

## **Howard William Campbell, 79**

**Nov. 29, 1912 — Dec. 10, 1991**

**IRWIN** — Howard, son of James Arthur and Edith Woods Campbell, was born Nov. 29, 1912 west of Irwin, in Shelby county. He attended rural schools through the eighth grade and graduated from Irwin High School in 1930.

Jan. 11, 1939, he married Edna Gawley at Denison. To this union two sons, Marvin and Larry were born. Before and after his marriage he farmed west of Irwin. He retired in 1975, but they continued to make their home on the farm. At one time he served on the board of directors of the Farmers Mutual Insurance Company of Harlan. He died suddenly and unexpectedly in the emergency room at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan, Dec. 10, 1991, at age 79 years and 11 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his wife, Edna of Irwin; his sons, Marvin (Mary Kay) of Denison; and Larry (Reta) of Denison; 11 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; three brothers, Maurice Campbell (Mae) of Irwin; Ralph Campbell (Irene) of Irwin; and Floyd Campbell of Defiance; a sister, Arlene Campbell, of Defiance; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Dec. 13, 1991 at the United Methodist Church in Irwin with Rev. Walter Bernard, officiating with burial in the Oak Hill cemetery in Irwin. Casketbearers were Mark Campbell, Kent Campbell, David Stormer, Mark Wilken, Tyson Campbell, Todd Keating and Dennis Tramp. Ohde Funeral Home in Manilla in charge of arrangements.