

## WILLIAM EIFFERT

William, son of George and Mary Eiffert, was born November 3, 1863 at Highland, Illinois, and departed this life March 4, 1953, at a nursing home at Kirksville, Mo., at the age of 89 years, four months and one day.

He was married to Mary Vasser, December 11, 1883. This union was blessed with ten children. Four of these children, all sons, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; three sons and three daughters, namely: George, of Iberia, Leo and Ernest of Holden, Wash., Mrs. Emma Wall of Lamar, Mrs. Anna Wall of Crocker and Ruth Nicholas of Kansas City, Kansas; Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Augusta Jehle of Highland, Ill., a brother, Henry Eiffert of Walla Walla, Wash., a half-sister, Mrs. Lou McElroy of Downing; thirteen grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held at St. John's Lutheran Church at two o'clock p.m., Friday, March 6. His body was laid to rest in the Germania cemetery. Rev. A. O. Althafer officiated at the services.