

## Wallace J. Oldiges

Wallace J. Oldiges, 86, 146 S. Lincoln St., Minster, died Monday, Nov. 29, 2004 at Heritage Manor Nursing Center, Minster.

Mr. Oldiges was born Sept. 7, 1918 in Minster, the son of the late Albert and Nora Beckman Oldiges.

He married Martha Doak, July 16, 1939. She survives.

Other survivors include two daughters: Carol (Donald) Ruese of New Bremen and Rebecca (Pat) Martin of Piqua; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

A sister Doris Wissman of New Bremen and a brother Clarence of Boston, Mass, also survive.

Mr. Oldiges was a member of St. Augustine Church, Minster, and the Orphan Society of the church. He belonged to Minster Eagles, Minster American Legion, St. Marys VFW, Cataract Fire Company of Minster, and he was a retired member of the Minster Fire Department. He had a veteran's diploma from Minster High School, and was a veteran of the European theater in

### WWII.

He was the retired part-owner of Frank Morsey and Sons Eggs; and he was a retired Minster police officer of 27 1/2 years.

Rev. Louis Schmit will celebrate a Mass of Christian Burial, Dec. 2 at St. Augustine Church. Burial will follow at St. Augustine Cemetery with full military honors by the Minster Firing Squad.

Visitation will be Wednesday, 3 to 8 p.m. and Thursday 9 to 9:30 a.m. at Hogenkamp Funeral Home, Minster.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Minster Fire Department or the Minster Rescue Squad.