

SEPT. 13, 1962

**Joe Prashak Was  
Born In Bohemia** <sup>M. R.</sup> <sup>Sept. 13, 1962</sup>

Joe Prashak, son of Mike and Frances Prashak, was born in Bohemia, June 7, 1869, and died in his sleep early Tuesday morning Sept. 4, at the age of 93 years, 2 months and 27 days.

He came to Iowa at the age of 5 years with his parents and they settled in Lakota City, Humboldt county. June 14, 1895, he was united in marriage to Frances Sheda of Victor in the St. Bridgets church in Victor.

After their marriage they started farming 6 miles south of Victor, where they farmed for a number of years, then to a farm 1 1/2 east of Guernsey. In 1923 they moved into Guernsey, a short time later moved back to the farm where they made their home until 1949, then returned to Guernsey permanently.

He leaves to mourn his passing, his devoted wife, 8 children, Joe of Deep River, Mrs. Henry (Mayme) Cordes, Miami, Fla., Mrs. Roy (Francis) Provin, Guernsey; Mrs. Karl (Anna) Koehn, Guernsey; Mrs. Cecil (Stella) Lyman, Fort Dodge; Mrs. Ben (Blanche) McManigal, Aurora, Ill.; Mrs. Harold (Elsie) Wiedow, Guernsey and Maynard of Guernsey; 9 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services was held from the McAninch Chapel Thursday Sept. 6, at 2 p.m. with Rev. William Moorehouse officiating. Mrs. Roland Burke sang "The Lords

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