

June 8, 1950

## Hannah Elizabeth Kelly

Hannah Elizabeth Kelly, daughter of Craig Creighton and Alex-  
Creighton, was born May 25,  
Cookstown, County Tyrone,  
Ireland. She passed away at Clare-  
South Dakota, on Wednesday,  
June 8, 1950, at the age of 77 years  
and 133 days. When she was a little  
she was confirmed in, and be-  
came a member of the Episcopal  
Church of Ireland.

At twenty years of age she came to  
Canada, to make her home.  
On April 30, 1898, at Geneva, Illinois,  
she was married to William James  
Kelly, also from County Tyrone in  
Ireland. In 1901 they came to Clare-  
South Dakota, and settled on  
their own farm.

Mrs. Kelly was preceded in death  
by two children, Hugh Kelly and  
Evelyn Kurth, and by her husband, who  
died away on September 7, 1949;  
she was also preceded by two brothers in Ireland.

She is survived by six children:  
William of Claremont, William of Min-  
nneapolis, Herbert of Sioux Falls, Mae  
Fairfield, Connecticut, Annabel  
of Claremont, and Ruth Nau-  
of Huntington, Long Island; also  
her sister, Sophia Gillespie, of Long  
Beach, California; and six grandchil-  
dren: Allen and Maribeth Kelly of  
Sioux Falls; Dale, Eunice, Janice, and  
Evelyn Kurth of Brampton, North  
Dakota.

Mrs. Kelly was always a loving  
and mother. Though failing in  
health the last few years, she was de-  
voted to her family and her home.

Services were held in the Methodist  
Church at Claremont on Sunday,  
June 11, at 2:30 p. m., with the Rev. E.  
Luteside officiating. All of the  
children and grandchildren attended.  
Mabel Pierson played the accom-  
paniment for Mr. and Mrs. A. T.  
Cutler, Mrs. Melrose Alberts, and  
Mrs. Barnes who sang "The Old  
Wooden Cross" and "Beautiful Isle of  
Serenity." Also for Rodney Barnes  
sang the solo, "When They Ring  
Golden Bells."

Umpire bearers were Frank Bowles,  
Evelyn Cutler, Howard Cutler, Fred  
Cutler, Leigh Hood, and Alfred  
Hood.

Edward Paetznick of Groton was in  
charge of arrangements and burial  
was in the Groton Union Cemetery.