

H-R March 19, 1981
Mr. Roorda services held

Gerard Roorda, 77, of Sully, a longtime Lynnville area farmer, died Saturday, March 14, at the New Sharon Care Center.

Funeral services for Mr. Roorda were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Lynnville Friends Church, with the Rev. Sidney Brown and the Rev. Michael Cooper officiating. Burial was at the Sully Cemetery, with the Van Dyk-Duven Funeral Home of Pella in charge of arrangements.

The son of John J. and Adrianna Ver Steegh Roorda,

he was born Oct. 26, 1903, near Peoria, Ill. He was married to Jeanette Terlouw on March 4, 1926, in Sully.

Mr. Roorda was a member of the Church of God of Lynnville.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Darlene Gates of Sully and Violet Van Maanen of Lynnville; two sons, Gary of Lynnville and Gordon of Searsboro; nine grandchildren; and a sister, Ada De Cook of Pella. He was preceded in death by a brother, John, and an infant granddaughter.