John Wittenwyler Sr. March 24, 1856 - March 5, 1941 Wittenwyler Rites

MONTICELLO — Services for John Wittenwyler, Sr., 84, who died here Wednesday after an illness of several months, will be held Saturday at 1:30 p. m. at the Voegeli funeral home and at 2 p. m. at the Reformed church, the Rev. R. Berg officiating. Burial will be in Highland cemetery.

A pioneer farmer of this community, Mr. Wittenwyler was born March 24, 1856, in the town of Washington. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Wittenwyler. He married Anna Voegeli in New Glarus on Feb. 14, 1878, and the couple recently celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary. The Wittenwylers lived west of Monticello until moving here 35 years ago.

Survivors include the widow, three sons, John, Jr., Matt, and Walter, all of Monticello, and three daughters, Mrs. James Hancock and Mrs. Bertha Keller, both of Monticello, and Mrs, Ernest Cotherman, Monroe.