## Rhomane N. Bulcher

Rhomane N. Bulcher, 86, of Russia, died at home on Jan. 12 of natural causes. Born Feb. 25, 1919 in French Town, he was the son of Peter and Stella (Goubeaux) Bulcher. On June 28, 1949, he married Rosemary (Broerman) Bulcher of Russia at St. Nicholas Church in Osgood.

He is survived by his wife; his children, Dorothy and William Minnich of Ashland; Patrick and Velma Bulcher of Minnesota: Treva and Roger Schulze of Huntsville: Joseph and Sol Bulcher of Versailles; Jeanette and Mark Barga of North Star; Walter and Louise Bulcher of Houston; Cletus and Bernice Bulcher of Fort Loramie and Alfred and Beth Bulcher of Versailles; siblings, Fredona Rethman of Versailles; Lucille Danzig of Fort Loramie: Francis and Esther Bulcher of Versailles: Willard Bulcher of Versailles and Winnie Bulcher of Versailles: numerous grandchildren, stepgrandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mr. Bulcher is preceded in death by both parents; one infant daughter; brothers, Clarence, Orville and Robert Bulcher; sisters, Florence Barga, Thelma Bulcher and Pauline Gigandet and step-granddaughter, Marilyn Bulcher.

As a veteran of World War II, he had served as technician 4th Grade with the 94th Ordinance Motor Maintenance Company. He earned four bronze stars and numerous medals for his service in Naples, Rome and the Northern Apennines. He was also a member of St. Remy Catholic Church.

Bulcher had been a life-long farmer and operated the farm weld shop. Over the years, he had also been employed at the former Miller-Meteor of Piqua, Union City Body Company of Indiana, Stolle Corp. of Sidney and the railroad.

He enjoyed bowling, playing horseshoes, hunting and playing cards.

A funeral was given on Jan. 16 at St. Remy Catholic Church with the Rev. Frank Amberger presiding and a burial following at St. Valbert Cemetery in Versailles.

Memorial contributions may be made to charities of donors' choices.

Gehret Funeral Home in Fort Loramie handled arrangements.