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OBITUARIES

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Introduction: In the mid-1950s, the %Wright County Republican+newspaper being published in Hartville, was sold to %The Mansfield Mirror.+It was still published under the title of %Wright County Republican+but as a second section to %The Mirror.+In this work there are two 6-month gaps in time sequence where I did not have access to the newspapersõ .one in 1955 and one in 1956.

The date given is when the obit appeared. The paper %came out+on Thursday.

January 1, 1959:

WILLIAM G. CRAIN, 69, died Tuesday at his home near Grovespring. Survivors are his wife, Bessie; 3 brothers, Jessie, H. I. and C. G.; 3 sisters, Zella Shaddy, Mrs. Henry Farmer and Lillie Shaddy. Burial in Shaddy Cemetery.

EMIL L. SWANSON, 80, died Tuesday at his home near Grovespring. Survivors are his wife, Martha; 4 brothers, Victor, Herman, Carl and Eugene; 2 sisters, Freda Peterson and Mae Mills. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

FRED C. GRAY, 85, was found dead Monday in his home in Mansfield. The coroner's verdict was that death occurred Sunday. Survivors include, a daughter, Mary Brunner; 4 sons, Frank, William, Charles and Alfred. Burial in Maple Park Cemetery, Springfield.

WILLIAM F. KILLIAN, 81, died Sunday at his home in Norwood. Survivors are his wife, Bertha Ethel; a daughter, Bertha Mae Keys. Burial in Lone Star Cemetery.

MABEL L. WILLIAMS, 88, died Sunday. She is survived by 2 sons, George and Ross; 4 daughters, Mrs. Mary McIntyre, Mrs. Royal Jackson, Mrs. Fred Fraley and Mrs. Harry Turner. Burial in Fairmont, NB.

VERNER K. RIPPEE, 69, suffered a heart attack in front of the Mansfield Post Office Tuesday and was dead on arrival at the Mansfield Hospital. Survivors are his wife, Pearl; 2 half-sisters, Mrs. C. C. Miller and Mrs. Gladys Milovick. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

OSCAR McNEIL, 68, died Tuesday. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Jackie Shelby; a son, Oscar. Burial in New Home Cemetery.

January 8, 1959:

GROVER OTTO LAND, 68, died at his home in Byers, KS on Dec. 24. He was born Feb. 4, 1890 in Coles County, IL, but came to Wright County at the age of two. He left here in 1915. He died on his 41st wedding anniversary. Survivors are his wife, Mabel; 3 sons; 3 daughters; a sister, Mrs. George Wells; a brother, Glen L. Burial in Kansas.

JESSIE OMER NEWTON, 67, son of Henry G. and Almeda Newton, was born near Odin, MO, April 6, 1891 and died Dec. 20, 1958. He married Gertrude Curtis on Dec. 16, 1913 and to this union were born 3 children. A son, David, preceded him in death in 1943. Survivors are his wife, Gertrude; 2 daughters, Audrey Scotton and Goldie Dunn; 2 brothers, Vernon and Lester. Burial in Newton Cemetery.

January 15, 1959:

ELIZABETH EVELYN POWNALL, 95, died Saturday. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Archie Barr; 3 sons, William B., Mert D. and Everett L. Burial in Evening Shade Cemetery.

HARRY A. SAMUEL, 68, died Dec. 27. He was born near Fort Scott, KS, May 23, 1890, but moved to this area with his parents in 1902. He was too young to help drive the cattle, so he drove one of the wagons used for moving the family. Because of icy roads, nearly two weeks were required to make the trip. He was a mail carrier on a star route from Cedar Gap to Beaver, MO. He lived on farms in Wright and Webster counties until May of 1958 when he and his wife moved to Tarkio. Survivors are his wife, Pearl; 2 sons, Robert and Gilbert. Burial in Tarkio.

WILLIAM E. ROBINSON, 64, Cedar Gap, died Tuesday. Survivors are his wife, Gladys; a son, Francis R.; a daughter, Mildred Eidson; a sister, Margaret Goolsby; a brother, John R. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

PAYTON QUESSSENBERRY, 79, was born in Floyd County, VA on July 4, 1879 and died Jan. 4, 1959 at his home in Macomb Junction. On March 23, 1901 he married Pearlee Gray. Survivors include his wife, Pearlee; a daughter, Cora Schlicher; 4 sons, Orville, Ramie, Edsel and Pete; a sister, Belle Moore. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

THEODORE E. WILLIS, 67, a merchant and stockman in the Hartville community, died Tuesday in his home. Survivors include his wife, Frances; 2 daughters, Eleanor Laws and Rosallie Willis. Burial in Hartville Cemetery.

CURTIS JUSTUS, was born April 17, 1875 in Montezuma, IN but moved with his parents to the Pea Ridge vicinity when he was a young man. About 1915, he left Missouri and lived in Greensburg, KS until his death Jan. 3. He is survived by his wife, Cleora; a half-sister, Ollie Curtis of near Hartville. Burial in Fellsburg, KS.

GLENN A. COPELAND, 69, died Sunday. Survivors include his wife, Audrey; a daughter, Juanice Rimbey; 5 sons, Altan, Darrell, Kurt, Anthony and Stephen; a sister, Lillie Middleton; 2 brothers, Fred and Everett. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

January 22, 1959:

HOBART S. HENSLEY, 61, died Friday at the state sanatorium, Mount Vernon, following surgery. He was born in Mansfield Aug. 24, 1897. Survivors include his wife, Pearl; 2 daughters, Olive Hedley and Angie Porterfield; 2 brothers, W. D. and Gordon. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

OTIS W. KING, 58, died Wednesday. He is survived by his wife, Oma; 3 daughters; 2 brothers, Jesse and Wesley; 3 sisters, Stella Turley, Erma DeVault and Mrs. Eddie Hill. Burial in Prairie Hollow Cemetery.

DONALD COY SHELTON, 23, a former Mansfield resident was killed Friday in an automobile accident east of Lee's Summit, MO. He was born Jan. 11, 1936. He married Doris Stadden in January of 1958. He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moody; his wife, Doris; a son, Donald, Jr; a brother, Darrell L.; a sister, Paula. His mother was the former Ruth Pope; his maternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pope; his paternal step grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moody. Burial in McIntosh Cemetery.

January 29, 1959:

LOUISA L. HUTSELL, 87, left a total of 124 survivors when she died Friday night at her home in Graff. These included 75 great grandchildren, 40 grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren, 4 sons and 3 daughters. Burial in Green Mountain Cemetery.

JESSE ANDREW WELCH, 56, died Saturday. Survivors are 3 sisters, Mrs. Eliga Hurt, Mrs. Gurvis Duggar and Mrs. Arch Turner. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

E. R. "DICK" HOLLAND, former resident of the Wolf Creek community, was born in England and died Monday at his home in Fresno, CA. Survivors are his wife, Docia; a daughter, Emma Zimmerman; 2 sons, Bill and Mac; a sister, who lives in England. Burial in Fresno, CA.

MORRIS M. BRADFIELD, 45, former resident of Mansfield, died Thursday at his home in Tulsa, OK. Survivors are his wife, Opal; a son, Eddy; a daughter, Linda Yocum; his mother, Margaret Bishop; a brother W. O. Bishop; 2 sisters, Mrs. Earl Freeman and Mrs. William Edwards. Burial in Cassville.

February 5, 1959:

EDNA WEAVER, died Wednesday. Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. L. D. Allen; a son Raymond. Burial in Prospect Cemetery.

RAY RILEY, 64, a former Mansfield resident, disappeared Feb. 5. His body was found hanging from a tree in Taney County, Saturday. Authorities state that he apparently had taken his own life. Survivors are his wife, Opal; a son, John; 2 sisters, Lula Riley and Nora Shreeve. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

February 19, 1959:

GEORGE H. AYERS, 70, a former rural mail carrier at Mansfield and Hartville, died Friday in Oklahoma. He had also taught at the Oetting and Pea Ridge schools. Survivors include his wife, Cleo; a son, Bill; 2 daughters, Hazel Claxton and Ruth Thorman; a sister, Clara Smith. Burial in Oklahoma.

MRS. LEO D. WOOD, 27, died Tuesday of internal injuries suffered when a tree fell on her. She was assisting her husband in cutting down some trees and the tree fell in an unexpected direction. Survivors include her husband; two pre-school age children, Chris and Cathy; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis. Burial in Versailles, MO.

JOEL EDWARDS, 91, died recently at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Don Venable of the New Home community. He is also survived by his wife, Laura.

February 26, 1959:

OREN VICTOR "VIC" SHORT, 47, former Mansfield resident, was found dead in his apartment in Springfield Tuesday. Death was due to natural causes. Survivors include 2 sisters, Mrs. T. E. Major and Mrs. Lewis Wimmer. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

March 5, 1959:

EDWARD F. McKINLEY, 86, retired Wright County farmer, died Monday. Survivors include 2 sons, Lee Edward and James; 2 daughters, June Dake and Juanita Kelley. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

ROBERT LOUIS HENRY, 77, Mansfield resident, died Friday. Survivors include his wife, Celia; 2 sons, Verlin and Virgil; 4 daughters, Minnie Slate, Alta Henson, Elva Scott

and Bertha Long; 4 brothers, Hobert, Frank, Bert and Scott; 3 sisters, Martha Stile, Sadie Barker and Clella Cole. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

VESTER HENRY, 57, died Thursday in the Frisco Hospital, St. Louis. Survivors include a brother, A. R. Henry. He was a cousin of Robert Louis Henry. Burial in Green Lawn Cemetery, Springfield.

ELMER LINDSAY, 69, of the Morgan community died Feb. 25. Survivors include 2 brothers, J. H. and L. O.; a nephew R. C. Burial in McBride Cemetery.

March 12, 1959:

JESSIE L. CLAXTON, 83, died Monday in her home in Norwood. Survivors are 2 sons, Clarence and Hugh Williams; 2 daughters, Alice Linebarger and Stella Jones; a sister, Florence Fagan; a brother, Willie Allen. Burial in Curtis Cemetery.

AMY IDELIA EMMERSON, 69, Hartville, died Monday. Survivors include 3 daughters, Chlorienne Curtis, Iva Curtis and Annabelle Claxton; 2 sons, Delvin and Clifford; 2 sisters, Elia Keller and Mabel Pownell; a brother, Lee Royster. Burial in Cope Cemetery.

FRED WIDNER, was born in Hartville on Feb. 27, 1890 and died Jan. 29, in a hospital in Greeley, CO. Survivors include his wife, Martha; 3 daughters, Ruth Hayes, Eileen Knudson and Irene Kurtz; a son Kenneth; 2 brothers, Hosea and Curb; 2 sisters, Daisy Shaver and Bessie Carr.

MATTIE POPE, 86, former member of the Harmony Band Singers of Mansfield, died Sunday in CA. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Silas Smith; a granddaughter, Mrs. Paul Veit.

