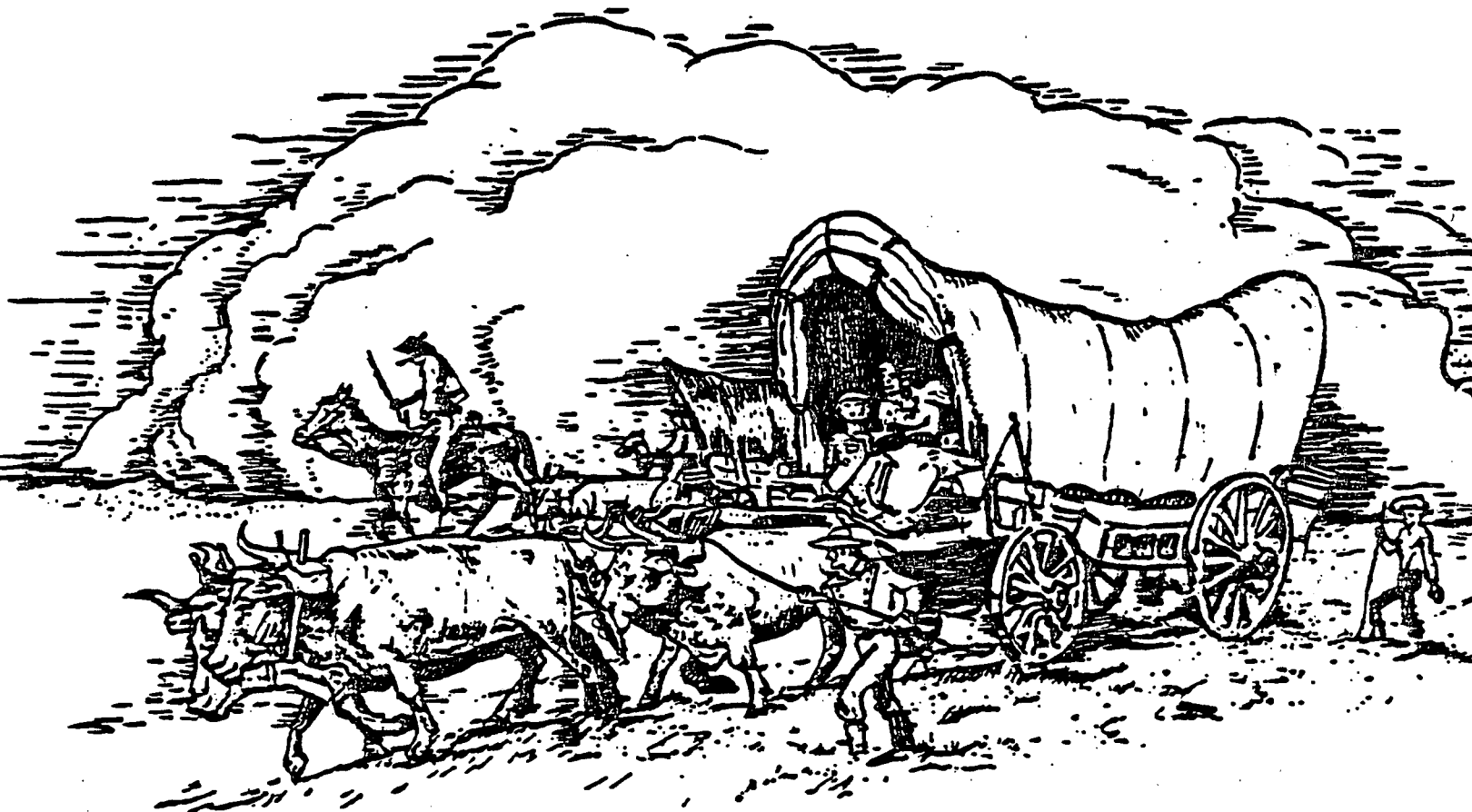


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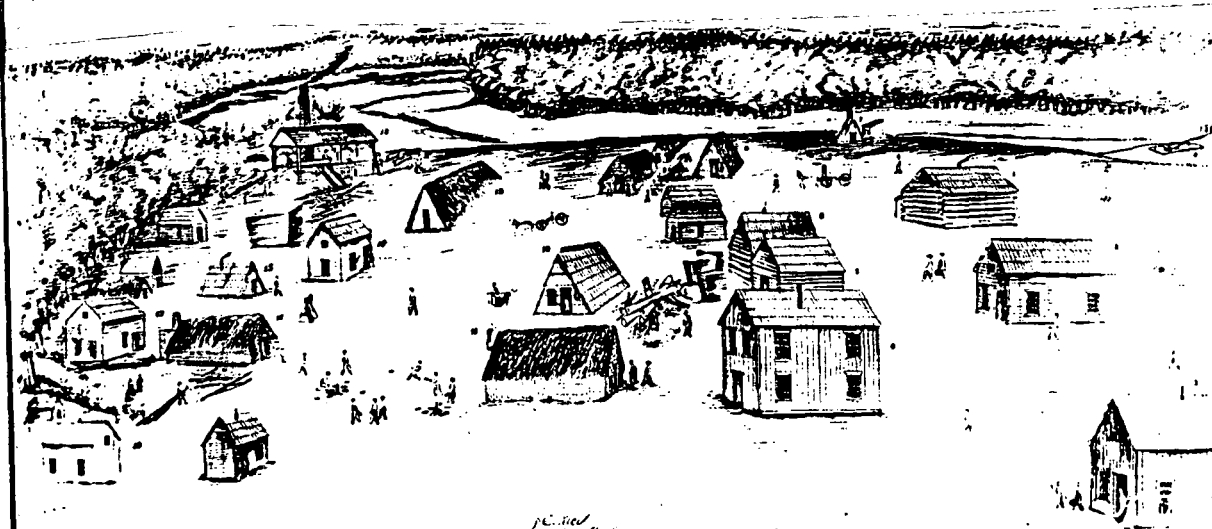
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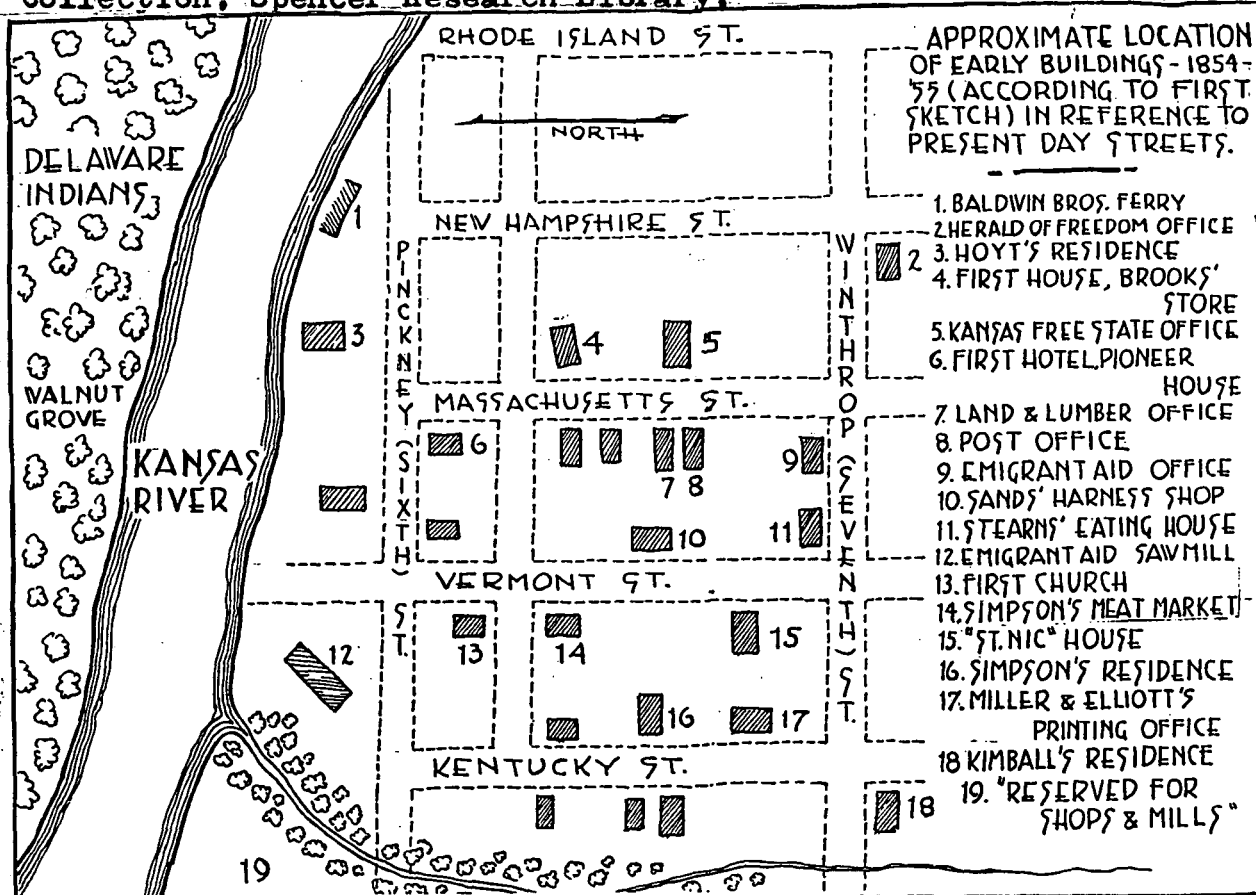
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PRESIDENT'S LETTER:

