

IRVEN J. COOTE

1887 - 1984

Irven J. Coote, age 86, of 68 Wright Street, Elkton, passed away Saturday morning, May 5 at Huron Medical Care Facility.

He was born Sept. 25, 1897 in Huron County, son of the late Thomas and Rena (Hughes) Coote. Mr. Coote was united in marriage Feb. 18, 1931 to Mae Voelker at her home in Pigeon. He farmed in Chandler

Township until his retirement in 1968, when the couple moved to Elkton.

Mr. Coote was a member of the Elkton United Methodist Church, Elkton Senior Citizens, was past Sunday School Superintendent for the Chandler Methodist Church and sponsored programming on the Christian Gospel Radio, WMPC, over 15 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mae; one daughter, Mrs. Gloria Wheeler of Essexville, and one grandson, Jay. He was preceded in death by one daughter, Daisy Mae Tibbits; one son, Dale; one brother, Edwin, and one sister, Lula Gascho.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, May 8 at the Elkton United Methodist Church. Rev. Ronald Iris, pastor of Elkton United Methodist Church, and Rev. Robert Tibbits, pastor of Saginaw Wesleyan Church, officiated, with burial in Colfax Cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton.

