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that was destroyed by fire in February, 1953.

Mrs. Joseph Smith Dies Unexpectedly

OTTERVILLE — Mrs. Ida J. Smith suffered a stroke while attending a church program here Sunday evening and died one hour later at 9:10 at her home west of here.

Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church in Smithton tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 with the Rev. Mr. Butts officiating. Burial will be in the IOOF cemetery here.

Mrs. Smith was born in Morgan county Sept. 5, 1884, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Rodenbach. She was confirmed when young at the Evangelical church in Florence and later became a member of the Methodist church at Smithton.

She was married March 9, 1905, to Joseph T. Smith, and the couple had eight children. An infant daughter and a son, Jack, 7, preceded her in death.

Survivors include: the husband; two daughters, Mrs. Earl Hopkins of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Harry Wahrenbrock, Sedalla; four sons, Charles and Bobby of Kansas City, Nolan, Sedalla, and Nelson, Aurora, Colo.; a brother, Conrad Rodenbach, Lebanon, and a sister, Kate Wagenknecht; seven grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

The Neumeyer Funeral Home, Smithton, is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Hutchison was from Clarksburg. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alpha M. Hutchison, and a son, Loren of the home, and by three daughters, Mrs. L. R. Grieves, Little Rock, Ia.; Mrs. J. M. Burrus, Sioux City, Ia., and Mrs. P. E. Kern, Cleveland. Services and burial will be in Clarksburg.

Mr. Hutchison's body was found with driftwood at a bend in the river, John W. Lowmiller, sheriff of Platte county, said. He said members of the dredging crew first noticed the body.



Pete Christus and his six brothers left to right, Chris, Kostas, Pete, Vlas Tsirtis of Boonville, Leonidas, Algeris.

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