

Mattie E. Potter, 88

Harlan — Mattie E. Potter, daughter of Margaret and Adam Cook was born Jan. 1, 1889, in Sutton, Nebr. She died Nov. 23, 1977 at the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan at age 88 years, 10 months and 12 days. She married Harry Potter July 1, 1915 in Harlan. During WWI they moved to Detroit, Mich., where he worked in an ammunition plant. They spent most of their life working in cold storage plants in Omaha, Nebr. and St. Louis, Mo., until their retirement to Harlan about 28 years ago. She has been a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home for the past few years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband — Harry in 1972 and one sister — Elizabeth. Survivors include one sister — Mrs Anna Marie DeVoe of Florissant, Mo., and one brother — William Cook of Ord, Nebr., nieces and nephews — Mrs Emil Thies of Florissant, Mo., Mrs Ralph Morcco of Omaha, Mrs Ester Comstock and Elmer Potter of Harlan and Mrs Walter Bramer of Elk Horn, Mrs Lenore Jordon and LeRoy Potter of Albany, Oreg.

Funeral services were held Friday, Nov. 25, 1977 at Burmeister Funeral Home in Harlan with Pastor Don Schoepf of the Harlan First Christian church, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with John Lewis, Fred Louis Jr., David B. Moore, Clifford Hanson and John Christiansen serving as casket-bearers.
