

Edna A. Babler

MONTICELLO - Edna A. Babler, age 93, of Monticello, died Monday, March 26, 2001 at the Monroe Manor Nursing Home. Edna was born June 15, 1907 in rural Monticello, the daughter of Fred and Mary (Kuehni) Babler. Edna lived in the Monticello area all of her life. She graduated from Monticello High School, Green County Normal School, and received her Bachelor's degree in Education from U.W. Platteville. Edna taught at Purcell Country School and Silver Country School for 27 years before her retirement. She then taught as a substitute at the Monticello school for several years. Edna was a member of Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, she wrote articles for the Monticello Past and Present, and was a member of the Monticello Bicentennial Committee.



She is survived by her niece, Mary Jean (David) Blum of Monroe. She was preceded in death by two sisters, Nona Babler and Elva Tryon; and a foster-niece, Joan Leutenegger.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 30, 2001, at 11:00 a.m., at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, with Rev. Lawrence Balleine officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Cemetery, Monticello. Friends may call at the VOEGELI-NEWCOMER FUNERAL HOME, Monticello, on Thursday from 4:30 pm. until 7 pm.

A memorial fund will be established in Edna's name for Zwingli United Church of Christ or the Monticello Foundation,