

DEATHS

Luther J. Luckett Ames, Iowa

Luther J. Luckett, 100, formerly of Sedalia, died Sunday, July 2, at the North Grand Care Center, Ames, Iowa.

He was born Nov. 21, 1894, in San Francisco, the son of Thomas Rees and Annie M. Gilmore Luckett. In 1918 in Kansas, he married Emily Schmid, who died July 7, 1975. In 1977 in Kirkwood, he married Anna Harris, who died in 1987.

Mr. Luckett grew up in Dresden and graduated from Sedalia High School. He attended the University of Missouri School of Journalism. He was in the advertising business prior to World War II. He was a combat veteran of World Wars I and II, serving in Europe. He was awarded the Bronze Star in 1945.

In 1946, he became assistant veterans employment representative of Missouri for the U.S. Employment Service, St. Louis, and supervised employment of veterans in the eastern half of the state. In 1955, he returned to Sedalia, supervising placement of all handicapped persons in Missouri as a member of the state employment service. He retired in 1960 and moved to Iowa in 1989.

Survivors include a son, Dudley Luckett, Ames, Iowa, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Memorial Park Cemetery, with Elder James Callis officiating.

Verna R. White, 71, Windsor

Verna Ruth White, 71, died Saturday, July 8, 1995, at her home.

She was born May 28, 1924, near Preston, the daughter of Charles Leslie and Ruth Thomas Green. On Feb. 11, 1946, in Springfield, she married Norman A. White, who survives of the home.

Mrs. White was a homemaker. She was a member of the Harmony Baptist Church near Windsor and the church women's missionary union. She was a member of the Oakland Farm Club.

Other survivors include a son, Gary White, Derby, Kan.; a daughter, Edith Weno, Windsor; three brothers, Ivan Green, Calhoun; Edsel Green, Preston; and Elvin Green, Lebanon; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with the Rev. Bill Bowers officiating and the Rev. Doug Ryan assisting. The family will receive friends from 7 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

The family suggests contributions to the Ellis Fischel Cancer Hospital, Columbia, or the Twin Lakes Hospice, in care of the funeral home.

William O. Jones Brooklyn, N.Y.

William O. Jones, 66, formerly of Sedalia, died Friday, June 30, 1995, at Kings County Hospital in Brooklyn.

He was born Sept. 13, 1928, in Sedalia, the son of Zenobia and Ruby Richard Jones. He graduated from Sumner High School

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