## **Jacob J. Becker** Sept. 26, 1879 - June 21, 1949

## Jacob J. Becker Dies in Sylvester

Jacob J. Becker, 69, Sylvester township, died at 5 a.m. today at his farm home on route 1, Juda. He had been ill but a day from a heart condition.

Born Sept. 26, 1879, in Washington township, he was the son of Jacob and Rosie Hefty Becker. He attended the Marty school in Washington township. He was married at Monticello to Katherine Lutsy and they farmed in Washington township, four miles west of Monticello, for 19 years. The past 20 years they have been on the farm two miles from Juda. Mr. Becker was a member of the Modern Woodman of America. Surviving are the widow; two Sisters, Mrs. Jacob B. Hoesly and Mrs. Henry B. Hefty, New Glarus. He was preceded by one brother, John Becker, Palmyra, and a sister, Mrs. Matt B. Wittenwyler, Monticello, who died in August 1944

The funeral will be Thursday at 2 p. m. in Monticello, at Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, with Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Highland cemetery at Monticello. The body is at the Voegeli funeral home in Monticello.