

## John H. Ruppert, 72, Dies Unexpectedly

**CLARKSBURG** — John Henry Ruppert, well-known farmer and stockman, died at his home north of Clarksburg early Thursday, June 5. He would have been 73 years old July 9.

He had been in bad health all winter and spring with dropsy and heart trouble but the day before had seemed better and was up and around the house as usual. He consented to let his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Vouk of Little Rock, Ark., return to her home in Little Rock for awhile. News of his death overtook her in St. Louis before she reached home.

He was born at McGirk, Mo., in Moniteau County, July 9, 1868, a son of the late John and Kathryn Ruppert who moved with him and their other children to the farm which was his home for the remainder of his life.

He was united in marriage with Miss Cnie Harris in 1901. To this union three children were born, Raymond, who died in infancy, Truman of the home and Lucille, now Mrs. J. A. Vouk of Little Rock. One sister, Mrs. Emma Smith of Alhambra, Calif., also survives, but ill health prevented her from coming for the funeral.

Funeral services were held at the Clarksburg Baptist church Saturday afternoon with his pastor, Rev. J. S. Laws, in charge.

Pallbearers were Edd Sullins, Henry Williams, George Redding, Alfred Stinson, Tandy Williams and Joe B. Powell. Burial was in the Clarksburg Masonic cemetery.

## Iris Yarnell Bride of James Gregory

Miss Iris Yarnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Yarnell of New Franklin, and James Gregory, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gregory, also of New Franklin, were married Friday morning at 11 o'clock in Fayette. The Rev. J. M. Wilcoxen, pastor of the Baptist church, performed the ceremony at his home.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with white accessories. Her sister, Miss Frances Yarnell, served as her maid of honor and she wore a sky blue ensemble with navy blue accessories. Ellis Chester served as best man.

Following a short wedding trip to Kansas City the couple returned to New Franklin to make their home in the Howard Apartments in New Franklin. Mr. Gregory is employed by the M.-K.-T. Railroad.

## E. W. McClammer Jr., Weds Miss LaBoube

E. W. McClammer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McClammer of Blackwater and Miss Gladys LaBoube, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. LaBoube, also of Blackwater, were married Saturday evening at Sedalia.

The bride is a graduate of Blackwater High School, class of 1936, and of the General Hospital Nursing School in Kansas City. Since that time she has been employed at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis.

Mr. McClammer is employed in the water service department of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. They will make their home in Sedalia.

## IRVIN LEE TAYLOR MARRIED

Irvin Lee Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Taylor of Tulsa, Okla., and former residents of Boonville, was married to Miss Patricia McVay, daughter of Mrs. Minnetta H. McVay, of Tulsa, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The ceremony took place at the Bishop Brook Chapel Trinity Episcopal church in Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. Taylor was graduated from the Boonville High School, class of 1937 and is employed in the S. G. Holmes, Clothing Store in Tulsa.