George Shook rites Tuesday

George E. Shook Sr., 63, of Newton, formerly of New Sharon, died Saturday, May 29, Newton; eight daughters,

at Skiff Memorial Hospital in Newton.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Harden Funeral Home in New Sharon, with the Rev. David Rex officiating. Burial was at Highland Cemetery, New Sharon.

The son of Elijah and Elsie Provin Shook, he was born July 7, 1918, at Guernsey. He was married to Martha Hughes on June 23, 1946. Mr. Shook was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Miller-Coffin Post No. 446, American Legion. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, John of West Ger-

Marcella Runnels of New Mexico, Bonnie Gilliland of Grinnell, Connie Ruchti of Grinnell, Margaret Braaksma of Newton, Kathryn Michael of Washington state, Maurine Metts of Oregon, Elaine Gilliland of Grinnell and Heler Sharkey of Washington state two brothers, Kenneth of Grinnell and Edward of Tama; and 27 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two granddaughters.

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