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Peter Trester, Civil War Veteran, Dies

Funeral Will Be Held Saturday Morning At S.S. Peter and Paul's Church

Peter Trester, Boonville Civil War veteran, died at 6:25 a. m. Thursday morning at his home at 417 Seventh street following failing health of some time.

Peter Trester was born at Alace-Lorraine, France, June 28, 1843, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Trester, Sr. At the age of 12 he came to the United States with his parents and settled at Cincinnati, Ohio. At the age of 18 he enlisted in the Union Army, in the Twelfth Ohio Infantry, under General J. D. Cox. This detachment left its training quarters on July 24, 1861, and fought in and around West Virginia. Later in the war Mr. Trester enlisted in the Twenty-Third Ohio Infantry, in which he remained until the end of the conflict.

In 1867, two years following the close of the war, Mr. Trester moved from Cincinnati to Boonville. He made the entire trip by steamboat. He was married 47 years ago to Miss Kathryn Thomas of Boonville, who preceded him in death on March 7, 1878.

He is survived by five children: William Trester of Armstrong; Harry P. Trester, Anna Gertrude Trester, John Trester and Leo Trester, all of Boonville.

Definite arrangements for the funeral services have not been made, but the ceremonies will be held at S.S. Peter and Paul's Catholic church Saturday morning.

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Mrs. T. A. Smith of Ardmore, Okla., Died

Thomas Smith and Mrs. W. W. Hanna returned Wednesday morning from Ardmore, Okla., where they were called by the sickness and death of his mother, Mrs. T. A. Smith, who died at the Von Keller Hospital in Ardmore, June 2.

Funeral services were held by Dr. Wyath, pastor of the Presbyterian church, at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 4. Burial was made in Rose Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Smith before her marriage was Miss Mable Boone and was reared in Boonville. She is survived by her husband, T. A. Smith, of Ardmore, two sons, Joseph L. of Ardmore and Thomas B. of Boonville; by two brothers, B. L. Boone of Wellsville, Kans., and Joseph O. Boone of Boonville, and by three sisters, Mrs. W. W. Hanna and Miss Hattie Boone of Boonville, and Mrs. P. A. Carry of Beaman.