

## The Life Story of --

### PAUL H. GRULKE, 59

Paul Henry Grulke, son of Ernest F. and Selma Podaak Grulke, was born Dec. 7, 1914 in Atlantic. He died at his home in Harlan, Mar. 14, 1974 at age 59 years, 3 months, 7 days. He moved to Avoca, with his parents when he was 13 years old. He attended school and grew to adulthood in this community. On Mar. 7, 1942 he married Lavonne A. Mark in San Diego, Calif. Two children were born to this union. In Sept. of 1942 he became a member of the U.S. Army and served his country during W.W. II. After his discharge, Mr and Mrs Grulke moved to Omaha, Nebr. In 1945 they moved to Harlan and this has been their home since that time. He was a member of the First United Methodist church of Harlan. He was also a member of I.O.O.F. Lodge No. 267, Mt. Sinai Encampment No. 106, American Legion Helmer Reyelt Post No. 150, and the Harlan 8 Ball Aviation club, all of Harlan.

Surviving are his wife, Lavonne; his son - Wayne Grulke of Sioux City; his daughter - Gloria (Mrs William Squire) of Lincoln, Nebr.; and two granddaughters - Marla Dawn and Angela Jean Grulke; by his parents - Mr and Mrs Ernest Grulke of Avoca; his sister - Maurine (Mrs Wayne Atkinson) of Omaha, Nebr.; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Mar. 16, 1974 at the Pauley Home for Funerals in Harlan with Rev Larry LaVelle, pastor of the First United Methodist church, officiating. Odd Fellow services were conducted

at the funeral home by members of I.O.O.F. Lodge No. 267. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Clare O. Lyon, Robert Bertsch, Leonard Dinesen, Louis Jensen, Jr., Leonard Andersen, and William C. Campbell serving as pallbearers. Military rites at the graveside were by members of American Legion Helmer Reyelt Post No. 150.