Garnet M. Houx, 84

Garnet M. Houx, 84, of Boonville and formerly of Holden, died Saturday, May 5, 1990, in Columbia at the university hospital. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Pittsville Cemetery near Holden, with Rev. Kay Laine officiating. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Ward Funeral Home of Chilhowee, Missouri.

Mrs. Houx was born December 13, 1905, at Holden, daughter of Clyde and Hattie Miller Giltner. She was married February 2, 1929, at Holden to Perry Lawson Houx. He preceded her in death in May 1956.

Mrs. Houx was a homemaker. She was a member of the Blackwater Methodist Church near Holden and a 50-year member of the Royal Neighbors of Holden.

Survivors include one daughter, Beverly Lewis of Boonville, and three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one son, Keith Houx.

Memorials are suggested to the Special Olympics or the charity of the donor's choice.

Lola Mae Whitlow, 89

Lola Mae Whitlow, 89, formerly of Blackwater, died Saturday, May 5, at the Colonial Gardens Nursing Home in Boonville. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Meisenheimer Funeral Home in Pilot Grove with Rev. Steve Helea officiating. There will be no visitation.

Burial will be in the Old Lamine Cemetery near Blackwater. Pallbearers will be Donald Whitlow, Charlie Whitlow, H.C. Whitlow, Wilbur Lammers, John Nowlin and Norbert Ihmoff.

Mrs. Whitlow was born November 24, 1900, in Cooper County, the daughter of William Henry and Melissa Haley Mercer. She was married September 8, 1919, in Blackwater to John Whitlow. He preceded her in death June 30, 1983.

Survivors include one son, Warner L. Whitlow of Blackwater; one daughter, June Cramer of Omaha, Nebraska; one sister, Nellie Whitlow, of Republic, Missouri; one grandson and one great-grandson.

George E. Brownfield, 72

George E. Brownfield, 72, of California, Missouri, died Saturday, May 5, 1990, at Memorial Community Hospital in Jefferson City, Missouri. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Bowlin-Cantriel Funeral Home in California, Missouri, with Rev. John Rice officiating. Burial will be in Pilot Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. today.

Mr. Brownfield was born October 4, 1917, at Pilot Grove, the son of Curry David and Effie Mae Tally Brownfield. He was married October 1, 1941, at Warrensburg to Margaret Walker, who survives of the home.

Mr. Brownfield was a signal maintainer for the Missouri-Pacific Railroad for 38 years. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in California.

He was a graduate of Pilot Grove High School and served in the Navy during World War II. He was a member of Waverly Lodge No. 61 AF and AM.

Surviving are two sons, David Brownfield of Kokomo, Indiana, and Gary Brownfield of St. Louis, Missouri; one daughter, Judy Hunt; one stepson, Richard Tally; one brother, John Brownfield; two sisters, Jean Shook and Juanita Craig; and two grandchildren.