

Frieda Ann Benkert
July 30, 1895 - Jan. 23, 1990

Frieda Ann Benkert, 94, Monticello, died Tuesday, Jan. 23, 1990, at Monroe Manor Nursing Home where she had been a patient since July of 1989.

She was the daughter of John J. and Ursula (Blum) Benkert, born July 30, 1895, in Washington Township in Green County. She graduated from Monticello High School in 1914 and attended Green County Normal School for one year.

She taught rural school for two years and in Monticello schools for two years before going to work as a clerk for the Bank of Monticello in 1919. She was promoted to assistant cashier in 1927 and retired from active banking in 1960. She worked part-time at the bank until 1968.

She was a member of Zwingli United Church of Christ and Home Missionary Society.

Survivors include a sister, Verena G. Benkert, at Monroe Manor.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Zwingli Church Memorial Lounge with the Rev. Erwin H. Pegel officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.