

## An Obituary Of John W. Losh

After a lingering illness of nearly three years, John William Losh, passed peacefully out of this life, Wednesday, May 2, 1934. He was born March 10, 1863 in Knox County, Ohio, son of Thomas and Mary Losh. His father was a veteran of the Civil War. John came to Iowa in 1884 and made his home in and around Kellogg for 36 years. After disposing of his farm home in 1920, he came to Grinnell, where he located and had continued to live in his present home.

He was married to Miss Ellen Kennedy, March 27, 1895, One daughter, Catherine Maurine, was born to them. Beside his wife and only child, he is survived by one sister, Mrs. Ida Bechtel and one brother, Samuel Losh, of Mansfield, Ohio. As a citizen, neighbor, husband and father, there is but one expression, "He was loyal and faithful, doing unto others as he would others do unto him". The funeral services were held at the home, conducted by Rev. Moses Mendenhall, of Gilman, Ia., an old friend of the family. Music was by Dick Kuncel, who sang two songs "Lead Kindly Light" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere", accompanied by Robinson Shoulberg.

Burial was in "Our Silent City" at Kellogg. Pall bearers were: Geo. C. Murray, P. A. Madill, Joe Tesser, Peter Fowler, A. A. Reno, and D. A. Brooks. Among those attending from out town were: Mr. A. E. Starrett, Mrs. Frank Starrett, Mrs. F. L. Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Cland Reynolds and Evelyn Mrs. W. R. Kono of Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy of Colfax, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wyatt and Norman of Baxter, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Anderson, L. W. Anderson, Mrs. J. D. Baldwin, Miss Eda Anderson, Albin Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John Vinal of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, Alfred Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rhoades, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. George Reinmer, Mrs. Hugh Thorpe of Kellogg, Mrs. Moses Mendenhall of Gilman, Miss Eva Wright of Burlington.