

Elizabeth Rolph
June 8, 1884 - Dec. 23, 1967
Mrs. Rolph, 83, Monticello, Dies

MONTICELLO (Times Special) — Mrs. Elizabeth Rolph, 83, died at 10:15 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 23, in her home here from old age complications. She had been ill a long time.

The former Elizabeth Hoesly was born on a farm in Exeter Township on June 8, 1884, a daughter of Marcus and Katherine Voegeli Hoesly. She attended the Ross School in Exeter. On Feb. 23, 1905 she was married in Freeport to Fred Rolph. After their marriage they lived in New Glarus for four years. Since 1909 she had lived in Monticello. Her husband, who died Oct. 19, 1926, was a carpenter.

Mrs. Rolph was a member of Zwingli United Church of Christ and John Ross, Woman's Relief Corps. She enjoyed working in her garden and raising flowers.

There are no immediate survivors. Mrs. Regula Hoesly of Madison is a sister-in-law. There are nieces and nephews, including Mrs. Henry W. (Florence) Hefty, New Glarus.

Her father died July 16, 1913 and her mother, Jan. 25, 1937. She was also preceded in death by a sister, Mrs. Sarah Elmer, New Glarus, and a brother, Baltz Hoesly of Monticello, a well-known Holstein breeder, who died in 1940.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 27, in Zwingli Church, with Rev. J. Allan Mittler officiating. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Voegeli Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Robert Vickers of Champaign, Ill., and Thomas Brusveen, James K. Pierce, Thomas Saunders, Edward C. Soper, and Earl Vickers.