Our Society has made great strides this past year. The membership has doubled and continues to grow. Our finances were boosted through a booth at the Sidewalk Bazaar last summer and three rummage sales. Our library, housed in the Lawrence Public Library, continues to grow. I extend thanks to all who made these achievements possible.

We have had a variety of guest speakers, as well as speakers from our own group. These included: Arlene Eakle - Workshop; Ronald Bremer - Seminar; Jim Martin - "Genealogy in General;" Don Hensen - "Incorporation;" Sarah Judge - "Genealogy Fever;" Joyce Hensen - "Value of a Good Newsletter;" Edna Welling - "Mormon Records;" Helmut and Ursulla Huelsbergen - "German Records;" Robert Burt - "Sons of the American Revolution;" and Dale Nimz - slide show on "Old Houses in Lawrence."

I, too, joined the ranks of speakers, giving sessions on "Genealogy, How to Begin," and on "Immigration, Naturalization and Service Records." In addition, I spoke at a symposium in St. Joseph, Missouri, celebrating the 50th anniversary of the National Archives, on "Research in Court-houses and Alternative Sources," and gave a repeat performance on this for the Jefferson County Genealogical Society. It was also my privilege to speak to a local senior citizens' group on family history in general.

We increased public awareness of our Society by having a booth at the Lawrence Independence Days Celebration and at the Maple Leaf Festival in Baldwin. In addition, newspaper updates regarding our cemetery-tombstone project continue to interest the public. The logo adopted this year for wear on shirts or jackets has also created a visual awareness of the Society's presence in Douglas County.

Thanks to our fine editor, we were able to publish four excellent issues of "The Pioneer," and always on time! Our Newsletter staff kept not only members, but also other societies, informed regarding our activities.

The year also included a trip to Lecompton and Lane University, a Christmas party and covered dish dinner, incorporation of the Society, arrangements for bulk mailing, copying records, continuation of the many facets of the cemetery-tombstone project, work with the 1875 census, and development of five-generation charts.

A note of sadness invaded our "genealogy family" this year through the death of three members: Hazel Lee Simmons, Terry Koder, and Olive Stoupe. They will be sorely missed by all of us.

My thanks to each of you for your part in our many achievements during the past year, not the least of which are the friendships which have developed as we worked together. Let's continue the good work so that the coming year will be even more rewarding.

Sincerely,

*Jean Snedeger*



# BOOKS

## BOOKS RECENTLY DONATED TO THE DOUGLAS COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

### Books

Genealogical Research In New England  
Edited by Ralph J. Crandall

Family History for Fun and Profit  
by Vincent L. Jones, B.A.,  
Arlene H. Eakle, M.A.  
Mildred H. Christensen

Early Kentucky Tax Records  
From the Register of the  
Kentucky Historical Society  
With and Index by Carol Lee Ford

George W. Bell Family  
by Kathryn L. Marling Rice

Our French-Canadian Ancestors  
by Thomas J. Laforest

The National Archives: Preserver  
of Our Past 50 Years of Service

The Pleasanton 1929 yearbook  
Hilltop 1984 yearbook  
The Hilltop 1951 yearbook  
Hilltop 1952 yearbook  
Hilltop 1953 yearbook  
Blu-Jay 1973 Pleasanton, Kansas yearbook

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and the D.C.G.S.

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Jean Snedeger  
(Booklet from the conference  
May 18-19, 1984, St. Joseph  
MO.

Jean Snedeger

## Did You Know?



The State Department of Culture and History in the state of West Virginia is accepting claims for some 5,200 medals in bronze and copper which were intended for Civil War Veterans of that state but were never issued. The medals will go to the nearest relative who can prove relationship with the Civil War soldier and files a formal claim. There is a six-month waiting period from the date the first application for each medal is received to see if there are competing claims.

--Lawrence Journal-World, May 23, 1984



The Ragu company is having an essay contest called "The Ragu Family Reunion" which asks the question, "Why would you like to bring your family together for a reunion?" Those entering the contest will receive a free copy of the booklet, BRANCHING OUT: A Guide to Finding Your Living Family Tree, by Arlene Eakle. Entry blanks are available wherever Ragu products are sold. The booklet can also be obtained while supplies last by sending \$1.00 for postage and handling to Ragu Family Tradition, 415 Madison Ave., New York, N.Y. 10017.



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## THE PAINTER FAMILY

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The following family history of the PAINTER family, written by Frances PAINTER CAMPBELL and read at the fifth annual reunion of the PAINTER family at Lawrence, Kansas on 12 Sept 1926 was submitted by William M. GUTHRIE, 11513 107th St. SW, Tacoma, WA 98498. Through his mother, Margaret Ruth PAINTER GUTHRIE, Mr. GUTHRIE traces his descent from: James Montrose PAINTER, b. 25 Feb 1873, Cass Co. MO and Margaret KINDERKNECHT; John William PAINTER, b. 15 Mar 1846, MO and Sarah Margaret LOWER; Samuel PAINTER, b. 4 May 1816, d. 1906 KS and Nancy VANKIRK; and Solomon PAINTER and Mary ADAMS.

### OUR PAST

"Sometime in the early part of the Nineteenth Century, and somewhere in the state of Kentucky, two weddings occurred at two different times and places. Our interest still centers in those weddings. The first was that of Solomon PAINTER and Mary ADAMS. There were four children born to this couple: Samuel PAINTER, Sophia PAINTER, Hannah PAINTER and Isabelle PAINTER.

Since there is no one here but us, I will say that Solomon PAINTER belonged to the poorer class of easy going Kentucky farmers. In these days I fear they might be classed as poor whites or Hill Billies. Sophia PAINTER married Eldredge HUGHES and emigrated to Missouri; Hannah PAINTER married Samuel HAMILTON and lived in Indiana; Isabelle PAINTER married a deaf and dumb man named David ARNETT; and they also lived in Indiana. Some of the children of those families came to Missouri after the Civil War. Whenever you meet anyone wearing the name of HUGHES, HAMILTON or ARNETT, go a little easy and treat them with consideration for they may be a dear relative.

The other wedding was that of Matthias VINKIRK or VANKIRK as it was called in after years, and Elizabeth WILSON. She was a distant relative of Daniel BOONE. Hence our fighting blood. They belonged to the well-to-do farming class and--if you please--lived in a hewed, double log house and owned a very valuable negro named Dave. Now please don't tell anyone but there were sixteen children in this family. I am not sure whether there were five boys and eleven girls or six boys and ten girls. Two of that large family are still living at this date; Mrs. Mary KIMES, age ninety-three years, of Holton, Kansas and Mrs. Adelia STONER, age ninety-one, of Youngstown, Illinois.

There were so many in the family they were not given double names; or mayhap it was not the custom then. The names of the boys



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## PAINTER family continued-

were: John, James, Jack, Henry and Matthias. The girls names were: Sally, Nancy, Deborah, Mary, Adelia, Ann, Amelia, Kitty Ann and Rebecca. The two last mentioned died in early childhood. Kitty Ann died from burns received by her clothing catching fire. Two others died in infancy. As their names are gone from my memory I cannot tell their sex as in those days, the names told the story.

Among the names, acquired by the marriage of the daughters, we have HAWKINS, PAINTER, BECKNER, KIMES, STONER, PERRY and TRACY. When you meet up with those names be on your guard and best behavior for reasons given above. After the death of Matthias VINKIRK the family moved to Illinois and nearly all except the PAINTERS grew quite well-to-do or wealthy.

