

ELROY SAMUEL MOTZ

1892 - 1985

Elroy S. Motz, age 92, of 460 S. Elkton Road, Elkton, died Saturday, Aug. 10 at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon.

He was born Aug. 19, 1892 in Elkton, son of the late William E. and Franey (Weber) Motz. On March 22, 1916, he was united in marriage to Frankie Hutchinson in Elkton. She preceded him in death in April, 1943.

Mr. Motz lived and farmed in Oliver Township all his life until retiring in 1974. He also worked with the former Mayhew Funeral Home, Colgan Funeral Home and the Champagne Funeral Chapel for many years. He was a life-long member of the Elkton United Methodist Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Verla) Mosey, Port Austin and Mrs. Douglas (Minnie) Brakenberry, Bad Axe; five grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by one brother in 1932 and one grandson in 1965.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday, Aug. 12 from the Elkton United Methodist Church. Rev. James Crumm, pastor, officiated with interment in the Riverside Cemetery, Elkton.

Funeral arrangements were handled by Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton and Caseville.