

Ila M. Vansell

Ila M. Vansell, 71, of 1019 East Broadway, died Tuesday evening at Bothwell Hospital.

She was born Sept. 4, 1912, in Warsaw, daughter of Josiah and Margaret Logan Smith. On June 23, 1930, in Sedalia, she married Lester Vansell, who survives of the home.

Mrs. Vansell was raised and educated in Sedalia. She was a member of the Harmony Baptist Church, Aux-Vasse, Mo.

Other survivors include three daughters, Betty Jean Chaney, Kansas City; Patricia Ann Green, Kansas City; Sharon K. Jaeger, Smithton; one sister, Ina Atwell, 3225 West 10th; 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. Friday at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Raymond Knox officiating.

Pallbearers will be James W. Page III, James F. Massey Jr., Ernest D. Green Jr., Lester B. Page, Marvin L. Taylor Jr. and Jimmie D. Vansell Jr.

Burial will be in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday at the funeral chapel.

Myrtle F. Smith

Myrtle F. Smith, 91, Stover; died Thursday morning at a nursing home in Versailles.

She was born Sept. 18, 1892, in Cole Camp, daughter of Gottlieb and Salona McCoy Fischer. On March 10, 1915, she married Joseph T. Smith, who died in 1974.

Mrs. Smith was a member of the Stover United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Hazel Biggs, Stover; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Scrivner Funeral Chapel, Versailles, with the Rev. P.H. Wilbanks officiating.

Burial will be in the Pleasant Union Cemetery, near Cole Camp.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. Friday at the funeral chapel.