

MINNIE STOFFEL MAXWELL -- 90

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Mrs. Minnie Maxwell (picture) mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great great grandmother to 146 of her descendants, will celebrate her 90th birthday Wednesday June 24. Mrs. Maxwell has 10 living children: Walter Maxwell of Crawfoardsville; Fred Maxwell of near Lebanon; Mrs. Amy Hulvey of Darlington; Cele Maxwell ; Ralph; Byrl and Elmer all of Darlington; Mrs. Caroline Morine of Anderson; Lawrence Maxwell of Anderson and Clarence Maxwell of Champaign, Ill. She has lost two sons, Faye died in infancy and Austin died in 1941. Also six grandchildren and four greats have died. One grandchild, Raymond Maxwell, was killed in action in Korea. Mrs. Maxwell was born in Germany and came to this country with her parents when she was 11 years old. They lived then in the Bowers community. SHE has lived her entire life in and around Darlington, moving to Darlington proper in 1924. Besides reading her Bible daily, she spends her time knitting and making quilts. Numerous quilts have been made by her for her children. Since she suffered a broken hip four years ago, she has been getting around the house with a walker. She lives with her son, Elmer in Darlington. Her husband, Alexander died in 1935. She plans to spend the day very quietly in her home.