

Mathias H. (Matt) Blumer
Sept. 20, 1881 - October 20, 1971

Rites Held Saturday For Matt Blumer, 90

Funeral services for Mathias H. (Matt) Blumer, 90 years of age, a native of Switzerland and former Green county resident, who died on Wednesday of last week at the Beloit Convalescent Center of old age complications, were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Stuessy Funeral Home, Monroe.

The Rev. W. C. Koehler, pastor of St. John's United Church of Christ, Monroe, officiated, and burial was in Greenwood cemetery.

A native of Switzerland, he was born Sept. 20, 1881, a son of Hilarius and Rose Marie Marty Blumer. At the age of two years he accompanied his family to America, settling in the New Glarus area. He attended rural schools. On March 27, 1909, he was united in marriage in Monticello to Anna Marie Junger, also a native of Switzerland. She died March 16, 1965.

After their marriage the couple farmed for a period of years before moving to Monroe, where Mr. Blumer was employed at Lanz Hardware and at the old Municipal Light plant there. He had been employed at the Beloit Corp. for 37 years prior to retiring in January, 1956.

Mr. Blumer is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Henry Krueger, Monticello, and Mrs. P. J. Kubly, Monroe.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister, all of Albany: Joe, 1968; Henry, in 1961; Jacob J., 1960, and Mrs. Matt Babler in 1967.