## M. L. Rodrigues-Lima, 77

Manuel L. Rodrigues-Lima, 77, of 137 Reynolds St., New Bedford, died yesterday at St. Luke's Hospital after a brief illness. He was the widower of Rosalina (Souza) Rodrigues-Lima.

He was born in St. Michael, Azores, and lived in New Bedford for 12 years. He was a communicant of the Imnd maculate Conception Church and was employed by the Gilt-edge Manufacturing Co. as a maintenance man until his retirement.

retirement. 511919 He is survived by three daughters, Mary Silva, Cecilia Oliveira and Teresinha Santos, all of New Bedford; four sons, Manuel G. Lima of San Paulo, Brazil, Antonio J. Lima of New Bedford and Jose C. Lima of Victoria, British Columbia, and Gilberto Lima of Winthrop; two sisters and a brother, all of Portugal; 18 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Silva-Carrier Funeral Home, 287 Sawyer St.,

New Bedford.