

H. R. April 19, 1979
Rites held for Mr. Wentland

HARTWICK (Special)—John E. Wentland, 74, of Hartwick, died April 7 at Marengo Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held April 11 at St. Bridget Catholic Church in Victor, with the Rev. Eugene Hoening officiating. Graveside services were held at Calvary Cemetery in Victor. Serving as pallbearers were his grandsons, Steve VanNevel, Robert VanNevel, William VanNevel, David Miller, Mike Miller, Kevin Wentland and Dennis Herzberg.

The son of Mike and Mary Sheda Wentland, he was born Feb. 7, 1905, near Victor. He was raised in Victor and attended St. John's parochial school there.

On Sept. 30, 1929, he was married to Mildred Keefe in Brooklyn. The couple had six children. Mr. and Mrs. Wentland farmed near Hartwick. Mr. Wentland was a member of St. Bridget Catholic Church. Survivors include his

children, Marcella VanNevel of Belle Plaine, Mary Kay Herzberg of Eugene, Ore., JoAnn Miller of rural Victor, John Wentland of Altoona and Mike Wentland of Hartwick; 36 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Mary McDonald of Victor; and a brother, Joseph Wentland of rural Victor.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Mildred, who died in 1971; two brothers, Frank Wentland and an infant brother; and one grandson.