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WINTEREGG RITES FRIDAY

John Winteregg, 78, Dies at Home Here Tuesday Night

John Winteregg, well known ?? resident for many years, 78 years of age, died at his home on West Main Street Tuesday evening at 11:45 o'clock. Death was caused by bronchial pneumonia and complications. Mr. Winteregg had been confined to his bed for 18 weeks and had been in poor health for several years.

Last Saturday evening Mr. Winteregg had the misfortune to fall out of his bed, and it is believed this complicated his condition, while the extreme heat probably hastened his death. Bronchial pneumonia developed Monday.

(Cut off)...Winteregg, both natives of Switzerland. He was thirteen years of age when he came to this community and lived here ever since.

On February 21, 1886, he was married to Miss Sarah Liechty of this place. Due to his poor condition the couple was unable to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary last February.

During his active years Mr. Winteregg was engaged many years (cut off)...a number of years he painted with his brother, the late Dan Winteregg. It was while engaged as a painter during the time of the World War, a scaffold rope broke while painting the Mennonite church and he experienced a bad fall, fracturing a hip. He was permanently crippled as a result of the (cut off)

...a son Albert of this place, and Hilda, wife of M. E. Schlotzhauer of Bluffton; also five grandchildren, Winifred and Mary Alice Winteregg and Sarabell, Dorothy and Anna Louise Schlotzhauer. A brother, Joel Winteregg of Lisbon, N. Dakota, also survives.

The following brothers and sisters preceded him: Daniel, David (cut off)...Depp of this place, and Mrs. John ?? of Bluffton, Ohio.

(cut off)...the house and at 2:30 at the Mennonite church of which he was a member. Burial will be made in the [MRE Cemetery].

(Handwritten: Monday, April 27, 1936)

MARRIED SUNDAY

Miss Lola Bollenbacher was married Sunday to Virgil Cook, it was announced here today. Details of the wedding were not learned. Miss Bollenbacher is a daughter of William Bollenbacher of east of town.

SON STILLBORN

A stillborn baby boy was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Christner of French township. The parents, two sisters survive. The funeral was held at the home this afternoon, with burial in the Christian Apostolic church cemetery.

NIECE WEDS

Mrs. Frieda Ingram of Fort Wayne, daughter of Mrs. Emily Rohrer of that city, and a niece of Fred Rohrer and J. B. Welty, of Berne, was married Friday to Robert Hohenstein, of Fort Wayne.

HOLD POST MORTEM

A post mortem was held on Frank Amstutz Saturday evening, a Fort Wayne specialist being among the doctors present. It was found that (cut off)

AT CCC CAMP

Among the more than 200 youths at the CCC camp near Vera Cruz, is Wayne Bodle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bodle of Decatur. Wayne formerly made his home with the Rudolph Steury family northeast of town. His (cut off)

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JOSEPH KAEHR BADLY INJURED

Well-Known Farmer in Serious Condition at Hospital

Joseph Kaehr, of route 4, a brother of Dan Kaehr of north (cut off)...hospital at Decatur, following an automobile collision near the DeBolt school house, one mile north and two miles west of Monroe, Tuesday af- (cut off)...and his recovery is expected.

Mr. Kaehr is delirious and in great pain. He suffered several broken ribs , and an injury to his spine, but it is not believed that his back was broken.

Son Driving Car

The accident occurred while Kaehr was riding in a car with his son, Raymond, 19, who was driving. At the road intersection their car collided with one driven by George Schultz, Decatur automobile salesman. Raymond Schultz was uninjured except for minor cuts and bruises.

Schultz, who was knocked unconscious from a blow on the head, was taken to the office of a Decatur physician. He was found to have received (cut off)

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MRS. MAZELIN HURT IN FALL

Farm Woman Rendered Unconscious in Fall at Home Wednesday

Mrs. David F. Mazelin of northwest of town was very painfully injured Wednesday morning in a fall at her home. Mrs. Mazelin had gone to the attic and on her way down, fell down the steps. Members of the family heard a noise heard a noise and upon investigation found Mrs. Mazelin at the bottom of the stairs, unconscious.

A local doctor was summoned and he was able to revive her. She suffered severe injuries to her back and one foot, but it is not believed any bones were broken. She is confined to her bed.

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MILDRED GRABER, 5, DIES LATE TUESDAY AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mildred Mae Graber, aged 5, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graber, three miles north of Berne, Tuesday evening between 5:30 and 6 o'clock. The girl had been ill since April and (cut off)

The cause of death is given as tubercular meningitis. She suffered convulsions several times and suffered greatly. Miss Anna Lehman, R.N., had been at the bedside the past several days.

The girl was born in Monroe township, June 26, 1930, a daughter of Victor and Lena Steury Graber. The parents, and one sister, Irene (cut off)...also survive, Mrs. Elizabeth Graber and Mrs. Anne Steury. One sister preceded in infancy.

The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Friday morning at the home and at 9:30 o'clock at the A. C. church three miles north and one-half mile west of Berne, with burial in the church cemetery.

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