

VIRGINIA E. BOLANDER

1908 - 1986

Virginia E. Bolander, age 78, of Lapeer, former local resident, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 19 at Bradenton, Fla.

She was born in Caseville, daughter of Wilfred and Katherine (Fisher) Wightman and lived in the Pigeon area, Caseville, Lapeer and Bradenton, Fla.

She was a nurse for 40 years, working at Pontiac State Hospital, Lapeer City Hospital and Lapeer County General Hospital and also worked for Drs. H.B. Zemmer, Clarke Dorland and James Doty. She was a member of the Lapeer County Farm Bureau, a charter member of the Lapeer County General Hospital Auxiliary and other organizations.

Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law; two grandchildren; several stepchildren; six step-grandchildren; two step-great-grandchildren; three brothers, Newell of Pigeon, Edward of Brooksville, Fla. and Bradley of Roscommon.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Jake Hoffman in 1970 and her second husband, Clarence Bolander in 1984 and two brothers, Lloyd and Lewis Wightman.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Feb. 22 from the Muir Bros. Funeral Home, Lapeer. Rev. Robert Fox and Rev. James Timmons officiated with burial in Stiles Cemetery.