

## **Menzel, Alma**

Alma M. Menzel, 94, of Bay Port passed away on Monday, March 12, 2001, at Tendercare of Cass City. She was born on May 2, 1906, in Sebewaing to the late August and Ida (Martin) Priebe. She was united in marriage to Fred F. Menzel at the New Salem Lutheran Church in Sebewaing on July 6, 1924. He preceded her in death in 1978. Mrs. Menzel was a homemaker throughout her lifetime and farmed with her late husband. She was a member of the St. John Lutheran Church in Kilmanagh. She is survived by her daughter, Ella Griem and her husband, Floyd, of Port Austin; 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Arthur Priebe and his wife, Mildred, of Pigeon; two daughters-in-law, Pearl Menzel of Mayville and Vera Menzel of Bay Port; several nieces and nephews; and many cousins in Germany. She was preceded in death by three sons, Arnold, Raymond and Richard Priebe; a grandson, Richard Maxwell; a son-in-law, Howard Maxwell; a brother, Karl Priebe; and two sisters-in-law, Olga Menzel and Laura Priebe. The Funeral Service will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 15, 2001, at the St. John Lutheran Church in Kilmanagh with the Rev. David Lukefahr, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery in Sebewaing. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday and from 1 to 9 p.m. at the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, A Golden Rule Funeral Home in Pigeon, and from 10 a.m. until the time of services at the church. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.