John Hammerly Sept. 12, 1880 - December 4, 1954

John Hammerly, 74 Expires Saturday After Long Illness

Funeral services for John Hammerly, 74 years of age, resident of Monticello for the past 12 years, who died 11 Saturday morning in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, after a long illness, were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon in the Evangelical United Brethren church here.

The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery. Pallbearers were John H. Baebler, W. E. Blum, Joe Blumer, Selmar Lien, Norman Rosen and C: M. Stauffer,

Mr. Hammerly had been in failing health for more than a year and had been hospitalized on several occasions. He had been a patient at the hospital for three weeks before his death.

Native of Switzerland

Mr. Hammerly was born Sept. 12, 1880, in Engi, Canton Glarus, Switzerland, the son of Fridolin and Marie Blumer Hammerly. He first came to the United States in 1902 and was employed on farms in Dane county. In 1908 he returned to his native country and on March 6, 1913, he was united in marriage to Marie Machler at Matt, Canton Glarus. Mr. and Mrs. Hammerly came to the United States the same year, settling on a farm in Washington township, near Monticello. They farmed there until 1942, when they retired and moved to the village.

Mr. Hammerly was a member of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church here.

Surviving are his wife; one son, Walter F., Monticello; one daughter, Mrs. Frank Nussbaum, Monroe; one brother, Leonard, Switzerland; three sisters, Mrs. John Haemmerlie, Monroe, Miss Elsie Hammerly, Eureka, Calif, and Mrs. Fred Steinmann, Switzerland, and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Sam, Switzerland, Hilarius, Monticello, in 1942, and Fred, Albany in August, 1954.