

Higdon, Russell

Russell R. Higdon, 69, of Caseville died Saturday, May 13, 2000, at his home following a long illness. He was born Nov. 26, 1930, in Des Moines, Iowa, to the late James and Sadie (Reese) Higdon. He married Vivian Townley in Montreal, Canada. She preceded him in death in 1995. Mr. Higdon served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. After the service, he moved to California, where he worked as an auto mechanic. He retired in 1980 for health reasons. Several years ago, he moved to Caseville to be near two of his children and his grandchildren. He is survived by three sons, James Higdon of California, Ronald Higdon and his wife, Janet, of Caseville and Frederick Higdon and his wife, Nanette, of Bay Port; 10 grandchildren; two brothers, Ronald Higdon and his wife, Amilia, of San Diego, Calif., and Larry Higdon of Ridgecrest, Calif. A funeral service will be conducted at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 18, 2000, at the Champagne Funeral Chapel in Caseville. Visitation is from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday. Memorials may be made to the family.