And now comes a third wedding and the one in which we are vitally interested: That of Samuel PAINTER, only son of Solomon and Mary PAINTER, and Nancy VINKIRK, second daughter of Matthias and Elizabeth VINKIRK. This wedding took place in the aforementioned, hewed, double log house on the seventh of January, eighteen hundred and forty in the presence of three hundred guests.

The bride had attained the ripe age of fourteen years, eight and one-half months. The groom was twenty three. They began their home life in Kentucky; moved to Indiana and after one and one-half years there went to the then sparsely settled, wild region of Illinois. They stayed there twenty-five years and did their share in subduing and peopling that part of our country. They then moved to Missouri just after the Civil War and helped in reconstruction of that state. In eighteen seventy-six they moved to Kansas where they spent the remainder of their lives. Samuel PAINTER died at the age of eighty-nine years and eight months and Nancy PAINTER at the age of eighty-four years and four months.

Now I hope there are no eaves droppers around for I must tell the painful truth. There were twelve children in this family, four boys and eight girls. The eldest, James Henry PAINTER, who became known in adult life as the Rev. J.H. PAINTER, was born in Kentucky. All the rest were born in Illinois. One boy, Thomas Albert, and girl, Adelia Eveline, died in early childhood; while an infant daughter lived but a brief two hours and died without receiving a name.

James Henry PAINTER married Katharine CARTER and they were the parents of one boy and five girls. Four girls are now living. For his second wife he married Mrs. Nannie R. PIPER, who survives him. Mary Elizabeth PAINTER married James PHILLIPS. She died at the age of sixteen leaving an infant daughter. She is Dora King SPAWR and is still living. John William PAINTER married Maggie LOWER. There were three boys and six girls; three boys and four girls are living. Eliza Jane PAINTER married Jackson BENNETT. Of their four sons, three are living. George Washington PAINTER married Minnie B. DUNCAN. Their family of four sons and one daughter are all living. Anna Missouri PAINTER married Charles S. McARTHUR. One son and three daughters and all living. Sarah Frances PAINTER married Larkin CAMPBELL. Their one daughter is living. Nancy Etta PAINTER married George LAMBERT. Of a family of three sons and two daughters, two

sons and two daughters are now living. Time and space forbid me to follow the PAINTER family through all the generations, but I must introduce our latest arrival: Glen Alden PAINTER; son of Eugene Davern PAINTER; son of Fred Alden PAINTER; son of George Washington PAINTER; son of Samuel PAINTER; son of Solomon PAINTER. Six generations that mine eyes have seen."

PAINTER's present (at the reunion): George, Minnie, Fred, Ella, Maxine, Sam, Elsie, Dorothy, Ray, Sophia, Ruth Elmira, Buell, Virginia, Gene, Flossie, Glenn Alden, Maggie, Loran, Claude, Etta, Margaret, Ruth. Formerly named PAINTER: Eliza BENNETT, Anna MOORE, Isabel McARTHUR, Frances CAMPBELL, Faustine GUY. Other relatives present: George BENNETT, Louis BENNETT, Daisy BENNETT, Helen GROVER, Gene MOORE, Ed GUY, Frances MILLWARD, Gladys WILSON, Kendall KNOWLES, Mr. HODGETT, Arthur YENNIE, Anna YENNIE, Charles YENNIE, Francis YENNIE, Isabel YENNIE and Richard YENNIE.



AUTOGRAPH BOOK



Mr. William GUTHRIE has an autograph book which belonged to his grandfather, James Montrose "Monty" PAINTER dating from about 1885. Many of those signing the book were from Lawrence, Kansas. Mr. GUTHRIE would be willing to send a descendant a copy of page on which the descendant's ancestor appears for an SASE. Some of the names listed in the autograph book are: Belle DICK, James H. BEACH, Claude Lower PAINTER, Paul A. HUNSINGER, Orry W. OWEN, Carrie LEWIS, G.G. HOSTETTER, Kate B. DICK, Collins A. ZIMMERMAN, Jennie HOSTETTER, John B. WILSON, Rachel HUSTED, "Auntie Belle"-Big Springs, KS, Haddie DICK, J.W. DICK, J.W. PAINTER, Edwin T. OWEN. A few of these names also show up on the Spanish American War Roster (Company "H", 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry) compiled about 1936 of which James Montrose PAINTER was a member. Write Mr. GUTHRIE at 11513, 107th St. SW, Tacoma, WA 98498 for more information about the book or list."

George W. Bell Family - A Family History 1844-1984 by Kathryn Marling Rice, 1915 N. Street, Gering, NE 69341, printed by Brenizer Historical and Genealogical Publications, Scottsbluff, NE 69361. Illustrated, 8 1/2 X 11, 168 pp., soft cover, \$20. including postage.

This family History begins with George W. BELL, who was born in Ohio in 1821. He married Anna Maria THOMPSON, daughter of John and Mary THOMPSON, in Rock Island Co., IL in September of 1844.

During the pre-civil war years, James H. LANE, a free-state man had influenced many people of the north to come to Kansas. Thus in 1856, George W. BELL, as a conductor of one group from Moline, IL came to the Hickory Point area of Douglas Co., KS. with his family as part of Jim LANE's "Army of the North". In Douglas Co. BELL farmed and served as an agent for Thadeus HYATT of the Emigrant Aid Society. George W. BELL became County Clerk of Douglas Co. in 1861. In 1863, before he had completed his new home in Lawrence, KS, he was killed during the infamous Quantrill's Raid in which some 150 other Lawrence citizens were murdered by a guerilla force led by William Quantrill.

Mrs. Rice gives much information about BELL children: Harriet BELL LAMON, Charles S. BELL, Georgianna BELL BEARD AHRENS, Carrie BELL MONSON GRUBBS, Nettie BELL HAMILL and Mary Minna BELL CUMMINGS ROSS.

Mrs. Rice recently donated this fine book to the DCGS library.



## ANCESTRAL TABLE of Gary Martin METSKER

Ped. Chart #	Name	Born	Married	Died	Profession
1.	Gary Martin METSKER	1940 MO	1962 IA		Teacher
2.	Millo Raymond METSKER	1904 KS	1930 KS	1979 CO	Bldg. Inspect.
3.	Pearl Elizabeth JAMISON	1905 VA	1930 KS		Housewife
4.	Jesse Delano METSKER	1879 KS	1904 KS	1978 KS	Farmer
5.	Mary Edna KINZIE	1885 KS	1904 KS	1980 KS	Housewife
6.	Charles Benjamin JAMISON	1860 VA	1890 VA	1942 KS	Farmer
7.	Ona Elizabeth MULLINS	1873 VA	1890 VA	1956 KS	Housewife
8.	Martin World METSKER	1850 IN	1873 ?	1922 KS	Farmer
9.	Mary Elizabeth SHOUP	1851 OH	1873 ?	1936 KS	Housewife
10.	Daniel A. KINZIE	1852 VA	1845 KS	1940 KS	Farmer/Carp.
11.	Martha Jane METTS	1852 KS	1845 KS	1934 KS	Housewife
12.	John William JAMISON	1838 VA	1857 ?	1857 KS	
13.	Elizabeth SINK	1838 VA	1857 ?	1916 KS	Housewife
14.	Henry Marshall MULLINS	1834 VA	1856 VA	1908 VA	Farmer
15.	Charity BRYANT	1836 VA	1856 VA	1913 VA	Housewife
16.	John C. METSKER	1826 PA	1849 IN	1911 KS	Farmer
17.	Christena ULRICH	1831 IN	1849 IN	1914 KS	
18.	James SHOUP	1826	1849 OH	1852 OH	
19.	Sarah STUTSMAN	1829 OH	1849 OH	1916 KS	
20.	John KINZIE	1825 VA	1845	1873	
21.	Catharine GOSSETT	1820 VA	1845	1873	
22.	Samuel METTS				
23.	Naomi SINK				
24.	Samuel JAMISON	1810	1832	1881	
25.	Sarah WEBSTER	1811	1832	1851	
26.	Joseph SINK				
27.	Barbara FISHER				
28.	Joseph MULLINS	1810	1829 VA	1867	
29.	Frances PRILLAMAN	1815 VA	1829	1902	
30.	Richard BRYANT		1815 VA		
31.	Annie YOUNG		1815 VA		
32.	Jacob METSKER	1798 PA	1823	1871 IN	
33.	Elizabeth CHRISTIAN	1805	1823	1877 KS	
34.	Jacob ULRICH	1803 PA		1863 KS	
35.	Mary HOOVER	1808		1883 KS	
38.	David STUTSMAN	1793 PA	c. 1815	1861 MO	
39.	Frances BELLAR	1796	c. 1815	1877	
40.	David KINZIE	1797 VA			
48.	John JAMISON	1783	1806	1864	
49.	Catherine BOONE	1785	1806	1866	
50.	Jesse WEBSTER				
51.	Polly HENDERSON				
56.	Booker MULLINS	1779	1803		
57.	Judith STANLEY	1783	1803		
58.	Dennis PRILLAMAN	1780	1809		
59.	Sally WALKER				
64.	John METSKER Jr.	1771 PA		1837	
65.	Christianna HOOVER	1778 or 1773		1856	
66.	Phillip CHRISTIAN				
67.	Barbara DAVOLT				

