Death Notices

Lela M. Houk

PALMYRA — Lela M. (Moore) Houk, age 86, of Hillcrest Drive, Palmyra, died Wednesday, May 2, 1990, at Holton Manor Nursing Home in Elkhorn. She was born Feb. 14, 1904, at Little Prairie, Wis., to Elmer and Jennie Clark Landgraf.

She married Henry Moore Feb. 15, 1922, and farmed in the Eagle area. He died Sept. 23, 1969. She then married George Houk Nov. 6, 1976, and lived in Palmyra. He died Dec. 4, 1985.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Palmyra, Palmyra Senior Citizens and the American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 304.

She is survived by children, Della (Robert) Sayles of Palmyra, Henry (Bess). Moore of Mesa Ariz., Betty (Duane) Brissette of Mukwonago, Dorothy Fisher of East Troy, Jack (Linda) Moore of Waukesha, Howard (Jan) Christenson of Waukesha, Edward (Linda) Moore of Slinger, Richard (Nancy) Moore of Oconomo-woc, Hazel (Arnold) of West Allis; stepchildren, Royal (Cleo) Houk of Eagle, Gerald (Audrey) Houk of Eagle, Clair (Mickey) Houk of Mukwonago, Edward (Fran) Houk of Aurora, Ill.; step-daughter-in-law, Ruth Houk of Waukesha; sister, Della (Carl) Mittlestadt of South Beloit; 39 grandchildren; 32 great-grand-children; 15 great-great-grand-children; nieces; nephews, other relatives and many friends. She was preceded in death by her two husbands; three children, Robert, Ruth and Ethel, and two grandchildren, Harold and Kathy.

A funeral mass will be held at 8 p.m. Friday, May 4, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Palmyra. Friends may call after 4 p.m. until time of services on Friday at the church. Burial will be at North Prairie Cemetery.

Mealy's Funeral Home, Eagle, is in charge of arrangements.

