OBITUARIES

Dan Peoples

Dan Peoples, 66, 1317 East Fifth, died at his home at 7:30 a.m. Monday a few minutes after he was stricken by an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Peoples was born near Syracuse, June 2, 1904, son of the late Thomas Samuel and Florence Burns Peoples. His early life was spent in Morgan County.

He married Miss Irene Blankenship at Sedalia, March 3, 1945. They lived all of their married life in Sedalia. Mr. Peoples was employed as a crossing guard for the Whittier School.

Mr. Peoples is survived by his widow, Mrs. Irene Peoples; three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Aldrich, Syracuse; Mrs. Edna Billingsley, Raymore, Mo.; Mrs. Stella Boucher, Murphysboro, Ill.; two brothers, Orley Peoples, Los Angeles, Calif.; and Charles Peoples, Ottville, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Russell Bellamy officiating.

Burial will be in the Syracuse Cemetery.

The body is at the funeral home, where the family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Maude Stegner

Mrs. Maude Stegner, 83, 824 West 20th, died at the Bothwell Hospital at 9 a.m. Monday. She had been a patient at the hospital since Nov. 28.

Mrs. Stegner was born at Tipton, Aug. 23, 1882, daughter of the late Morton and Martha Clark Crawford.

She was married at Boonville in 1903 to Henry Stegner, who died in August, 1930.

Mrs. Stegner was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

She is survived by a number of nieces and nephews and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Otis Leeper, 902 West 20th.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing Funeral Home at 11 a.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Charles Hendrickson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in the Walnut Grove Cemetery at Boonville.

The body is at the funeral home.

Charles Leon Smith

SMITHTON — Charles Leon Smith, 93, died Sunday morning at his home here.

He was born in Morgan County, Sept. 23, 1877, son of the late Joseph and Mary Thomas Hornam Smith. On April 2, 1899, he married Carrie E. Page, Smithton, who preceded him in death Feb. 21, 1952.

He was a member of the Methodist Church here and was a retired farmer and mail carrier.

He is survived by a son, Kenneth Smith, Smithton; a daughter, Mrs. Suzie Marie Miller, Blue Springs, Mo.; seven grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Neumeyer Funeral Home here with the Rev. E. F. Dillon officiating.

Mrs. Sheldon Smith and Mrs. Shelby Kahrs will sing, accompanied on the organ by Miss Laura Kruse.

Pallbearers will be Max Smith, Charles Smith, Ronald Bolte, Jack Hume, Roy Miller Jr. and Allen Atkin.

Burial will be in the Smithton Cemetery.

Paul Douglas Hewitt

KNOB NOSTER — Paul Douglas Hewitt died Monday at the Johnson County Memorial Hospital, Warrensburg.

Funeral arrangements will be announced by Sweeney-Phillips Funeral Home.