Morell, Arthur A.

Arthur "Art" A. Morell, 92, of Ubly, passed away Thursday, March 15, 2007, at Courtney Manor of Bad Axe. Art was born August 2, 1914 in Sanilac County's Austin Township to the late Isadore and Josephine (Osentoski) Morell. He married Pauline Fessler on January 5, 1963 in Caro. She preceded him in death on October 17, 2006. Art attended the Proctor Country School. He graduated from Ubly High School in 1932. He farmed for many years before working at Sargents Construction Company in Saginaw and then at Caro Michigan Sugar. He loved to play euchre with his family and friends, working in his garden and taking lots of crop tours. Art is survived by two daughters. Rose Ann Emming and her husband, Joe, of Ruth, and Janice Peyerk and her husband, Jim, of Cass City; two sons, Larry Morell and his wife, Cindy, of Ubly, and James Morell and his special friend, Michele Newbegin, of Ubly; four stepchildren, Jane Noto and her husband, Gerry, of Lachine, Linda Zittel and her husband, Gerald, of Vassar, Diane Kingsland, of Cass City, and Ted Robinson, Jr. and his special friend, Peggy Van Meter, of Fairgrove; 26 grandchildren; 54 great grandchildren; one great granddaughter; four sisters, Irene Guarnieri, of Oak Beach, Margaret Hey, of Bad Axe, Genevieve Gracey and her husband, Roland, of Bad Axe, and Bernice Witkowski and her husband, Stanley, of Saginaw; one brother, Floyd Morell, of Ubly; one sister-in-law, Ann Morell, of Ubly; and many nieces and nephews. Art was preceded in death by two brothers, John and Michael Morell: two sisters. Sophie Kubacki and Marie Morell: three brothers-inlaw, Robert Hey, Cass Kubacki, Fred Guarnieri; two grandsons, Jimmy Morell and Ray Emming; and one sister-in-law, Lorrine Morell. The funeral service will be at 6 p.m. on Saturday, March 17, 2007, at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Ubly. The Rev. Jan Dykshoorn, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Bad Axe, will officiate. Burial will be in the spring in St. John Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1:30 until the time of the service at 6 p.m. on Saturday in the funeral home.