Harlan, Iowa Tribune Wednesday February 4, 1997, pg 2-B Lillian Kevan, 95

Lillian May Kevan, daughter of Ernest and Emma Vincent Longnecker, was born Aug. 8, 1891 at Wayne, NE. and was one of two children in the family. In 1901 the family moved by horse and wagon to make their home in Walnut and she attended school in Walnut.

She married Albert Kevan on Aug. 30, 1911 and they moved to the farm north of Walnut to make their home. They were parents of one daughter, Joy. They left the farm in 1964 and lived in Walnut and Avoca. She was a member of the Walnut Presbyterian church and the Helping Hand Neighborhood club. She entered Peace Haven in June, 1968 and in Dec. 1978, moved to the Atlantic care center in Atlantic, where she died Jan. 16, 1987 at age 95 years.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband in 1969 and one sister; Myrtle Longnecker Smith. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs Leonard (Joy) Sievers and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Jan. 19, 1987 at the United Presbyterian church in Walnut with Rev. Harvey Beach, officiating. Casketbearers were Ronald Mortensen, Donald Hansen, Henry Nash, Herbert Craney, Ralph Hansen and Herbert Mertz. Burial was in the Monroe two. cemetery northeast of Walnut.