

Henry P. Zacharias, 91

PERSIA — Henry Peter Zacharias, son of Peter and Kathryn Herrops Zacharias was born April 8, 1896 at Co. Bluffs. He served in the United States Army during WW I.

On Jan. 18, 1922, he married Dora Evans at Co. Bluffs. He had resided in the Persia area for the past 84 years, where he had farmed for many of these years. He had resided in his present home for 37 years. He was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church and a member of the Zwanger American Legion Post of Persia. He died Dec. 3, 1987 at his home near Persia at age 91 years, 7 months and 25 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Dora in 1976; son, Charles this past Aug.; brother, Fred and three sisters, Emilie Hamann, Bertha Fitzgerald and Alvina McKeighan. Survivors include two sons, LeRoy and Merne both of Omaha; daughter, Delores (Mrs Jack) Wilding of Logan; two brothers, Herbert and Harry both of Persia. He is also survived by six grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were Dec. 7, 1987 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Persia with Pastor Alan Esinger, officiating. Burial was in the Valley View cemetery near Persia with Arlon Grap, Jim Voumans, William Stamp, Robert Kuster, Kenneth Kuster and Phil Floerchinger serving as casket bearers. Services conducted by the Burmeister Funeral Home of Harlan.