

Kenneth E. Campbell, 60

Harlan — Kenneth Eugene Campbell, son of George and Ida Leucke Campbell, was born on a farm in Lincoln twp. west of Harlan, on Nov. 6, 1918. He was baptized in the Methodist church. He attended country school and grew to adulthood on his parent's farm.

Kenneth worked on various farms in the area for several years, including the Julius Lensch farm for 4½ years. He then moved into Harlan and was employed at Western Auto for two years before working for the Post Office Department as a rural routeman. On June 16, 1945, he married Betty Jean Hartman at the First United Methodist church in Harlan. Six children were born to this union. They made their home in Harlan and Kenneth started bidding on what was then a new system of moving mail - the Star Routes by truck. He served as vice-president and then president of the Iowa Star Route Mail Carriers Assn. for four years. At the same time, he also had a rural newspaper route for the Des Moines Register and Tribune. After 19 years of hauling mail, he turned completely to contracting for newspaper hauling and would have worked for the Register and

Tribune 34 years this coming Aug., and 33 years for the Omaha World Herald.

Mr Campbell died at Bishop Clarkson Memorial hospital in

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Omaha, Nebr., on Saturday, July 21, 1979, at age 60 years, 8 months and 15 days. He had been a member of the First United Methodist church in Harlan.

He was preceded in death by his mother; Sheldon; a nephew; and a grand-nephew. His survivors include his wife, Betty, of Harlan; four sons - Kenneth Edward, David Allen, John Eugene and Kevin Dale Campbell of Harlan; two daughters - Judith Ann (Mrs Harrell Piper) and Betty Jean Helen (Mrs Dwayne Hemminger), of Harlan; four grandchildren - Donovan Campbell of Co. Bluffs, David and Jennifer Piper and Melissa Campbell, of Harlan; and his father, George H. Campbell of Harlan; by two sisters - Phyllis (Mrs Quentin Rickers) of Harlan and Delores (Mrs Gerald Rock) of Co. Bluffs; three brothers - Keith and Russell Campbell, of Harlan and Victor Campbell of Groton, Conn.; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan, on Tuesday, July 24, 1979, with Dr. Larry LaVelle, pastor of the First United Methodist church in Harlan, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, with John Tyer, Gary Allen, Steve Allen and Gary Steinkuehler as honorary bearers and Art Andersen, Elvin Hansen, Bob L. Roberts, LaVerne O. Kock, Paul W. Mitchell and Elliott Svendsen serving as casketbearers.