March 19, 1959:

W. C. YEUBANKS, 88, a brother of Mrs. Fred Findley, died Saturday in Coffeyville, KS. Burial was in Coffeyville.

JAMES HARVEY FINDLEY, 80, son of John and Artie Findley, was born April 1, 1878 in Wright County, near Macomb, and died March 8, 1959. He married Minnie Coday Nov. 25, 1906 and to this union were born 4 children. A son died in infancy. Survivors are a son, Homer; 2 daughters, Virgie Hensley and Christeen Schmitt; a brother, W. O.; a sister, Mary Deaver. Burial in Ashley Cemetery.

March 26, 1959:

IVONA I. HANNAFORD, 39, died Sunday. Survivors include her husband, Lawrence; a daughter, Deana Kay; 2 sons, Joe and David Lee; her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Wesley Everett; 2 brothers, Verlin and Dorn Everett; 5 sisters, Yvonne, Mrs. Dean Bradshaw, Mrs. Heinlein, Mrs. Lyndell Beardsley and Mrs. Lila Beardsley.

CORNELIA SLATE, former resident of Brushy Knob, died in Huntington Beach, CA. She was an aunt of Mrs. Aaron Herod.

CHARLES MELVIN, 82, died Saturday. He was a retired farmer and veteran of the Spanish- American War. Survivors include his wife, Rena; 2 daughters, Mrs. Oreth Alford and Mrs. W. M. Abbott; 2 sons, Eugene and Paul; a sister, Lydian McKenzie; a half-brother, Clyde Melvin. Burial in Prospect Cemetery.

DEE MOORE, 71, died Friday at his home northeast of Hartville. Survivors include his wife, Edith; a daughter, Mrs. D. O. Oliphant; a sister, Dora Lewis. Burial in Moore Cemetery.

BERTHA MAY ESRY, 79, died Friday. She is survived by her husband, William; 2 sons, Frank and William. Burial in Holton Cemetery, Holton, KS.

April 2, 1959:

O. R. MILLSAP, 75, died Tuesday. Survivors include 4 sons, Elven, Scott, Donald and Bill; a daughter, Hazel Painter; 4 brothers, Andy, Famp, Perry and Ralph; 2 sisters, Martha Miller and Grace Carley. Burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery.

MRS. HENRY HUTSON, Mrs. Harrison Shaw received word Wednesday of the death of her sister, Mrs. Henry Hutson, 70, of Corryton, TN. She is survived by her husband and 2 children.

FRANCES OWENS, Mrs. Homer Randolph left Monday for Wichita, KS after receiving word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Frances Owens, wife of Roy Owens, which occurred that morning.

April 9, 1959:

ARMINTA WIDNER, 80, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Starr, died April 2 at her home north of Hartville. She was the widow of Marve Widner, who died in 1953. She is survived by 3 sons, Samuel, Warren and Stanford. Burial in Little Creek Cemetery.

JESSE BOYER, 67, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Boyer, died March 29 in Houston, TX. He is also survived by a daughter and 3 sons. Burial in Houston.

April 16, 1959:

MARGARET CLAXTON, 76, former Mansfield resident, died Tuesday in a rest home in Mountain Grove. Survivors include a brother, W. D. Young; 2 nieces, Mrs. Lonnie Deckard and Edith Dedmon; a nephew, Ed Patterson.

MERL HUNTER, of Odin received fatal injuries and her husband, Samuel David Hunter, 52, was critically injured Tuesday night in a one-car accident. The accident occurred one mile east of Hartville on Highway 38. Due to the lack of skid marks, it is thought Hunter fell asleep as the car went down a hill, rounded a curve and hit a tree. Mr. Hunter was unable to talk much at the hospital, but said that he thought something happened to the car, meaning mechanically. Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Dwight Henslee; a son Robert; a brother, Everett Hurley. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

MINNIE PLASTER, 55, died April 8. Survivors are 2 sons, Howard and Dale; her father, Jim Matney; 3 stepsons, Floyd, Leroy and Willie; 2 sisters, Dora Dalton and Lela Prebble; 2 brothers, Earl and Clifford Matney. Burial in Souder Cemetery.

April 23, 1959:

HUBERT V. RIPPEE, a native of Wright County, died April 7 in a San Diego, CA hospital. He was the son of F. A. and Trude Rippee. He is survived by his wife, Marie; his father; a son, Frank J.; 2 sisters, Mrs. E. W. Scott and Lorene Higgins; 4 brothers, C. N., John, Bernis and Robert. Burial in San Diego.

April 30, 1959:

TENNESSEE ANN KELLEY, 87, died April 21. Survivors are 2 daughters, Mrs. Albert Craig and Mrs. Myrtle ?; a sister Mae Grimes; a brother, John Rose. Burial in Little Creek.

ACE E. TARBUTTON, 73--Funeral services were held Wednesday in Springfield, MO with burial in East Lawn Cemetery. He was a former sawmill operator and retired farmer, who left Mansfield about 5 years ago. Survivors are his wife, Edna; 2 sons, Ellis and John; 4 daughters, Mrs. Amon Coday, Mrs. J. D. Thornton, Mrs. William Goss and Helen Sue Tarbutton; 2 nephews, Clyde and Wayne Tarbutton.

EFFIE L. HANDY, 59, died Wednesday. She married Roy Handy April 5, 1936. Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Blanche Phillips; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Joe Bucherie; a stepson, LeRoy Handy; 2 brothers, Ray and Ernest Scott. Burial in Hillcrest Cemetery.

May 7, 1959:

E. Z. McNEALY, 83, son of Douglas and Ellen McNealy, was born in north Missouri March 14, 1876 and died Monday. He was united in marriage to Etta Lea Oliver Oct. 28, 1899. She preceded him in death April 11, 1949. A son, Loman, also preceded him in death Nov. 14, 1947. Survivors include 6 sons, Jess, Connie, Ezra, Winburn, Lawrence and Burvey; 4 daughters, Artie Tuter, Julia Hightower, Ethel Henslee and Ruth Long. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

CHARLES L. PAXTON, 71, died Friday. Survivors include 4 sons, Marvin, Earl, Don and Charles; 2 daughters, Leona Trennepohl and Laura Portrey. Burial in Oak Hill Cemetery of Carrollton, MO.

May 21, 1959:

GIB CHANDLER, 83, died at his home in Hartville Sunday. Survivors include 2 sons, Everett and Coday. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

SIM GRAY, 80, of Macomb, died Tuesday. He is survived by a brother, J. W. and a sister, Pearlee Quessenberry. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

DORA BARTLEY, 68, a 30-year resident of Mansfield, died Wednesday. Survivors include her husband, Sam; 2 brothers, Tom and James Calhoun; 3 sisters, Sena Lacey, Ora Finley and Lula Pasley. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

ELMER LOGAN, 75, of Lincoln, MO, died Monday in the home of a brother-in-law, Sam Draper, of Springfield. Survivors are his wife, Cora F.; 2 stepchildren, Betty Meade and S. Ed Llafet. Burial in Prairie Hollow Cemetery.

JIM SHINPAUGH, Mrs. Della Gilley has received word of the death May 9, of her brother-in-law, Jim Shinpaugh, of Shenandoah, IA. The former Mansfield resident is survived by his wife, two sons and a daughter.

June 4, 1959:

DONALD CRAMER, 18, of Norwood, was killed in a car wreck Tuesday. Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cramer. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

PERRY A. "BILL" ALLEN, 51, died Monday. Survivors include 3 daughters, Jeanette, Ruth Ann and Kay; 2 sons, Bill and Jimmie; his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Allen; 3 brothers, Lawrence, Egbert and Murphy; a sister, Maymie Nelson. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

THOMAS V. MOORE, 31, husband of the former Miss Alta B. Collison of the Pea Ridge community, suffered fatal injuries in a car wreck on May 13. Mr. and Mrs. Moore

were married last September in Franklin, KY. She is now with her father, Clarence H. Collison of Lebanon. Burial in Wilson County Memorial Gardens.

RILDA LETSINGER, 85, died Wednesday at her home in Mansfield. Survivors are her husband, Sam; a daughter, Zella Johnson; a son, Alva; 2 sisters, Letha Dennis and Lizzie Hagen. Burial in Prairie Hollow Cemetery.

MRS. TILDEN MINGS, 73, died Friday at her home west of Green Mountain. Survivors are her husband, Tilden; 2 sons, Dan and Leonard; 4 daughters, Ora Willhite, Lillie Carder, Ella Carder and Mary Clark; 2 sisters, Liz Crisp and Pearl Wade; 4 brothers, Charley, John, Newt and Claude Rogers. Burial in Green Mountain Cemetery.

June 18, 1959:

ROBERT L. DAVIDSON, a farmer northwest of Hartville, suffered fatal injuries in a two-car accident near Independence, KS, two weeks ago while on a trip to Wichita. Survivors include his wife, Ethel; 3 sisters, Mrs. Elmer Lemons, Mrs. Elsie Newton and Mrs. Thelma Williams. Burial in Little Creek Cemetery.

MARTHA EDGERTON, 81, daughter of Rev. A. H. and Mary Hawkins, was born in Wright County Oct. 21, 1877 and died June 15, 1959. On Jan. 11, 1899 she married Homer L. Edgerton, who preceded her in death March 3, 1948. A daughter, Vera, also preceded her in death. She was a lifelong resident of Wright County who made her home in the Grovespring community. She is survived by 3 sons, Earl, Ernest and Wayne. Burial in Bramhall Cemetery.

July 25, 1959:

LYDIA M. WARD, 70, died Wednesday at her home in Mansfield. Survivors include her husband, Jim; a daughter, Vida Livingston; a son, Wayne; 2 brothers, Roscoe and R. T. Allen; a sister Belle Ussery. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

WILLIAM LEROY WOOD, 73, died June 2 in Walker, MO. He was born in Wright County. Survivors are a son, Everett; a daughter, Edna; a sister, Mrs. A. D. Thomas; 6 brothers, Herbert, E. C., Jim, George, Lewis and Robert. Burial in Deerfield Cemetery.

EVERT GOURLEY, 67, died Sunday at his home north of Hartville. Death was due to a self-inflicted wound from a .22 caliber rifle. Survivors are his wife, Clara; 2 sons, Darrell and Harold; a sister, Ethel White. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

July 2, 1959:

JOSEPHINE FLETCHER, 70, of Manes, died Saturday. Survivors are her husband, Cleve; a daughter, Lavelle Moseley; a son, Dale; 3 brothers, Arthur, Jason and Charley

Wynn; 4 sisters, Ada Kincheloe, Versa Garner, Opal Chambers and Audrey Sandlin. Burial in Manes Cemetery.

CATHERINE CONNOLLY, 85, of Norwood, died Friday. She was the widow of Peter L. Connolly, who died in 1955. Survivors are a son, J. L.; a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Lachmund. Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, Springfield.

