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Mrs. Vera Roeder 6-6-79

Funeral services for Mrs. Vera Roeder, 56, of Brooklyn, were held at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, in the United Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn. Mrs. Roeder died Thursday morning, May 31, 1979, in the Iowa Methodist Medical Center, Des Moines.

Rev. Frank Hladky officiated. The organist was Miss Linda Schneckloth. The vocalist was Miss Tamara Gearhart. Flower attendants were Mrs. Don Atkinson, Mrs. Don Coburn, and Mrs. Howard Brimmer. Honorary casket bearers were Leslie Ormiston, Howard Brimmer and Don Coburn. Casket bearers were Sam McNaull, Don Atkinson, Jerry Glass, Raymond Beran, Woodrow Boyd and Robert Ryan. Interment was in the IOOF Cemetery in Brooklyn with funeral services conducted by the Nevenhoven Funeral Home.

Vera Mae Bowden Roeder, daughter of Robert Bowden and

Anna Johnston Bowden, was born on June 15, 1922, in Lincoln Township, Poweshiek County, Iowa. She received her education in a rural school and graduated from the Guernsey High School.

She was united in marriage to Max Roeder on Oct. 23, 1949, in Fairview Church. They lived in Colfax and Newton before moving to Brooklyn in 1954. They operated Brooklyn Appliance in Brooklyn. Mrs. Roeder was a member of the United Presbyterian Church, the UPW and the Legion Auxiliary.

She is survived by her husband, Max; two daughters, Mrs. Donald (Kathie) Croghan of West Des Moines and Sherrie of Brooklyn; and three sisters, Miss Helen Bowden and Miss Mildred Bowden, both of Montezuma and Mrs. Dale (Emily) Gorsch of Deep River.

She was preceded by her parents, one brother and two sisters.

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