

MR **Ira Molenburg, 96** June 4,
1997

Ira Molenburg, 96, of New Sharon, died Monday, May 26, 1997, at the Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 30, at the New Sharon Assembly of God Church with Rev. Marvin Fulks officiating. Burial was in the Stewart Cemetery northwest of New Sharon.

Ira was born April 19, 1901, at Taintor, the son of Leonard and Dora Scharff Molenburg. He was united in marriage to Nellie Stephen on May 15, 1930, near New Sharon. She preceded him in death on August 8, 1993. He was a trucker until 1941, and then entered into farming and farmed until retiring. He was a charter member of the New Sharon Assembly of God Church and a member of the

Mahaska County Farm Bureau.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; one son, Gordon Molenburg; two brothers, Joseph and Estel Molenburg; and two sisters, Hattie Ver Steegh and Katie Molenburg.

Ira is survived by his two sons and daughters-in-law: Larry and Jo Ann Molenburg of Johnston; and Robert and Connie Molenburg of New Sharon; 11 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Edna Terrell of McNeil, Ariz.; and Glenna Clark of Sigourney.

Memorials may be made to the New Sharon Assembly of God Church.

Harden Funeral Home in New Sharon was in charge of the arrangements.