## Ahnentafel of Gary Martin METSKER continued:

	Name	Born	Married	Died	Profession
68.	John ULRICH Sr.	1764 PA	1792	1838	
69.	Christina BRAMBAUGH	1777	1792	1817	
70.	John HOOVER	1782 PA		1839	
71.	Elizabeth BRUMBAUGH	1784		1860	
76.	David STUTSMAN Sr.	c1765 MD	c1790	1852	
77.	Mary OVERHOLTZ	c1773		c1845	
80.	Abraham KINZIE	1770 VA	1798	1848	
81.	Catherine ELSERODE	1773		1839	
96.	John JAMISON Sr.	1758		1842	
97.	Elizabeth McWILLIAMS				
98.	Jacob BOONE	1749 PA		1814/1815	
99.	Catherine				
112.	William MULLINS				
116.	Daniel PRILLAMAN	1758	c1777	1854	
117.	Ann O'BRIANT	1758		1850	
128.	John METSKER Sr.	1741 GER			
129.	Catherine				
130.	Martin HOOVER Sr.	c1750	c1772	1816	
132.	Gideon CHRISTIAN				
133.	Margaret RIX				
136.	Daniel ULRICH	c1733	1775		
137.	Christina	1735			
138.	Conrad BRUMBAUGH	1735 GER			Schoolteacher
140.	Adam HOOVER				
142.	George BRUMBAUGH				
143.	Susanna METZGAAR	1761			
152.	Jacob STUTZMAN	1746	c1765		
154.	Abraham OVERHOLTZ				
192.	Thomas JAMISON	1732	1756	1830	
193.	Jane DICKEY	1742			
196.	Joseph BOONE	1704		1776	
197.	Catherine				
232.	Jacob PRILLAMAN Sr.	1721		1796	
233.	Walburga HELM			1799	
234.	Dennis O'BRIANT				
260.	Adam HOOVER?				
272.	Stephen ULRICH				
276.	Johannes Heinrich BRUMBAUGH				
284.	Johannes Heinrich BRUMBAUGH				
304.	Jacob STUTZMAN				
305.	Hannah				
392.	George BOONE				
393.	Sarah UPPEY				
768.	James JAMISON				

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*Wanted:*

Ahnentafels, typed copies of Bible records (including information from title page), copies of old letters and other material concerning Douglas Co. for possible publication in THE PIONEER. Send to: Editor, Douglas County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 3664, Lawrence, KS 66044.



**INDEX to DOUGLAS CO. CRIMINAL DOCKET BOOK I-(Nov 1863-Feb 1878)**

Concluded from Vol VII, #4, p. 176. (Docket Book and Case Files are in the Judicial and Law Enforcement Building, Lawrence, KS). Contact the DOGS for more information from the case files. Note: Names are not in alphabetical order. (Jail Book I, in the Kansas Collection, Spencer Research Library, Univ. of Kansas, Lawrence, KS gives a physical description of some of the defendants listed below as well as their place of birth, etc. in many instances).

-R-

RILEY, Allen-486, 18 Aug 1873; RILEY, Allen-519  
7 Oct 1874; RILING, Lewis-520, 17 Oct 1874; RILEY, Allen-521,  
(no date given); REED, Henry-547, 17 June 1875; REED, Henry-602,  
16 Mar 1877.

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SHANK, Thomas and ANGELL-18 18 Nov 1863; SUMNER, Leonard C.  
and MEARIS, Alexander-50, 19 Nov 1864; STEVENS, James and HICKEY,  
John-62, 23 Nov 1864; STARKEY, John W.-84, 16 May 1865; STEVENS,  
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SAUNDERS, J.W.-91, 6 Nov 1865; SIBERT, G.W. and NEAL, A.L. and  
FULLER, Perry-108, 21 Nov 1865; SWIETZER, Geo. and KIES, John-  
113 and 117, 21 Nov 1865; SKINNER, A.-115 and 118, 21 Nov 1865;  
SPICER, Arthur A. and NORTON, S.B.-124, 21 Nov 1865; STANLY,  
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1866; SCOTT, Samuel E.-166, 21 May 1866; SMITH, Peter-168, 24  
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297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 4 Apr 1868; SMITH, Clarence-318, 17 June  
1868; SCARBURY, Albert-322, 19 June 1868; STEPHEN, Richard-340,  
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STRAHAN, A.J.-417, (fugitive from justice), 20 Dec 1870; STAUSS,  
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423, 4 Jan 1871; SCOTT, Charles-428, 30 Jan 1871; SMITH, Elizabeth  
(alias Lizzie SMITH)-435, 1 May 1871; STEWART, Sarah-479, 6 Aug  
1873 (recognizance); SCOTT, John-489, 15 Oct 1873; SIMMON, Geo.-  
496, 21 Jan 1874; SALSBURY, Simon (?) -508, 15 Sept 1874; SULLIVAN,  
Susan-509, 16 Sept 1874; SULLIVAN, Lawrence-515, 30 Sept 1874;  
SHORTWALTER, Isaac and BRADSHAW, William-517, 5 Oct 1874; SILVERS,  
Geo.-525, 20 Nov 1874; SMART, William-528, 11 Jan 1875; SHERWOOD,  
John-539, 5 Apr 1875; SNYDER, Edward and FEATHERSTON, Edward-540,  
5 Apr 1875; SCOTT, John-548, 20 July 1875; SIMS, James-561, 9  
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ward and FEATHERSTON, Edward-565, 24 Sept 1875; SHAFF, Peter-569,  
14 Jan 1876; SMITH, William-589, 16 Sept 1876; SIMMS, James-593,  
29 Mar 1876; SIMMS, James-594, 13 Sept 1876; SIMPSON, James-606,  
29 Aug 1877;

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TAGGART, William and EDWARDS, Thomas; FERGUSON, J.M.; WHITE,  
Francis M.;-19, 18 Nov 1863; TAYLOR, J.C.-93, 6 Nov 1865; TILLMAN,  
Joseph-163 and 164, 21 May 1866; TOBLER, William-114, 21 Nov 1865;

TALLY, James and SMITH, William-150, 7 May 1866; TACKETT, William-164, 21 May 1866; THORNTON, N.A.T.-225, 11 Mar 1867; THOMPSON, John-251, 11 Sept 1867; TODD, John-276, 10 Dec 1867; TAYLOR, John-320, 26 June 1868; TWINING, Lewis-413 (appeal), 28 Nov 1870; TUTT (or TUFT?), Reuben-516, 5 Oct 1874; TUTT/TUFT, Reuben-537, 2 Apr 1875; TAUSEY, James-545, 13 May 1875; TAUSEY, James 603, 16 Mar 1877.

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UPTON, George-5, 14 Nov 1863; UNDERWOOD, Abner-251, 11 Sept 1867; UNDERWOOD, Alexander-370, 19 Aug 1869; URICK, Casper-437, 19 May 1871.

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VAUGHN, Woody and VAUGHN, Daniel-208, 17 Nov 1866; VAUGHN (VALGH?), Martin-374, 6 Nov 1869; VANDSEAVER (or VANDREASAR), \_\_\_\_\_-381, 26 Mar 1870; VINEGAR, Margaret-607, 20 Aug 1877; VEACH, Saml. J.-611, 30 Aug 1877; VENABLE, Samuel (alias, Sam'l MURPHY)-612, 31 Aug 1877.

