

Barbara Rhyner
June 27, 1874 - Feb. 21, 1959

Barbara Rhyner, Monticello, Dies

Mrs. Barbara Rhyner, 84, Monticello, died this morning in the Wagner Nursing Home here after a long illness.

Mrs. Rhyner, the former Barbara Lutzy, daughter of Jacob and Sarah Voegeli Lutzy, was born in Switzerland on June 27, 1874. The family came to this country when she was 11 years old and settled in Green County.

On Dec. 4, 1891, she was married in Monticello by the late Rev, Henry Rusterholz to Casper Rhyner, who died July 4, 1944. A veteran of the Spanish-American War, he was active in American Legion groups.

Following their marriage, the couple lived in Delavan, where Mr. Rhyner was a carpenter, and Clark County before returning to Monticello, where they farmed many years.

Mrs. Rhyner was a member of the Monticello Zwingli United Church of Christ, the Woman's Relief Corps and the American Legion Auxiliary and was a Gold Star mother.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Jacob J. Disch, Albany, and Mrs. Ida Schenk, Monticello; a son, Fred H. Rhyner, Warren; a sister, Mrs. Mary Riese, Monroe; 17 grandchildren and 39 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by two sons, Leonard W., on Oct. 14, 1918, while serving in France during World War 1, and Jacob C. in 1941.

Services are pending at the Voegeli funeral home, Monticello.

NOTE: Monroe Evening Times, Feb 21, 1959.

Mrs. Rhyner Rites Scheduled Tomorrow

Services for Mrs. Barbara Lutzy Rhyner, 84, who died Saturday at the Wagner nursing home in Monroe, will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow in Zwingli United Church of Christ. Rev. A. R. Achtemeier will officiate, with burial in Highland cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Henry V. Baebler, John C. Babler, Frank Riese, Monticello; Jacob Rhyner and J. Henry Rhyner, Albany, and Clifford Riese, Oregon.

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