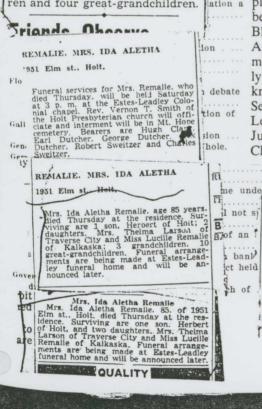
## Life-Long Resident Claud L. Strickland Dies After Illness

Claud L. Strickland, 80, a retired rural mail carrier and lifelong resident of this area, died at the home of his son, Gerald, at 514 Johnson Street, Charlotte, Sunday morning.

Mr. Strickland was born Sept. 9, 1876 in Chester township, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strickland. He lived at 622 E. Henry street and was a resident of this area for his entire life.

He married the former Hattie Seabolt on Christmas day, 1899. She passed away April 15, 1953. Mr. Strickland was a member of the Modern Woodmen.

He is survived by 2 sons; Gerald of Charlotte and Fay of Hillsdale; and a daughter, Mrs. James (Bethel) Wolcott of Battle Creek, a brother, Lorin, of Charlotte and a half-brother, Louis, of Lansing. He also leaves seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



In Memoriam

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Three Motor Wheel employes, one of whom was retired, died in recent weeks. They were Jesse E. Tischer of the Automotive Division powerhouse; Carl F. "Chuck" Blankenburg of the Appliance Division plumbing department, and Fritz S. Young who worked in the Plant No. 2 canteen at the time of his retirement four years ago.

Mr. Tischer, 57, had worked at Motor Wheel since February 22,



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1927. He was wellknown and respected by Plant No. 1 and Plant No. 2 employes. Services were held at the Gorsline-Runciman funeral home with the Elder Parry Mair of the Reorganized Church of Jesus

Mr. Tischer

Christ, Latter Day Saints officiating. Burial was at Lakeside Cemetery, Lake Odessa.

Mr. Blankenburg, 61, had been employed at Motor Wheel since December 11, 1928. For some time Mr. Blankenburg was a supervisor in the Appliance Division plumbing department. Although his first name actually was Carl, Mr. Blankenburg was known to many employes as "Chuck." Services were held from the Estes-Leadley funeral home with the Rev. Julius Fischbach of the First Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in

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he unde LAKE ODESSA — Stephen A. Aldrich, 80, retired farm implement salesman, died Thursday at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. Lovell Dewey of Hickery Corners, where he had lived since last fall. Services will be held at 1:30 Monday in the Pickens funeral home. Burial in Eastc emetery, Hickery Corners. MANC 37