

CRETE D. BRUDER

1896 - 1986

Mrs. John W. (Crete D.) Bruder, age 90, of Alpena, with local relatives, passed away Dec. 18, 1986 in Alpena.

Mrs. Bruder was born in Bad Axe on Sept. 18, 1896 and was married to John Bruder on Sept. 1, 1928. He preceded her in death on June 19, 1976.

Mrs. Bruder taught school in Detroit for many years and later worked at Federal Department Stores prior to her retirement. She moved to Alpena in 1971 and was a member of the First Methodist Church of Alpena and the Alpena Senior Citizens Visually Impaired Group.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Wellington (Barbara) Dean of Alpena; a son, John of Northville; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a sister, Corda McKinstra of Los Angeles, Calif. and a brother, William J. McCarty of Bad Axe.

A daughter, Carolyn, preceded her in death.

The funeral was conducted at the Wachterhauser Funeral Home in Alpena with interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Alpena.