, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lengacher, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Lengacher, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lengacher, Simon and Victor Lengacher, and Caroline Zehr, all of Allen County.

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NEW ARRIVALS

Born to Harley and Lydia Sommers Lehman, an eight and one-fourth pound son, Sunday. The lad has been named Ted (crossed out and hand written, "Don") Lehman.

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