

Florence E. White, 87

CLARINDA — Florence Eldora White, daughter of William A. and Nora Whitehill Weller was born April 2, 1900 in Taylor County, IA. She attended Sunny Slope School, later going to Villisca High School. In 1918, she attended Extension Summer School from Cedar Falls Teacher's School held at Red Oak. She then taught at Pierce School in Taylor County. The next three years she taught at Vendevender, Sams and Fairview Schools, all in Valley twp., Page county.

On Feb. 25, 1922, she married John F. White in Clarinda. They were the parents of two children, Helen Marie and Eldon Lee. They spent all of their married life except one year farming in Valley twp. on the Weller land. When Mr Weller died, the Whites moved to the home place, and purchased it in 1945. John died April 13, 1966. She sold the farm in March, 1971, but continued to live on the farm until Jan. 28, 1984, when she moved to Villisca. She died Dec. 29, 1987 in Clarinda at age 87 years.

She was preceded in death by in infant brother and a sister, Hazel Rossander. She is survived by two children, Eldon White of Maryville, MO and Helen (Mrs Normal) Richards of Irwin; one granddaughter, six grandsons and one sister, Letha Andrew of Villisca.

Funeral services were Jan. 2, 1988 at Villisca United Methodist Church with Rev. Steven Wainwright officiating. Burial was in the Clarinda cemetery. Serving as casket bearers were Dennis, Duane, Marvin and Bruce White, Donnie Conz and Craig and Kent Richards. Wolfe Funeral Home, Villisca, was in charge of arrangements.