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WARE(?), John Calvin-3, 11 Nov 1863; WATSON, John-7, 14 Nov 1863; WATSON, John-8, 14 Nov 1863; WILLIAMS, Henry and WASHINGTON, George; and COX, Lewis M.-16, 15 Nov 1863; WELLS, Richard and FRANKLIN, Thomas B.-17, 18 Nov 1863; WILSON, John and HULL, Charles-61, 23 Nov 1864; WALKER, Tom-78, 13 May 1865; WA-TEE-CHA, Ernest-89, (change of venue from Franklin Co.) 30 Oct 1865; WILCOX, Edward-92, 6 Nov 1865; WHITMORE, William-99, 11 Nov 1865; WRIGHT, Marion-101, 11 Nov 1865; WINFREY, Jane-101, 11 Nov 1865; WILLIAMS, John S. and MOORE, Julia A.-131, 22 Nov 1865; WAGNER, Mrs. Julia-135, 22 Nov 1865; WILDERSEIN (or WILDERSENN), B. (City of Lawrence)-148, (appeal), 1 May 1866; WHITE, Francis M.-157, 18 May 1866; WAGNER, Jasper and MONROE, David-172, 24 May 1866; WILLIAMS, John-183, 18 May 1866; WALLACE, George-197, 12 Nov 1866; WRIGHT, William P.-223, 18 Dec 1866; WILLIAMS, Bill (alias, Wild Bill)-229, 8 May 1867; WRIGHT, Henry-230, 9 May 1867; WINNINGHAM, William R.-235, 16 May 1867; WINNINGHAM, William R.-236, 18 May 1867; WATERS, William-269, 13 Nov 1867; WALKER, Fred-293, 294, 295, and 296, 31 May 1868; WALKER, Emma-302, 4 Apr 1868; WALKER Fred-310, 8 Apr 1868; WILD, Bill-336, 9 Nov 1868; WEBER, Bruner (or Brunen?)-351, 22 Apr 1869; WOODARD, T.C.-353, 21 May 1869; WARNER (or WERNER), Emil-355, 21 June 1869; WATERS, T. J.-365, 366, 367, 11 Aug 1869; WINTHROP, John-386, 14 June 1870; WHITE, Wright-400, 21 Sept 1870; WILSON, William H.-482, 25 Apr 1873; WRIGHT, Jesse-446, 6 Oct 1871; WARREN, Eli-464, 19 Nov 1872; WILLIAMS, Henry-473, 3 Feb 1873; WILSON, William-476, 6 Aug 1873; WILSON, William-482, 25 Apr 1873; WILSON, Frank-487, 1 Sept 1873; WEAVER, Henry-502, 16 Jul 1874; WHITAKER, John-503, 16 Jul 1874; WASHINGTON, W.-546, 13 May 1875; WHITE, Robert-552, 23 Aug 1875; WILSON, Charles and MAYO, Francis-558, 28 Aug 1875; WHITE, Thomas (and SHANNON, J.W.; HALL, Aaron; HALL, Mary; and SHAFF, Peter)-560, 28 Aug 1875; WILSON, Thomas F.-570, 14 Jan 1876; WILLIAMS, John-574, 21 Mar 1876; WHITE, Thomas-590, 18 Sept 1876; WEEDMAN, S.W.-604, 25 June 1877; WILLIAMS, Tony-613, 31 Aug 1877; WEIDMAN, Squire (alias JONES, A.S.)-616, 10 Sept 1877.

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YALES, G.W.W.-445, 10 June 1871

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ZIMMERMAN, William-122, 21 Nov 1865

-Compiled by Judy Sweets-

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
CELEBRATES IT'S 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY



Information in this article was obtained from "OUR HERITAGE 150 Years of Progress" by Clarence E. Birch, and from "ONE HUNDRED YEARS" assembled by Loda Newcomb and Pearl Clark, and from Church bulletins.

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On Saturday, June 16, 1984, the First Christian Church at 10th and Kentucky, observed its 100th birthday by inviting all members and friends to an open house.

In 1855, Pardee Butler traveled from Illinois to Kansas to bring the Christian Faith and established a Church on Stranger Creek at Mount Pleasant. During the ensuing years he was aided by such persons as Caleb May a close friend and neighbor at Stranger Creek, John Graves and G. W. Hutchison.

By 1884, Kansas was "barely old enough to vote" and peopled by such noble and stalwart people as the Newbys, the Williamsons, and Pattersons, and who were conducting Church services in their homes. On June 19, 1884, they organized and were granted a Charter. In 1887 they purchased the frame building at Eleventh and Kentucky Streets for \$2,500 from the Universalists and met in that building for more than 20 years.



THE OLD CHURCH (Our Birthplace)

The first Board of Trustees was composed of Henry Newby, William Burton, Addison Hyde, H. C. Patterson and J. H. Buckley. The first Elders were Henry Newby, William Burton, Addison Hyde, and D. P. Dutton. The Deacons were H. C. Patterson (grandfather of H. Herbert Tuller), J. H. Buckley, William Burton and R. A. Kier. The Church at 11th and Kentucky was destroyed by fire in 1907.

The Church membership grew as a result of a revival led by H. E. Wilhite during the pastorate of C. L. Milton and that increase necessitated the construction of a new building. The present structure at 10th and Kentucky was built in 1908. The old church at 10 and Kentucky was

1908.



"One of the few people living today who worshipped in the original Church building is Mrs. Oscar (Mabel Stewart) Olson, who lived at 1229 Rhode Island. She recounts how as a little girl of ten she responded to the appeal for donations for chimney bricks for a new building at 5 and 10 cents a brick. She earned a dollar by scrubbing a huge porch of a neighbor and doing other chores... Mrs. Olson lives at Babcock Place and is still a member of our Church."

During the ministry of Harry M. Sippel, a fire caused considerable damage to the Church offices, destroying vital records. The remaining fragments have been restored and copied. Listed for 1884: Henry Newby, William Burton, Addison Hyde, D. P. Dutton, H. C. Patterson, J. H. Buckley, W. S. Parker minister, 1884, R. A. Kies, J. M. Graham, and William Ireland. 1896: Persons listed as members of the Church: A. L. James, minister, Richard Henderson, E. B. Cronemeyer.

Note made June 23, 1942 by H. G. Birch: Messer, Harriett Carrie, 1915 New Hampshire St. (1888W) was born September 7, 1874, at Lawrence, Kansas, the daughter of Nathan Theodore Messer and Florence Aletha Adams. She married John L. Harris in 1894 at Lawrence, Kansas. She was baptized in the Spring of 1884 by Rev. William Ireland at the Church in Lawrence, Kansas at that time located at 1045 Kentucky Street.

Compiled and submitted by Zona Smith

## Family Reunions

**RICHARDSON**-The family of Asa and Pheba RICHARDSON gathered for a 57th reunion on August 12, 1984 at South Park Recreation Center, Lawrence, Kansas. Eugene HIRD is this year's president.

**TULEY**-The descendants of Charles Borden TULEY and Elizabeth FRAZIER, who were married in 1838 in Shelby Co. Ohio and came to Atchison Co. Kansas in 1869, will hold their annual reunion the first Sunday in October 1984. This year the meeting will be at the Educational Building of the Union Church in Effingham, Kansas.

**WIGGINS**-Descendants of Dudley and Priscilla WIGGINS, who settled in Lawrence, KS in 1856, will gather for a family reunion on the 2nd Sunday in October in Lawrence, KS. Contact Elizabeth SANDERS, Rt. 5, Box 220, Warrensburg, MO 64093 for more information.



