Beal, Ray Jr.

d. July 18, 1995

Ray Beal Jr., 85, of Mitchellville died of complications from a stroke Monday at Mitchell Village Care Center, where he had been a resident since 1992. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Maxwell Cemetery.

Mr. Beal was born in Maxwell and had lived in Collins before moving to Mitchellville. He was a retired fire chief with the Maxwell Volunteer Fire Department and a self-employed plumber.

Survivors include three sons, Fred of Michigan City, Mich., Richard of Collins and Ronald of Newton; two stepbrothers, Howard Longcor of Des Moines and Bill Longcor of Rock Springs, Wyo.; three stepsisters, Pauline Crane of Ames, and Dorothy Coughenour and Nadine Hennick, both of Maxwell; nine grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and four great-great grandchildren.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at Wallace-Pence Funeral Home in Newton. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.