

SAM MONROE

Fred Arthur (Sam) Monroe, 66, a resident of Boonville, died early Tuesday morning, Sept. 3, 1974, at Veterans Hospital at Columbia, after a long illness.

Mr. Monroe was born Nov. 14, 1907, the son of James and Maude Monroe, in Prairie Home. He was a member of the Gooch Mill Baptist Church. He also was a veteran of World War II and a member of Taylor Jones Post 49.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Edna Mae Turner, Kansas City, Mo. and Mrs. Loretta Morris Kansas City, Mo.; two brothers, Emery Monroe of Boonville, and Vachel Monroe of Boonville; 11 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; two nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Morgan Street Baptist Church with the Rev. N.H. Coleman officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery.

Friends may call at the May and Son Funeral Home from Friday morning until noon Saturday and then at the Church until time of the services. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday.

VIVIAN WEAR

OTTERVILLE—Vivian Pearl Wear, 79, Otterville, died Tuesday evening (Sept. 3, 1974) at Cooper County Hospital in Boonville.

She was born Nov. 28, 1894, in Otterville, the daughter of James S. and Rose Smith Bane. She was married Sept. 30, 1914, to Augustus W. Wear, who preceded her in death Nov. 12, 1971.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Otterville and also was a member of the Rebekah Lodge. She was a housewife.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Winona Shrout of Bunceton; one son, Glenn Wear of McLouth, Kan.; one sister, Mrs. Irma Wear of Otterville; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the First Presbyterian Church in Otterville with the Rev. John T. Treece officiating. Burial

will be in the IOOF Cemetery at Otterville. The family will receive friends from 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday at the Painter-Woodard Funeral Home in Otterville.

HARRY VERTS

Funeral services for Harry Verts, who died Tuesday morning, will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the William Wood Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Charles Burner officiating.

Burial will be in Walnut Grove Cemetery with graveside services by the Thoma-Tuttle American Legion Post.

Friends may call at the funeral home until time of services.

W. WELDON BALLEW

W. Weldon Ballew died suddenly Tuesday afternoon (Sept. 4, 1974).

He was born Dec. 28, 1895, in Chariton County, the son of Cyrus W. and Gabe Shipp Ballew. He married Jewell A. Grady, Feb. 26, 1920.

He was a member of the Richland Christian Church.

Survivors include the wife of the home, three sons, William W. Ballew of Seattle, Wash., Paul Ballew of Fayette, Harold Ballew of Baldwin, Kan.; one daughter Mrs. Barbara B. Berry of Brunswick, one sister Mrs. Fred Ferguson of Glasgow; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Ralph A. Carr Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Harold Reich officiating. Burial will be in Walnut Rich Cemetery in Fayette.

Police

A minor accident occurred Tuesday about 3:45 p.m. on Spruce Street just west of Main. A parked car owned by John Wood, Boonville, was apparently struck by a vehicle driven by Carol S. Crittenden, Boonville, as she turned right off Main Street. Crittenden apparently tried to avoid a car eastbound on Spruce when she struck the Wood vehicle. She was summoned for careless and imprudent driving. There were no injuries and minor damage.

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