## August 1978 Schnuettgen, 90

DEFIANCE — Services for a Defiance man, August Schnuettgen Sr., 90, were Saturday in St. Peter's Catholic Church here with burial in St. Peter's Cemetery.

Mr Schnuettgen died Thursday (Sept. 7) in Crawford County Memorial Hospital, Denison. He was born and raised on a farm near Earling and after marriage, farmed near Buck Grove, when he moved to a farm near Defiance. He farmed until 1955, when he moved to Defiance.

Surviving are his wife, Mathilda of Defiance; four sons, Othmar of Dow City, August Jr. of Defiance, John of Omaha and Gene of Denison; six daughters, Delores (Mrs Norbert) Gross of Defiance, Mary Ella McCaffery of Manilla, Madonna Schmitz of Omaha, Marie (Mrs Keith) Ullrich of California and Rita (Mrs Merle) Langenfeld of Vail; a sister, Emma Gollobit of Manilla; 59 grandchildren and 45 great-grandchildren.