

## Harry P. Pike, 80

**SHELBY** – Harry Phillip Pike was born Jan. 24, 1909 at Botna, son of Adolph and Mary Kuhn Pike. He was one of seven children in the family. While he was a child, the family moved to several farms in Shelby County. He attended country school.

As a young man, he worked on several farms in the area until 1946 when he opened the Pike Garage in Shelby, which he operated for more than 30 years. He made his home with his mother, whom he took care of until she died. He was a very civic-minded person and served the city of Shelby for more than twenty years on the city council and as its Mayor. He served on the board of the Shelby Development Corporation and belonged to the United Lutheran Church. He died at Bishop Clarkson Hospital, Omaha, NE, Feb. 28, 1989 at age 80.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Sarah Jensen; and two brothers, Ernest and Walter. He is survived by three brothers, Albert and Jesse of Shelby and Simon of Keystone; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Services were held March 2, 1989 at United Lutheran Church, Shelby with Pastor Stan Nielsen officiating. Burial was in Shelby cemetery with David Wahling, Clarence Cushing, Arthur Kuhn, Dean Luxford, Leslie Linn and William Wager as casket bearers. Berthusen-Knutson Funeral Home in charge.