Clifford Pederson

March 11, 1917 - Nov. 16, 1985

Clifford Marvin Pederson, 68, Monticello, died Saturday, Nov. 16, 1985, at his residence in Mount Pleasant township from an apparent heart attack.

He was born March 11, 1917, in Iowa County, the son of Seymour and Hilda (Peterson) Pederson. He attended the Clay Hill Rural School in Iowa County. His marriage to Arlene J. Hendrickson took place Aug. 29, 1942, in the Argyle Lutheran Church parsonage.

He farmed in Lafayette County for 12 years and then moved to Scales Mounds, Ill., where he was employed in a mine for two years. The couple moved to Monroe in 1955 and he was employed at the Green County Highway Shop for more than four years. They farmed at the Marty Homestead farm in Mount Pleasant Township since 1963.

Surviving are his wife, Arlene; a son, Steve Pederson, Monticello; two brothers, Lester C. Pederson, Monroe, and Myron, Blanchardville; three sisters, Mrs. Arthur J. (Mildred) Olson, Monticello, Mrs. Jerome (Norma) Kammerude, Blanchardville, and Mrs. Mabel C. Derendinger, Monroe; and one grandson.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a son, Marvin, on Jan. 6, 1969, while on military duty in Vietnam; two sisters, Mrs. Sylvia Anderson and another in infancy, and three brothers, Norman, Morrie and Herbert.

Mr. Pederson was a member of the Washington Reformation United Church of Christ, rural Monticello.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Newcomer Funeral Home, Monroe. The Rev. Daniel J. Herman, pastor of the Washington Reformation Church and the Rev. Brian Wingenroth of the New -Glarus Baptist Bible Church officiated. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Monroe.

Pallbearers were Wilfred Meier, New Glarus, Nathan Marty, Curt Moyer and Jim Marty, Monticello, and Clarence Moyer and Henry J. Marty, Monroe.

Voegeli Funeral Service, Monticello, was in charge of arrangements.