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### John A. Stephens Dies At Bunceton

BUNCETON - Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Parker Funeral Home in Bunceton for John Arbuckle Stephens, who died June 29 at Bunceton where he spent his entire life.

The Rev. H. A. Wood of Otterville was in charge of the services. Burial was in the Bunceton Masonic Cemetery.

Mr. Stephens was a son of Joseph Laurence and Lydia Corum Stephens and was born near Bunceton Aug. 23, 1861. He was married to Miss Sophia Allison Dec. 24, 1885, who preceded him in death Feb. 24, 1899. To this union were born seven children, two having died in infancy.

Mr. Stephens is survived by Whitney A. Stephens, Mrs. R. M. Hutchison, Clyde P. Stephens, all of Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Frank Gholson of Clinton, Okla.; and Miss Gladys Stephens of the home. He also leaves three grandchildren.

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