

ALICE M. CLUNIS

1903-1990

Alice M. Clunis, age 86 of Elkton, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 9 at Huron Memorial Hospital of injuries suffered from a fall in her home.

She was born Dec. 21, 1903 in Tuscola County, daughter of the late John and Nellie (Gill) Seddon. She was united in marriage to Wager Clunis on May 11, 1929 in Mount Pleasant. He preceded her in death Oct. 18, 1978.

She later married Norman Bowles on Nov. 17, 1982. He preceded her in death Feb. 10, 1988.

Mrs. Clunis moved to the Upper Peninsula with her husband in 1929 where they taught in several rural schools. A few years later they returned to Elkton where they lived the rest of their lives. She also taught in many rural schools in the Elkton, Ubyly and Port Hope areas, retiring in 1972.

Mrs. Clunis was a member of Elkton United Methodist Church, County Retired School Personnel Association and Order of the Eastern Star, Elkton. She earned a bachelor's degree in education from Central Michigan University.

She is survived by two sons, Wager (Barbara) Clunis, Simi Valley, Calif. and Douglas (Jane) Clunis, Elkton; one daughter, Gail (William) Piotter, Bad Axe; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; four brothers, John (Ilah) Seddon, Vassar, William (Velda) Seddon, Mayville, Joseph (Marion) Seddon, California and Edward (Mae) Seddon, Brown City; two sisters, Ellen Goodell and Grace Marr, both of Mayville.

She is preceded in death by two daughters Alice Clunis and Eleanor Clunis, a grandson, William Clunis and three sisters, Mary Kinney, Bessie Brenner and Jane Fox.

Funeral services were conducted 11 a.m. Friday at Elkton United Methodist Church. The Rev. Jim James, pastor, officiated with burial in Colfax Townshin Cemetery