

Mayhew, Veronica H.

Veronica Helen Mayhew, 88, of Port Richey, Fla., formerly of Pinnebog, died Sunday, April 4, 2010 in Florida.

Veronica was born Aug. 18, 1921 in Caseville to the late Peter and Elizabeth (Ahearn) Leneway. She moved to the city after school, where she married Russell Mayhew on April 2, 1943. He preceded her in death April 27, 1995.

During her married years they lived in Ann Arbor and Taylor before moving to Florida in 2001. In World War II she worked as a "Rosie the Riveter" at the Willow Run factory.

Throughout her long career in the restaurant business she worked at the Cozy Grill in Niles, Weber Supper Club in Ann Arbor and she retired from the Chamberton in Dearborn. She was a member of St. James Catholic Church in Florida and St. Felix Catholic Church in Pinnebog. She enjoyed playing cards and visiting with her family.

She is survived by her brother Edward Leneway of Bad Axe and sister Rita Krueger of Bad Axe; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her sisters, Marion Smith, Bernice Hebert, Margurite Leneway, and Kathleen Horton; and brothers Joseph, Frank, Wilbur, Donald and John Leneway.

A funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. Friday April 9, 2010 at St. Felix Catholic Church, Pinnebog, with The Rev. Fr. Robert Pare presiding. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Visitation will be 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Knoblock Funeral Home in Kinde and one hour prior to the mass on Friday at the church. There will be a rosary at 7 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.