

Andrew Legler
May 12, 1868 – May 19, 1956

Andrew Legler, 88, Expires Saturday Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral services for Andrew Legler, 88 Route 1, Brodhead, a former Mt. Pleasant township farmer, who passed away Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John C. Schmid, Magnolia township, Rock county, were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon in the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church here.

The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery. Pallbearers were Herman and Ernest Schlittler, Monticello, Ernest Legler, Argyle, George Legler, New Glarus, Herman D. Legler, Monroe, and William Legler, Brooklyn.

Mr. Legler had been in failing health for about two months after suffering a heart attack.

Born in New Glarus township May 12, 1868, Mr. Legler was the son of George and Magdalena Legler. He attended the New Glarus village schools. On April 13, 1893, he was united in marriage to Emily Schlittler, the ceremony being performed in New Glarus by the late Rev. Etter. Mr. and Mrs. Legler first farmed in Exeter township, then moved to the Ridgeway vicinity, where they farmed for 13 years. In 1916 they moved to a farm in Mt. Pleasant township, where they lived for over 30 years. Since leaving their Mt. Pleasant township farm, they lived with their son at Oregon and Verona and for the past two years they made their home with the daughter, near Brodhead.

Mr. Legler attended the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church while living in Mt. Pleasant township.

Mr. Legler is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Schmid; one son, Burnett, Verona, and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, seven brothers, one child in infancy, one grandson in 1926 and one great-grandson in 1955.