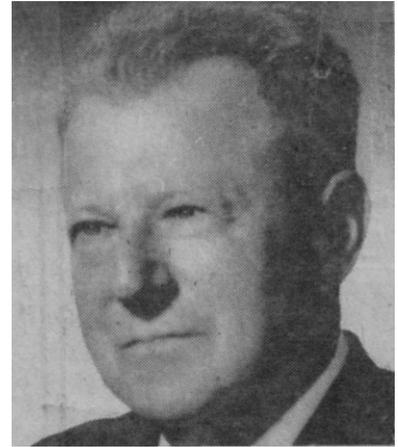


Wilhelm C. Rufer

Wilhelm C. Rufer, 92, 911 10th Ave., died at 1 pm. Wednesday, Oct. 5, 1983, at Pleasant View Nursing Home where he had been a resident since Feb. 15 of this year.

He was born in Green County Oct. 5, 1891, the son of Ulrich and Rosina Isely Rufer. He attended the Purcell rural school. His marriage to Margaret Gempeler took place July 30, 1914, the late Rev. P. A. Schuh officiating. They farmed in Washington and Monroe Townships for 33 years until retiring and moving to Monroe in 1947.



Survivors are three sons, Howard J. and Harold V. Rufer, both of Janesville, and Lloyd U. of Monroe; nine grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, a brother, Ewald, and two sisters, Mrs. David (Esta) Indergand and Mrs. Frank (Elda) Hartwig, both of Monroe.

Preceding him in death were his wife on Aug. 24, 1979, two sons, Waldo and Glenn; a grandson, three brothers, Albert, Raymond and Carl, and two sisters, Mrs. Ed Gempeler and Mrs. Charles Marty.

Mr. Rufer was a confirmed member of the Washington Reformation Church.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am. Saturday, Oct. 8, in the Washington Reformation Church, the Rev. Steve Pedersen officiating. Burial will be in the adjoining church cemetery.

Friends may call at the Stuessy mineral Home from 4 to 9 pm. Friday, Oct. 8, and at the church after 9 am. Saturday.