



John H. Scott, 64

Harlan — John Holman Scott, son of Blanche Hastings and John W. Scott was born Oct. 8, 1914 at Algona. He died Saturday, Nov. 25, 1978 at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan at age 64 years, one month and 17 days. He was raised in Spencer and graduated from Spencer high school in 1932.

John worked for Spencer Dry Cleaners and was a graduate of Hubbard Dry Cleaning School at Silver Springs, Md. On June 20, 1937 he married Adeline Larsen in Spencer. They made their home in Harlan and in 1941 purchased a dry cleaning business which he operated until he retired in April, 1977. John served as a Liaison Pilot in the E.T.O. Theatre in the 112th Squadron for Gen. Eisenhower during WW II. He served four years and received his honorable discharge Nov. 23, 1945.

He was confirmed and joined the Immanuel Lutheran church in 1941. He also was a member of the Harlan Chamber of Commerce and Ambassadors, American Legion, National Fabricare Assn., and was director and past president of the Iowa State Cleaners Assn.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his wife, Adeline of Harlan, one son - John of Des Moines, two daughters - Barbara (Mrs Dale W. Sorensen) of West Des Moines and Nancy (Mrs Terrance J. McKeighan of Colorado Springs, Colo. and one granddaughter - Amye, by his brother - Dick Scott of Clear Lake, one sister - Shirley (Mrs S. J. Ervin) of Colesburg and his step father - Carl Franks of Spencer.

Funeral services were held Monday, Nov. 27, 1978 at Harlan Immanuel Lutheran church with Pastor Clifford Nelson officiating, assisted by David Menz, intern. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Joe Scott, Pat Scott, Dick Scott, Chris Reid, Wilber Tucker and Lyle Lauritsen serving as casketbearers. Military rites by the Helmer Reyelt Post No. 150, American Legion.