Marquardt, Irwin

Irwin Walter Marquardt, 91, of Petoskey, formerly of Bad Axe, died on January 5, 2003 at his home. He was born on June 18, 1911 to the late Fred and Albertina Marquardt in Port Hope. Irwin married Elinore Nugent on July 5, 1937. He graduated from Ingram Country School. He taught at Lawitzki Country School from 1931 to 1939. From 1939 to 1974, he was employed at Detroit Edison. Irwin was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. He was an Edison Club president, Lutheran Church president, and served as secretary and treasurer for the Chamber of Commerce. He was the president of the Lion's Club, from which he received a 50-year Lion's pin. He served as Justice of the Peace at Verona Township from 1942 to 1947. He was a member of the Florida's Citrus Mountain Civic Association for 26 years. For the past three years, Irwin resided with his wife at Independence Village in Petoskey. He is survived by his children, Trudy Marquardt, of Santa Rosa, Calif., Marla Iacaboni, of Leminster, Mass., Julie Rogers and her husband, Philip, of Muskegon, and Randy Marguardt and his wife, Joyce, of Harbor Springs; grandchildren, Jim Rogers and his wife, Martha, Andrew Rogers and his wife, Jacquie, Dale Rogers and his wife, Michelle, Frankie and Monique Iacaboni and Anthony lacaboni, Alan and Robert Barreca, Paul, John, Kari Marquardt and Lacy and Peter Tippett; great-grandchildren, John, Kate, Austin, Alyssa, Irwin, Reagan, Carter and Jackson Rogers, Isabella, Alessandra and Anina Iacaboni and Peter Tippett; sisters, Leona Hind, Alma Dickinson. He was preceded in death by Martha, Fred, Ed. Bill and Otto. Arrangements are being handled by MacAlpine Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 9, 2002, at Our Saviors Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight and from 1 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in Colfax Cemetery.