

JUNE 4, 1964

**Memorial Service
For Alice Rath
Held Wednesday**

Charles

Memorial services for Mrs. Charles Rath were conducted at the Steffy Funeral Home at 2 p.m. June 3 by the Rev. Frank Jacobs. Miss Alice Underwood played the organ selections.

Interment was in Jackson township cemetery. Casket bearers were Adrian Sams, Ed Fisher, Phillip VanCleave, Joe Alexander, Harold Bushong and Hugh McMeekin.

Alice May, daughter of Virginia and Ira Bachman, was born in Greencastle,

Mo., Dec. 17, 1888, and died May 31 at 75 years of age.

She grew to womanhood in Missouri, where she attended rural school.

On Jan. 28, 1907, she was united in marriage with Charles Rath, and to this union, 10 children were born.

They homesteaded in Colorado for several years, then came to Iowa in 1918, where they have since resided.

She is survived by her husband; three sons, Robert, Long Beach, Calif.; Claude, Williamsburg, and William, Montezuma; five daughters, Mabel Catherman, Oakland, Calif.; Hazel Talbot, Thousand Oaks, Calif.; Edith Niwald, Fort Dodge; Ada Catherman, Oskaloosa, and Alice Daub, Marion; also 22 grandchildren and 17 great grand

children; two sisters and five brothers, other relatives and many friends.