

## **Ralph E. Voegeli**

**June 6, 1929 – August 27, 1966**

Two persons were killed in a two - car head-on collision at 8:35 p.m. Saturday on County Trunk C, three and one half miles east of Monticello.

Injured fatally were Marvin J. Marty, 30, Route 1, Monticello, and Ralph E. Voegeli, 37, Route 1, Albany.

Both died immediately in the crash which occurred at the crest of a hill, reported Deputy Coroner T. J. Burgy. He said both sustained broken necks in the collision. The two drivers were alone in their cars when the accident occurred, the deputy coroner reported.

Mr. Marty was reportedly en route to Blanchardville to visit his fiance, Miss Linda Willborn.

Their deaths, ruled accidental, raised the traffic fatality total in Green County to nine.

Mr. Voegeli was born in Adams Township, Green County, June 6, 1929, and had been living on the George Lange farm, Brooklyn Township, north of Albany. He was the son of Herman and Marie Grossen Voegeli and attended Prairie View School. On Sept., 12, 1947, he was married in Zwingli Church, Monticello, to Inez Nyberg. They had always farmed in the Monticello - Albany areas.

Surviving are his widow; three sons, Eugene 18, Roy 15, and Gerald 6, and three daughters, Gloria 17, Karen 12, and Sharon 10, all at home and all enrolled in the Albany school system; his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Voegeli, Monticello, and two sisters, Mrs. LaVern (Betty) Wahl, Monticello, and Mrs. Donald (Beverly) Ostby, Monroe.

His mother. died Oct. 6, 1961 and a sister, Helen, died in infancy in 1934.

Funeral services for Mr. Voegeli will be at 2 p. m. Wednesday in Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, where he was a member. Rev. J. Allan Mittler, church pastor, is to officiate, with burial in Highland Cemetery, Monticello.

Friends may call at the Voegeli Funeral Home, Monticello, after 2 p. m. tomorrow.