B.L. HILDEN
Mr. B.L. Hilden, age 86, of Route 1, Boonville, passed away at Cooper County Memorial Hospital early Tuesday morning, June 1, 1976. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the B.W. Thacher Funeral Home.

BERRY MIZE
Mr. Berry Mize, age 89, a resident of Bunceton, passed away Sunday evening May 31, 1976 in Columbia following a long illness. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at the B.W. Thacher Funeral Home with the Rev. Vernon Quint officiating. Friends may call at the B.W. Thacher Funeral Home from 3:00 p.m. Tuesday until time for services.

Richard Berry Mize was born in Boone County on October 25, 1886, the son of Joshua and Fannie Colvin Mize. He was married to Polly Baldwin in 1920. She preceded him in death in 1957.

Mr. Mize leaves one brother, Nathen Mize of Boonesboro, and one half sister, Katherine Greene of Wichita, Kan. He also leaves several nieces and nephews.

He was a charter member of the Four Square Church, a veteran of World War I and a member of the Bunceton American Legion. Interment will be in the Bunceton Masonic Cemetery.

LUTHER SCHILB
Funeral services were conducted for Luther Herman Schilb at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 30, at the Niebuhr and Vitt Funeral Home, Washington, Mo., with the Rev. R.F. Loesche, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Washington officiating. Burial was in St. Peters Cemetery, Washington, Mo.

Luther H. Schilb, Villa Ridge, died suddenly May 27, 1976. He was born July 21, 1920, the son of Fred and Amalia Stock Schilb in Cooper County. He was baptized and confirmed in the Pleasant Grove Immanuel Lutheran Church, Prairie Home. On April 18, 1953 he was married to Regina Kindel Vondra.

He is survived by his wife of the home, one daughter, Mrs. Russell Femmer, Florissant; one brother, George Schilb, Boonville; four sisters, Mrs. James (Marie) Shoemaker, Blue Springs; Miss Mabel Schilb and Mrs. Clyde (Dorothy) Spillman, Kansas City, and Mrs. Albert (Josephine) Anderson, Los Angeles, Calif., three grandchildren and four nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and six sisters.

Pallbearers were: Amos Stock, Norman Lenger, Bob Kindel, David Kindel, John Weinrich, Harold Apprill.

MARTHA BLECKMANN
Martha Bleckmann, 81 of St. Louis, was a former resident of Boonville, died Friday, May 28, 1976 at Hamilton Medical Center in St. Louis. Graveside services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at the St. Peter & Paul Church Cemetery in Boonville.

Mrs. Bleckmann was born Dec. 11, 1894 in Missouri, the daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Schwartzendahl Borgmeyer. She married Norbert Bleckmann, who preceded her in death.


Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Alexander & Sons Funeral Home in St. Louis.

CHARLES CARSON
Services for Charles Thomas (Babe) Carson, 75, of Otterville, were held Saturday afternoon, May 30 at the Otterville Baptist Church with burial in Toop Cemetery. Mr. Carson died Thursday, May 27, 1976 at Boone County Hospital in Columbia.

Mr. Carson, an Otterville resident since 1952, was born Feb. 18, 1901, at Syracuse, the son of Henry Tillman Carson and Sarah Griswald Carson. He married Lula Francis Homan on April 15, 1929.

Mr. Carson was a blacksmith at Fortuna and Versailles before he moved to Otterville, where he ran a service station and drove the school bus. He retired in 1968.

He is survived by his wife, the home; one daughter, Mrs. Gary Opal Johnson, of Sedalia; two sisters, Mrs. Francis Johnson, of Tipton; and Mrs. Rosa Himmel of Fortuna; one brother, Pete Carson, of Marshall, and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: E.H. Fowler, Burford Jenkins, J.F. Johnson, Sammy Potter, Ralph Williams and Cecil Rogers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lynn Wells, Boonville, announce the birth of a son born at 1:55 a.m. May 16, 1976, at Boone County Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs. 15 oz. and has been named Ray Lynn Wells Jr.

Grandparents are Erwin and Glosemeyer, Glasgow, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Eugene Wells Jr., Fayette.

Sergeant and Mrs. Dennis Jackson, Glousted, Va. are.