

**Fred Blum, Sr.**

**Jan. 27, 1887 - March 6, 1941**

Fred Blum, Sr. aged 79, Monticello passed away last Thursday at a Monroe Hospital, where he had been a patient since February 28. He was born in the town of Washington, son of Werner and Barbara Zwickey Blum. On Jan. 27, 1887 he was married to Caroline Theiler.

Mr. Blum and his brother, Jacob, farmed together for 38 years. The last six years, the deceased has made his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wild.

Survivors are three sons, Robert, Fred and Herman, town of Washington and two daughters, Mrs. Robert Wild and Mrs. Lydia Voegeli, Monticello, one sister, Mrs. John Blumer, Monticello, 17 grand children and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at Monticello on Friday.

*NOTE: New Glarus Post, 03/12/1941. Interred in Highland cemetery, Monticello.*