

Malvern Erickson, 61

Walnut — Malvern Lyle Erickson, was born March 26, 1920 in Harlan, son of Floyd and Sadie Larson Erickson.

He married Sally Sievers on Nov. 24, 1946 in Walnut. They lived in Harlan until 1956 when they moved to Walnut. He was employed by Camblin Plumbing & Heating in Atlantic until Dec. 1, 1978 when he retired. He was a member of Peace United Church of Christ in Walnut and a member of the Amvets of which he was Past Commander. He was a WWII veteran and also served on the Walnut Town Council. He died Saturday, May 9, 1981 at age 61 years.

He was preceded in death by his mother and an infant son. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, Mrs Dan (Susan) Marku of St. Louis, Mo., his father, Floyd A. Erickson of Harlan; a sister, Mrs Dean (Darlene) Philson of Tampa, Fla., three brothers, Eldon of Harlan, Richard of Atlanta, Ga., and Ronald of Omaha, Neb.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 12, 1981 at the Peace United Church of Christ in Walnut, with Rev. Bruno Romanowski, officiating. Burial was in the Walnut cemetery with Cecil Blum, Donald Holtz, Russell Lehnhardt, Kenneth Blum, Harold Hansen and Harold Kuchel serving as pallbearers.