[Weld, William]

William Weld Dies Result of Injury

William Tanner Weld, lifelong resident of Ridgeway and a prominent farmer, died at the Medina Memorial Hospital last night as a result of an automobile accident in which he was involved that took place on Saturday, October 17th.

While Mr. Weld's condition was serious, it was not regarded as critical until two days ago when a collapse of the lung as a result of a chest injury brought about his death.

Mr. Weld was born 72 years ago, the son of the late Mason E. and Sarah Tanner Weld. Mr. Weld has always resided on the farm on which he was born and been active in the affairs of his community. He was an enthusiastic supporter of the Democratic party and a committeeman from his district. On various occasions he has been a candidate for town, county and state office.

Surviving are several cousins, the nearest of whom are Andrew S. Weld of Cleveland, N.D., Dr. Harry P. Tanner of Medina, Leslie Tanner of Knowlesville, Miss Mittie A. Tanner and Mrs. Robert Harmer, both also of Knowlesville.

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Obituary.

The funeral of the late William Weld, who died Wednesday night of last week from injuries received in an automobile accident, was held Saturday afternoon at his home in Ridgeway, Rev. Donald K. Evans [Universalist] officiating. Burial was in West Ridgeway Cemetery.

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