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Gerald "Jerry" Greiner, 83

June 6, 1913 - March 10, 1997

HARLAN - Gerald "Jerry" Greiner, son of John and Mary Stiver Greiner, was born June 6, 1913, at Panama. He attended St. Mary's School in Panama, graduating in 1933, and grew to adulthood at Panama.

May 5, 1941, he married Mena Andersen at Rock Port, MO. They became the parents of one daughter, Louree. He served as Deputy Sheriff of Shelby County, and later he, along with his wife, served as caretakers of the Shelby County Farm. He also was employed as a parole officer for the State of Iowa. After his retirement in 1979, he continued to reside in their home in Harlan until he became a resident of Little Flower Haven Nursing Home in Earling June 6, 1994. This has been his home since that time. He died March 10, 1997, at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 83 years, nine months and four days.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Margaret Schiltz, and two brothers, Larry Greiner and his infant brother, Donald Greiner. He is survived by his wife, Mena Greiner of Harlan; his daughter, Louree (Glen) Petersen of Harlan; two grandchildren; two great grandchildren; two brothers, Leonard (Marie) Greiner of Harlan and Robert (Nadine) Greiner of Omaha; his sister-in-law, Mildred Greiner of Harlan; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held March 13, 1997, at Pauley Funeral Home with Rev. Gordon Gittins of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Harlan officiating. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery with Rod Hess, Clint Scheffler, Randy Hess, Larry Peterson, Dennis Hess and Eldon Erickson casket bearers.