

MARTIN IRA THOMAS

1907 - 1993

Martin I. Thomas, 86 of Elkton, passed away Monday morning, Dec. 13 at the Huron County Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe.

He was born Aug. 14, 1907 in Arcadia Twp., Lapeer Co., at the home of his parents, the late John and Saddle (Hiller) Thomas.

He was united in marriage to Edythe Hazard in Bad Axe on June 29, 1929. She preceded him in death on July 31, 1993.

Mr. Thomas moved to Sheridan Twp. at age six. Shortly after their marriage, they moved to Flint, where he was employed at Buick for 21 years. In 1945 he moved to Elkton and was employed at Active Industries for 12 years and Pigeon Manufacturing for 10 years, retiring in 1969.

He was a member of the Elkton United Methodist Church, past member of the Elkton Senior Citizens, life member of Hubbard/Winsor Lodge #420 F.&A.M. and Order of the Eastern Star #431, Pigeon.

Surviving are his son, Charles (Marion) Thomas of Romeo; his daughter, Edythe (Gordon) Sturatt of Elkton; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Johnnie and Arthur Thomas.

Funeral services will be conducted on Wednesday, Dec. 15 at Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton. Rev. Sang Chun, pastor of the Elkton United Methodist Church, will officiate with burial in Collax Township Cemetery.

A Masonic Memorial Service will be conducted on Tuesday, Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. at the funeral home, where friends may call from 2 to 9 p.m. that day.