

Hilda D. Scheffler, 82

Hilda Daisy Scheffler, daughter of Jacob and Louisa Myers Haas, was born on a farm in Pottawattamie Co. near Minden, March 11, 1895. She attended country school and grew to adulthood on her parent's farm. On June 21, 1913, she married Henry Elmer Scheffler in Co. Bluffs. Six children were born to this union.

After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Scheffler farmed in the Neola, Minden, Shelby and Corley areas. They retired from the farm in 1968 and moved to Corley. Mr and Mrs Scheffler were privileged to share almost 64 years together before his death in May of 1977. After Henry's death, Hilda continued to make her home in Corley. Mrs Scheffler died at Myrtue hospital on Feb. 16, 1978 at age 82 years, 11 months and 5 days.

In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Wayne; two grandsons, Joseph Scheffler and Alan Overton; one great-grandson, Tyrone Scheffler, Jr.; a sister, Kate Langer; and by two brothers - Gilbert and Robert Haas. Her survivors include one son, Omer Scheffler of Harlan; four daughters - Iona (Mrs Melvin Lorenzen) of Beatrice, Nebr., Thelma (Mrs Boyd Dent) of Harlan, Yvonne (Mrs Victor Overton) of Co. Bluffs and Twyla (Mrs Marvin Sorensen) of Lakewood, Colo.; 20 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan on Sunday, Feb. 19, 1978, with James D. Boardman officiating. Burial was in the Shelby Cemetery, with Randy Lorenzen, Wayne Sorensen, Stacey Sorensen and Bradley Sorensen as honorary bearers and Jack Scheffler, Donald Overton, Carmen Sorensen, Tyrone Scheffler, Richard Lorenzen and Henry J. Scheffler as casket-bearers.