

# Clarence Tobias, 86

Harlan — Clarence Tobias, son of Carson and Catherine Tobias, was born on a farm near Harlan, on Nov. 10, 1891. He attended country school and grew to adulthood on his parent's farm. On June 26, 1912, he married Daisy Edwards at the home of her parents in Monroe twp. One daughter was born to this union. After their marriage, Mr and Mrs Tobias farmed in Shelby county. Mrs Tobias died during the flu epidemic in 1918 and Clarence continued to live on the farm.

On March 16, 1920, he married Georgia Tobias. They farmed near Harlan until 1930 when they moved to Calif., and began training and showing horses. They lived for a short time in Omaha and Sioux City before moving to Des Moines in 1938. Clarence retired in 1961 and continued to make his home in Des Moines. After Georgia's death in 1973, he continued to live in Des Moines until Oct. of 1977, when he became a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home in Harlan. This has been his home since that time. Mr Tobias died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan, on Nov. 27, 1977, just 17 days after his 86th birthday.

He was preceded in death by 12 brothers and sisters. His survivors include his daughter, Dorothy (Mrs G. E. Bryant) of Cherokee, a granddaughter, Lynn (Mrs Dennis Dobson) and a great-granddaughter, Amy Lynn Dobson, both of Austin, Tex.; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Pauley Funeral Home in Harlan, on Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1977, with Rev. A. E. Goldhorn, pastor of the Memorial Presbyterian church in Cherokee, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery, with Tom Marcum, Rusty James, Ronald Paasch, Leslie Edwards, Lynden Christiansen and Sheldon Christiansen serving as casket-bearers.