HERBERT LEE McMURTREY, 70, died Friday from injuries suffered when he fell from the top of his home three weeks earlier. Survivors are his wife, Ora; a daughter, Lucille Barnett; 2 sons, Harold and William. Burial in Keller, TX.

LORAN C. WILLARD, 67, died Monday at his home at Norwood. Survivors are his wife, Mildred; 3 sons, Clarence, Reed and Raymond; 5 daughters, Betty Bell, Geneva Harris, Evelyn Tieman, Joyce Dumas and Lelah Kendle. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

July 9, 1959:

G. W. CARTER, SR., 60, died Saturday at his home. He was a lifelong resident of Mansfield until moving to Springfield 6 years ago. Survivors are his wife, Blanche; 4 sons, Swede, Lewis, G. W. Jr., and Lynn; 3 daughters, Lunda L. Hickey, June C. Mahaffey and Judy Carter; 2 brothers, Joe and Alva; 2 sisters, Lucy Simpson and Lula White.

RUTH LAKEY, 51, died Monday of last week at her home southeast of Hartville. Survivors are her husband, W. E.; 2 daughters, Jessie Jones and Ann Lakey; 3 brothers, Leonard and Ed Keyes; 3 sisters, Esther Ruffin, Stella Coday and Pearl Skinner. Burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery.

July 16, 1959:

WILLIAM ESRY, 79, died July 8 in the Ruffin Rest Home in Springfield. He had been a resident of the Hartville community for 8 years. His home was completely destroyed by fire Feb. 15, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Esry on March 20. Survivors are 2 sons, Frank and William, Jr. Burial in Holton, KS.

EDITH ANN NICHOLS, 71, died Thursday. She was a long time resident of Webster and Wright counties. Survivors are 3 brothers, Jason, Noah and Foster Nichols; 4 sisters, Lizzie Daniels, Daisy Yates, Grace Cantrell and Florence Cantrell. Burial in Mount Zion Cemetery.

LESLIE STALLINGS, 79, former Hartville resident, died Saturday. He had moved to Springfield about 8 years ago. Survivors are his wife, Myrtle; 2 sisters, Ethel Payne and Louie Stallings; a brother, Charlie.

LILY MAE FOWLER, 54, died Wednesday at her home in Buffalo. Survivors are her husband, C. A.; her mother, Mrs. Arthur Dewey; 3 brothers, Leonard, Melvin and Robert Doyle; 3 sisters, Mary Best, Iva Bennett and Grace McIntosh. Burial in Buffalo.

July 23, 1959:

ORVILLE E. CLAIR, 54, died Tuesday in his home in Mansfield. Survivors are 2 brothers, George and Ernest. Burial in Springfield National Cemetery.

ILA CLAXTON, lifelong resident of Wright County, died in her home south of Competition Friday. Survivors are her husband, Andy; a son, Clarence; 2 brothers, Omar and Elmer Young. Burial in Claxton Cemetery.

OCIA WEBB CHRISTMAS, a native of the Grovespring community, died Saturday in Washington, D. C. where she had lived for the last 35 years. Survivors are a brother, J. W. Webb. Burial in Cuba Cemetery, north of Grovespring.

July 30, 1959:

ALFRED C. BRIKEY, 78, of Norwood, died Saturday. The retired farmer is survived by his wife, Bertha; 4 sons, Harley, Herbert, Loren and Charles; 2 daughters, Stella Morris and Myrtle Akers; a sister, Ona Fox. Burial in Denlow Cemetery.

August 6, 1959:

JOHN DUNCAN, 69, a retired farmer of Grovespring, died Friday at his home in Springfield. In his furniture shop in Springfield, he made the pulpit, 3 chairs, table, altar railings and doors of native oak for the Pleasant Ridge Methodist Church when it was remodeled about 4 years ago. Survivors are his wife, Mable; a son, Evan; a brother, Hanson; a sister, Frona Smith. Burial in the Methodist cemetery on Pea Ridge.

ALLEN MONTGOMERY BROTEMARKLE, 78, former resident of Macomb, died July 29, at his home in Springfield. Survivors are his wife, Lula; a son, Hubert; 2 stepdaughters, Nellie Matlock and Velma Miller; a stepson, Lyle Williams; 2 sisters, Laura Williams and Blanche Sinclair; a brother, Ora. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

JOHN BENJAMIN BRADSHAW, of Norwood, a retired railroad employee, died Monday. Survivors are his wife, Thula Mae; 5 sons, Don, Lester, Gene, LeRoy and Luther; 3 daughters, Juanita Sinning, Betty Davidson and Elizabeth Sinning; 4 brothers, Hile, Henry, Homer and Jim. Burial in Releford Cemetery.

MARION FLOYD GILLY, 79, lifelong resident and farmer of the Norwood community, died Thursday. Survivors include his wife, Mandy; a brother, Emmitt; 3 sisters, Lizzie Holt, Lillie Reed and Ettie Schockley. Burial in Lone Star Cemetery.

August 13, 1959:

GEORGE DUGGIN PROCK, 65, died Thursday in his home in Manes. Survivors are his wife, Tanna; 2 sons, Carl and Leo; 3 daughters, Wilma Bates, Marie Peoque and Hazel Crisp; 2 sisters, Cora Gravens and Fannie Patterson. Burial in Dutch Chapel Cemetery.

MINNIE ELIZABETH BUNN, 64, of the Mt. Zion community, died Wednesday. She was born in Wright County on Nov. 3, 1894 to Thomas and Margaret (Kindrick) Pyatt. She was preceded in death by her 6 brothers, Elmer, Henry, Jesse, William Allen, Walter and an infant. She was married to Fleet P. Bunn on Sept. 30, 1917. Survivors are her husband, Fleet; a daughter, Mrs. LaVera Viетtl; a son, Carlyle. Burial in Mt. Zion Cemetery.

August 20, 1959:

LEWIS S. JONES, 87, lifelong resident of Wright County, died Wednesday in his home north of Grovespring. Survivors are 3 sons, Clarence, George and Eldridge; a daughter, Ethel Calton; 3 sisters, Millie Lowery, Emma O'Dell and Sylvania Bledsoe. Burial in Cuba Cemetery.

ARTIE LEE BOYER, 60, died Thursday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Sponsler, of Hartville. Other survivors are her husband, William F.; 2 brothers, Melvin and Norton Rench; a sister, Bird Dowlen. Burial in Bado Cemetery.

INEZ FREEMAN, 63, formerly of Macomb, died August 15 in Loveland, CO. Survivors include her husband, Arthur; a son, Elmo. Burial in Loveland.

August 27, 1959:

ONA STANIFER, 76, died Friday in Springfield Baptist Hospital. Her husband, John, preceded her in death. Survivors are a son, Murl; 3 daughters, Mary Winkler, Hulda Purkey and Hazel Moles. Burial in Hensley Cemetery.

ARRA BELLE SHULL, 88, died Friday at the home of a daughter, Claddie Nichols of Seymour. Other survivors include 3 sons, Cyril, Noel and Cecil; 3 brothers, Marion, Fred and Argus Palmer; 4 sisters, Olla Massey, Ella Plumlee, Elsie Curry and Dora Gable. Burial in Palmer Cemetery.

September 3, 1959:

JESSIE LOUISE HUFFMAN, 89, daughter of Joseph W. and Elvira Cole Shepard, was born Jan. 17, 1870 at Winona, MN and died Thursday at the home of a son, Marion J. Huffman, at Hartville. When a baby she was brought by her parents in a river boat down the Mississippi from her birthplace to St. Louis, MO where her family resided for

some time. About 1890, the family moved to a farm near Mountain Grove. On July 16, 1899 she was united in marriage to Francis M. Huffman, who preceded her in death Dec. 22, 1951. She is also preceded in death by a son, John B., who died in a car accident in 1936. She had been a member of the First Christian Church of Norwood for more than 50 years. Other survivors include 3 sons, Dr. Max N., Joseph and Kenneth B.; a sister, Sarah Sanders. Burial in Norwood Cemetery.

September 10, 1959:

JOE H. DENNIS, 75, a former Wright Countian, died recently in Exeter, CA. Survivors are his wife, Ella; 3 sons; 3 daughters. Burial in Exeter.

September 17, 1959:

RINDA BRAZEAL, 88, former Mansfield resident, died Wednesday in a Kansas City hospital. Survivors are 3 sons, Wayne, Gus and Tom; a daughter, Jo Wilson. She was born and reared in the Mansfield community and lived here 75 years.

JAMES R. RUSH, Mrs. Ray V. Nichols received word Tuesday morning of the death of her brother, James R. Rush of Webb City. He is also survived by his wife, Ellen; a son, Clarence; 2 sisters, Tina Cox and Lou King; 4 brothers, Perry, Lonnie, John and Fred. Burial in Webb City.

W. H. BRANSTETTER, 72, died Sunday. Survivors include his wife, Carrie; 7 sons, Vergil, Homer, Everett, Harry, Alva, Clifton and Kenneth; 2 daughters, Pansy Stout and Hazel Oliver; 2 brothers, Joe H. and Frank; 2 sisters, Rena Paxton and Martha Denney. Burial in New Hope Cemetery.

BESSIE BEATRICE EMMERSON, 61, daughter of William Joseph and Rena Claxton Thornhill, was born August 31, 1898 in Wright County and died Sept. 11, at her home north of Hartville. On Jan. 1, 1918 she was married to Roy Benson Emmerson. Survivors are her husband, Roy; a daughter, Charlene Walters; a brother, Glenn Thornhill; 2 sisters, Freda Thornhill and Mrs. Waulene Dixon. Burial in Durbin Cemetery.

AZZO C. CANTRELL, 64, died Saturday. Burial in Mount Zion Cemetery.

September 24, 1959:

SNYDER R. CRAIG, 58, widely known banker of Mansfield, died Thursday. He was born in Mansfield April 9, 1901, the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Craig. He is survived by his father and mother; his wife, Blanche; a son, Robert; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Jack Miller; 3 brothers, W. M., J. R. and G. H.; 3 sisters, Lockie Crouch, Wanda Clark and Irene Hicks. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

ARVEL A. HEFNER, 63, died Friday. Survivors are his wife, Zula Opal; 2 sons, Arval and Dooly; a brother, Marshall; 2 sisters, Missouri Ellis and Minnie Butler. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

EDWARD HICKMAN, 95, died Wednesday. Survivors include a son, Knox; 5 daughters, Mrs. Burlie Trapp, Verba Box, Bertha Cline, Roxie Jung and Thula Wagoner. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

October 1, 1959:

MATTIE MAE SHULL, widow of W. A. Shull, was born April 9, 1864 at Fort Dodge, IA and died Sept. 26, 1959. A daughter, Carol, preceded her in death. Survivors include a son, Otis G. Ingham; 2 daughters, Maud Ingersoll and Mrs. A. D. Pomeroy; a brother, Otis Bunblossom; 2 stepchildren; 6 grandchildren, which includes Doris (Mrs. Reuben) Rippee. Burial at Burr Oak, KS.

