

## D. E. Smith, Boonville, Died Saturday

Had Been Seriously Ill But Three Days.—Funeral Held Sunday Afternoon

D. E. Smith died at his home at 1110 Main Street Saturday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock following a serious illness of three days. He had been in poor health since January but was confined to his bed but a short time. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the home conducted by Rev. B. A. Owen of the Boonville Baptist church. Burial was made in the Pilot Grove cemetery. Music was furnished by the Grocers Quartet.

Dewitt E. Smith was born April 12, 1863, the son of Dewitt C. and Elizabeth Ann Smith, on a farm near Bunceton, and was 67 years old at the time of his death. He was married to Miss Katie Platt of near Pilot Grove 35 years ago, who, with four sons, survives. They are: Dewey Smith, Deloss Smith, and Duane Smith, all of Boonville, and Aubrey Smith, a cadet at the United States Military Academy at West Point. He also leaves two brothers, C. F. Smith, Pilot Grove, John Smith, Sedalia, and a sister, Mrs. Phil Kopp, of Illinois.

Mr. Smith had made his home in Boonville the last thirteen years, and was employed at the Phoenix-American Pipe Company. Fellow employees served as pallbearers at the funeral.