

Monday, April 19, 1943

Ms. Tobias Steffen Dies Sunday AM

Brain Hemorrhage Fatal to French Township Native - Rites Tuesday PM

Mrs. Tobias Steffen, 52, who was formerly Miss Martha Mae Baumgartner and a native of French Township, and a sister of Mrs. Victor Sprunger and Mrs. Henry Isch of this vicinity, died Sunday morning at 2:40 o'clock at the Clinic Hospital in Bluffton. Death was caused by a hemorrhage of the brain following a week's illness. The Steffen family home is in Villa North, on the north edge of Bluffton.

The deceased was a daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Tonner Baumgartner, both of whom are deceased.

Surviving are the husband, Tobias L., three sons, Sergt. Elmer Steffen, Camp Howe, Texas and Harry and Kenneth, at home; five daughters, Mrs. Velma Fulkerson, Fort Wayne, and Mary Ann, Norma, Lucille and Hilda, all at home; one brother, Joe Baumgartner, near Bluffton, and five sisters, Mrs. Christ Drayer of Bluffton, Mrs. Sam Gerber and Mrs. Henry Drayer, both of Decatur and Mrs. Victor Sprunger and Mrs. Henry Isch, Berne.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 pm Tuesday at the residence and at 2 o'clock at the Christian Apostolic Church, of which she was a member. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Monday, April 12, 1943

Word was received here by relatives of the death of Jacob Musser, 70, in Wayne County, Ohio. Mr. Musser died on Friday and was buried last Monday.

He was quite well known here having visited friends and relatives here on several occasions.

Monday, April 5, 1943

Mosser-Habegger Wedding Sunday

Miss Catherine Mosser, R.N., Bride of Howard Habegger

A beautiful wedding took place on Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sol Mosser east of Geneva, when her daughter, Miss Catherine Mosser became the bride of Howard Habegger, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Habegger northeast of Berne. The home was attractively decorated with spring flowers for the occasion.

Rev. W. J. Johnson received the vows of the couple in the presence of the members of the immediate family.

Attending the bride was her sister, Miss Grace Mosser and David Mosser, a brother of the bride, attended Mr. Habegger as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Jefferson High School and of the Lutheran School of Nurses at Fort Wayne. She is a staff member at the Adams County Memorial Hospital at Decatur.

The groom is a graduate of Pleasant Mills High School and is at present assistant superintendent of the grain elevator of Central Soya Corp., at Decatur.

The couple will reside at 725 Mercer Avenue, Decatur.

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