Ellen E. Ruegg June 6, 1895 – November 1947

Miss Ellen Ruegg, 52, Expires Friday Local Resident Ill Many Months; Rites Held Monday P. M.

Culminating a period of failing health which had its inception more than a year ago, death claimed Miss Ellen Ruegg, 52 years of age, Monticello, at 7 o'clock Friday evening at Pinehurst sanatorium, Janesville, where she had been a patient only a short time.

Having failed considerably during the past several months, Miss Ruegg was removed to St. Francis hospital about a month ago and was transferred to the Janesville institution last week.

Ellen Ruegg was a native of New Glarus township, having been born June 6, 1895, a daughter of August and Mary Rolph Ruegg. The family moved south of Monticello and she received her education in the Simmons rural school. She lived with her parents in New Glarus and Washington townships before moving to Monticello to reside.

She was a confirmed member of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, Monticello.

She is survived by three aunts, Mrs. Augusta Pierce, Mrs. Ellen Soper, and Mrs. Fred Rolph, Monticello, and a large number of distant relatives. She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother.

Funeral Monday

Funeral services were held at 2 Monday afternoon at the Voegeli funeral home. The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery. Pallbearers were: Samuel Pierce, James Pierce, Stillman Huntley, Jake Schultz, Edward Soper and Chas. M. Rolph, all of Monticello.