

## **Mrs. Zimmerman, 80, Esteemed Local Resident, Expires**

**Nov. 21, 1874 – Feb. 1955**

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Zimmerman, highly esteemed and respected Monticello resident, who passed away at 11 a. m. Saturday in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, after a short illness, were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon in the Evangelical United Brethren church.

Mrs. Zimmerman was 80 years of age.

The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery. Pallbearers were six grandsons, Sheldon Zimmerman, Brodhead; Kenneth Zimmerman, Belleville; Ralph and Dwight Zimmerman, and Paul Schuler, Monticello, and Calvin Erickson, Monroe.

### **Ill Only Few Days**

Mrs. Zimmerman was ill for only a few days. She was admitted to the hospital Tuesday as a medical patient. She succumbed suddenly and unexpectedly.

Anna Blumer was born in Washington township Nov. 21, 1874, the daughter of Ezra and Henrietta Grosse Blumer. She attended rural school in Adams township. On Sept. 5, 1895, she was united in marriage to Albert Zimmerman. Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman farmed in Washington township until retiring to Monticello in 1945.

Mrs. Zimmerman was confirmed in the Washington Reformed church and was a member of the church and of its Ladies Aid society at the time of her death.

An unusually friendly and pleasant individual, Mrs. Zimmerman enjoyed the deep and lasting respect of all who knew her. An industrious person, she was a true example of an ideal mother and homemaker. She will be deeply missed by her many friends and acquaintances.

She is survived by five sons, Albert, Belleville; Clarence, Waldo and Amos, Monticello, and Harold, Monroe; five daughters, Mrs. Edna Schuler, Monticello, Mrs. Frank Loveland and Mrs. Ivan Marty, Washington township, Mrs. Albert Weissmiller, Monroe, and Mrs. Walker Williams, Argyle; three brothers, Fred Blumer, Monroe, Ezra Blumer, Fond du Lac, and John Blumer, Monticello; two sisters, Mrs. John Itten, New Glarus, and Mrs. Bertha Pfeiffer, Monroe; 38 grandchildren and 29 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Feb. 7, 1950. one grandson, Myles Zimmerman, in Korea in 1954. two brothers, Dr. Edward Blumer and William Blumer, and two sisters, Mrs. Rosa Holcomb and Mrs. Henrietta Hoesly.