## Arthur F. Stauffacher Aug. 2, 1893 – November 30, 1956

## A. F. Stauffacher, Area Native, Dies

Arthur F. Stauffacher, 63, of Renwick, Iowa, and a native of Mt. Pleasant township, passed away at 12:15 a.m. Friday after suffering a heart attack. He had come to Monroe to spend the winter.

Mr. Stauffacher was born in Mt. Pleasant township on Aug. 2, 1893, the son of Jacob and Barbara Klassy Stauffacher. They moved to Renwick in 1895.

He was married in Monroe on Sept. 24, 1925, to Minnie Maaske, and they farmed near Renwick for many years. Mrs. Stauffacher died May 26, 1950. On July 20, 1952, he married Mrs. Frieda Rufi at Blue Earth. Minn.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Gerald Curlee, Lakewood, Calif.; his mother, Mrs. Barbara Stauffacher, Humboldt, Iowa; two sisters, Mrs. Terry Mitchell, Renwick, and Mrs. Edward Lundy, Sioux City, Iowa: two step-sons, Roy Rufi, Jr., Monroe, and Kenneth Rutfi, Milwaukee; a step-daughter, Mrs. Thomas Timkin, El Paso, Texas, one grandchild and five step-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife and his father in 1951.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p. m. Monday at the Shriner-Neushwander funeral home. The Rev. Bernard Bartel officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. R. E. Turner, pastor of the Renwick Evangelical and Reformed United Brethren church, of which Mr. Stauffacher was a member. Burial was in Greenwood cemetery.