## **ERWIN SPRING**

## Oct. 23, 1911 -July 16, 1977

Erwin Spring, 65, Rt. 2, Monroe, died in St. Clare Hospital Saturday, July 16, 1977, after a long illness. He was a former salesman for the Green-Rock Farm Service Co-op in Monroe. Prior to employment at the Farm Service, he had been with the Monroe Construction Co., and had been a cabinet maker for the construction firm operated by Wendall Simmons, now of Clearwater, Fla. He had also worked in the Magdal Jewelry store.

The son of Alfred and Elisa Lehnherr Spring, he was born in Blanchardville on Oct. 23, 1911. He attended Monticello schools and was married to Edna Haldiman on July 24, 1947, in the Little Brown Church in the Vale, Nashua, Iowa. He lived his entire life in the Monticello-Monroe area.

He is survived by his wife, Edna; and two brothers, Ernest A., Madison; and Henry, Monticello.

He was a veteran of World War II serving overseas in Northern France and the Aleutian Islands. He received the Victory Medal, European-Africa-Middle East Theatre ribbon with bronze battle star, five overseas service bars and the Good Conduct Medal.

He was a member of the American Legion Zilmer-Riley Post, past master of the Monticello Masonic Lodge and a member of the Masonic Chapter of Monroe. He was a former member of the Kiwanis Club.

Mr. Spring was a member of the United Methodist Church of Monroe where funeral services were held on Tuesday, July 19. His pastor, Rev. John Francis, officiated and interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.