HAROLD F. LONG

Harold F. Long, 81, of Hiawatha, died July 19, 1986 at St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids. Harold was the son of William B. and Estella Farmer Long and was born Feb. 20, 1905 near Montezuma. He was a graduate of the Montezuma High.

He was married in June, 1926, to Mildred Manor at the Little Brown Church at Nashua. They farmed near Montezuma. After their divorce he was married to Mary Jane Maples in October, 1958, at Iowa City. They moved to Hiawatha where he worked for Dearborn Brass in the plating and buffing department. He retired in 1978.

He is survived by his four children: Maynard Long of Cary, Ill., Roger Long of Grinnell, Beverly Anderson of Grinnell and Sharon Oliver of Grinnell, as well as his three step-children: Grant Maples of Denver, Colo., Marcelene Billman of Phoenix, Ariz., and Lorene Nichols of Kellogg. Also surviving are 13 grandchildren, eight step-grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, nine step-great-grandchildren; and his brother Raymond of Cedar Rapids.

Harold was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife, Mildred, on July 19, 1951, and his second wife, Mary Jane, on March 19, 1984 and one step-daughter, Darlene Maples.

Services were July 23 at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell. Pallbearers were Roger Close, Charles Cooper, Gregory Curtis, Rockney Nichols, Dwight Niday and Gene Oliver. Honorary pallbearers were his grandchildren. Burial was in Ivy Hill Cemetery at Malcom.
Harold Long rites conducted

Harold F. Long, 81, of Hiawatha, a native of Montezuma, died Saturday, July 19, at St. Luke’s Hospital in Cedar Rapids.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell, with the Rev. John Epperson of the Grinnell Christian Church officiating. Organist was Kathleen Effer. Pallbearers were Roger Close, Charles Cooper, Gregory Curtis, Rockney Nichols, Dwight Vidal, and Gene Oliver. Honorary bearers were his grandchildren. Burial was in Ivy Hill Cemetery, Malcom.

The son of William B. and Estella Farmer Long, he was born on Feb. 20, 1906, near Montezuma. He graduated from Montezuma High School. He was married to Mildred Meyer at Nashua in June 1926. The couple farmed near Montezuma and were later divorced.

He was married to Mary Jane Maples in October 1933 at Iowa City. They moved to Hiawatha where he worked for Dearborn Brass Co., retiring in 1978.

Mr. Long is survived by four children, Maynard of Gary, Ind., Roger of Grinnell, Beverly Anderson of Grinnell and Sharon Oliver of Grinnell; three stepchildren, Grant Maples of Denver, Colo., and Marcella Bifman of Phoenix, Ariz., and Loren Nichols of Kellogg; 13 grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; nine step-great-grandchildren; and one brother, Raymond of Cedar Rapids.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Mildred, in 1951; his second wife, Mary Jane, in 1984; and one step daughter, Marlene Maples.