MRS. BARNEY BECKHAM, born July 18, 1884, a lifelong resident of Wright County died Monday at her home in Hartville. Survivors include her husband; 2 sons, Elmer and William Beasley; a daughter, Faye Goforth. Burial in McBride Cemetery.

HOMER SIKES, Mrs. Rufus McIntosh and Dewey Sikes left Sunday to attend funeral services for their cousin, Homer Sikes, 71, who died Saturday at his home in Bartlesville, OK. He was reared in the Mansfield vicinity but left here about 50 years ago. He is survived by his wife. Burial was in Bartlesville.

MRS. N. J. CRAIG, was born in August of 1878, five miles northwest of Fordland and died Friday in the Mansfield Hospital. Her son, Snyder, died 8 days prior to her passing. Her birth parents were Isaac and Evalyn Stinnett, but she was reared by her foster parents, Lavicia and Balda Anderson. In April of 1899, she married N. J. Craig, who survives. Other survivors include, 3 sons, W. M., G. H., and J. R.; 3 daughters, Irene Hicks, Wanda Clark and Lockie Crouch. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

JAMES WILLIAM PAXTON, 74, former resident of the Hartville community, died Sunday at his home in Seymour. Survivors include his wife, Myrtie; a daughter, Mrs. Ira Brixey; 6 brothers, Dillard, Claude, Ben, Harry, Baxter and Paul. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

MARY JANE NEWTON, former Mansfield resident, died Saturday in a Neosho hospital where she had been a patient since April 1. Survivors include her husband, E. E.; 3 daughters, Mrs. Victor Gleaves, Mrs. Hugh Payne and Mrs. Leon Perkins; 2 sons, Webb and Bob; 3 sisters, Mrs. Julian Davis, Mrs. Otto Draper and Mrs. Rettie Young. Burial in Neosho.

FLORENCE GOSS, 79, longtime resident of Mansfield died Friday at the home of a daughter in Springfield. Survivors are 3 daughters, Annis Iorg, Elsie Martin and Elva Ippock; 3 sons, Theodore, Ova and Alfred. Burial in Newton Cemetery.

October 8, 1959:

SAM C. ERWIN, 83, lifelong resident of Mansfield, died Thursday. His parents were pioneers and came from Tennessee in a covered wagon. Survivors include his wife, Etta; 3 daughters, Ruth Stout, Naomi McCutcheon and Corine Kiger; a son, Sam Jr. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

October 15, 1959:

DORA GERTRUDE MINGUS, 84, daughter of David Ellis, died Sunday. She was the widow of Claude A. Mingus and a sister of Dr. Roy Ellis, President of SMS. Burial in Mount Zion Cemetery.

WILLIAM MARSHALL "PADDY" SCOTT, 89, Norwood, was born Jan. 9, 1871 at Tunis, Dallas County, MO and died Saturday. Survivors include 2 sons, Marion and Roy; 3 brothers, Fate, Waldo and Manie; a sister, Girlie Frink. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

MOLLIE COFFMAN, 78, died Monday at her home north of Hartville. Survivors include a son, James Eden; 2 half-sisters, Nettie Hollis and Myrtle Coffman; 3 half-brothers, Elmer, Fred and Jess Garner. Burial in Coon Creek Cemetery.

October 22, 1959:

JOHN PERRY INMAN, 89, died Saturday at his home in Norwood. Survivors include a son, Orville; 3 daughters, Elva Tuoby, Mamie Roy and Jennie Wells. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

EUGENE C. WAGGONER, 84, died Friday at his home south of Teresita. He is survived by his wife, Lucy; 3 daughters, Irene Woerndle, Norma Gene Simms and Mrs. Tom Abrams; a son, Dow; a sister, Maude Rich. Burial in Corinth Cemetery.

JONES HUNTER, Funeral services for Jones Hunter, former Hartville grocery man, were conducted Saturday in the Hartville Methodist Church. Survivors include his wife, Elsa; 2 daughters, Louis Francis Clinton and Dorothy Dale Edwards; 2 brothers, Jim and George.

October 29, 1959:

DEMER CLAXTON, daughter of James N. and Mary Louvina Davis Todd was born May 13, 1893 at Hartville and died Oct. 19, 1959 at a hospital in Kansas City. She was

united in marriage to David H. Claxton on July 1, 1911 and to this union were born 7 children. She is preceded in death by 2 infant children, Lowell and Norma Dean. Survivors are her husband, David H.; 3 sons, Burvel, Virgil and Daris; 2 daughters, Lucille Clouse and Helen Managiaricina; 3 brothers, Roger, Floyd and Sirel Todd; 6 sisters, Gerta Davis, Vina O'Dell, Effie Roberts, Jewel Lefever, Fyrn DeWitt and Ruby Loutier; her stepmother, Laura Todd. Burial in Durbin Cemetery.

ARMINDA CATHERINE DONELSON, 88, of Hartville, died Oct. 15. She is survived by one daughter, Grace Lunsford. Burial in Little Creek Cemetery.

JOHN CALVIN JONES, 62, son of Tom and Luvina Jones, was born Aug. 27, 1897 in Wright County and died Oct. 22, 1959. He was united in marriage to Eva Robinett on Dec. 14, 1916. Survivors are his wife, Eva; 3 daughters, Mrs. Charles Hefner, Mrs. R. D. Young and Mrs. W. D. Cunningham; 2 sons, Jack and Dwight; 2 sisters, Mrs. Elmer Young and Bertha Jones; 2 brothers, Thurmond and J. F. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

November 5, 1959:

GEORGE STEELE TURNER, 84, died Saturday at his home in Norwood. He is survived by his wife, Ada Bell; 4 sons, Irvin, Gene, Tom and Otis; 2 daughters, Blanche Hill and Delores Schwecheimer; a half-sister, Matilda Grover. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

November 12, 1959:

WILLIAM BRODIE SPARKS, 76, former Wright County resident, died Saturday at his home in Kansas City. Survivors are his wife, Lizzie; 2 daughters, Margaret Jaruta and Mrs. Collier Karzyzek; 4 sons, Ira, Jess, Jack and Elgean; 2 sisters, Milissa Fletcher and Rosetta Ussery; a brother, John. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

EMMA FRINK, 93, former Hartville resident, died Saturday at Rich Hill. Survivors are a son, Tom; a niece, Hazel Anderson; 9 grandchildren, which includes Mrs. Carl Hartley and Mrs. Chester Brazeal. Burial in Wynne Cemetery.

ETHEL PEDERSON, widow of Reuben Pederson, former residents of Mansfield, died Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Melvin Smith of Coffeyville, KS. Other survivors include 3 sons, Wilber, Larry and Henry; 3 daughters, Mrs. Francis Little, Mrs. Clifford Meadows and Mrs. Tommy White; a sister, Mrs. Joe Dembowski. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

November 19, 1959:

CHARLES FRANCIS BROWN, 67, son of Charles F. and Margret Brown, was born Oct. 18, 1892 and died Nov. 14, at his home near Hartville. He was united in marriage

to Mary Grace Lunsford on Jan. 8, 1914. Survivors are his wife, Mary Grace; a daughter, Sylvia Dinwiddie; his mother, Maggie Matthews; 2 brothers, George and Trimmel; 4 sisters, Thelma Whitehead, Golda Allen, Elsie Spiller and Sofia Dembowski.

November 26, 1959:

BERTHA BRIKEY, Norwood, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Myrtle Akers of Minneapolis, MN. Survivors include another daughter, Stella Morris; 4 sons, Harley, Herbert, Lawrence and Charles; a sister, Myrtle Burke; a brother, Orville. Burial in Denlow Cemetery.

MYRTLE G. VANLANINGHAM, 64, Wright County native who moved to California 21 years ago, died in Exeter, CA. Funeral services were held there Saturday. Survivors include her husband, W. M.; 3 daughters, Mrs. Luther Calhoun, Flossie Thuman and Betty Davenport; 4 sons, Raymond, Roscoe, Floyd and Orville; a brother, Jim Gregory; a sister, Inez Tombleson.

December 3, 1959:

HARRISON E. TOOL, 75, of Mountain Grove, died Thursday. Survivors are his wife, Jessie; 2 sons, Ray and Norman; 2 daughters, Maxine and Mildred; 5 sisters, Ida Ross, Rose See, Nellie Bean, Cora Miller and Sarah DeWyapp.

CARRIE M. RHOADES, 63, died Nov. 24. Survivors include 7 sons, Eldon, Roger, Omer, Kenneth, Clyde, Dean and Jess; 8 daughters, Pauline Halford, Loretta Kelly, Hester Moles, Connie Schudy, Ruth Logan, Helen Allen, Bertha Alexander and Margaret Faverty; a brother, Jess Schultz. Burial in Oak Forest Cemetery.

December 17, 1959:

TENNIS VICTOR DAVIS, 55, died Saturday at his home in Hartville. He had been an agriculture instructor at Hartville School for 12 years. He is survived by his wife, Hazel; a daughter, Mrs. Maurice Richardson; a son, Charles E. Burial in Oak Lawn Cemetery, Richland.

December 24, 1959:

OLIVE FLORENCE LONG, 82, died Sunday. Survivors are her husband, William J.; 3 daughters, Vernice Altemose, Clara Hudson and Mrs. Caralos Donaldson; 2 brothers, Arno and Tom Wynn; a sister, Ella Broyles. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

MILTON LONG, 80, was born Aug. 15, 1897 and died Wednesday in his home in Mansfield. He was married Jan. 18, 1903 to Viola Kelley and to this union were born 4 children, Othel, Orvil, Hazel and Steve. Viola and Steve preceded him in death. On March 25, 1946, he married Bertha Henry and to this union was born a son, Gordon.

Survivors are his wife, Bertha; 3 sons, Othel, Orvil and Gordon; a daughter, Hazel Newton; 4 brothers, Joe, John, Henry and Alvin; a sister, Elvina Shepard; 2 stepdaughters, Wanda Mortenson and Reba Churchel. Burial in Curtis Cemetery.

December 31, 1959:

GEORGE W. QUESSENBERRY, 63, died Friday, 10 days after injuries suffered when he fell onto a motor operated wood saw. Survivors include his wife, Emma; a daughter, Helen Doy; a son Jack; 3 sisters, Clara Tinsley, Emma Garner and Addie Quessenbury. Burial in Coon Creek Cemetery.

RICHARD L. FERGUSON, 64, died Monday. Survivors are his wife, Inez; a son, Richard Lee Jr.; a daughter, Betty Fletcher; 3 brothers, Edwin, Jim and John William; a sister, Fannie Miller. Burial in Thomas Cemetery, Norwood.

January 7, 1960:

JOSEPH THEODORE WILLIAMS, 84, of Grovespring, died Sunday in the state hospital at Nevada. Survivors are his wife, sons and 4 daughters. Burial in Cuba Cemetery.

