H-R September 28,1981 Lela Zereis dies in N.Y.C.

Lela Thomas Zereis, 85, died Sept. 7 at the Village Nursing Home in New York City, it has been announced.

Burial was Sept. 11 at Hazelwood Cemetery here.

Mrs. Zereis was the daughter of Courtland and Rachel

Thomas. She was preceded in death by her husband, John; four sisters, Edith Allen, Leo Downey, Pearl Craven and Cora Wilson; and a brother, George C. Thomas.

There are no immediate survivors.