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Joseph Falter, Sr., Dead.

On Thursday at 7:30 p. m., Joseph Falter, Sr., died at his farm home south of this village after an illness of four weeks. He was born in Bavaria, Germany, 79 years ago, was married to Maria Pruess of his native country, came to America in the fifties and located in Eagle, where he always resided. He had an only son, who died three years ago. He was of a genial turn of mind and besides managing his farm successfully he established a broom and basket factory, the product of which always found a ready market. He was strictly honest and upright in every way, was a good neighbor and will be missed by all. In religion he was a Catholic. He leaves surviving him a sister, Mrs. Katherine Faestel, a brother, F. Falter, Sr., four grand children, Frank, George, Joseph and Mrs. Clarence Thornton, a nephew, John Trum. His wife preceded him in death several years ago. The funeral will probably be held Sunday. We all extend our sympathy.

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