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D. C. AUGSBURGER, 75, DIES IN OHIO

Native of French Tp. Victim of Heart Attack - Funeral Sun. at Elida

Word was received here Thursday at the death of David C. Augsburger, 75, of Elida, Ohio, which occurred yesterday morning from a heart attack. Mr. Augsburger, who was a native of French township, had been in usual health until Wednesday when he suffered his first attack, which was not a severe one. Yesterday morning he suffered a second heart seizure, which resulted fatally.

The deceased was a brother to John C. and Moses Augsburger west of town, who were notified of the death.

Mr. Augsburger was a son of Rev. and Mrs. Christian (Barbara Liechty) Augsburger and was born in French township on April 3, 1868. He lived in his community until he was about 21 years of age, then went to Wayne County, Ohio, and later to Allen County, where he spent the remainder of his life as a farmer, near Elida. He was married to Miss Linda Thut who sometime later passed away and later Mr. Augsburger was married to Miss Salome Zuercher, who survives. The following children also survive: Christian of Pennsylvania; Frederick, at Ohio State at Columbus, Ohio; Homer of Dayton; Mrs. Elizabeth King of near Elida and Mrs. Hulda Lantz of Sidney. Brothers and sisters surviving include Moses and John C. of this community, Rev. Dan, Amos and Mrs. Fannie Hales of Elida.

Preceding him in death were the following brothers and sisters: Aaron, Mrs. Katie Kauffman, Mrs. Mary Greider, Mrs. Oscar Burry, Jacob D. and Mrs. Lydia Neuenschwander.

Funeral services will be held at the Elida Mennonite church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial will be at that place. Quite a number of the relatives from this community are planning to attend.

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