(Handwritten date: Thursday, March 16, 1939)

## STUCKY RITES THIS AFTERNOON Elmer Stucky, 51, Dies at Fort Wayne Hospital on Monday

Funeral services for Elmer Stucky, 51, leader in Woodburn civic affairs, who died of leukemia and complications Monday afternoon at 4:50 o'clock at the Fort Wayne Lutheran hospital following a two-year illness, were held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Mennonite church in Woodburn, Rev. H. I. Fraker officiating. Burial was in the Defenseless Mennonite cemetery, west of Berne.

The deceased was president of Stucky Brothers, Inc., which operated stores in Woodburn, Fort Wayne and New Haven. He was an active member of the Woodburn Mennonite church, having served as trustee of the church and the Mennonite conference, and as Sunday school superintendent and teacher. He was a member of the board of directors of the Woodburn State bank, a former president of the Commercial club of Woodburn, organizer of the Woodburn band, and was a charter member of the Woodburn Lions club. He was a director and adviser of several corporations. He moved to Woodburn in 1914 from Adams county. He spent many years in the vicinity of Berne.

Survivors include the widow, formerly Helen Snyder; two daughters, Roselyn M. at home and Miss Dorothy M. Stucky of Fort Wayne; a son, LeRoy H. Stucky of Woodburn; six brothers, Noah of Warren, Joseph of Ft. Wayne, Christian of New Haven, Albert of Woodburn, Eli of Geneva, and Ivan Stucky of Decatur; and three sisters, Mrs. Joel Augsburger of Geneva, Mrs. Fred Neifling (?) of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. J. D. Claudon of Valparaiso.

\*\*\*\*\* (Handwritten date: Monday, March 20, 1939)

### FUNERAL TUESDAY

(Photo) Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning for Lewis G. Ellingham, Fort Wayne postmaster and founder of the Decatur Daily Democrat, who died suddenly Saturday night at his home in Fort Wayne.

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### MARRIAGES

BLUFFTON, Ind., March 14 - Miss Katie Bertha Steffen, of Bluffton, and Adam Manz, of Paulding, O.

BERNE, Ind., March 14 - Miss Berneice Lehman, Berne and Vilas Schertz, Grabill, here.

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