

Elmer Rosenbeck, 84

March 7, 1912 - July 11, 1996

PERSIA - Elmer Rosenbeck, 84, of Persia was born at Audubon on March 7, 1912, the son of Jim and Petrea (Winther) Rosenbeck, and was one of five children in the family. They lived at Persia. March 10, 1938 he married Erma Doyle of Persia. He was employed by the Milwaukee Railroad for 42 years until retiring in 1974. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Persia. He died July 11, 1996 in a Co. Bluffs hospital.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Earl at Spartanburg, SC; a sister, Esther Haszard at Anita and Elvina Ogborn at Blackfoot, ID. Survivors besides his wife of 58 years are Edna Pitts of Persia, nieces and nephews.

Services were held July 14, 1996 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Persia with Pastor Stan Nielsen officiating clergy. Burial was in the Shelby Cemetery with casket bearers Robert Hall, Robert Kuster, Robert Zacharias, Stanley Martens, Calvin and Earl Eckmann. Schumacher Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.