

Regula Voegeli

April 14, 1867 - October 15, 1945

Death Claims Mrs. Wm. Voegeli, Aged 78, Rites Thursday Esteemed Local Lady Dies Monday P. M. After Long Illness

Mrs. William Voegeli, Sr, 78 years of age, highly esteemed Monticello resident for many years, passed away at 12:30 Monday afternoon in the St. Clare hospital, Monroe, where she had been a patient for a number of weeks.

Mrs. Voegeli had been in failing health for a number of years and had been bedfast since last winter, when she suffered a fractured hip, the result of a fall on the porch at her home. Both Mrs. Voegeli and her husband suffered a stroke about seven or eight years ago. Her stroke being of a less serious nature than the one suffered by her husband at about the same time, Mrs. Voegeli rallied nicely but her health had gradually failed in recent years.

Regula Voegeli was born at New Glarus April 14, 1867, the daughter of Baltz and Barbara Becker Voegeli. She attended school at New Glarus and was united in marriage to William Voegeli in 1889. Mr. and Mrs. Voegeli had always lived in or around Monticello. They farmed for many years in Adams township before moving to Monticello to make their home.

Mrs. Voegeli was a member of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church and was a member of the Ladies' Aid society until her impaired health made it impossible for her to take an active part in the organization.

A quiet and unassuming lady, Mrs. Voegeli was highly regarded by her many friends in Monticello and vicinity, all of whom were deeply grieved upon learning of her death. Mrs. Voegeli accepted her many misfortunes in her later years without complaining, and although she suffered a great deal, she kept her troubles to herself in order to spare her family as much concern as possible.

Survivors, besides the bereaved husband, are three sons, William, at home, Melvin, York township, and Herman, Adams township; two daughters, Mrs. Werner Blumer, Monticello, and Mrs. John W. Elmer, New Glarus; one brother, John Voegeli, Manitowoc; one sister, Mrs. Peter Ott, New Glarus; one half-brother, Isaac Babler, Monroe; one half-sister, Mrs. Jacob Kubly, Monticello; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, Fred Voegeli, Belleville, and two sisters in infancy.

Funeral Thursday

The body will be at the Voegeli funeral home until noon today (Thursday) and will then be removed to the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, where funeral services will be conducted at 2 in the afternoon. The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, will officiate, and burial will be in Highland cemetery.