Clyde Laverty, 72 Dies Thursday

Clyde Laverty, 72, of 520 Warren Ave., Charlotte, died at 8:30 a.m. Thursday at Hayes-Green-Beach hospital where he had been a patient for $2\frac{1}{2}$ weeks.

Mr. Laverty was born April 10, 1890 in Potterville, the son of Wheaton and Myrtle (Taggart) Laverty. He had been a resident of Eaton county his entire life and of Charlotte for the past 28 years. Mr. Laverty was a retired thresher and carpenter. He was married December 22, 1915, in Lansing to Daha VanAnde. He was a member of the Charlotte Oddfellow lodge.

Surviving are the wife; three daughters, Mrs. Russell (Myrtle) Sparks, Frankfort, Indiana, Mrs. Stanley (Irma) Newman, Vermontville and Mrs. Howard (Ruth) Saums, Charlotte; a son, Edgar, Charlotte; three brothers, Ralph, Charlotte, Ray, Potterville and Roy Welch, Eaton township; ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the Pray Funeral Home. Burial was in Potterville cemetery.

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Retired Pilgrim Holiness Minister Dies Here Monday 1.20

Funeral services for the Rev. William H. Joppie, 79, of Nashville, who died at 1:47 p.m. Monday at Pennock hospital, will be held at 1 p.m. Friday at the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Nashville.

The Rev. M. L. Godman of Owosso is to officiate assisted by the Rev. Joseph E. Shaw and the Rev. Allen Cobb, both of Nashville. Burial will be in the Sunfield cemetery.

Rev. Joppie was the pastor of churches at Ellsworth, Ovid, Hastings, Salem and Applegate before going to McKeesport, Pa., where he served as District Superintendent for the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Conference of the Pilgrim Holiness Church for four years.

He returned to Michigan and served three and one-half years with the Michigan Conference of Pilgrim Holiness Churches. For 10 years he was chairman of the Owosso College Board and for more than 40 years was a member of the General Board of Pilgrim Holiness Churches with headquarters in Indianapolis, Ind.

Rev. Joppie retired in 1950 and lived in Sunfield until moving to Nashville five years ago.

He was born in the Netherlands on Oct. 1, 1883, and went to Grand Rapids with his parents, William and Josephine (Vanderjagt) Joppie when he was six months old. He was married to Hester Graham in Nashville on July 12, 1910.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three sons, the Rev. Alton S. Joppie of Monroe, H. Marshal Joppie of Muskegon and Maurice W. Joppie of Lansing; six grandchildren; six great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Henry (Lena) Gearhart of Nashville, Mrs. Lawrence (Alice) Surine of Lansing and Mrs. Guy (Nellie) Dull of Battle Creek, and four brothers, Martin of Nashville, Dennis and Leonard of Sunfield and Henry of Charlotte.

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