

Walter J. Marty

Jan. 1, 1887 – August 7, 1961

Walter J. Marty, 64, Belleville, Victim of Sudden Heart Attack

Funeral services for Walter J. Marty, 64 years of age, a native of Washington township, who died of a heart attack Monday at his farm home, a mile west of Belleville, were held at 2 Wednesday afternoon in the Belleville United Church of Christ.

The Rev. Beil, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in the Belleville cemetery.

He was found dead in the basement of his home. The Dane county coroner ruled that a heart attack was fatal.

The son of J. C. and Rosina Hefty Marty, he was born Jan. 1, 1887. He attended the Marty rural school and on June 17, 1923, he was united in marriage Barbara Klassy, the ceremony taking place in New Glarus. The couple farmed on the Marty homestead farm, 4 1/2 miles west of Monticello, for eight years. Mr. and Mrs. Marty have resided on the present farm since 1932.

Mr. Marty was a member of the Belleville United Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife; |four sons, Leon, Madison, Delmar, Sun Prairie, Earl, Belleville, and Donald, at home; three brothers, E. W. Marty and Fred C., Monticello, and Jacob, New Glarus; five sisters, Mrs. Robert Holcomb, Sr., Mrs. Rose Legler, Mrs, Ira Holcomb and Mrs. Sylvia Curtis, Monticello and Mrs. Henry Gessler, New Glarus; and 11 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Mrs. Wilbert Zweifel, on March 26, 1959.