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Virgil Schnuck, 84

Virgil Anthony Schnuck, 84, descendant of a pioneer family in Cooper County, died October 7, 1991 at his home in Boonville. Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the William Wood Funeral Home with the Rev. David Puntney officiating. Burial was in Walnut Grove Cemetery. ✓

Virgil A. Schnuck was born September 26, 1907 east of Boonville, the son of John H. and Margaret Oswald Schnuck. He married Ruth Renison on October 14, 1965 at the First Christian Church in Boonville. She survives. Mr. Schnuck had lived all of his life in Cooper County where he farmed and owned Schnuck Construction Company until retiring in 1974.

Surviving in addition to his wife are two stepdaughters, Marilyn Robb Siebert of Wichita, Kansas and Carol M. Meyer of Columbia, six step grandchildren, three step great grandchildren and two nieces, Billie Sisk of Muncie, Indiana and Irene Johnson of Topeka, Kansas. He was preceded in death by three brothers and two sisters.

Pallbearers were Arthur Schnuck, Steve Callis, Danny Zaugg, Gus Schrader, Bill Siebert, Randall Meyer and Jerry Lawson. Honorary pallbearers were Charles Robb, Scott DeClue, Gene Andrews and Dick Blanck.

Memorials are suggested to the First Christian Church or to the Rainbow House.

Mary C. Schuster, 83

Mary C. Schuster, 83 of Boonville died Monday, October 7, 1991 at Cooper County Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at the William Wood Funeral Home with the Rev. David Puntney officiating. Burial will be in Old Lamine Cemetery. ✓ Friends may call at the funeral home after 4 p.m. Wednesday and until the time of the service. The family will receive friends from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Mary C. Schuster was born May 1, 1908 in Prairic Home, the daughter of Warren and Ola McDonald Carpenter. She married Earl Schuster on December 31, 1940 in Kansas City, Missouri, and he preceded her in death in 1971. Mrs. Schuster had lived her entire life in Cooper County. She was employed as a registered nurse at St. Joseph Hospital at the time of her retirement.

Surviving are three brothers, George E. Carpenter of Bella Vista, Arkansas, Warren E. Carpenter of Kansas City, Kansas and Donald M. Carpenter of Parkville, Missouri, a niece, Mary Wright of Kansas City, Kansas and several other nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two sisters.