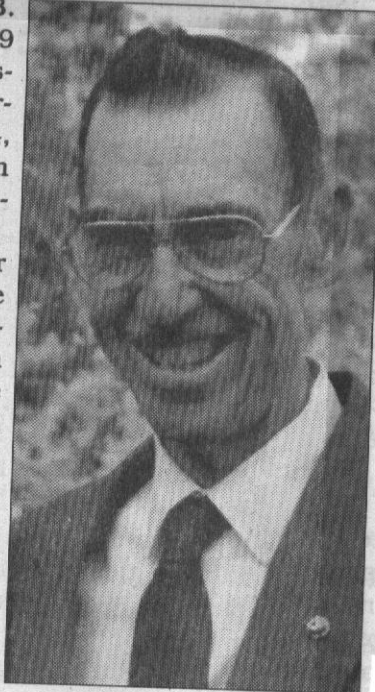


## John B. Meyer

John B. Meyer, 81, 1139 Perin Rd., Russia, died Saturday, Jan. 24, 2004 in Wilson Memorial Hospital, Sidney.

Mr. Meyer was born June 24, 1922 in Willowdell, the son of the late Henry and Elenora Gehret Meyer.

He married Marceil M. Hemmelgarn, Nov. 28, 1945. She died Nov. 8, 1998.



Survivors include his children: Kenneth (Mary Lou) of Fort Loramie, Diane (Ken) Prenger of Minster, Thomas (Barbara) of Fort Loramie, Marlene (Ernie) Bergman of Yorkshire, Dennie (Jane) of Fort Loramie, Bonnie (Nick) Hoying; Rick (Sandy) of Fort Loramie, Karen (Mike) Clawson of Wapakoneta, Nancy (Kyle) Plattner of Fort Loramie, Jeanne (Wendel) Arthur of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, Lisa (Steve) Gehret of Russia, David of Russia; 42 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Brothers, Ray, Clarence, and Sylvester; and sisters Marcella Tebbe, Mary Margaret Fullenkamp and Leola Hoying also survive.

A sister and three grandchildren preceded him in death.

Mr. Meyer was a member of the Ss. Peter and Paul Church in Newport. He was a third degree in the K of C, Russia and fourth degree in the K of C, Minster. He belonged to the Fort Loramie American Legion, the Catholic War Veterans of Russia, and the Shelby County Farm Bureau. He was a past board member of the Russia Equity.

He was an Air Force veteran of WW II who served in Europe as an airplane mechanic.

Mr. Meyer was a farmer.

Rev. Anthony Cutcher celebrated a Mass of Christian Burial, Jan. 28 in Ss. Peter and Paul Church. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home, Minster, handled the arrangements.