

3 Mrs. John Ahrens
Christina Elizabeth Kasper was born in Frankfort, Germany, Sept. 2, 1853, and departed this life March 6, 1914, age 60 years, 6 months and 4 days.

She came to America in 1874 and on Sept. 25, 1877, she was united in marriage to John Ahrens in the German Lutheran Church in Sheridan township. To them were born five children, Frank B. Jackson, John, Henry and Mrs. Leslie Young, all of Grinnell, and Helen, who is still at home. She leaves besides her husband and children, eighteen grandchildren, four sisters and three brothers and many friends who will sadly miss her.

The funeral was at the house six miles northwest of Grinnell at 10 a. m. Wednesday conducted by Rev. S. F. Salzmann, and the burial was at Grinnell cemetery.