Mabelle J. Krueger, 74

Irwin — Mabelle Joan Krueger, daughter of Jens and Matilda Carlson Ogesen was born in Neola on Dec. 29, 1902. She attended school and grew to adulthood in Neola, After graduating from the Neola high school, she taught school for a while before attending nurses training at the University of Nebraska. She then worked as a nurse in Neola. On Feb. 18, 1931, she married Ernest Krueger. Two sons were born to this union. After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Krueger farmed the Krueger family farm near Minden until 1940 when they moved to a farm south of Irwin. Irwin was her home until becoming a resident of the Salem Lutheran Home in Elk Horn in 1975. It was here that she died on Dec. 8, 1977 at age 74 years, 11 months and 9 days. Mrs Krueger was a long time member of the Irwin United Methodist church and the United Methodist Women. She was also a member of the Greenridge club.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, who died in May of 1976. Her survivors include her sons, Kenneth G. Krueger of Albuquerque, N.M., and David L. Krueger of Omaha, Nebr., four grandchildren; a brother, Ever Ogesen of Iowa City; three sisters - Alma Ogesen of Mason City, Jennie Hopp of Harlan and Esther Bamesberger of Co. Bluffs, nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at United Methodist church in Irwin on Saturday, Dec. 10, 1977 with Rev. J. Elmer Brunk, officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill cemetery, Irwin with Art Meyer, Don Hopp, Gary Hopp, Larry Hopp, Gary Woods and Frank Hopp serving as casketbearers.