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SOCIETY NEWS

Mon. Mar 12, 1934

Celebrate Birthdays

Elmer was 28 yesterday.

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Fred Pickford at Decatur on Sunday evening to celebrate the birthdays of Mr. Pickford and Elmer Beer which occur during the week.

A delicious pot-luck supper was enjoyed after which the evening was spent in a social manner.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Beer and son Raymond, Mrs. Rose Beer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schindler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Beer and family, Mr. And Mrs. Elmer Beer, Merlin Beer and Miss Florine Lehman and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nussbaum, all of Berne, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Roth and family and Fred Pickford and family of Decatur and Joe Salute and Miss Caroline Beer of Fort Wayne.

Local and Pe\_\_\_\_\_

Thurs. Mar. 15, 1934

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Mazelin and son Walter Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Joel M. Schwartz and Miss Emma Nussbaum went to Purdue Wed. Morning to attend a State Baking Contest in which Miss Nussbaum took part as a contestant. They expect to return to their home here this evening.

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Miss Anna Liechty was removed from the Adams County Memorial Hospital at Decatur to her home on Sunday evening. Miss Liechty underwent an operation for appendicitis sometime ago and is reported to be improving nicely.

Mon. Apr. 16, 1934

Eli and Ella M. Schwartz were business visitors at Wapakoneta, Ohio, today.

#### PETER GILLIOM IS FOUND DEAD BY DAUGHTER

Thurs. Mar. 22, 1934

Father of Arthur Gilliom Former Attorney-General, Dies Suddenly

Funeral Held this Afternoon

Peter Gilliom, aged 86, prominent retired farmer and well known throughout this community, was found dead in bed at his home Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock by his daughter, Emma. He had been in failing health for several years, suffering from asthma, dropsy and complications. A heart attack is blamed for his death.

He was the father of Arthur Gilliom, former Indiana attorney general. Mr. Gilliom retired late Monday night, evidently feeling as well as usual. Tuesday morning when he failed to appear for breakfast his daughter Emma called him. He failed to answer, so she thought she would let him sleep a little longer. After a few minutes she called him again, and when he failed to respond she went to his bedside and found him dead. He had evidently been dead several hours.

Mr. Gilliom was a member of the Mennonite church and the funeral was held this afternoon at 1:30 at the home, and at 2 o'clock at the Mennonite church, Rev. C.H. Suckau officiating. Burial was in the M. R. E. cemetery.

Mr. Gilliom was born in Wayne Co., O., Oct 24, 1847, sometime after his parents, Abraham and Anna (Hofstetter) Gilliom, came to the United States from Switzerland. His exact age at the time of death was 86 years, four months and 26 days. He was a resident of this country for 42 years, 21 years on a farm east of Berne, on state road 118, and 21 years in the home on Clark street. Mr. and Mrs. Gilliom moved to Berne in the fall of 1912.

He was married to Rachel, daughter of Peter S. and Verena (Sprunger) Lehman on Dec. 5, 1872. They celebrated their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary about three months before Mrs. Gilliom passed away suddenly on Feb. 26, 1933.

In 1869 he moved to Hickory county, Mo., with his parents. His marriage took place there and after 20 years they returned to Berne, principally to afford better educational facilities for their children.

Mr. Gilliom was a Mennonite and served as correspondent to the official church publication, "Der Bundesbote," since Jan. 5, 1914. He possessed a lucid style and said much in a few, well chosen words. A Brief History and Record of the "Gilliom Relationship" was also written by him. Mr. Gilliom read much, interested himself in the affairs of government and the arts, especially music. He served as chorister of a Sunday school while in Missouri.

Surviving are eleven children, Mrs. Bertha Bagley, Mrs. John Eicher, Mrs. Menno Burkhalter, Edwin, Martha, Emma and Mrs. M.E. Stauffer of Berne, Alvin of Western Springs, Ill., Arthur of Indianapolis, Noah of Long Island, N.Y., and Elmer of South Bend. There are 35 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren who survive. Three infant children preceded.

Brothers and sisters surviving are Christian, Berne; Abraham of Garden City, Mo.; Mrs. Elizabeth Rader of Versailles, Mo.; Mrs. Sam Soldner, Berne; Simon of Berne and Dan of Decatur. Three brothers proceeded.

#### Birth 1934

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owens, of Rt. 7, Decatur, are the parents of a baby girl since March 17. The mother was formerly Erma Gage and was employed at the county agent's office for many years.

#### TO BE MARRIED SOON 1934

Another matrimonial event of the early spring season has been announced today. Friends of Miss Neola Habegger of Indianapolis and Carl E. Luginbill of this place will be pleased to learn of their approaching marriage, to take place on April 14.

#### MEASLES-MUMPS ARE SPREADING

New Epidemic of Measles Reported in Three Townships

Thurs Mar. 22, 1934

A near epidemic of measles is reported among the school children of parts of Adams county, and many cases of mumps are also reported. Measles are raging among the school pupils of Monroe, Jefferson and Hartford twps. And in some schools not more than 50 per cent of the pupils are able to attend. Several children are very sick from the measles and doctors state that unless the children keep absolutely quiet measles many times have a tendency to weaken their systems greatly.

In Berne no case of measles has been reported, but about every other community in the county is affected.

A severe epidemic of measles raged in this community about 18 years ago, and the disease this year is said to be the worst since then.

#### GOES TO PENNSYLVANIA

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Jacob Schwartz, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Schwartz of near Geneva, left his home recently to go to Pennsylvania for work. Schwartz is reported to have gone to the farm where some of the people of this community settled recently, about 30 miles south of Erie, Pa.

#### RECEIVE 21 CARDS

Thurs. Mar. 22, 1934

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Winteregg of this place received 241 cards Monday, reminding them of their 41<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary. Dan has been a janitor at the local school for many years and is one of the most popular persons in town. In another part of this paper Mr. and Mrs. Winteregg express their thanks to the many who remembered them.

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Eli and Bertha M. Schwartz were visitors at Wapakoneta, O., today.

Glen Habegger, son of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Habegger of northwest of Berne is quite ill suffering from the measles since Saturday.

#### WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mon. Mar 12, 1934

The approaching wedding of Miss Clorinda Lehman to Ronald Yoder was announced from the pulpit of the Mennonite church Sunday. The wedding will be an event of the latter part of this week, it is understood. Miss Lehman is a daughter of Otto Lehman of Wabash township and is employed at the

Berne Review. The groom-to-be is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Yoder and is employed at the local plant of the Untied Milk Corporation.

#### ASKS DIVORCE

April 19, 1934

Sam Nussbaum, local man, has filed suit for divorce against Ida Nussbaum, formerly Ida Zumbrum, in Adams county circuit court. Summons ordered for defendant returnable on April 30. It is reported that the couple have come to a mutual agreement to get a divorce.