ELLSWORTHW. BIRD HACKETTSTOWN Ellsworth W. Bird of Reservoir Road died Feb. 20 at Morristown Memorial Hospital after a long illness. He was 71. Born Feb. 3, 1903 in Hackettstown, Mr. Bird was a son of the late William and Nellie Bird. He was a truck driver for many years for Williams and Hibler here before his retirement in 1960. An Air Force veteran of World War II, he was a member of Blue Ridge Post 164, American Legion, and also belonged to the Hackettstown Moose Lodge. Services were conducted Saturday morning at Cochran Funeral Home by the Rev. J.H. of the First Criswell Presbyterian Church. Interment was in Union Cemetery.
Survivors are a son, Ellsworth Hing, Budd Lake; a stepson, William White, Hackettstown; two daughters, Mrs. Geraldine Music of Newark and Mrs. Romano Bednarek of Dover; three brothers, William, Howard and Floyd, all of Hackettstown; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Crawn and Mrs. Alberta Batson, both of

Hackettstown; and eight grandchildren.

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OBITUARY: Ellsworth Bird Date of Death, February 29, 1974