LILLIE PEARCEY BROTEMARKLE, 70, of Atlanta, MO, died Dec. 27. She had taught school at Macomb and was a Sunday school teacher for many years. Survivors include her husband, Ora; 2 sons, Henry and Jack; a daughter, Jean; a sister, Mrs. Sam Williams. Burial in Atlanta, MO.

IRA TIPTON "UNCLE TIP" DIXON, 79, was born Sept. 19, 1880 in Gary, IN and died Jan. 3. He was married to Mable Gilbert. A daughter, Fay, died in infancy. Survivors are 2 sons, Gene and Gilbert; a daughter, Mary Ward; an adopted daughter, Mrs. Elmo Jean DuFrene. Burial in New Hope Cemetery.

HOSEA NICHOLS OLIVER, 70, son of Mattie Nichols and Leatue Oliver, was born June 15, 1889 and died Jan. 1, 1960. He was united in marriage Aug. 16, 1909 to Gertie Wood. A daughter, Carmalita, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Gertie; a daughter, Juanita Hansford; 3 sons, Burnis, Burt and Berlin; 2 half-brothers, Jack and Foster; 2 half-sisters, Roxie Hollister and Gladys Green. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

WILLIAM JASON FINDLEY, son of Mary Elizabeth Newton and George Henderson Findley, was born Dec. 23, 1871 and died Dec. 26, 1959. He was a lifelong resident of Wright County. Both of his parents were of pioneer families, who were responsible in no small measure for the settlement of the county. On Dec. 8, 1907 he married Essa Fuson, who survives. He is also survived by a brother, Fred.

January 14, 1960:

MARSHALL EDWARD CARTER, 73, son of Jesse Marshall and Mary Williams Carter and a retired officer of the Wright County Bank, was born March 7, 1886 and died Jan. 10. He was a member of a pioneer Wright County family. On Sept. 3, 1924 he married Audrey Jackson. Survivors are his wife, Audrey; a daughter, Mrs. Jerome Twitty; 4 sisters, Mrs. Don Jones, Mrs. Don Aber, Mrs. Roy Curtis and Mrs. Charles Barnes. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

DR. JAMES ROBINSON MOTT, 82, retired Wright County Physician, died Saturday in a Mountain Grove nursing home. He had practiced medicine for more than 51 years. Survivors are a son, Waldo; 3 brothers, Hugh, Ben and Fred. Burial in Steele Cemetery.

January 21, 1960:

NANCY RUSSELL, former Mansfield resident, died Thursday at her home near Sparta. Survivors are her husband, Rev. James Russell; 2 sons, Norman and Gorman; a daughter, Noreen Eaton; 3 brothers, W. J., J. C. and J. S. Cantrell; 4 sisters, Verda Cantrell, Elizabeth Gideon, Artie McClellan and Julia Walsh. Burial in White Chapel, Springfield.

HARRISON SHAW, 65, son of William H. and Vernie Shaw, was born near Sneedville, TN on Aug. 31, 1894 and died Friday. On July 29, 1923 he married Ellen Keaton. Survivors are his wife, Ellen; 4 daughters, Opal Shelton, Maydean Wright, Rachel Branstetter and Jewell McAnally; 4 brothers, Jim, Carson, Jess and John; 2 sisters, Hassie Moles and Perlle Ferguson. Burial in No. 5 Cemetery.

HERMAN WILLIAMS, 47, died Friday at his home near Norwood. Survivors are his wife, Ellen; a son, Stephen; a daughter, Audrey; 3 brothers, Evan, Essel and Vercalle; 4 sisters, Mrs. Ivel Dooms, Mrs. Laverne Miller, Mrs. Fay Martin and Mrs. Arnold Dobbins. Burial in Denlow Cemetery.

ELIHU MOODY, 83, son of William and Elinor Adamson Moody, was born April 4, 1876 and died Jan. 16 at his home in Mansfield. He married Hattie Wynn on Sept. 8, 1904. A son, Leonard, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Hattie; 2 sons, Murl and J. W.; a sister, Pearl Connor. Burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery.

VIOLET GREEN, (better known to Wright County residents as VIOLET KELLEY) died Jan. 11 at her home in Houston, AR. She was the mother of Jack Kelley of Hartville.

FLOREN TOMBLESON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Tombleson, died Thursday in Cleveland, OK. He suffered an injury a few years ago which left him completely paralyzed. He is survived by his wife and small daughter, Sherry Dawn. Burial in Lamar, CO.

January 28, 1960:

THOMAS T. DAVIS, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Davis, was killed in a car wreck. Survivors are his parents; 2 brothers, Danny and Dennis; his paternal grandfather, Til Davis.

ODA McINTOSH, was found dead Saturday in his home in California. Survivors are a sister, Lottie Bennett; a brother, Charley.

JEWEL VICTOR, 45, died Monday at her home in Ava. Survivors are her husband, John C. Victor; a sister Mrs. Ray McCrite. Burial in Ava Cemetery.

JOHN LITTLE, died Monday. He had been associated with the Cottengim Dry Goods Store in Hartville. Burial in Hartville Cemetery.

MILLIE LOWERY, 90, died Sunday at the home of a son, Tolliver Walker, in Grovespring. Also surviving are a son, Frank; 2 daughters, Linda Lindsey and Anna Smittle; 2 sisters, Sylvania Bledsoe and Emma O'Dell. Burial in Cuba Cemetery.

EVELINE HUTCHINSON, 90, died Friday at her farm home near Norwood. Survivors include 5 sons, Johnnie, William, Iva, Herbert and Tom; 2 daughters, Eva McHolland and Mrs. Almer Tate. Burial in Denlow Cemetery.

ANDREW R. WORSHAM, 81, a lifelong resident of Wright County, died Friday in Pasadena, TX at the home of a son, Noel W. Other survivors include his wife, Selfa; a son, James A.; 2 daughters, Iva Wilson and Zela Hammack; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Buddy Lore; a sister, Anvoleen Headley. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

February 4, 1960:

R. E. "DOLPH" COOLEY, 79, a native of Mansfield, died Monday. He was a retired meat cutter. Survivors include 3 sons, Floyd, Don and Ethridge. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

February 11, 1960:

GEORGE B. FREEMAN, 70, Mansfield banker, died Saturday. He was born in Mansfield Aug. 16, 1889. He is survived by his wife, the former Verna E. Tate, and a brother, G. C. "Pete". A son, died at the age of 21. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

EDWARD ELSWORTH DIVAN, 87, owner and operator of a drug store in Mansfield for 20 years, died Friday at Mercy Hospital in Springfield. He had been in failing health for a long time and had been a patient at the hospital for nine months. Survivors include a daughter, Murriel Payne; 4 sons, Orin E., Edwin M., Eugene E. and Jewell E.; a sister, Margaret Ferris. Burial in Maple Park, Springfield.

MARY CECELIA BEUSHAUSEN, 69, daughter of Charley and Mary Ann Burdick, was born April 30, 1890 at Baraboo, WS. She married Otto Beushausen on Nov. 29, 1911. Her husband preceded her in death on Nov. 12, 1958. Survivors are 3 sons, Lowell, Ivan and Willard; a daughter, Annette Lansdown; 2 sisters, Mrs. Ed Wray and Anna Lawler; 2 half-brothers, Charles and Eugene Burdick; a stepmother, Amanda Burdick. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

EMELY BOYER, 90, former resident of Wright County, died Sunday. Survivors include a son, William, of Hartville. Burial in Bado Cemetery.

February 18, 1960:

JASON KISER, 59, former Mansfield resident, died Sunday at his home in West Plains. He was born and reared on the farm now owned by Paul Findley. He was the last of 12 children of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Kiser. Survivors are his wife, Laura; 4 sons, Jimmy, Danny, Bobby and Jerry. Burial in West Plains.

February 25, 1960:

CHARLES E. "TED" LOWRANCE, 46, died Wednesday. He had come to Mansfield about 8 months ago to serve as foreman of the fitting department of Tobin-Hamilton Shoe Company. Survivors are his wife, Frances; 2 daughters, Nancy Bass and Cleo Hemple; a son, Robert; his mother, Mrs. Noah Lowrance; 3 brothers; 4 sisters. Burial in Sullivan, MO

PAUL WALLINGFORD, 25, died Friday in the Mansfield hospital, apparently from pneumonia and exposure suffered at his home. Survivors are his mother, Ruth Cotton; 2 sisters, Ruthie Malloney and Laurie Lansdown. Funeral at Ava.

March 3, 1960:

JERRY D. VANNESS, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. VanNess, died Sunday night of carbon monoxide poisoning. His vehicle had become stuck in a snow drift and he apparently left the motor running to keep warm. Survivors include his parents; 6 brothers, Gerald, Larry, Curtis, Joe Ray, Darrell and Jackie; a sister, Leah Mae Lee; paternal grandmother, Emma VanNess; maternal grandfather, William H. Brazeal. Burial in Newton Cemetery.

HERMAN IORG, 62, formerly of Mansfield, died Tuesday in Springfield. Survivors include his wife, Idella; a son, Arthur; 4 brothers, Bill, Ed, Henry and Charlie; a sister, Ella Williams.

March 10, 1960:

FRANK A. COLLISON, 90, died Tuesday in his home in Mansfield. He was born April 14, 1869 in Saginaw, MI, but moved with his parents in 1880 to Iowa where he lived until 1924 when he and Mrs. Collison moved to Mansfield. She died June 4, 1958. Survivors are 2 sons, Clarence and Harvey; 7 daughters, Eva Stanfield, Minnie Comstock, Sarah House, Mae Stewart, Sylvia Plank, Flora Oveson and Bessie Moody. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

DAN SIMMONS, a former resident of Hartville, died Feb. 26 at his home in Pendleton, OR. He was born and reared at Hartville and married Fern O'Dell.

HARLEY OLIVER, who was born and reared near Fuson, died Feb. 27 at Twin Falls, ID. He was married to Martha Jordan, now deceased. Burial in Twin Falls.

BENTON M. USSERY, 67, of Norwood, died Feb. 27. Survivors are his wife, Birdie; a son, Alvie; a daughter, Pearl Manning; a stepson, Elmer Woody; 2 brothers, Tecumsem and Charles. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

BERTHA CATHERN, 66, who was born at Hartville, died Feb. 29 in Kansas City. Survivors include a sister, Belle Latimer.

March 17, 1960:

LEROY ROBINSON, 81, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Robinson, was born April 11, 1878 in Iowa and died March 11 in his home at Hartville. On Dec. 4, 1951, he married Ada Jane Calhoun. Survivors are his wife, Ada Jane; 3 stepsons, Frank, George and Denver Calhoun; 3 stepdaughters, Clara VanNess, Cora Brown and Gladys Dodson. Burial in Hensley Cemetery.

