

Crystal Brusveen

MONTICELLO — Crystal A. Brusveen, 82, Monticello, died Friday, July 18, 1997 at the New Glarus Home.

She was born Dec. 13, 1914 in Freeda, N.D., daughter of Selmer and Christine (Gilbertson) Lien.

She graduated high school and Teachers College in North Dakota.

She married Thomas Brusveen June 18, 1938 at York Memorial Lutheran Church in rural Blanchardville.

They have been residents of Monticello for 58 years. Mrs. Brusveen taught elementary school in North Dakota, York Center and at Hillside View for many years. She was a bank teller at the Bank of Monticello for 32 years, retiring in 1980.

Mrs. Brusveen was a member of Zwingli United Church of Christ where she was a member of the Missionary Circle; the Sons of Norway, Mount Horeb; Monticello American Legion Auxiliary; Green County Retired Teachers; New Glarus Bowling League; and Antique Wheeler's of Monroe.

Survivors include her husband, Thomas; a brother, Otis Lien, Cheyenne Wells, Colo; and a sister-in-law, Betty Lien, South Carolina.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Kermit and Howard Lien, and two sisters, Sylvia Rosen and Dorothy Einerson.

Funeral services are 11 a.m. Tuesday at Zwingli United, Church of Christ, Monticello, the Rev. Lawrence Balleine officiating. Burial is in York Memorial Lutheran Church Cemetery, rural Blanchardville.

Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Voegeli-Newcomer Funeral Home, Monticello, and at the church on Tuesday from 10 a.m. until time of service.

A memorial fund has been established in her name.

