Henry T. Hefty May 4, 1882 - Aug. 11, 1968 Henry Hefty Stricken at 86

MONTICELLO — A native of rural Dayton, Henry T. Hefty, 86, Lake Mills, died at 12:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 11, in Ft. Atkinson Memorial Hospital. He suffered a stroke Saturday evening at home and was hospitalized at 10 that night.

Mr. Hefty was born May 4, 1882, on a farm, a mile east of Dayton, the son of David and Marianna Theiler Hefty. He attended the Loveland rural school. On Feb. 28, 1905 he was married in New Glarus to Ida Lynn. They farmed in Washington Township until moving to Monroe in 1936. Mr. Marty then became a self-employed carpenter, retiring in 1961.

After his wife's death, Feb. 5, 1960, he made his home in Argyle, with a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Isely. Mrs. Isely, the former Leonia Hefty, died Feb. 14, 1965 and since Dec. 26, 1965 he lived at Lake Mills with another son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fahrni.

Mr. Hefty was a life member of Washington Reformation Church and served on the Church Consistory for many years. He was supervisor for Washington Township for 19 years and had served on the school board many years.

Surviving are a son, Wilbert R. Hefty, Route 2, Monticello; the daughter, Mrs. Fred (Florence) Fahrni, Lake Mills; a sister, Mrs. Albert Rhiner, Verona; a step-sister, Mrs. Arnold Dettwiler, Verona; 17 grandchildren, and 25 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his wife and daughter, Mrs. Isely, Mr. Hefty was preceded in death by a grandson, Larry Fahrni in 1954; a granddaughter, Vila Mae Hefty, Dec. 5, 1949; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Dettwiler, Mrs. Fred Coughlin, and Mrs. Sam Karlen, and two step-brothers, Jacob and Albert Theiler.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 14, in Washington Reformation Church. Rev. Duerson is to officiate. Burial will be in the Church Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Voegeli Funeral Home in Monticello after 2 p.m. Tuesday and at the church after 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday.