

## **Burley, William**

William R. Burley, 91, of Ypsilanti and formerly of Sebewaing, died early Monday morning, August 25, 2003, at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility in Caro following a lengthy illness. He was born July 6, 1912 in Detroit, son of the late Delbert and Mary (Ryndress) Burley. He was united in marriage to Theda B. Fantham on December 31, 1936 in St. Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario. Bill had owned and operated grocery stores in Owosso and Tecumseh and also the Dairy Queen in Caseville from 1956 to 1974. He also was a meat cutter at Luke's Market in Sebewaing from 1957 until his retirement in 1979. He is survived by his wife, Theda; three sons and two daughters, Clayton Burley and his wife, Gloria, of Vassar, Beverly Reilich and her husband, Donald, of Ubyly, Pat O'Connor and her husband, Gary, of Caro, Wilbert Burley and his wife, Geraldine, of Plymouth, Edward Burley and his wife, Dana, of Ypsilanti; 18 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Betty Doggrell and her husband, Noel, of Scarborough, Ontario; one brother, Fulton Burley and his wife, Terry, of Studio City, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two sisters and five brothers, Autta Craddock, Mary Martin, Al, Ned, Clayton, Jack and Orrie Burley. The funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, August 27, 2003, at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. Burial will take place in the Sebewaing Assembly of God Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. until the time of service on Wednesday at the funeral home.