

Eugene J. Muell, 58

Omaha, Neb. — Eugene Joseph Muell, son of John J. and Mamie U. Sullivan Muell, Jr., was born on Oct. 4, 1921, on a farm near Panama. He was baptized, received his First Communion and was confirmed at St. Mary's church in Panama. He attended school at St. Mary's school, Panama and grew to adulthood on the family farm. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy on Dec. 10, 1942 and served his country as a Seaman First Class in the South Pacific. He was honorably discharged on Dec. 8, 1945. After the war, he was employed at the Omaha stock yards and also as a truck driver for a gravel pit where he worked for many years.

Mrs Muell was a member of the V.F.W., Rudolph Deml Post No. 2704 in Omaha, Neb. He died at the V.A. hospital, Omaha, on Thursday, Oct. 2, 1980 at age 58 years, 11 months and 28 days.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Michael and John and two sisters, Anne Wagener and Helen Muell. Survivors include one brother, Charles of Azusa, Calif. and five sisters - Sister Lillian Muell of Atchison, Kans., Mary (Mrs Larry) Hough of Fremont, Neb., Genevieve (Mrs Philip) Rafferty of Chicago, Ill., Eleanor (Mrs Francis) Berscheit of Minnetonka, Minn., and Agnes (Mrs Darrell) Larsen of Harlan; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at St. Mary's church, Portsmouth, on Saturday, Oct. 4, 1980 with Rev. Vincent Rosonke of St. Mary's church, officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery, Portsmouth with Harold Muell, Robert Blum, Henry Arkfeld, Kenny Muell, John Mikels and Loren Weihs serving as pallbearers. Military rites were conducted at the cemetery by the John Ohlinger Post No. 547 American Legion of Portsmouth.