

LeRoy Wiese

LeRoy Wiese, 90, of Montour died at his home Thursday, Feb. 1.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the chapel of the Mason-Hand Funeral Home, Tama, with the Rev. Janice R. Burnett, pastor of the Living Faith United Methodist Church of Montour, officiating. Burial was in Maple Hill Cemetery, Montour.

The son of Fred and Goldie Ray Wiese, he was born April 12, 1905, in rural Montour. In 1907 the family moved to South Dakota, bought a farm and homesteaded for five years. In 1912, the family returned to a farm north of Montour.

He completed his schooling in the rural Montour schools, then was employed by the Light Co. in Toledo for a year.

On Aug. 17, 1925, he was married to Lucile M. McCoy in Tama. They lived in Montour where Mr. Wiese worked in road construction and later operated a Caterpillar for Tama County. He was employed by the county for 42 years and retired at the age of 65. He then was elected to two terms as a member of the Tama County Board of Supervisors.

He was a past member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the Montour School Board and the Montour City Council.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mildred Zechlin of Upland, Calif., and Marilyn Campbell of rural Tama; six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by an infant son, Harold LeRoy; his parents; one brother, Charlie; and two sisters, Mary and Florence.