

Thelma G. Finley, 89

HARLAN - Thelma G. Finley, daughter of Harry and Lulu Pullen Grotemat, was born Aug. 14, 1900 at Manistee, MI. She received her B.S. Degree before teaching physical education at Vinton. Oct. 3, 1923, she married Rex Finley at Cleveland, OH., and to this union two children were born. They had lived in Nebraska City and Co. Bluffs before coming to Harlan in 1940. She died March 29, 1990 at Myrtue Memorial Hospital at age 89 years, 7 months and 15 days.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Harry and Jack Grotemat; her husband, Rex in 1969 and a granddaughter, Rebecca Susan in 1983. Survivors include two sons: Gary of White Bear Lake, MN., and Grant of Theodosia, MO.; seven grandchildren and one great-granddaughter and other relatives.

Funeral services were held March 31, 1990 at Burmeister Funeral Home with Rev. Dennis Brayman, officiating. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Alan, Scott and Dennis Finley, Bill Lemons, Mike Whitaker and Dennis Newland serving as casketbearers.