

## **Jake J. Retzell**

**Oct. 26, 1885 – January 10, 1958**

**Rites Held Here for Age 72**

Jake J. Retzell, 72, Hudson, died Friday afternoon at the University hospital, Madison, after a short illness.

Born in Milwaukee Oct. 26, 1885, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacob Retzell. He came to Mt. Pleasant township as a small boy and attended the Dutch Hollow rural school. In 1912 he was united in marriage at Freeport to Charlotte Prisk. They resided in the Monticello area until 1919, then moved to Hudson where they since resided.

He is survived by six daughters, three sons, two sisters, and many grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1930. Her burial was in Highland cemetery, Monticello.

Funeral services for Mr. Retzell were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon at the Voegeli funeral home here. The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery.