SPENCER LYNN, 38, DIES SUNDAY NITE 1890–1928

Death Takes Place In Madison Hospital Late Sunday Nite

Private funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in the home of John Lynn, Monticello, for Spencer E. Lynn, 38 years old, who passed away in a Madison hospital Sunday night where he had been a patient for about two weeks.

His death followed a long period of ill health. Bronchial pneumonia was the direct cause of his demise.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. a. Muehlmeier, pastor of the Reformed church. Interment was in Highland cemetery.

Spencer Edgar Lynn was a native of Exeter township, having been born in February 1890, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lynn. Shortly thereafter, the family moved to Monticello to reside and here the deceased grew to manhood.

Mr. Lynn received his education in the local schools. He was a printer by trade and received his early knowledge of his chosen profession in the Monticello News office. He later became connected with the force of the Monticello Messenger, working at the trade while going to school.

After finishing his education, Mr. Lynn was employed for several years in The Messenger office. Then he left Monticello to work in print shops in various cities of the state, returning about 1918 to assume management of the tire repair shop of his brother, M. E. Lynn, who was then in the overseas' service.

After continuing in the tire business for some time, the lure of printer's ink again attracted Mr. Lynn. An expert Linotype operator, he was employed at various times in the plants of the Milwaukee Journal, Milwaukee Sentinel, Beloit Daily News, Rockford Morning Star and other daily publications.

For the past year or two, he had a position as operator in a job printing plant at Rockford, in which city he contracted the illness which resulted in his death. He returned to Monticello about two months ago, having been compelled to abandon work. For a time, it appeared that he was on the road to recovery, but about two weeks ago, he took a decided turn for the worse and he was taken to the Madison hospital.

His condition became alarming Sunday afternoon and relatives here were called to his bedside. Mr. Lynn gradually sank until the end which occurred late Sunday night.

He is survived by his father, John Lynn, Monticello, and two brothers, Robert Lynn, Pomona, California, and M. E. Lynn, Monticello. His mother preceded him in death about two years ago.