

JOHN H. SMITH

PERU — John H. Smith, a retired horse trainer and equestrian director, died at 5:30 p.m. Friday at Kelley's Circus Quarters, south of Peru, where he had been making his home since his retirement in 1956.

Mr. Smith broke and trained special horse shows during his colorful circus career. He had worked with a number of circuses including: Sells-Floto, Cole Bros., John Robinson, and L. G. Barnes and Christy Burns Shows.

Funeral services will be in the Eikenberry-Murray Funeral Home at 10 a.m. Tuesday and burial will be in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 p.m. Sunday.