

Earl Justice, 69

Manilla - Earl Justice, son of Ralph and Alta Chamberlain Justice, was born May 20, 1911 near Defiance. He attended the Defiance schools through 8th grade. He married Marian Drake on July 5, 1932.

He was a life long farmer near Manilla, except for a short period he spent in Minn. He also engaged in carpentering over the years and enjoyed woodworking. He died on Thursday, Feb. 26, 1981 at Crawford County hospital in Denison at age 69 years, 9 months and 6 days. He was a member of the Harlan First Christian church.

He was preceded in death by his father and a brother, Kenneth. Survivors included his wife, Marian, of Manilla, by his mother, Alta Justice of Manilla, one son, Earl Jr., of Salem, Ill., three grandchildren, by six brothers, Harold Justice of Arkansas, George Justice of Botna, Amos Justice of Arkansas, Clifford Justice and Russell Justice both of Irwin, and Howard of Ankeny.

Funeral services were held Sunday, March 1, 1981 at Ohde Funeral Home in Manilla with Pastor Don Schoepf of the First Christian church of Harlan, officiating. Burial was in Nishnabotna cemetery with Leonard Cadwell, Verne Cadwell, John McNerney, Hal Cadwell, Willie Lohrmann and Bernie Jorgensen serving as casketbearers.