

Jan 21-82 paper County Native Dies In California

Word has been received of the death of Fern Nellie Thorne, 80, of Santa Ana, Calif., on Wednesday. The Marshall County native had been in failing health for the past six months. Services will be held Friday in Anaheim, Calif., with burial there.

Miss Thorne was born in Marshall County and attended the Rhodes schools. She was employed in the Russell Smith home in Marshalltown for 31 years before moving to California to make her home with her sister, Emily.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Emily Cromely, 414 E. Wakeham Ave., Santa Ana, and Mildred (Mrs. Lloyd) Meyer, Lakewood, Calif.