

Louie Rock, 80

July 11, 1913 - Feb. 7, 1994

Shelby - Louie Rock was born in Shelby County July 11, 1913. He was the son of Julius and Wilhelmine Heesch Rock and was one of seven children in the family. He attended school, completing the eighth grade. He farmed with his father on the Rock farm, a mile east of Shelby, also raising livestock. After his father died, he and his brother, Herbert remained on the farm with their mother until she died in 1962. He and Herbert moved to Shelby where he resided and worked for "Bus" Mattox for a number of years. He became a resident of Colonial Manors Nursing Home in Avoca in Aug. of 1993. He died at Colonial Manors Nursing Home Feb. 7, 1994, at age 80 years, 6 months and 27 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers and sisters; Leona Petersen, Clara Holtz, John Rock, Elsie Juels and Herbert Rock. He is survived by a sister, Olga Krohn of Harlan; a brother-in-law, Herbert Holtz of Avoca; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 10, 1994 at the Knutson Funeral Chapel with Pastor Stan Nielsen officiating. Burial was in the Graceland cemetery in Avoca. Casket bearers were: Clarence Kiesel, Larry Rock, Richard Holtz, Robert Buck, Millard Chipman and Wayne Krohn. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.