HUGHEY E. RIPPEE, 50, died Wednesday in Waynesville General Hospital. Survivors include his wife, Eva Lois; a daughter, Mrs. Clyde Carriger; a son, Alfred; 3 brothers, Elza, Elmer and Lloyd; a sister, Syble Woods. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

CHARLES LEWIS WISE, 75, died Sunday at his home near Norwood. Survivors include his wife, Irene; 3 sons, Clarence, Bill and Walter; 2 daughters, Mrs. Roy P. John and Mrs. Guy Knox. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

EDITH ELLEN DAVIS, 55, of Hartville, died Sunday. Survivors are her husband, Noah; a daughter, Mrs. Harold Fateley; a son, Eugene; a brother, Russell Evans; 2 sisters, Ada Carpenter and Thelma Christenson. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

March 24, 1960:

MARY MORANDA WARD, 72, died Wednesday at her home near Hartville. Survivors are her husband, A. L. "Duke"; 3 sons, Dewey, Glenn and Lloyd; a daughter, Velma Claxton; 2 brothers, Harve and Arley Austin; 2 sisters, Allie Ward and Lena Hart. Burial in New Home Cemetery.

MRS. A. S. HANKS, 79, of Cedar Gap, died Monday. Survivors include a son, John C. Lee; 3 daughters, Jessie Collins, Abbie Morris and Ann Killian. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

GERTRUDE NORCROSS, 75, died Monday. She and her husband Monroe operated a grocery store in Mansfield for several years. He preceded her in death. Survivors are 2 daughters, Marie Dysart and Mrs. Alva Turner; a sister, Goldie Duffield. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

LILLIE MOLES, 70, died Friday in her home south of Mansfield. Survivors are her husband, Paul; 3 daughters, Fern Sherman, Jean Helsley and Wilma Gross; 3 sons, Ernest, John and Clayton Reese; brothers, John M. and W. M. Reese. Burial in Prairie Hollow Cemetery.

CASSIE DENNIS, 86, died Sunday. Survivors include a son, Earl; a daughter, Pearl; 2 brothers, Jim and Lou Raney. Burial in Mountain Valley Freewill Baptist Church Cemetery.

SARAH LUCINDA ADAMS, 80, daughter of Lottie and Robert Chambers, was born March 26, 1879 in Wright County, MO and died March 14, 1960. At the age of 18 she married Jim Davis and to this union were born twins, who preceded her in death. On April 25, 1901 she married John W. Adams and to this union were born 4 children. John and a daughter from this union also preceded her in death. Survivors are a son, Ulys; 2 daughters, Mrs. F. C. Pridgen and Mrs. W. H. Grant, Sr.; 3 sisters, Missouri Delk, May Young and Rosa Jordan; 2 brothers, Ruay and Isham Chambers; 3 stepdaughters, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Zettie Jones and Mrs. Myrtle Bohannon; a stepson, Tom Adams. Burial in McBride Cemetery.

March 31, 1960:

FRED GLEN SAGE, 39, of Mountain Grove, was killed almost instantly Monday in a car wreck. Survivors are his mother and stepfather, Mrs. and Mrs. Charley Daniels; 3 sisters, Mrs. Bob Jones, Mrs. Roy Marlow and Mrs. Herschel Smith. Burial in Springfield National Cemetery.

JOHN PLUMMER, 18, died Friday due to suicide by hanging. Survivors are his parents, 2 sisters, Suzanne and Pamela. His mother teaches in Mansfield schools and his father is forester for the Conservation Commission.

April 7, 1960:

HOMER HIGHT, 65, lifelong Wright County resident, was born June 24, 1894 and died April 4. Survivors are his wife, Lola; a daughter, Wanda Anderson; a sister, Lola Willhite; 2 brothers, Claude and Fenton. Burial in Hensley Cemetery

April 14, 1960:

W. J. "JEFF" GASKILL, 75, died Saturday morning. The lifelong resident of Wright County is survived by his wife, Verba; 2 sons, Max and R. H.; a brother, Enoch; 5 sisters, Effie Forrester, Sarah Matney, Lola Dennis, Lou and Ann Gaskill. Burial in Newton Cemetery.

RAY EDWARD CLAXTON, 61, died Friday. He was a cousin of Ed Young. Burial in Shamel Cemetery.

April 21, 1960:

J. H. PROCTOR, 69, died Sunday. Survivors are his wife, Lola; 4 sons, Basel, Virgil, Chalmer and Elmer; 8 daughters, Arlene Brixey, Bertha Hodge, Enola Roper, Nadine Page, Geneva Long, Alice Bennett, Elma Alsup and Virginia Andrews. Burial in Denlow Cemetery.

MRS. IVAN ROEBUCK, Mrs. Ruby Derr received word of the death April 12 of her mother, Mrs. Ivan Roebuck. Mrs. Roebuck was in El Monte, CA visiting another daughter, Mrs. D. E. Olson, when she suffered a fatal heart attack. Mrs. Roebuck made her home in Hartville with her daughter, Mrs. Derr. Funeral services were held at Neodesha, KS and burial was in the Bethel Cemetery.

ELMER WISEMAN, 82, died Wednesday at his home north of Hartville. Survivors are his wife, Etta; a son, Otto. Burial in Shaddy Cemetery.

CLARENCE SMALLEY, son of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Smalley, was born Jan. 21, 1889 and died April 12, 1960 He was married in 1909 to May James, who survives. The 9 children born to this union also survive: Russell, Hubert, Vernon, Frank, Jerry, Mrs. Garnett Ingels, Margueritte Charlet, Ruth Ford and Jean Waclawski.

April 28, 1960:

C. M. "CON" MINIHAN, 77, died April 20 at his home in Norwood. Survivors are his wife, Margaret; a niece, Mrs. O. A. Owens; a nephew, Paul Bradshaw. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

May 5, 1960:

ZILPHA (MRS. W. D.) YOUNG, relatives from this vicinity who attended her funeral May 2, included her brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Jones, Emmett Jones, Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young, Mrs. Thula McCubbins and Effie Richardson; nephews and nieces, Clarence and Hadley Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Todd, Ruth Hickman and Priscilla Hughes. Burial in Bronaugh, Mo.

MRS. WARREN REEVES, 92, Wright County resident for 81 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Barbee, was born Nov. 27, 1867 in Grant, TN and died April 22, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Henry England. Survivors are a son, Sherman; 3 daughters, Mrs. Lena Turner, Mrs. Wade Stewart and Mrs. Lillie England. Burial in Denton Cemetery.

LOUIS J. FRANCOIS, 86, died Saturday. He had moved to Wright County in 1927 from OK. Survivors are his wife, Lillie; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Thelma) Tester; a son, Calvin; a brother, James A. Burial in Mt. Gilead Cemetery, near Bolivar.

OTIS WELTON, 60, died Monday morning at his home in Ava. Survivors are his wife, Melissa; 2 sons, Hubert and Berchie; 4 daughters, Mrs. Doyle Nall, Mrs. LeRoy Dry, Mrs. Bill Drake and Mrs. Ronnie House. Burial in Ava.

May 12, 1960:

WILLIAM J. LONG, 86, of Hartville, died Friday at the home of a daughter, Clara Hudson, in Conway. Other survivors include, 2 daughters, Mrs. Carlow Donaldson and Mrs. Vernice Altemose; a half-brother, Jim Wynn. Burial in Steele Cemetery.

May 19, 1960:

DAVID CLINTON PERKINS, 21, died of injuries received in an accident at the Junction of 5 and 60 northwest of Mansfield, Saturday. Survivors are his father, David, of Hartville; his mother, Margaret Perkins, of Norwood. Burial in Johnson Cemetery.

May 26, 1960:

DORA MOODY, 90, left 118 descendants when she died Saturday. Survivors are a daughter, Rosa Findley; 4 sons, Otto, Burley, Ralph and Lester; 3 sisters, Minnie Findley, Bet Campbell and Emmer Carson; 3 brothers, Walter, Jim and Bert Cody; 30 grandchildren; 81 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren. Burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery.

VIOLA C. NALL, 71, died Sunday. Survivors are her husband, Ben F.; 2 sons, Ray and Truman; 3 daughters, Mrs. Donald Jefferyes, Mrs. Frank Royal and Mrs. C. C. King. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

FRANK J. McCANDLESS, 80, died Tuesday. He is survived by his wife, Sue; 2 sisters, Velma McCandless and Lizzie Worth; 3 brothers, Harry, Arch and C. H. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

June 2, 1960:

CLARENCE D. "SPIKE" SHANNON, 65, died May 26. Services were held Tuesday in Trinity Methodist Church in Mountain Grove.

BESSIE L. KEITH, 67, died Saturday at her home near Mansfield. Survivors are 2 sons, Leonard and Alonzo; a daughter, Laura Doyel; 5 brothers, Otie, Orville, Henry, Richard and Roy Tretton; 5 sisters, Nina Tretton, Sadie Hoeph, Bertha Shaw, Tilda Bollen and Ruth Thomas. Burial in Fairview Cemetery.

HENRY HOWARD YOUNG, 79, lifelong resident of the Hartville vicinity, died Monday. Survivors are a brother, Robert; 2 sisters, Mrs. Charles Findley and Mrs. Bess Kelley. Burial in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

June 9, 1960:

GEORGE HARVEY, 88, died Friday. He was born in Pennsylvania. Survivors are his wife, May (Marie Harris of Mansfield); 4 sons, Herschell, Edgar, Clifford and Clifton; 7 daughters, Mrs. J. H. McVay, Mrs. Kenard Spurlock, Mrs. B. R. Depee, Mrs. Claude Henson, Mrs. Clyde Bremerman, Mrs. J. S. Henson, and Mrs. Harold Mance; a brother, Ed; a sister, Mrs. J. J. Lane. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

June 16, 1960:

J. O WILSON, 74, Mrs. Eph Moody received word this week of the death of her brother, J. O. Wilson, of Carrizo Springs, TX. He is survived by another sister, Mrs. J. M. Mink, of Norwood.

CLEMONS HARVEY GRAVES, 72, of near Norwood, died Sunday in the Assembly of God Church in Macomb. Survivors are his wife, Belle; 4 sons, Virgil Everett, William Ernest, Herbert Russell and James Robert; a daughter, Freda Pearl Fagan; a brother, Dewey; 2 sisters, Maude Ryan and Ester Gray. Burial in Macomb Cemetery.

GEORGE WASHINGTON ALLEN, 54, died Sunday. Survivors are his wife, Delpha; a daughter, Georgia Dean; a brother, Jim; a sister, Lillian Arthur. Burial in Durbin Cemetery.

REV. WALKER C. KELLY, 82, died Friday. He was born in Kentucky but moved with his parents to Wright County where he entered the ministry at the age of 22 and was pastor of Methodist churches in Nebraska 44 years. Survivors are his wife, Helen W.; a daughter, Mrs. Vernon B. Trevellyan; a son, Edwin F.; 4 sisters, Sarah Bacon, Mary Kay Newton, Susan Gilley and Fanny Kelly. Burial in Berea, KY.

