John C. Schuler Feb. 15, 1892 – Sept. 1930

FINAL RITES FOR JOHN C. SCHULER

Large Assemblage Present at Funeral Services For Prominent Farmer of Washington Twp.

Funeral services for John C. Schuler, 39, prominent Washington township farmer, who passed away in the Methodist hospital at Madison Friday morning from heart trouble following a major operation to which he had submitted over three weeks previous, were held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon in the home and at 2 o'clock in the Reformed church.

The services were conducted by Rev. A. Muehlmeier and interment was in Highland cemetery. A large assemblage of relatives and friends gathered to pay their last respects to the deceased and the church was crowded to overflowing.

The news of Mr. Schuler's death spread a pall of gloom over the entire community in which he was highly regarded. He was a man of robust health and unlimited strength and his unexpected passing consequently struck with shocking suddenness. Mr. Schuler's condition had been serious for several days, but his ultimate recovery was anticipated. He had survived his operation well, but gradual weakening of the heart resulted in his demise.

Born on the Schuler homestead farm in Washington township Feb. 15, 1892, Mr. Schuler was the son of Mr, and Mrs. John Schuler, Practically his entire life was spent at his native home. In the early, days of his youth, Mr. Schuler received his education in the rural schools of the vicinity. He was confirmed in the Reformed church by Rev. C. T. Heyl on May 24, 1907.

Mr. Schuler was united in marriage to Miss Edna Zimmerman, also of Washington township, in Monticello Dec. 17, 1914. To this union was born five children—three daughters and two son.

With the untimely death of Mr. Schuler, the local community has lost a man who was not only a fine citizen, but a true friend and neighbor as well. He was known as an industrious farmer and the efficient manner in which he conducted his farm stamped him as one of the most successful farmers in the community. Above all, he wa a faithful husband and father and one of his greatest joys in life was that of providing for the comfort of those near and dear to him.

Besides the widow, Mr. Schuler is survived by five children, Helen, Evelyn, Paul, Inez, and Bobbie; and one brother, F. William Schuler, Madison.