

Fred Studer

1882 - January 2, 1955

Rites Held Tuesday For Fred Studer, 72

Funeral services for Fred Studer, 72 years of age, highly esteemed Monticello resident, who passed away at 4:10 a. m. Sunday at his home here, were held at 2 Tuesday afternoon at the Evangelical United Brethren church here.

The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, officiated, and burial was in Greenwood cemetery, Monroe. Pallbearers were Wilbert Dick, John Meier, Sr., Emil Escher, Charles R. Marty, Monticello, Ed. Nicollier, Darlington, and Fred Aeschliman, Brodhead.

Mr. Studer had been in failing health for the past several months and had been hospitalized numerous times during his illness.

Native of Switzerland

A native of Switzerland, Mr. Studer was born in Grausenreid, Canton of Berne, the son of Nichalaus and Rosina Bichsel Studer. In 1904 he came to the United States and made cheese at Monroe for two years. He was united in marriage Aug. 13, 1910, to Mrs. Barbara Burkhalter, the ceremony taking place in Monroe. They farmed north of Monroe until 1920, when he took his family to Switzerland for three months. Upon returning to this country, Mr. Studer purchased a farm three miles west of Monticello, which is now operated by a son, Arthur. Mr. and Mrs. Studer retired from the farm in 1934 and moved to Monticello.

Mr. Studer was a member of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church and of the GUGG lodge.

A quiet, friendly and unassuming individual, Mr. Studer enjoyed the deep friendship of a large number of acquaintances. He was known as a hard working individual, always willing to lend a helping hand. News of his passing was received with deep and sincere regret by his many friends throughout the community.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Ernest, Monroe, and Arthur, Monticello; one daughter, Mrs. Hedwig Blatler, Menomonie; two brothers and two sisters in Switzerland, and 13 grandchildren.