Nels Poldberg, 85

KIMBALLTON -- Nels Poldberg was born March 3, 1892, in Shelby county, son of Chris and Mary Hogensen Poldberg. He was baptized, confirmed and was a life long member of Bethlehem Lutheran church in Jacksonville. Nels served in WW I and was a member of the American Legion Post 120 in Audubon. On Dec. 3, 1919, he married Anna Christensen and they had three sons. They farmed west of Kimbaliton on his parents farm until retiring to Kimballton in 1952. Nels has been working as a salesman for the Pioneer Seed Corn Co. Nels died at Myrtue Memorial Hospital in Harlan on Aug. 28, 1977 at age 85 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one infant grandson, three brothers and one sister. He is survived by his wife, Anna, three sons: Burdette of Harlan, Keith, of Vinton and Cordell of Palmer, ten grandchildren, six great grandchildren and two brothers: Chris of Elk Horn and

Henry of Audubon.

Services were held Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1977 at Bethlehem Lutheran church in Jacksonville with Pastor Howard Wolfgram, officiating. Casketbearers were: Robert Poldberg, Dale Poldberg, Lyle Poldberg, Edward Evans, Carl Jepsen and Otis Madsen.