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Acquires Interest In Smith Agency

It was announced today that Ben N. Smith, Jr. had acquired an interest in the Ben N. Smith Agency. He is the son of Ben N. Smith. Smith. Sr., and Mrs. Smith.

Smith was formerly associated with the Agency but upon his return from duty in the armed forces was employed by the A. B. Chance Co. of Centralia, Mo

He and Mrs. Smith have moved to Econville.

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Rites Are Held For Lupus Woman

LUPUS—Funeral services were conducted here Tuesday for Mrs. W. S. Haynes, 79. who died Monday morning. The Rev. Virgil Vaughan of Prairie Home conducted the rites. Burial was in the Hickam Cemetery.

Mrs. Haynes had been ill with heart trouble for some time, but it was thought she was improving during the last few days. She was found dead in bed about 5 a.m. Monday by her son. William, who lives at the home.

Besides the son she is survived by three daughters. They are Mrs. Tillie Reifsteck, Percy, Ill., Mrs. Frank Fricke and Mrs. Andrew Surface of Jamestown. Three children preceded her in death.

She was born near Rogersyllle, Mo., March, 29, 1868, the daught ter of Mr and Mrs John Horton, She first was married to Louis Wiggins, who died a number of years ago. Later she married W. S. Haynes, who died several years ago. Mrs. Haynes was a member of creville Christian Church.

Former Otterville Man Is Dead

OTTERVILLE—Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, at Fifth Street Methodist Church in Sedalia, for Alva E. Schilb, who died Saurday morning at the Veterans Hospital in Wadsworth, Kans., where he had been a patient since the preceding Sunday.

Eurial was in Crown Hill Ceme-tery, Sedalia. The IOOF lodge was in charge of graveside services.

Mr. Schilb was born near Otterville, Mar. 27, 1897, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Schilb of Otterville. He spent his early life near here, moving to Sedalia 29 years ago where he had resided since. He was married Jan. 18, 1919 to Miss Gertrude Edwards of Otterville. He was a veteran of World War I, a member of the American Legion, IOOF lodge, and the Royal Rebekah-Lodge.

Surviving are his widow; two daughters, Mrs. Mildred Payne, Nevada and Mrs. Frances Kelly, Kansas City; three brothers, John and W. J., of Otterville, and Oscar of Sedalia; one sister, Mrs. W. J. Wittman, Otterville; and three grandchildren.

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