

Charles L. Pease, Sr.

June 14, 1855 – May 29, 1947

**Charles Pease, Sr., Aged 91, Succumbs In Green Bay Home
Former Monticello Man is Called Thursday; Rites Held Monday**

Charles L. Pease, 91 years of age, formerly of Monticello, who would have observed his 92nd birthday June 14, passed away Thursday at the Odd Fellows home, Green Bay, from the effects of old age complications.

Mr. Pease had made his home in Green Bay since leaving Monticello a number of years ago.

Charles L. Pease was born in Bridgewater, Mass., June 14, 1855. In April, 1879, he was united in marriage to Cora Mae Chawgo, the ceremony taking place in Winslow, Ill., where Mr. and Mrs. Pease made their home until moving to Monticello in 1900. For some time he served as foreman of the section crew of the Illinois Central railroad while in Monticello.

Mr. Pease was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge. A frequent visitor in Monticello until recent years when his advanced age prevented him from traveling a great deal, Mr. Pease had a large number of old friends here and news of his passing was received with sincere regret.

Surviving are two sons, L. R. Monticello, and Charles, Brodhead; one daughter, Mrs. Henry J. Elmer Monticello; and 11 grandchildren.

Mr. Pease was preceded in death by his wife in 1903 and one daughter, Vera, in 1941.

Funeral Held Monday

The body arrived in Brodhead Monday noon and graveside services were held at 2:30 in Rock Lilly cemetery, Winslow, Ill. The Rev. A. R. Achtemeier, pastor of the Zwingli Evangelical and Reformed church, Monticello, officiated. Services were in charge of the Voegeli funeral home.