

Louisa Spring
March 6, 1866 – August 1938

Mrs. Louisa Spring Expires After Long Illness; Rites Held
Conduct Last Last Services for Respected Monticello Resident

Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Spring, 72 years of age, who passed away at 7 o'clock Monday morning in her home on South Main street, were conducted at 1:30 yesterday afternoon in her home and at 2 in the Monticello Zwingli Reformed church.

Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, church pastor, officiated. Interment was in Highland cemetery.

Suffered Stroke

Mrs. Spring first became ill last fall when she began to suffer heart attacks. On many occasions throughout the winter Mrs. Spring was seriously ill with her ailing heart. On Saturday morning she was the victim of a stroke which paralyzed her whole left side and left her in a serious condition until the end came Monday morning.

Native of Switzerland

Louisa Lehnherr was a native of Switzerland, having been born in Wimmis, Canton Bern, March 6, 1866, the daughter of Gottlieb and Susanna Berger Lehnherr. In 1891 she came to America, settling in Green county. The same year she was united in marriage to Fred Spring, the ceremony taking place Dec. 10 in New York City. The couple resided in cheese factories in this county and later followed the vocation of farming in Mt. Pleasant township. Her husband passed away in 1914, the victim of a heart attack. In 1920 Mrs. Spring moved to Monticello, where she had continued to reside.

End Comes as Shock

Many of Mrs. Spring's friends were not aware of the serious nature of her fatal illness and the news of her sudden and unexpected death came as a severe shock. Through her many years of residence in Monticello and vicinity she acquired a large number of friends and acquaintances. Not only was she a devoted wife and mother but an ideal neighbor and friend as well.

Mrs. Spring was a member of the Monticello Zwingli Reformed church.

Survivors

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Frieda Wittwer, Monticello; three sons, William, Mt. Pleasant township, Alfred, Milwaukee, and Fred, Nashotah, Wis.; one sister, Mrs. Alfred Spring, Mt. Pleasant township.