

[Stahl, Leander J.]

Leander Stahl, 87, Fairfield Town, Dies

LITTLE FALLS — Leander J. Stahl, 87, R.D. 2, town of Fairfield, an area farmer since the age of 12, died today at his home following a long illness.

He was born in the town of Oppenheim on June 12, 1875, a son of John and Louisa Montaney Stahl, and on Oct. 27, 1898, married Mabel Davis at her home, town of Fairfield. She died Feb. 4, 1957.

He had been a Fairfield Grange member over 50 years. Surviving are three sons, Elmer, R.D. 2; Ira, at home,; John, Newport, R.D. 1; four grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, several nieces, nephews and cousins.

The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday from the Newitt-Bly Funeral Home here by the Rev. Robert J. Sterling, pastor of St. Paul's Universalist Church, with burial in Rural Park Cemetery, Inghams Mills. Friends may call at the funeral home 7 to 9 p.m. tonight, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. tomorrow, and before the Sunday services.

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