CHARLEY CALVIN COOK, 63, died Wednesday. Survivors include his wife, Minnie; 9 sons, Gerald, Waldo, Junior, Virlin, Bill, Wayne, Joe, Cleo and Billie; 3 daughters, Nadine Sawyers, Wilma Cook and Wanda Roe; a brother, Fred; a sister, Bertha Ward. Burial in Mt. Zion Cemetery.

ERNEST EULER, former Mansfield resident, died Sunday in Chico, CA where he had moved about 7 years ago. Survivors are his wife, Lois; 2 sons, Harry and Lawrence; a daughter, Helen Spence. Burial in Sunnyside Cemetery, Long Beach, CA.

July 23, 1960:

REV. J. J. POSTLEWAIT, 70, died Thursday at his home in Mountain Grove. Survivors are his wife, Lucy; 10 sons, Wayne, Wade, Harold, Clyde, James, Carl, Jean, Dean, Johnnie and Paul; 3 daughters, Freda Edwards, Bernice Peterson and Marjorie McCarty. Funeral services were in Number One Church in Huggins.

VIRDA O. POLLOCK, died Saturday. She was the widow of David Pollock. Survivors include 3 sons, James, Gene and Bob; 3 daughters, Dorothy Lawson, Ann Gaddis and Mary Adams; a sister, Olive Hayes. Burial in Hillcrest Cemetery.

June 30, 1960:

ALFRED D. LATIMER, 76, died Saturday in his Hartville home. Survivors are his wife, Belle; a son, Luther; 2 daughters, Mabel Cantrell and Ruth Pyatt. Burial in Little Creek Cemetery.

JOHN GIBSON, 89, died Saturday in the home of a niece, Mrs. Floyd Manier, north of Hartville. The retired farmer is survived by 2 nieces and 5 nephews. Burial in Hogue Cemetery.

DWIGHT DENNIS, 59, son of Joe H. and Laura Dennis, died Tuesday. He was born in Mansfield on Jan. 2, 1901. He had been an auctioneer and trader in livestock all his life. He was married to Eileen Stephens. A daughter, Betty Jo, preceded him in death. Other survivors include a son, Steve; 4 brothers, Roy, Marvin, Ural and Bill; and a sister, Virgie Fry. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

July 7, 1960:

M. BENJAMIN MOTT, 71, died Friday at his home in Rogersville. A brother, Dr. J. R. Mott, preceded him in death. Survivors are his wife, Hattie; a daughter, Betty Dunn; 3 brothers, Arthur, Hugh and Fred; a sister, Ethel Hendon. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

July 14, 1960:

MARTIN LEVI PRESTON, 87, died when hit by a car as he was walking along the shoulder of the road a short distance north of the bridge over Lake Cassador at Hartville. He was born Feb. 13, 1873 in Wright County. Survivors are a stepson, Golda P. Stephens; 2 sisters, Fannie White and Myra Turner; 2 brothers, J. P. and John C. Burial was in Broyles Cemetery.

July 21, 1960:

ANNA B. WALKER, 88, died Monday. She lived most of her life in Mansfield. Survivors are 2 daughters, Mrs. Franklin Greenwood and Mrs. L. L. Hyberger. Burial in Hillcrest Cemetery.

CHLOE ANN SHACKLEFORD, 59, died Tuesday at her home in Norwood. Survivors are her husband, U. G.; a daughter, Leana Jett; 2 brothers, Ralph and Harold Calhoun; 2 sisters, Grace Skinner and Lizzie Simons. Burial in Curtis Cemetery.

ROBERT R. "BOB" HENSLEY, 33, Mansfield native, died at his home in Canoga Park, CA. Survivors are his wife, Betty; his mother, Rena Hensley; a sister, Lois Cooley; 2 brothers, Floyd and John. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

July 28, 1960:

GEORGE A. GROGAN, 60, of Mountain Grove, died Tuesday in Mansfield Hospital. He had been injured July 17, in a broadside auto crash in Norwood, while riding in a car drive by Fred Moore. Survivors include 2 sons, Buster and Kenneth; 2 brothers, Ben and Jim; 4 sisters, Manda Sparks, Matilda Ridens, Mary Walker and Opal Strube. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery.

SAMUEL P. PLASTER, 91, died Friday. He was born in Illinois but moved to Wright County 40 years ago. Survivors include 2 sons, Wilson and Tom; 2 daughters, Edna Rippee and Florence Hale. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

FRED G. PATTON, 79, retired carpenter of Norwood, died Wednesday. Survivors are 2 sons, Gene and Dale; 2 daughters, Helen Sears and Hazel Patton; 2 brothers, Harry and Ed; 2 sisters, Jane Drummond and Bertha Runk. Burial in Oak Forest Cemetery.

August 4, 1960:

LIZA HANCOCK, 71, of Norwood, died Friday. Survivors are 2 sons, Lloyd and Floyd; a brother, John Hicks. Burial in New Hope Cemetery, east of Ava.

August 11, 1960:

GEORGE W. GOOLSBY, 78, a retired farmer, died Sunday at his home in Mountain Grove. Survivors are his wife, Margaret; 2 daughters, Edna Fullen and Agnes Sigler; a foster daughter, Dixie Wilson; a sister, Mrs. August Housley; a brother, Neal. Mrs. Goolsby, with her former husband, John Gittons, was Postmaster for several years at Cedar Gap. Burial in Hillcrest Cemetery.

MILDRED FLORENE SMITH, 49, died Friday. She is survived by her mother, Clara Smith; a brother, Cecil L. Smith. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

CORA SPEARS, 78, of Norwood, died Friday. Survivors are 3 sons, Nova, Ralph and Joseph; 3 daughters, Mrs. Seymour Hood, Mrs. Charles Snyder and Mrs. Frank Raney; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Jim Bodkins; a sister, Nancy Meyers. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

CHARLES CAMPBELL, SR., died July 29 in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Walter Reuter of Winchester, IL. Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Hans Edens and 2 sons. Burial in Winchester.

August 18, 1960:

ERNIE H. DAVIS, 69, of Hartville died Sunday at the Odd Fellows Home in Liberty. He was a native of Wright County. Surviving is a brother, W. O. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

JAMES ANDERSON CLAXTON, 66, son of Edward A. and Ella Susan Bolian Claxton, was born in Wright County July 6, 1894 and died August 13. Preceding him in death were a son, Bolian A., his parents, 2 infant brothers and his previous wife, Edna. Survivors are his wife, Lillian Frances; 4 sisters, Verta Moore, Opal Steward, Ola Cravens and Betty Fisher. Burial in Claxton Cemetery.

CHARLES LEE RIPPEE, 81, son of Alfred and Hannah Rippee, was born May 17, 1879 and died Aug. 7, at his home near Schell City. He married Nettie Rosenbaum on Nov. 8, 1896. She preceded him in death April 27, 1940. He then married Addie Coale on April 19, 1941. He is survived by 5 sons; 2 daughters; 3 sisters, Cora Nelson, Mary Goodwin and Ora Boyer.

August 25, 1960:

JOHN THOMAS ROSEVEAR, 83, son of Thomas and Frances Rosevear, was born in Wright County near Mansfield on April 16, 1877 and died Aug. 21. On Oct. 22, 1908, he married Mary Belle Dennis. Survivors are his wife, Mary Belle; a daughter, Elva Abbott; a son, Earl. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

JEWELL C. DEAN, 58, Mansfield resident, died Wednesday. Her only survivor is her father, Tom Dean. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

RALPH L. CALHOUN, 68, Funeral services were held Saturday in Springfield. He was the son of Dr. W. S. Calhoun (dentist) and lived in Norwood for many years. Survivors are his wife, Delta; a son, Frank; Burial in Palmeto Cemetery near Rogersville.

September 1, 1960:

ROY LAWRENCE BOWDEN, died August 25, as the result of blows to the head with a blunt instrument. He was born June 23, 1920 at Niangua. Survivors are his wife, Margaret; 9 children. Burial in Graham Cemetery, Conway.

LOUIS E. LONG, 77, a farmer of the Hartville community, died Wednesday. Survivors are his wife, Sallie; 5 daughters, Mrs. Sammie Blevins, Mrs. R. P. Ellis, Mrs. Homer Walker, Mrs. Viva Gooch and Mrs. Clyde Jones; 2 sons, Samele and Carlos; a sister, Cammie Smittle; a brother, Jim. Burial in Coon Creek Cemetery.

JESSIE ELI ATKINSON, 76, of Hartville, died Wednesday. His only survivors are nieces and nephews. Burial in Broyles Cemetery.

ROBERT LEE FERRIEL, 74, died Sunday at his home in Hartville. Survivors are his wife, Iva; 2 sons, Loman and Leman; 2 sisters, Nola Yeager and Vada Johnson. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

EDNA WOLLARD, 41, died Sunday night at the home of Elvin Stifall. Survivors include 3 half-sisters, Mrs. Vivia Barnett, Mrs. Mint Prock and Mrs. Tiny McRoberts; 2 half-brothers, Ira and Hermam Willard. Burial in Dorris Cemetery.

MRS. JOHN P. GONELLA, 39, of Detroit, MI, died July 7. Survivors are her husband; 6 children, Donna Maltese, Diane O'Brien, John P. Jr., Darlene, Maria Annette and James Pierre; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Crain; a sister, Hazel Rogers; a brother, Avery Crain. She formerly lived in Mansfield and taught school here.

September 8, 1960:

CLAUDE MAURICE GRAVEN, 76, died Monday. A native of Wright County, he is survived by a daughter, Beuna Archer; 3 sisters, Ada Hunter, Iva Green and Hettie Claxton; 2 brothers, Everett and John. Burial in Mount Carney, Laclede County.

RHODA TARBUTTON, 98, who had lived in the Mansfield community until 1953, died Friday morning. Survivors are a son, Bill; a foster daughter, Irene Crawford; a sister, Cassea Orsborn. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

September 29, 1960:

ROXA NEWTON BROWN, 61, died Saturday at her home in Belmont, CA. She was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Newton and was born and reared in the Newton community south of Odin. Survivors are a sister, Opal Wood; a son, V. F. Hedrick; a daughter, Maleen Boggess. Burial in Newton Cemetery.

