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MARY E. STEELE

Mary E. (Marie) Steele, 60, died at her home in Latrobe, Pa.

Services were held at the Sacred Heart Church in Latrobe, Pa. Graveside services will be held at 11

a.m. Wednesday at the Ridge Park Cemetery. Cremation. ✓

Mrs. Steele was preceded in death by her husband, James H. Steel in 1962.

MERIAM R. SIEFKAS

Meriam R. Siefkas, 77, of Marshall, died Friday, March 4, at the Columbia Regional Hospital in Columbia.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. today at the Campbell-Lewis Chapel. The Rev. Albert Bunch officiated. Burial was in the Ridge Park Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to the New Salem Baptist Church or the Cancer Fund. ✓

Mrs. Lee McCorkle, organist, played "Ivory Palaces" and "How Great Thou Art."

Pallbearers were Jim Pointer, Jim Yokeley, Pat Herndon, Don Schnell, Ray Land and Fred Siefkas.

Born March 24, 1905 in Saline

County, she was the daughter of the late Robert M. Renison and Amy R. Horton Renison. On Jan. 5, 1919 she was married to Claude L. Siefkas and he preceded her in death on Jan. 23, 1977. Mrs. Siefkas was a member of the New Salem Baptist Church. She had lived in Marshall since 1979 moving from a farm near Marshall Junction. She was a graduate of the Missouri Valley College.

Survivors include two sons, Jim Siefkas of Lacrosse, Wisc.; Bill Siefkas of Marshall; three grandchildren, Bill Siefkas, Nicole Siefkas, Heide Siefkas, and one brother, Robert Renison of Fairmont, Minn.

MRS. HARRY G. SMITH

Mrs. Harry G. (Mittie) Smith, 91, formerly of Nelson, Mo., died Saturday, March 5, at the Boone County Hospital in Columbia.

Graveside services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Nelson Cemetery. Visitation will be from 7 to 8:30 tonight at the Campbell-Lewis Chapel. ✓

Born May 22, 1891 in Nelson, Mo., she was the daughter of the late John Finis Finley and Nancy Rebecca Finley. On Oct. 1, 1913 she was married to Harry G. Smith and he preceded her in death on June 29,

1967. Mr. and Mrs. Smith farmed in the Napton community and owned and operated a grocery store in Nelson for many years. Mrs. Smith had been a resident of the Heritage Hall Nursing Home in Centralia, Mo., for the last several years. She was a member of the Nelson Methodist Church.

Survivors include a nephew, John H. Buxton of Kansas City, Kan., and two nieces, Mrs. Fred (Reba) Meinershagen of Columbia and Mrs. Ray (Mittie) Tanner of Marshall.

She was preceded in death by a niece, Mrs. Maurine Hamer.

WILLARD H. HALL

Willard H. Hall, 90, of Slater died Sunday, March 6 at Fitzgibbon Hospital.

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, at the Braun Funeral Home in Slater. Burial will be in the Slater City Cemetery. The family will receive friends after 7:00 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. ✓

Born Sept. 28, 1892 in Saline County, Mo., he was the son of the late Lindsay Hall and Nellie Woodson. On March 14, 1945 in Fulton, Mo. he was married to Hazel Walden and she survives of the

home. Mr. Hall was a retired employee for the C. & A. Railroad having worked for the railroad for 44 years. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Concord Christian Church.

Survivors include one step-son, Wesley Riesinger of San Mateo, Calif., one step-daughter, Eileene Roginski of Walbridge, Ohio, two brothers, Tom Hall of Savanna, Mo. and Silas Hall of Slater, one sister, Ollie Pledge of Sedalia, Mo., six step-grandchildren and 16 step-great-grandchildren.