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## YOUNG MOTHER EXPIRES SUNDAY

Funeral For Mrs. Dan L. Schwartz Is At Home Wednesday

Mrs. Daniel L. (Margaret) Schwartz, 38, and mother of six young children, passed away at her home three miles north of Berne at 6:20 p.m. Sunday evening. The cause of her death was attributed to organic heart lesion. She had been in failing health for six years.

The decedent was the daughter of Joseph P. and Emily Graber Schwartz and was born in Monroe township on February 10, 1902.

Funeral services will be conducted January 1 at the home at 10:00 a.m.

Surviving are the husband, her parents and four boys and two girls. They are: Emma, age 12; Ernest, 11; Merlin, 9; Sam and Dan, who are twins, age 7 and Lydia Ann, three years old.

Eight brothers, Joseph, Noah, Jacob, Sam, Joel, Enos, Menno and Reuben and four sisters, Katie, Caroline, Rose and Elizabeth survive. Three brothers and a sister preceded.

Burial will be made in the Schwartz cemetery three miles north of Berne.

The body was removed to the home this morning from the Yager mortuary.

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## NELSON SCHUG BUYS WEST END GROCERY TODAY

Purchase Popular Store From William Sanders This A.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Schug today bought the West End Grocery and Filling Station located on state road 118 in the west part of town, from William Sanders. They took possession today after an invoice and Mrs. Schug will manage the store. Mrs. Schug, popularly known as "Bee," has had experience in the grocery business having served as a clerk in downtown groceries.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders owned and operated the popular little store for the past two years. During the past three months Mr. Sanders was also employed at the Central Soya Bean Company at Decatur.

G. C. Neuenschwander owns the building and has just completed the construction of a new home adjacent to the station which will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Schug the forepart of January. The owner plans to remodel the station building within a few weeks and new store fixtures will be installed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders plan to continue to make their home at the Rudolph Schug home.

Mr. Schug is an upholsterer at the Smith Brothers Furniture Manufacturing Co., and plans to continue his work there while Mrs. Schug operates the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders wish to express their appreciation for (cut off)

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## MR. AND MRS. EDWIN GILLIOM TO OBSERVE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gilliom, well known local residents, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary at their home on W. Franklin street New Year's Day with a big turkey dinner. The couple were married at the Mennonite church on New Year's Day forty years ago by the Rev. S. F. Sprunger.

Mr. Gilliom, formerly a well known farmer and Monroe township trustee now in charge of the Farm Bureau bulk plant is 62 years old, celebrating his birthday on February 21, and Mrs. Gilliom is 65, celebrating her birthday on January 26.

The couple moved to town five years ago.

Mr. Gilliom is secretary of the Mennonite church.

Some of the children will be present to help them celebrate the occasion. The children are Mrs. Jopseh L. (Agnes) Thume of Washington, D.C., Mrs. Henry F. (Helen) Bergstedt of Fort Wayne, W. Henry of Berne and Alfred and Woodrow Wilson (cut off)...David and Sandra.

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