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**MANUEL COSTA**

Manuel Costa, of 363 Dighton Ave., a self-employed farmer, died Wednesday night at Morton Hospital following a long illness. He was 86 years old.

The husband of Lucy (Netto) Costa, he was born in Infias, Portugal, a son of the late Antonio and Rose (Fonseca) Costa.

He came to the United States in 1920. A self-employed farmer all his life, he was a communicant of St. Joseph's Church, North Dighton. He was a member of the Portugal Continental Union Court Real Lodge Seven.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three sons, Horace, Edward and Albert Costa, all of Taunton; a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Roessing of Taunton; 12 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.