## **Henry Blumer**

## Feb. 13, 1889 - October 6, 1961

## Henry Blumer, Age 72, Albany, Called

Funeral services for Henry Blumer, 72 years of age, Albany, a former Monticello-Albany area farmer, who passed away at 11:30 a. m. Friday in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, were held at 3 Monday afternoon at the Sharer funeral home, Albany.

The Rev. J. Atlan Mittler, pastor of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, officiated, and burial was in Hillcrest cemetery, Aibany.

Mr. Blumer, whose health had been impaired for many years, entered the hospital last Tuesday. Engaged in building fences for farmers in recent years, he had worked at his trade up to the day he entered the hospital.

The son of Hilarius and Rosina Marti Blumer, he was born Feb. 13, 1889, in Sylvester township. On Dec, 15, 1910, he was united in marriage in Monticello to Elizabeth Rhyner, the late Rev. A. Muehlmeier performing the ceremony. After moving to Albany in 1945, Mr. Blumer was employed as a patrolman by the Green county highway department until retiring eight years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Blumer observed their golden wedding anniversary with open house a year ago last February.

Mr. Blumer was a member of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello,

He is survived by his wife: three sons, John, Roy J., and Alvin W., all of Albany: two brothers, Joe, rural Albany, and Matt Beloit; three sisters, Mrs, Henry O. Krueger, Monticello, Mrs. Matt. Babler, Albany, and Mrs. Peter Kubly, Monroe; and six grandchildren. A brother, Jacob, preceded him in death.