



Sadie Ann Boysen, 91

J. T. (Tom) and Charley Buss homesteaded land in northeast Monroe twp. in 1880. Their parents came from County Kent, England in 1852 and settled in Wisc.

When Tom and Charley came to Iowa in Feb., 1880, they drove a team of mules from Darlington, Wisc. Tom and his wife Elizabeth were the parents of three daughters, Sadie, born May 17, 1883, Hattie and Martha (Mrs William) Alwill. She married John Boysen on Sept. 25, 1907.

Tom Buss farmed the 200 acre homestead until 1907 and then he and his son-in-law, John Boysen, farmed it for an additional 30 years. The homestead is now a Century Farm and will be farmed by the sixth generation, her great grandson, Paul Stewart.

Sadie and John Boysen retired and moved to Harlan, in 1936 he died soon after in Feb. of 1937. Their only child, Vera, married Earl Stewart in 1931. Earl died in

1959 and Vera in 1963.

She has two grandchildren, David and Ruth Stewart; six great grandchildren; Lois (Mrs Dwight) Clark, Paul, Jim, John, Janice and Kathe Stewart; two great grandchildren, Matthew and Wendy Clark.

She has been a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan since 1966. She was baptized at the Bethel Baptist church on April 17, 1937 and became a Charter Member of the First Baptist church of Harlan in 1958.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan, on Saturday, Jan. 23, 1982 with Pastor C. Donald Thrash of the First Baptist church officiating.

Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with David Stewart, Paul Stewart, Jim Stewart, John Stewart, Bud Clark and Gerald McCord serving as casketbearers.

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BOYSEN — Co-executors of the Oct. 31, 1963 will of Sadie A. Boyesen, deceased, are David E. Stewart of Rt. 2, Harlan, and Ruth L. Stewart. Kansas City, Mo.