

John W. Elmer
April 26, 1893 – May 6, 1955

John W. Elmer, New Glarus, Succumbs

Funeral services for John W. Elmer, prominent farmer, who resided a few miles west of Monticello until retiring to New Glarus in 1943, who died Friday night in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Swiss Evangelical and Reformed church, New Glarus.

The Rev. Lynn F. B. Tschudy, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Elmer had been admitted to the hospital April 13 as a surgical patient.

John William Elmer was born April 26, 1893, at Postville, the son of Jacob and Anna Disch Elmer. On Nov. 19, 1914, he was united in marriage to Clara Voegeli, the ceremony taking place in New Glarus.

Mr. Elmer was a member of the Swiss Evangelical and Reformed church, New Glarus.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Eugene Schervin, Mt. Horeb; a son, Royal, at home; two brothers, Jacob C., New Glarus, and Otto H., York township; and three grandchildren.