Castor, Gertrude

Gertrude F. Castor, 87, of Sand Point, died Monday evening, December 8, 2003, at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility, Caro. She was born October 14, 1916 in Prescott at the home of her parents, the late William and Blanch (Weishuhn) Hanlon. She grew up in the Prescott area but traveled to Bay City to attend high school, graduating from Bay City Central in 1933. On April 30, 1938, she was united in marriage to Nicholas J. Castor at the First Baptist Church in Bay City. Mrs. Castor was an account representative at the Sears Credit Union for many years. After they retired in 1983, they moved to the place they had built on Sand Point. Mr. Castor preceded her in death on March 17, 1990. Surviving are her son, Robert and his wife, Linsay, of Franklin, Tennessee; two granddaughters, Nancy Buppert and her husband, William, of Nashville, Tennessee, and Jennifer Tiller and her husband, Rick, of Santa Monica, California; two great-grandchildren, Nathan and Olivia Buppert; sister, Merle Turnbull, of Albion. Preceding her in death was a son, James, her caregiver for many years, on October 26, 2003, thus forcing her to go to the care facility. There will be no visitation or funeral service at this time, a memorial service for her and Jim, may be scheduled for next summer. Friends and family may sign the guest book at www.CFCcaseville.com.