

Jacob D. Wagner, son of David Wagner and Lydia Hauck (Howk) Wagner was born in Wayne County, Indiana on February 22, 1845 and died at his home in Portland, July 12, 1902, aged 57 years, 4 months and 20 days.

He was one of a family of 13 children, 10 of whom lived to have families of their own. Three brothers and four sisters survive him, all older than he except one.

He was married to Mallissa Shlater in Mercer County, Ohio in 1867. To this union were born six children, two sons and four daughters, one son and three daughters preceding him to his Heavenly Home.

The funeral services were held at the residence Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by Rev. M. A. Harlan, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church; interment in Green Park Cemetery.

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