

Mrs. Shay's Rites Fixed

Former Resident of County
Dies in Arkansas; Will
Be Brought Here

Funeral services for Mrs. J. B. Shay, former resident of Woods county, will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Fowitz funeral home, it has been announced here following receipt of the information of Mrs. Shay's death Monday morning in Springdale, Ark.

Mrs. Shay was born in Indiana, June 18, 1854, and came to Woods county at the opening of the strip. She moved to Arkansas several years ago.

Survivors are three daughters and a son. They are Mrs. Jim McClain, Alva; Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, Springdale, Ark.; Mrs. W. F. Shaw, Portales, N. M.; Mrs. O. R. Shay, Portales, N. M.; and O. R. Shay, Portales, N. M.

Burial will be in the A. O. U. W. cemetery.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. SHAY

Funeral services for Mrs. J. B. Shay, former Woods county resident, were held from the Fowitz funeral home this morning at 10 o'clock. Burial was in the A. O. U. W. cemetery.

Mrs. Shay died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, at Springdale, Ark., Monday morning.

FORMER CITY WOMAN DIES

Mrs. J. B. Shay, former Woods county resident, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, Springdale, Ark., at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

Mrs. Shay was born in Indiana, June 18, 1854. She came to Woods county at the opening of the Cherokee strip. She left here several years ago.

Her husband preceded her in death seven years ago.

Those surviving Mrs. Shay are three daughters and a son. They are: Mrs. Jim McClain, Alva, Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, Springdale, Ark., Mrs. W. F. Shaw, Portales, N. M., Mrs. O. R. Shay, Portales, N. M., and O. R. Shay, Portales, N. M.

Funeral services will be held from the Fowitz funeral home, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Burial will be in the A. O. U. W. cemetery. Fowitz funeral home is in charge.

his shop, and mounted guard over his various goods.

Mrs. Shay's Rites Held On Wednesday

Funeral rites for Mrs. J. B. Shay former resident of Woods county who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, at Springdale, Ark., Monday morning were held Wednesday morning from the Fowitz funeral home. Burial was in the A. O. U. W. cemetery.

OBITUARY

Susannah Cummings was born June 18, 1854, at Terre Haute, Ind., later moving to Holden, Mo. When she was six years old, upon the death of her father, she made her home with her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. William Whitney at Neodesha, Kans. 1873

On January 1, 1877, she was married to J. B. Shay. To this union eight children were born, four dying in infancy. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Shaw, Portales, N. M.; Mrs. J. A. McLain, Alva; Mrs. J. A. McFeaters, Wichita; one son, Oscar R. Shay, Portales, N. M.; eight grandchildren, and one great-grand child.

Since the death of her husband on May 7, 1927, Mrs. Shay has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. McFeaters, in Wichita.

Death came at Springdale, Ark., October 29, 1934, at 4:20 a.m., at the age of 80 years, 4 months, 11 days.

Mrs. Shay united with the Methodist church at the age of 14, and was a member of the First Methodist church of Alva for approximately 40 years, being a faithful member of the Bible class and an ardent worker in the W.C.T.U. until an injury 10 years ago.

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Birthday Surprise Party.—A most pleasant occasion was the surprise party given Thursday evening by the close friends of Mrs. J. B. Shay, of 1008 Fifth street in honor of her 71 birthday anniversary. Taking her completely by surprise, the 40 guests came laden with lovely gifts and good cheer for one whose kind words and deeds have been like bread cast upon the waters and is now returning three fold. Mrs. Shay was injured in a fall last winter but was able to enjoy the talking over of old times and the visiting of the friends together in her presence. The occasion was made doubly glad by the attendance of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Shaw, of Wichita. At the conclusion of the evening, dainty refreshments were served.

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