

Hans H. Nielsen, 98

KIMBALLTON — Hans Hansen Nielsen was born Nov. 29, 1888 in Sharon twp., Audubon co. His parents were Niels and Marie (Lorensen) Nielsen. He was baptized and confirmed in the Immanuel Lutheran church in Kimballton.

He married Karen Twenstrup on Nov. 1, 1911 in the Immanuel Lutheran church in Kimballton. Karen was born in Aalborg, Denmark. They farmed near Walnut for three years in the Coon Rapids area for 24 years and near Dedham for three years. In 1965, they moved to Kimballton where they lived for 19 years. He was a member of the Danish Brotherhood.

They have been residents of the Salem Lutheran Homes in Elk Horn since 1984. Just last year they celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary. He died March 7, 1987 at Salem Nursing Home.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sons, Folmer and Emmert, both formerly of Atlantic; one brother, Mike Nielsen, formerly of Kimballton and three sisters. He is survived by his wife, Karen of Elk Horn; one son, Ernest Nielsen of Rippey; six grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Funeral services were March 9, 1987 at the Immanuel Lutheran church, Kimballton with Pastor Stephen Gronseth, officiating. Burial was in the Immanuel Lutheran cemetery, Kimballton with Kjer Christensen, Brad May, Harvey Sorensen, Paul C. Christensen, Chester Johnson and Anthony May serving as casketbearers. Kaltoft Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.