RUHAMA BRYSON SMITH, daughter of Alexander and Mary Elizabeth Bryson, was born Dec. 10, 1877 in Lester County, WV and died Sept. 23. She married Heulette Eldridge Smith on March 20, 1895 and the family moved to the Mansfield vicinity in 1909. Her husband and 10 children preceded her in death. Survivors are a brother, Henry Bryson; a sister, Caroline Canaday; a son, Alex; 4 daughters, Mary Barlow, Ethel Rushing, Lucille Burns, Carola Pearson. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

MINTA ANN PROCK, 73, died Tuesday. The lifelong resident of Manes is survived by her husband, Marion; 5 sons, Wayne, Newt, A. Jr., Smith and Clark; 3 daughters, Vivian Cantrell, Minta Prock and Lottie Felkner. Burial in Manes Cemetery

LORENE CRAVEN, 41, died recently at her home in Redford, MI. Survivors are her husband, Gerald; 2 daughters, Geri Lee and Bonnie Lou; her father, T. L. Davis; 6 brothers, Barney, Lloyd, Thomas, Henry, Paul and Jake; 5 sisters, Sandra Farr, Josephine Smith, Nora Warner, Nina Mae Dennett and Lillian Claxton. Burial in Durbin Cemetery.

DWIGHT LEROY PEARSON, 44, died Monday. Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Audra Pearson; a brother, Dwaine; a sister, Dorothy Palfi. Burial in Bramhall Cemetery.

October 6, 1960:

JOSEPHINE NEWTON, 79, died Wednesday. The lifelong resident of Mansfield is survived by a son, S. C. Blackwood; a daughter, Clara Nye; 2 stepdaughters, Pearl Rippee and Eula Tripp; a stepson, Charley Newton. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

CHARLES FRANCIS CRAIG, 73, was found dead at his farm home west of Hartville Tuesday. He was born Oct. 29, 1883 in Wright County. On May 29, 1907, he

was married to Pearl Miller who preceded him in death March 23, 1955. Survivors are 2 brothers, J. E. and N. J.; a son, Oliff; 2 daughters, Corrine LaDue and Mabel Pitchford; 2 sisters, Cynthia Russell and Mary Knost. Burial in Mount Zion.

IRA BRAZEAL, died Sunday at his home in Chaffee. Survivors include his wife, Lola Pope Brazeal (the first baby born in Mansfield); 3 sons, Alfred, Amos and Elvin; 2 daughters, Ann Heeb and Mary Belle Schrader, 2 brothers, Pete and Jack. Burial in Cape Girardeau.

October 13, 1960:

ERNIE GASKILL, 67, lifelong resident of the Mansfield vicinity, died Tuesday. Survivors are his wife, Opal; a daughter, Leah Mae Davis; 2 sisters, Opal Gaskill and Stella Chance. Burial in No. 5 Cemetery.

AMANDA RABY, 80, of Mansfield, died Tuesday. Survivors are her husband, J. J.; a daughter, Violet Carnall; a son, Wayne Stone; 2 stepdaughters, Nellie Crippen and Emma Wooten; 3 stepsons, Joe, Fred and Howard; an adopted son, Robert L. Raby. Burial in Seymour Cemetery.

October 20, 1960:

MARY BELLE ROSEVEAR, 79, died Monday at her home in Mansfield. Survivors are a daughter, Elva Abbott; a son, Earl; a brother, Fred Dennis; a sister, Cora Marlin. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

October 27, 1960:

SILAS ELBERT SEAL, 58, son of John Elbert and Martha Mole Seal, was born June 22, 1902 in Sneedville, TN and died Friday in Mansfield Hospital. He came to this area when a small child and lived on what became known as the Seal place, north of Mansfield. He was united in marriage to Neta Tripp on Nov. 18, 1923. Survivors are his wife, Netta; 3 sisters, Stella Tarbutton, Bobbie Latimer and Jo Holt; 4 brothers, Andy, Clifford, Artemus and Carl. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

MABLE TOOLEY, 51, of Mountain Grove, who was injured some time ago in an accident on Rt. 60 at Norwood, died Monday.

November 3, 1960:

LAURA MOSLEY, 92, of Norwood, died Monday. Survivors are a son, Paul; 5 daughters, Gladys Early, Nell Brown, Fannie Hults, Grace Mosley and Sadie Dysart; a sister, Cora Hubbard. Burial in Hillcrest Cemetery.

MARIE HARVEY, 74, lifelong resident of the Mansfield vicinity died Monday. Her husband, George, died last June. Survivors are 7 daughters, Mrs. B. R. Depee, Mrs. Claude Henson, Mrs. Kennard Spurlock, Mrs. J. H. McVay, Mrs. J. H. Henson, Mrs. Clyde Bremmerman and Mrs. Harold Mance; 4 sons, Herschell, Edgar, Clifford and Clinton; a sister Pearl Sullins; 2 brothers, Roy and Lloyd Harris; 2 half-sisters, Ethel Sternberg and Sue H. Harris; 3 half-brothers, George, Paul and Fred Harris. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

November 10, 1960:

MRS. ROBERT HICKS, 69, died Friday at her home near Mountain Grove. Among her survivors are a daughter, Lois Newberry; a son, Otis. Burial in Vanzant Cemetery.

FINETTIE E. JULIAN, 93, died Sunday at her home in Manes. Survivors are 2 sons, General and Byram; a daughter, Nina Julian. Burial in Manes Cemetery.

WOODFORD ELIZABETH CRUMPLEY, 48, of Grovespring, daughter of E. K. and Vada Colton, was born Jan. 24, 1912 at Chelsea, OK and died Nov. 8. Survivors are her mother, Vada Colton; 2 sons, Rex and Don; 3 brothers, Laverne, Loraine and Joe Wade Colton. Burial in Chelsea, OK.

PLEAS N. COFFMAN, died Tuesday at his home north of Hartville. Survivors are his wife, Mary; 8 sons, Ival, Roy, Troy, Verble, Everett, George, Bobby and Archie; 4 daughters, Ina Williams, Ida Mae Kmeichia, Betty Coffman and Lucille Dugger; a brother, Fred; 3 sisters, Eva Walls, Becky Garner and Lucy Campbell. Burial in Coon Creek Cemetery.

J. A. TURNER, 72, died Saturday at his home in Springfield. The retired farmer is survived by his wife, Minnie; 4 sons, Rowland A., Max C., John A. Jr. and William; 2 daughters, Eva Clopton and Reva Todd; a brother, Alva; 3 sisters, Verba Peacock, Margaret Bishop and Ruth Brown. Burial in White Chapel Cemetery, Springfield.

JESSE ARTHUR JONES, 75, died Saturday morning in his home in Grovespring. Survivors include his wife, Mary; 2 daughters, Pauline Lincoln and Lavina Rippee; 5 sons, Gomer, Dale, Omer, Howard and Junior; 2 brothers, Fred and Archie; 2 sisters, Thelma Randall and Faye Deckard. Burial in Little Vine Cemetery.

December 1, 1960:

CORA M. CASADAY, 83, died at the home of her son, K. D., of near Norwood. She was born in Ohio but had lived here for 11 years. Other survivors are a sister, Nettie B. Baker; 2 brothers, Roy E. and Carl Redkey. Burial in Walnut Grove Cemetery in Andrew County.

FLORENCE G. WILLIAMS, 69, died Monday. The widow of John E. Williams was a former resident of the Norwood community. Survivors are a son, Reinhold. Burial in Releford Cemetery.

DILLA B. GANN, 87, died Sunday. Survivors are 2 sons, Floyd and Lester Hale; a daughter, Vina Gentle. Burial in Prairie Hollow Cemetery.

HARRY ROBSON, 84, died Thursday morning at his home east of Hartville. Survivors include 4 daughters, Mrs. Lee Hart, Mrs. Bertha Yeager, Mrs. Opal Miller and Mrs. Lotta Helsay; a sister, Mrs. Jack Whited. Burial in Coon Creek Cemetery.

JAMES LEONARD CHAMBERS, 84, died Sunday at his home in Mountain Grove. Survivors are his wife, Martha; 3 sons, Everett, Claude and Roy; 2 daughters, Velma Keeling and Marie Watne; a sister, Alma Coffin.

NORMAN VANCE DURNIL, 38, died Saturday in Glove, AZ. The former Norwood resident is survived by his wife, Joyce; 7 children; his mother, Mrs. Effie Devault; 2 brothers, Gerald and Harold; a sister, Esther Brazeal; his grandmother, Octava Coffman. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

December 15, 1960:

NORA BRAMHALL, 82, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Verna Johnson. Other survivors are a son, Raymond Bramhall; a sister, Ella Honeycutt. Burial in Coldwater Cemetery.

MARY ELIZABETH CANTRELL, daughter of John and Frances Shook, was born Sept. 3, 1881 in Webster County, MO and died Dec. 8. She married David S. Cantrell on Oct. 16, 1901 and to this union were born 6 children, three died in infancy. Survivors are a son, Lynn; 2 daughters, Lorenda Baldridge and Ules Davis; 2 brothers, Phil and John Shook. Burial in Mansfield Cemetery.

MANIE NEWTON, 49, of Mountain Grove, died Tuesday. Survivors are his wife, Ruby; a daughter, Marsha Kay Baumgartner. Burial in Steele Memorial Cemetery.

IVAN VENIS LARK, 66, of Norwood, died Wednesday. Survivors are a son, Blaine; a daughter, Barbara Collins; a brother, Byron. Burial in Thomas Cemetery.

J. S. MACKEY, 83, died Monday. Survivors are a daughter, Janie Hake; 2 sons, John L. and Ward G.; a sister, Ruth Ross. Burial in No. 5 Cemetery.

December 22, 1960:

BURLEY CARL MOODY, 65, son of William and Dora Moody, was born Feb. 4, 1895 and died Dec. 16, at his home in Mansfield. He was married July of 1918 to

Omega Bennett. A child, Jewette, preceded him in death. Survivors are his wife, Omega; 2 daughters, Geneva Jones and Lucille Lanham; 2 sons, Estel and Fairriel; 3 brothers, Ott, Ralph and Lester; a sister, Rosa Findley. Burial in Ashley Cemetery.

FANNIE PRIESTER, 80, died Saturday in the home of a daughter, Rushie Hightower. Other survivors are 3 daughters, Ethel Benton, Fran Martin and Sybil Fritz; 2 sons, Omar and Owen; 2 sisters, Ellen Long and Edie Runnings. Burial in Shaddy Cemetery.

MYRTLE DOVE PRYOR, 74, daughter of John and Mary Floyd, was born in Wright County Sept. 12, 1886 and died Dec. 16. She was married Oct. 15, 1905 to George T. Pryor who preceded her in death in 1946. To this union were born 10 children, one dying in infancy and Eldo at the age of 17 in 1943. Survivors are 3 daughters, Cledith Newton, Fay Newton and Thelma Griffin; 5 sons, Noland, Howard, Hayden, Doyle and George; a brother, Peter Floyd. Burial in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

LOLA WILLHITE, 73, lifelong resident of Mansfield, died Friday. Survivors are 2 brothers, Claude and Fenton Hight. Burial in Hensley Cemetery.

December 29, 1960

GLEN E. LONG, 37, died Sunday north of Norwood. Survivors are his wife, Ann; a son, Nickey; 3 brothers, Lloyd, Cleo and Carl. Burial in Oak Grove Cemetery

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