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Mr. Lester Benhart, 56, of 851 Joyce Lane, Elgin, died Wednesday of a heart attack apparently the result of shoveling snow. Police said that Benhart came into his house about 9:20 pm and collapsed. He was taken to Sherman Hospital where he was pronounced dead on arrival. He was born September 29, 1917 in Schaumburg the son of the late Fred and Laura Minch Benhart. He married Florence Heinberg on October 6, 1945 in Bloomingdale. HE had lived in Elgin for 2 years. Benhart had been employed by Elgin Lumber and Supply Company for 20 years. He served in the Army in World War 2. Surviving are the widow; 1 so, Larry of Elgin, 3 brothers Clarence of Lombard, Walter of Tracey, California and Wilbert of Tarpon Springs, Florida; 1 sister of Mountain Home, Arkansas. He was preceded in death by his parents; 1 son Lester; 1 brother and 2 sisters. Rev. Beecken will officiate. Burial will be at St. Paul Cemetery, Bloomingdale.