

**Albert Elmer Sr.**  
**1881 – February 23, 1951**

**Rites Held Monday For Albert Elmer Sr.**  
**Native of Switzerland is Called Friday After Brief Illness**

Albany—Funeral services for Albert Elmer, Sr., 69, who died at his home in Albany Friday after a brief illness, were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Albany Methodist church.

The Rev. Harvey Norenberg, pastor of the Belleville and Albany Zwingli Reformed churches, officated. Burial was in Hillcrest cemetery, Albany.

A native of Elm, Canton Glarus, Switzerland, Mr. Elmer came to the United States 47 years ago. He was married to the former Karolena Machler in March, 1913, in Switzerland.

The couple farmed in the New Glarus and Albany areas. until their retirement eight years ago.

Beside his wife, Mr. Elmer is survived by two sons, Albert, Jr., Brodhead, and Walter, Monticello; four daughters, Mrs. Hans Schneeberger and Mrs. Gordon Wells, both of Evansville, Mrs. Glenn Gempeler, Monroe, and Mrs. Norris Jorenby, Janesville; a brother, John Elmer, Verona; and 13 grandchildren.