Henry C. Loveland, 59, Dies Suddenly; Rites Here Friday

Heart Attack is Fatal to Esteemed Washington Twp. Resident Dec. 23, 1885 – Sept. 12, 1945

Striking with a lightning-like suddenness which stunned the entire community and plunged it into sadness, death claimed the life of Henry C. Loveland, 59 years of age, prominent and highly esteemed resident of Washington township, early Wednesday morning.

Mr. Loveland, who had been in poor health for some months, was not considered seriously ill but at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning he suffered a heart attack and passed away a short time later.

Native of Washington

A lifelong resident of Washington township, Henry C. Loveland was born Dec. 23, 1885, the son of Franklin and Maria Loveland. He attended school in Washington township and in Monticello. On Feb. 21, 1907, he was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Bidlingmaier, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Carl Heyl, pastor of the Monticello Reformed church. Mr. and Mrs. Loveland farmed in Washington township until 1924 when Mr. Loveland disposed of his farm to his brother, Otto. For a year Mr. and Mrs. Loveland made their home in Monroe and then came to Monticello, where they made their home for about a year. In 1926 Mr. Loveland purchased a small tract of land just west of the old shooting park, where he had a new home erected and where they had since resided.

Mr. Loveland was a member of the Monticello Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church.

During his many years of residence in Washington township, Mr. Loveland held several, offices of public trust. He served as township assessor for several years. and at the time of his death was health officer of the township as well as chairman of the Town Hall Cheese Company, an office which. he held since the organization was formed in 1936.

Sad Blow

The sudden and unexpected passing of Mr. Loveland came as a sad blow to his many friends here. and elsewhere. His unquestionable honesty and exemplary character brought him the high respect and deep friendship of all whom he numbered among his acquaintances. Surviving are the bereaved widow; one daughter. Florence, at home, one sister, Mrs. Chas. Lee, Shullsburg; and one, brother, Atty. W. A. Loveland, Monticello.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1907, his mother, who passed away in 1942, two brothers Otto and Frank, and one sister Mrs. Matt Klassy, LeRoy, Minn. Funeral Friday

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 Friday afternoon in the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church. The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, will officiate and burial will be in Highland cemetery. The body will, remain at the Voegeli funeral home until noon Friday when it will be removed to the church.