

Schaben Joseph Obit

— Joseph D. Schaben, son of Mr and Mrs John Schaben was born on a farm south of Earling on January 3, 1884 and passed away at his home in Earling, on April 9, 1952, after an illness of several months. He spent his entire life in this vicinity, with the exception of several years spent at Manilla. He served as postmaster in Earling for 12 years and operated a variety store here for 30 years. He was an honorary member of the Knights of Columbus.

He was united in marriage to Evelyn Keairnes on June 24, 1913, and to this union six sons were born. He leaves to mourn his departure, his wife, Evelyn, and six sons; Vincent W. of Council Bluffs, Leo V. of Earling, Fran M. of Chicago, Illinois, Cletus John at home, Kenneth H. and Rober E. of Chicago, Illinois, eleven grandchildren and one brother, John of Nevada, Missouri.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 12, at St. Joseph's church with the Rev. P.A. Bissen officiating and interment was made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

A large number of other relatives and friends from a distance attended the funeral.

Acting as pallbearers were Bernard Ahart, John Heese, Julius Wieland, Fred Stinn, A.E. Heese and Fred Bruck.