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Observes Century Birthday

Mr. Traugott Schoppa of Winchester observed his 100th birthday Monday, June 26, in his home where he resides with his son Otto, and two daughters, Misses Frieda and Gertrude Schoppa. Two other sons, Walter and Eric Schoppa, reside in Houston. Mrs. Selma Pampell, a daughter who lives nearby in the community, as well as her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren came to help Mr. Schoppa celebrate his birthday.

The afternoon was spent with a happy family visiting and picture taking of the five



TRAUGOTT SCHOPPA

generations of the Schoppa family.

Two red carnation floral arrangements were placed on the altar of St. Michael's Lutheran Church on Sunday, July 2, by the Schoppa family to commemorate their father's 100th birthday.

Mr. Schoppa, a native of Fayette County, was born one of seven children, to Michael and Maria Zoch Schoppa on June 26, 1872, in Warda, near the present Bohot home. He married early in manhood and moved to the Rabbs Prairie community, then on to Vernon to live for two years. He returned to Fayette County and to the Winchester community to the present C. E. Hart home. In 1905, he and his family moved on the Zilss Estate, his present home.