

Edna Zum Brunnen
1892 – November 9, 1961

Mrs. Zum Brunnen, Former Area Rural Teacher, Succumbs

Funeral services for Mrs. Edna Zum Brunnen, 69 years of age, Spooner, a former well known Green county rural school teacher, who died Thursday night at Spooner, were held there at 2 p. m. Monday.

Burial was in Spooner.

Mrs. Zum Brunnen, who had moved to Spooner 18 months ago, where her son, Robert, is Washburn county district attorney, had suffered a heart attack a few days prior to her death and was hospitalized. Mrs. Zum Brunnen taught at the Loveland school, near her home, in Washington township, for 31 of her 40-plus years as a teacher.

Known as a strict disciplinarian with her pupils, she still became one of Green county's best loved teachers. She taught as many as three generations of some families.

Mrs. Zum Brunnen was the former Edna Spaeni, a native of Monroe. She was married in 1914 to Casper Zum Brunnen who died in 1942. In 1946 she was married to his brother, Gottlieb Zum Brunnen, He died in 1958.

Besides her son, Robert, she is survived by a daughter, Miss Margaret Zum Brunnen, Los Angeles, Calif, and two grandchilaren.