

## **Wilbert R. Hefty**

**Jan. 31, 1906 - February 25, 1979**

Wilbert R. Hefty, 73, Monticello, died Sunday, Feb. 25, at the New Glarus Home where he had been a resident since Jan. 11. He had been in failing health for several years.

He was born in Washington Township, Jan. 31, 1906, the son of Henry and Ida Lynn Hefty. He attended the Loveland School. On May 28, 1936 he was married to Helga Peterson. The couple had farmed in Washington Township. They moved to the village of Monticello in 1972.

Funeral services were held Wednesday in the Washington Reformation Church, where he was a member. Rev. Duane McDonough officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

He had served as a member of the Consistory of the church for more than 20 years. He had also served on the Loveland School board for many years.

Survivors include his three sons, Eugene W. Hefty, Paul M. Hefty and Maynard L. Hefty, all of Monticello; a sister, Mrs. Fred (Florence) Fahrni, Milton, Fla., and 12 grandchildren.

Preceding him in death was his wife, who died April 12, 1973; his parents; a daughter, Vila Mae in 1949, and a sister, Mrs. Leona Isely on Feb. 22, 1965.

Pallbearers were Curtis C. Caldwell and Merlyn Rufer, Monticello; George C. Ferrell, Mineral Point; Roy E. Hess, Monroe, and Daryle Isely and Roger F. Isely of Argyle.