## Elsie C. Sorensen, 77

Elsie Charlotte Sorensen, daughter of Nels and Mary Plumb Peterson, was born on a farm in Lincoln Twp., Shelby Co., on Nov. She died at Myrtue 1899. Memorial hospital in Harlan on Aug. 10, 1977 at age of 77 years, 8 months and 26 days. Mrs Sorensen grew to adulthood in Lincoln Twp. on her parent's farm. She attended country school graduated with the first class from the Tennant high school in 1917. On December 28, 1922, she married Andrew P. Sorensen at her parent's farm in Shelby Co. To this union seven children were born. Mrs Sorensen has been member of the United Methodist church in Tennant for over 50 years.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Andrew on Aug. 17, 1976, by three grandchildren, Barbara, Mary Jane and Brian Linden, Survivors include - 5 sons - Dale and Myron, both of Harlan, Wayne of Cedar Falls, Lynn of West Des Moines and Stanley of Portsmouth, Vir., two daughters, Mrs Ellen (Douglas) Linden and Mrs Vivian (Randall) Lytle, both of Harlan; and by 18 grandchildren, two sisters - Carrie Peterson of Harlan and Alice Arentson of Harlan, one brother, George Peterson of Anthon, nieces and nephews, and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at the Pauley Funeral Home in

Harlan on Saturday, Aug. 13, 1977 with Rev. Dick Krambeck of ficiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery, Harlan with Mark

Lytle, Gaige Lytle, Rodney Sorensen, Arlin Sorensen, Jeffrey Sorensen and Bradley Sorensen serving as pallbearers.