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Hazell Rites To Be Sunday

Funeral services for Morton L. Hazell, 49, who died yesterday at his home after an extended illness, will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Harouff & Buis service chapel. Dr. Evan Reiff, pastor of the First Baptist church, will officiate.

Interment will be in Mt. Vernon cemetery. The American Legion will conduct military services at the grave. The body will remain at the Harouff & Buis mortuary until the funeral hour.

Mr. Hazell, who owned the Hazell Ice & Coal Co., 112 Commercial street, established his business 17 years ago. He was a veteran of World War I and had lived here since 1916.

A friendly and congenial man, Mr. Hazell held a very large acquaintance. He worked hard to build up a substantial business and was esteemed for his integrity and his willingness to serve others. Without doubt he was one of the best liked business men in the community.

Morton Leslie Hazell was born Oct. 20, 1896, at Boonville, Mo., and was reared on a farm near there. He moved to Atchison with his parents, the late Leslie and Frances Hazell. His father served several railroads in maintenance work.

Until entering the army in 1917, Morton Hazell was employed by the Atchison Leather Products Co., and returned to his job after the conclusion of the first World War. He entered business for himself in 1928.

MARRIED IN 1924

June 10, 1924, he was united in marriage with Miss Catherine Cecelia Flynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Flynn of Atchison. The family home has been at 824 South Seventh street for 15 years.

Mr. Hazell's illness began a year ago. He was forced to stop work.
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ing in the middle of September and since then his condition had grown continuously worse. Mrs. Hazell has been in charge of coal and ice office since August.

Mr. Hazell was a member of the Baptist church and the American Legion.

He leaves his wife and two daughters, Miss Ruthanna Hazell, who is in nurse's training at St. Joseph's hospital, St. Joseph, and Miss Doris Elizabeth Hazell of the home.