

Thomas Butler

April 30, 1859 - 1947

Thomas Butler, 88, Expires in Albany

Rites Held Saturday for Former Resident of Monticello

Albany—Funeral services for Thomas Butler, 88 years of age, who passed away at 11 on Thursday morning of last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Keefe, Albany, were held at 10 Saturday morning at the Keefe home and at 10:30 at St. Patrick's Catholic church.

The Rev. Paul Croke, pastor of the Brodhead and Albany parishes, officiated, and burial was in the Albany Catholic cemetery.

Native of Mt. Pleasant

Thomas Butler was a native of Mt. Pleasant township, having been born April 30, 1859, a son of John and Celia Butler. He spent practically all of his life in the Mt. Pleasant township and Albany communities working as a farm hand, with the exception of a short time in Iowa.

For the past several years he had made his home with Mr. and Mrs, Keefe. Mr, Butler had been bedfast since last December,

Surviving are three Sisters, Mrs. John Keefe, Albany, Mrs, Ann Butler, Adele, Iowa, and Mrs, Mike Keefe, Footville.

The rosary was recited at the Keefe home Friday evening at 8,