Fritz, Lyle W.

Lyle W. Fritz, 78, of Sebewaing, died Friday evening, March 21, 2008 at Bay Regional Medical Center in Bay City following a lengthy illness.

He was born May 24, 1929 in Owendale, son of the late William and Olga (Bittner) Fritz. He married Doris E. Holzworth July 29, 1949 in Unionville.

Lyle had been employed with the Sebewaing Light and Water Department for 27 years before retiring in 1975.

He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Sebewaing, had served on the Sebewaing Light and Water Department for 27 years before retiring in 1975. He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Sebewaing, had served on the Sebewaing Fire Department, and was a member of the Sebewaing Sportsmen's Club. Surviving beside his wife, Doris, are one son and daughter-in-law, James and Amy Fritz of West Branch; five grandchildren; one step-grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one son, Daniel Fritz; and one brother, LaVern Fritz. Funeral service will take place at 3 p.m. Tuesday, March 25, 2008 at Immanuel Lutheran Church. The Rev. Michael Boyer will officiate with burial in Silverlawn Cemetery.

Visitation will be from noon to 9 p.m. Monday, and from 9 a.m. to noon Tuesday at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. He will lie in state at the church from 1:30 p.m. until the time of service Tuesday.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.