

Mrs. John Strackbein Dies

Mrs. John Strackbein, 56, died at her home southwest of Wheatland, Sunday morning, Dec. 12, at 11 o'clock, following an illness of several months.

Louisa Riedesel was born July 17, 1881, in Germany, came with her parents to America in 1903 and has been a resident of this community since that time.

She was united in marriage to John Strackbein on December 5, 1905, and was a member of St. Pauls Evangelical and Reformed church of this place, taking an active part in all church affairs while her health permitted.

Surviving are her husband and four children: Mrs. Lillian Riedesel, Eric and Ruth at home, and Mrs. Theo. J. Schneider of near Wheatland; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Strackbein and Mrs. Albert Strackbein of near Big Rock, and Mrs. George Kroh of near Wheatland; four brothers, Gustav Riedesel of Tipton, and Louis Fred and Adolph Riedesel of Blue Grass.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 1:30 at the home and at 2 o'clock in St. Pauls church, conducted by Rev. A. C. Fischer. Burial will be made in St. Pauls cemetery.

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Louise was born in the village of Wunderthausen, Germany. She was one of three sisters to marry a Strackbein.

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