Christian Bernet
Jan. 28, 1889 – September 29, 1962

Christian Bernet, 73, Former Cheesemaker Of Area, Succumbs

Christ Bernet, 73 years of age, former Monticello area cheesemaker, died Saturday at the Hayward Memorial hospital. He had been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Herman Dittmer, near Solon Springs, for the past three years.

Services were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon in St. John's United Church of Christ, Monroe, of which he was a member. The Rev. Paul Olm, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in Greenwood cemetery, Monroe.

Born in Switzerland Jan. 28, 1889, he was married there Oct. 18, 1917, to Marie Kauffman. In 1927 they came to America, settling in Monticello. He was a cheesemaker in Mt. Pleasant and Monroe township until 1937 when they returned to Switzerland for a period of years. Returning to America, they resided at Monroe for a number of years. Mrs. Bernet died in 1958.

Surviving, besides the daughter, are a son, Werner, Monroe; three brothers, Albert, Monroe, and Ernest and Gottfried, both in Switzerland: five sisters, Marie and Margaret, in Switzerland, Ida, in England, Elizabeth Bernet, Monroe, and Mrs. Bertha Leuenberger, Belleville, and several grandchildren and one great-grandchild.