

Leonhard Marty

March 18, 1862 – February 17, 1943

L. Marty, Esteemed Local Man, Passes On, Services Friday Sudden Death Claims Life Of Swiss Native at 80 Years

Leonhard Marty, 80 years of age, well known and highly esteemed resident of Monticello for the past 25 years, passed away suddenly and unexpectedly at 6:30 yesterday (Wednesday) morning at his home on South Main street.

While Mr Marty's health had been somewhat impaired the past several years, his condition this winter had been about the same as usual. On Monday, less than two days before his death, he had been a visitor in the business section of the village and at that time he appeared in his usual good spirits,

Native of Switzerland

Leonhard Marty was a native of Switzerland, having been born in Canton Glarus March 18, 1862, the son of Matthew and Anna Hammerli Marty. He received his education in his native land and on Feb. 5, 1883, he was united in marriage to Anna Babler. The same year they came to America, settling in Juneau county, Wisconsin. The following year, 1885, they came to Green county and farmed for 11 years. In 1895 they moved to a farm in Perry township, Dane county. They made their home on this farm until 1918, when they came to Monticello to reside. They had since made their home here.

Mr. Marty was a member of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church.

Surviving are four sons, Leonard and Jacob, Verona, Matthew, Mt. Horeb, and Fred, at home; three daughters, Mrs. David Brink and Mrs. Carl Bringold, Verona, and Mrs. Gaylord Owen, Madison; one sister, Mrs. H. Hammerli, Monticello; three brothers in Switzerland; 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife in 1932, one daughter, four sisters and two brothers

Funeral Services Friday

Funeral services will be held at 2 Friday afternoon in the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church. Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, will officiate, and burial will be in Highland cemetery. The body was taken from the Voegeli funeral home to the Marty residence this (Thursday) morning, where it will remain until Friday noon, at which time it will be removed to the church to lie in state until the services at 2 o'clock,