

Traugott Senn

July 20, 1884 – September 27, 1962

Traugott Senn, Age 78, Retired Painter, Succumbs Thursday

Funeral services for Traugott Senn, 78 years of age, native of Switzerland and resident of Monticello for many years, who died at 9:05 a. m. Thursday in the St. Clare hospital after a lingering illness were held at 1:30 Sunday afternoon at the Voegeli funeral home.

The Rev. J. Allan Mittler, pastor of the Zwingli United Church of Christ, officiated, and burial was in Highland cemetery. Pallbearers were Henry J. Elmer, Jacob Krieg, John Streiff, Jr., Ernest Schuerch, Ted Zurbuchen, and Louis Wyss.

Mr. Senn entered the hospital Aug, 26.

He was born in St. Gallen, Switzerland, July 20, 1884, the son of Johannes and Maria Tischhauser Senn. He learned the painting and decorating trade in Switzerland, at which he became a proficient craftsman. On April 2, 1909, he was married to Emma Gubler. They came to the United States in 1914 and had always resided in Monticello. He followed the painting and decorating trade in this community until retiring in 1952.

He is survived by one brother and five sisters in Switzerland. His only relative in this country is a nephew, John Gaident, Wrightwood, Calif.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1954 and a son, Traugott, Jr., in 1937.