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C.W. SMITH, Lawrence, KS, UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER  
(1890-1907)  
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Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Morgan, Robt. Priv. Co. G 76th USC Troops	25 Sep 1901	Mrs. Hattie Morgan Douglas County	OH	70	Dropsy	108
Morris, Mrs. B.	27 Aug 1905	The Family	OH	69	Paralysis	159
Morrison, child of	5 Sep 1897	P. J. Morrison	Blank	4 da		63
Morris, Christopher	11 Nov 1893	Wm Morris; A.L. Cox		86	Old age	31
Morris, John, infant of	2 Aug 1890	A. Morris	MG			2
Morris, Phillip	9 Sep 1907	Mrs. L. H. Perkins; Sister; Mrs. Bogartiss	OH			189
Morris, Dr. R. Surgeon ? Ill. Infy.	9 Mch 1898	The Family	OH	74	Paralysis	69
Morris, Rosa	4 Oct 1895	E.H. Cardwell/Cadwell	Lecompton			46
Morris, Mrs. W.	30 Dec 1897	Wm Morris	Lecompton	52	LaGrippe	67
Morrow, John	1 Aug 1901	C.O. & Sarah M. Morrow	MG	85	Burned	106
Morrow, Sarah M.	10 Oct 1902	C. O. Morrow	MG	68	Cancer	121
Morrowville, Wm.	16 Dec 1904	Mrs. Ella Morrowville	OH	55	Pneu.	149
Morse, Eb (Index-Eben)	10 Dec 1890	Wm Morse; Coroner	OH			4
Morse, Mrs.	4 Jun 1891	Blank	MG			10
Mortimer/Mathews, Al	21 Jun 1903	J.H. Mathews; Coroner	OH	26	Drowned	129
Mortimer, Nellie	5 Sep 1899	Chas. Mortimer	OH	49	Cancer	84
Morton, Allie	28 Jan 1896	Dan Morton	MG			49
Morton, Wallace	24 Mch 1903	Charis Morton	MG	22		126
Moses, Mr. W.	7 Mch 1899	P.P. Phillip; Mrs. Moses; Mr. Stevenson	Vinland	85	Old age	79
Mosby, Jane	11 Jan 1907	Andrew Mosby	OH	70	Hrt. Trbl.	179
Mosser, Mrs. C.	20 Oct 1905	Geo Mosser ? Noidilhoff	Reno	83	Old age	161
(?) Mothens, Myrtle	11 May 1894	H.J. Whitman; Dg. Co.	OH	2yr	Measles	34
Motheros, Kempy	22 Dec 1897	A. G. Honnold	MG	10 1/2		66
Motherus, Lavinea	20 Jan 1898	James Munroe; A.G.H.	MG	748	Paralysis	67
Moultin, (?) Amanda	20 Oct 1902	Lee Moultin	OH	50	Pneu.	122
Moultin, child of	31 Mch 1891	Don Moultin	MG			8
Mozeley, Ed	19 Nov 1903	Mrs. Mable Mozeley	OH	79	Kidney +	134
Mueller, Peter	21 Nov 1898	Mrs. Norton (Shipped from Guthrie, Ok.)	OH		Rupture	76
Muff, Harry (Index-Muffert)	21 Jan 1891	Mr. Muff---	Deer Creek			6
Muff, May/Mary Frances	15 Aug 1905	Jacob Muff	OH	4hrs	No Dr.	159
Mull, child of	17 Oct 1897	Mr. Olmstead	OH	2 mo	?	64
Mull, Mrs. Ellen	16 Dec 1903	The Family (Shipped from (?) Kechie, Ks.)	OH	78	Old age +	134
Mumford, Albert	17 Feb 1902	Lewis Mumford; City	OH	24	Accident	112
Mumford, Cora	19 Nov 1904	(?) Jesse Dillard (Shipped from Pueblo)	OH	53	Meningitis	148
Munroe, infant	24 Jun 1902	F. M. Munroe	OH	21 da	?	117
Munroe, Susan J.S.	8 Oct 1903	The family	OH	66	Nerv. Pros.	133
Murdock, Moses	26 Feb 1898	E.F. Hobbs; A.G. Honnold	OH			68

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Murphy, Andrew	17 Apr 1901	Murphy	OH	74		102
Murphy, Mrs.	21 May 1892	E. C. Murphy	OH			18
Murray, (?) Fran A.	5 Mch 1907	Blank	OH	1yr	Spinal Men	182
Murrow, Mrs. Mary E.	21 Jul 1902	F.H.Murrow;Benev#2	OH	37	Chronic Dial	18
Musick, W. H.	4 Oct 1906	Carl Schurbt	Hesper			175
Muzzy, H. C.	29 Dec 1906	Sarah Muzzy;Co.Com.	MG	72	Meningitis	178
Myers, child of E.E.	29 Mch 1906	E. E. Myers	OH			167
Myers, Jas. M.	29 Nov 1907	Mrs. Will Rankin (Died in Topeka, Ks.)	OH	80	Senility	192
Myer, Johnie A.	24 Mch 1903	Math Myer	OH	5 mo/wk		127
Myers, Olive Alice	14 Jul 1902	E. E. Meyers	OH	4 yr.	Dysntry	118
Myers, R. T.	11 Apr 1906	Mrs. Maggie Myers	MG	50	Suicide	168
Nace, Amelia	18 Sep 1907	John & Wm Nace	Lecompton	63	Paralys.	189
Nadelhoffer, May	22 Sep 1895	Wm Nadelhoffer	OH			45
Neal, Albert	20 May 1896	Mrs. A. Neal	OH	39	Epilepsy	52
Neal, (?) Jourdan	24 Jul 1902	The Family	OH	78	??	118
Neff, Mrs. Elizabeth	25 Feb 1897	B. E. Hoover	Belvoir	60	Stomach	57
Nelson, A.	30 Jun 1892	(?)Mr. Lofgren	OH			19
Nelson, Bertha	26 Jan 1906	Harry C. Nelson	OH	17 mo.	WhCough	165
Nelson, Frank (col)	10 Dec 1894	A. G. Honnold	MG			37
Nelson, Jennie	8 Aug 1906	N. Lawrence	OH	29		172
Nelson, Joe	1 Oct 1900	Harry Nelson	MG	64	Lung Trbl.	94
Nelson, John	27 Aug 1905	A. G. Honnold	MG	64	Lung Trbl.	94
Nelson, John	27 Aug 1905	The Family	OH	84	Old age	159
Nelson, Martin	21 Nov 1906	Lucy Nelson	MG		Hrt.Dis.	177
Nelson, Mother	21 Jul 1905	Louisa Nelson	MG	81	Old age	158
Nelson, Mrs. Priscilla	17 May 1902	Mrs. Frank ?	OH	73	Erisipolis	116
Nelson, Rose	30 Jul 1901	F. H. Nelson	Clinton	8	?mLaGrippe	106
Nelson, Sarah J.	25 Aug 1901	Poor Comm	MG	65	gen.dibil.	107
Ness, Wm	10 Feb 1894	G.B.Snow;Albert & Alice Ness	MG	34	consumpt.	33
Nevison, Francis A.	2 Oct 1903	W. W. Nevison	OH	66	Appoplexy	132
Nevvison, W. H.	30 Jan 1901	W. W. Nevvison (Shipped from Cleveland, Ohio)	OH	36	con.	100
Newby, (?) Edey	15 Mch 1891	Henry & T. F. Newby	OH		child	8
Newby, Oliver L.	13 Apr 1906	Henry Newby	OH	51	Lung trbl	168
Newlin, Mr. H.	19 Aug 1897	J. M. Newlin	OH	85	Old age	63
Newlin, Mrs. J. M.	23 Nov 1905	J. M. Newlin	OH		Cancer	162
Newlin, Mrs. Mary	19 Dec 1904	J. M. Newlin	OH	76	Hrt Fail.	150
Newman, Dr.	30 Apr 1905	? Foxan	OH	80	Old age	155
Surgeon 3 Ks. M.						
Newman, Susan	26 Dec 1905	Mrs.Scott;VernerNewman	MG	50	Tumor	163
Newmin, Lucia M.	18 Feb 1904	Dr. Albert Newman	OH	72		137
Newsom, Mr.	7 Apr 1893	Jas. Faxon				26
Newsom, Mrs. Nancy	14 Jun 1903	Mrs. Newsom	OH			26
		H. B. Newsom	Mt.Gilead	74	con.	129
			Ohio			
North, Mrs.	2 Mch 1905	A. W. Flora	Collins	80	Old age	153
Northrup, John E.	21 Aug 1907	Mrs. Amoretta Northrup	OH	75	Paralysis	188
		2 girls; Ed Northrup				
Northway, Frank	14 Sep 1900	B. F. Hopp(ff)er (Shipped from N. Topeka)	OH	?69	Kidneys	95
Norton, James	15 Aug 1895	The Family	OH			44
Norton, James E.	23 Mch 1898	The Family	OH	34	Accident	69

Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
(?)Nuffer, Mrs. A.	28 Nov 1892	August Nuffer	DeerCreek			23
Nuffert, Christ	29 Sep 1892	Peter Nuffer ?	Kanwaka			22
(?)Nuffer, Mrs. P.	9 Dec 1892	Peter Nuffer	DeerCreek			23
Nunley, Alice	13 Aug 1893	Chas. McFarland	OH			28
Nunelly, Mrs.	4 Feb 1897	Geo. Nunley				
Nunelly, Mrs.	9 Feb 1897	A. G. Honnold	OH			58
Nunelly, Richard	26 Nov 1890	Mr. Nunelly, Mrs. McCray	OH	28	con.	59
Oakes, H. A.	12 Mch 1903	(?)Wm McGeorge				
Capt. Co. I 129 Ill.		Alma Potter	Blank			4
Oatman, Letitia	9 Oct 1906	R.G. Temple; The Family	OH	65	Paralysis	126
Oatman, Roy B.	6 Oct 1906	A. G. Oatman	OH	74	Old age	175
Oberg, John	27 Jul 1892	(Shipped from K.C.)				
Obrien, John	5 Nov 1903	Roy Oatman	OH	3/2	Diphtherial	175
O'Brien, Mrs. D. died	22 Feb 1899	Mrs. E. Wilson	OH			20
O'Brien, Mary	1 Dec 1907	Frank French	OH	80	Old age +	133
(From -- Indianapolis)		Mr. F. D. O'Brien	OH		Cancer	79
O'Brien, Mrs. Nancy	30 Dec 1894	Frank French	OH	76	Hrt. Trbl.	192
O'Connor, Mrs. Esther	30 Nov 1893	D. M. Obrien	OH			38
Odea, Charles	16 Mch 1892	S. P. Spencer	OH	79	?	31
Oell, Harry W.	3 Feb 1904	(?)Dennis Odea	Reno			17
Oehlerle, Mrs. Alvina	19 Apr 1900	Blank (sent to KC, Mo.)		34	Dropsy	136
Oesch, Jacob	30 Jul 1906	G. Oehlerle	KC, Ks.	44	Pneu.	91
Oliver, Mary Margaret	19 Feb 1906	Wm Wiedemann	OH	87	Old age	172
(Shipped from Junction City)		Adam Oliver	OH	47	Pneu.	166
Oliver, Mrs. Susan W.	9 Jan 1901	Clarence Hall	OH	89	Pneu.	99
O'Loughlin, child of	4 Jul 1890	Harry Popenoe				
Olds, Rev. Frank B.	17 Oct 1907	Blank	Catholic			1
Olson, August	10 Nov 1897	Mrs. Olds; Henry Haynes	OH	66	Hem. of Lung	190
Olson, Mrs. C.	5 Dec 1903	The Family	OH	59	Liver Com.	65
Olson, Caroline	5 Nov 1903	A. Olson	OH	92	Stomach Trbl	134
Ophir, Cynthia	30 Aug 1894	Ed Olson	OH	72/76		133
Opperman, Jno.	10 Oct. 1907	B.A. & O.W. McAllister	OH	85	Old age +	36
(?)Orander, Mrs. June	15 Jun 1905	Will Opperman				
Oren, Abner	20 Dec 1905	Catherine Opperman	OH	74	Paralysis	190
Orender, Allen T.	3 Dec 1900	The Family; Met. Ins.	OH	43	Tumor	157
(?)Orr, Harold	4 Oct 1901	E.A. Roper; J. Zabler	Clinton	65	Cong Bwls	163
Orrick, Grace	11 Nov 1897	Mary P ?				
Osborn, Francis H.	21 Aug 1891	Marion Orender	Reno	2 1/2	Diph.	98
Oswalt, Hattie	30 Jan 1903	Oscar Orr	Kanwaka	2 mo.	?	108
Overstreet, (?)Aneka	19 Feb 1902	Jess Thompson	Eudora			65
Overstreet, Aneka	21 Feb 1902	W. C. Harris				
Overton, Edward	9 Mch 1901	Rev. H. Osborn	OH			12
Private Co. G 79 U.S.C.F.		Frank Oswalt	OH	26	Hrt. Trbl.	125
Owen, Edwin T.	19 Jul 1903	Lewis Overstreet	OH	70	Paralysis	112
Owens, Nancy M.	5 Feb 1907	The Family	OH	73	Paralysis	113
		Court of Colontha				
		Douglas County	OH	68	?	101
		The Family	OH	34	Kidney	130
		James Owens	OH	60	Hrt. Fail.	180

Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Owen, Noah	30 Dec 1904	Frank & Chas. Owen	OH	82		150
Owens, Robert	4 Apr 1895	Sons of Morgan Jones	Kennedy-			40
Pallar, Edward	15 Apr 1901	Cemetery near KC, Mo	Valley			
Private Co. K 54 U.S.C.F.		County	OH	80	Old age	102
Palm, A.	8 Nov 1906	Mrs. B. Reynolds	OH	71	Cancer	176
Palm, Mrs. C.	6 Apr 1899	Will Palm	OH	63	Suicide	80
Palmateer, Lucy	25 Dec 1905	Andrew Palm	OH	61	Hrt Trbl	163
Parcels, Elizabeth M.	1 Sep 1907	3 Sons; Father	OH	64	Stomach +	188
Pardee, Jane E.	24 Feb 1905	Byron Parcels	OH			153
Parker, child of	8 Aug 1896	Jno. Pardee	OH			54
Parker, child of	25 Apr 1898	Henry Parker	OH	2 wks?		70
Parker, Mrs. M.E.S.	5 Oct 1903	Henry Parker	MG	6 ?	Croup	132
Parker, Rufus	19 Nov 1905	B. F. Smith	OH	89	Old age +	162
Parkhurst, Clara F.	10 Sep 1897	Ad Carter & wife	OH	75	Kidney	64
Parks, Elizabeth E.	5 Apr 1901	Mrs. Nettie Wilson	OH	33	Peritonit.	102
Parks, J. E.	7 Jun 1900	Miss Parlee Doors	Clinton,	67	Dropsy	93
(Shipped from Ratoon, New Mex.)		Mary L. & Fred Davis	Mo.			
Parish, Clyde	11 Feb 1907	Mrs. J. E. Parks	MG	36-11-19	Consumption	181
Parnell, child of	13 Oct 1896	C. Gribble	Lecompton	16 mo.	Diph.	56
Parnell, Mrs. Maria	29 Aug 1895	? Parish; E. E. Myers	Lecompton		Stillborn	45
Parnhan, Rachell	13 Dec 1900	W. J. Parnell	Lecompton			98
Parnoll, Thomas	11 May 1898	Wells Fargo Ex.				71
Paronto, Loyd M.	29 Mch 1901	A. J. & W. J. Parnell; Parnell	Junction			102
Partellia, Nelson	16 Feb 1901	A. J. Parnell, Jr.	OH		Poison ?	101
Pate, ?Daniel	26 Jul 1899	W. J. Kennedy	OH	73	?Tumor	82
Patterson, Angie	24 Jul 1906	The Family	Clinton	4-10	RR Accid	101
Patterson, Anna	10 Jun 1906	Nelson Paronto	Marysville			172
Patterson, Elsie	15 Dec 1907	Haskell Institute	Haskell			170
Patterson, Helan B.	1 Apr 1907	Haskell Institute	Haskell			193
Patterson, Howard, inf.	17 Aug 1907	Lawrence Lodge #1992	OH	50	Perotinitis	188
Patterson, James W.	1 Aug 1904	IOOF; Williams & Henderson				144
Patterson, J. L.	17 Jul 1890	U. S. Clark	OH	65	Bwl Trbl	1
Patterson, Mrs.	26 Feb 1892	Mrs. Addie White;	OH	46	Lung Trbl	16
Patterson, Mrs. Maggie	20 Jul 1905	Geo Patterson; Benevolent Lodge				158
(Shipped from Reno, Nevada)		Geo Patterson	OH	17	Consumpt.	170
Patton, Ella F.	11 Jul 1905	Wm Patterson	OH	13	wk.No Dr.	138
Patton, Rachel W.	30 Oct 1902	Howard Patterson	OH			122
Patty, child of	21 Feb 1892	Z. Patterson	OH			16
Patty, Harvey H.	17 Jan 1897	H. L. Moore	OH			58
Patty, Jennie C.	4 Nov 1890	N. S. Clark	OH			4
Patty, Mrs. L.	29 May 1905	Jesse Blackburn	OH	43		156
Paul, Mrs. O.	20 May 1894	LeRoy Blackburn; Court of Calantha				35
Paul, Robt.	8 Sep 1901	Geo F. Barker	OH	46		107
Payne, ch. of	29 Nov 1898	J. C. Patton				76
Peairs, Carrie Gertrude	8 Sep 1906	R. L. Patton	Clinton	61	StomachTr.	174
Peairs, John B.	26 Oct 1895	Fred Patty	Clinton			47
		H. H. Pattey	MG	2 1/2 mo. ?		
		John Acres				
		H. H. Patty; ?T. Corey	MG			
		Mrs. Mary Merriam	MG	77	Paralysis	156
		Olin Paul	OH			35
		O. Paul	OH	38	Rheumatism	107
		W. L. Payne	Clinton	4??		76
		H. B. Peairs; Haskell;	OH	7	appendicitis	174
		(?)Leo(v)ir Bros.	Vinland			47

Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Pearce, Ollie	28 Jan 1896	L. S. Pearce	OH			49
Pearcey, Lloyd	9 Apr 1903	C. E. Pearcey	LoneStar	2½		127
Pearis, Mrs. J. B.	13 Sep 1898	J. L. Jones				
Pearl, Emma May	12 Jul 1900	Pearis Brothers	Vinland	67	Cancer	74
Pears, child of Frank	6 Feb 1906	C. Loit	MG	6 mo.	Chol. inf	93
Pears, Mrs. Nancy A.	21 May 1897	H. G. Pearl, 1234 Taylor, Armourdale, K.				
Pearson, Amanda	27 Mch 1901	Frank Pears	OH			166
Pearson, Donald	12 Dec 1907	R. W. Sparr	Collinsville	71	Perotinit.	61
Pearson, John	2 Nov 1905		Illinois.			
Pease, child of	8 Aug 1890	John & Philip Pearson	MG	58	Dropsy	102
Pease, Edward W.	27 Jul 1898	Jack & Phillip Pearson	OH	11 mo	Colic	189
Co. A 124 Ill. Infantry Private		Billy Pearson	MG	68	Hrt Fail	162
Pease, Mr. W. H.	2 Dec 1892	J. A. Benson				
Peer, Hazel Edith	27 Feb 1894	Chas. Pease	OH			2
Pellot, child of	20 Jun 1900	Mrs. S. Bryant	OH	80	Paralysis	72
Penden, child of	6 Oct 1891	C. A. & Horrace Pease	OH			23
Pendly, Minnie	4 Jun 1901	Wm. Peer; H. L. Jacobs	Vinland	18	Spas. Cramp	33
Penfold, Rich	15 Dec 1896	C. W. Pellot	OH	6??	?	93
Percell, Mary A.	22 Sep 1899	Hugh Blair				
Pers(c)ing, Abraham	30 Mch 1891	A. G. Honold	OH			13
Perkins, Lucius H.	6 Jun 1907	J. C. Pendly	MG	2+	Croup	104
Perkins, Otis G.	22 Sep 1899	Mr. Sedgwick	Tonga.	79	Old age	57
Perrine, B. J. -- MD	17 Mch 1896	The Family	OH	65	?	84
Perrine, B. J.	13 May 1896	Mrs. Beaty	OH			8
Perry, Aaron	1 Jan 1892	Mrs. L. H. Perkins	OH	52	Falling	185
Perry, Eddie H.	12 Jan 1897	L. H. Perkins	OH	76		84
Perry, Eldred E.	10 Aug 1906	(Shipped from Beloit, Wis.)				
Parry, Sarah	7 Sep 1899	The Family	Vinland			51
(?)Perther, Edmund ?	29 Apr 1892	Thomas (?) Stron	(Shipped to Indiana)			52
Petefish, Geo. N.	5 Jun 1907	The Family	OH			15
Peters, Lou H.	25 Apr 1907	J. S. Perry	OH	19	?	58
Peters, Stephen	25 Jan 1892	Newton Perry	OH	2 mo	20 d	173
Peterson, Alfred	14 Jul 1906	E. Hole; Mrs E. Martin	OH	80	con of Bwls	84
Peterson, Cecelia	16 Jan 1898	A. G. Honold	OH			18
Peterson, child of	6 Aug 1892	Mrs. Margaret Petefish	Clinton	71	Cancer	185
Peterson, Christian	16 Feb 1900	(?) Laih Petefish				
Peterson, Erick	8 Dec 1895	Wm. Nadlehauffer	Reno	57	Consumpt.	184
Peterson, (?) Hans P.	19 Feb 1900	son Will Peters				
Peterson, Millie	22 Apr 1896	The Family; G. Pierson	OH			15
Peterson, Mrs.	4 Feb 1893	Mrs. P. J. Peterson	OH	21	Typhoid F	173
Peterson, P. J.	27 Mch 1906	C. Peterson	OH	92	Typhoid ?	67
Peterson, Willie F.	14 Dec 1893	Peterson	OH			20
Petit, Mrs. Ester A.	3 Oct 1905	The Family	OH	50	Pneu	88
Petrie, Richard R.	7 Dec 1905	John Johnson	OH			48
		Gustafson				
		The Family	OH	46	Typhoid +	88
		Anderson Patterson	OH	65		52
		(?) Louis Peterson	OH			24
		Mrs. Jno Nace; Mrs. Saunders; Mary Peterson	OH	68	Hrt Trbl	67
		Louis Peterson	OH	22		32
		Julian C. Petit	OH	? 56		161
		Mrs. Ed Petrie	OH	84	Old age	163
		Mrs. Agnes Laptad				

Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Petterson, Edna	2 Nov 1898	N. A. Petterson	OH	6 mo.	Typhoid	75
Petty, Mrs. A.	5 Dec 1893	John Petty	MG	56	?	31
Petty, Charles	2 Nov 1898	Henry (?) Conder; Williamstow	54	Pneu.		75
		J. H. Fee & Petty son				
Petty, Jacob W.	13 Aug 1892	R. J. Petty	MG			21
Petty, Richard J.	25 Jan 1900	The Family	MG	58		88
		Corporal Co. E 6th Kans. Cavalry				
		Post 12 GAR				
(?)Phenicie, G. W.	29 May 1891	Phenicie	Reno			10
(?)Phenicie, Mrs George	2 Dec 1896	W.C. ? ; James ?	Reno	39		57
Phillip, Mrs. P.P.	6 Jan 1899	P. P. Phillip	OH	61	Pneu.	77
Phillip, Herbert	9 Aug 1903	Charles Phillip	OH	13	SummerComp	131
Phillip, infant	13 Sep 1901	Lewis L & A J Phillip	OH	1	wk	108
Phillips, Wm.	2 Jul 1902	Douglas Co; Family	MG	97		117
		Private Co. K. 83 Rdg. U.S.C.F. Infty				
(?)Philpel, Mrs. Alice	4 Sep 1905	John Smith	Colyer	75	?Exoustion	160
		(Shipped from Wheeling, Va.)				
Philpen, Wm.	8 Jul 1904	Mrs. ? Philpen	Fairview	74	Kidney +	143
Pickins, infant	9 Aug 1904	Harry Pickins	OH	3	wk	144
Pickins, John L.	10 Apr 1898	O L & John Q Pickens	OH	23	mo/da	70
Pickins, Ross	10 May 1899	O D & John Pickins	OH	8	Pneu.	80
(?)Pickotie, Lizzie	6 Oct 1901	Haskell Institute	Blank	22	Diph.	108
		(Shipped to ?Docotah)				
Pierce, Walter H.	4 Nov 1890	Mary A. Beatty	OH			4
Pierson, Eliza J.	1 Jan 1902	The Family	OH	83	Rheu. +	111
Pierson, Fred	11 Jun 1904	August Pierson	OH	23	Acute Dem.	142
		(Shipped from Topeka)				
Pierson, G. A.	11 Feb 1892	J. A. Pierson	Vinland			16
Pierson, Thomas M.	15 Feb 1898	The Family	OH	78	Dropsy +	68
Pigott, Mrs/Miss Lizzie	11 Oct 1907	Geo. Pigott	OH	64	Gen. BrkDm	190
Pitcher, Ada	9 Jun 1902	Robt. McGee	OH	14	?	117
		Mrs. ? Pitcher				
Pitcher, Miss	26 Oct 1891	Geo. Washington	?			13
		County Order of Marshall				
Pitts, child of	10 Mch 1891	Geo. Pitts	Vinland			7
Ploskett, Wm. P.	29 Nov 1907	C. W. Roberts; Mrs. Wiggins	Baldwin	84	Paralysis	192
		(Died in Excelsior S.)				
Plummer, Mary E.	6 Mch 1907	A. Monroe	OH	76	Old age	182
(?)Poff, Henry W.	13 Dec 1895	John W. Bullock	Clinton			48
		(Killed in a runaway --?--neck broken)				
(?)Poljar, Mrs. Matilda	28 Jan 1902	R. B. McWilliams	OH	68	Tumor	112
Polk, Miss Blanch G.	22 May 1899	Mrs. Perry Polk	OH	17½	Bwls	81
		Juvenile Society				
Polk, (?)Lindsay	26 May 1903	The Family	OH	20	Hrt Trbl +	129
Pollack, Mrs.	9 Apr 1905	T. Pollock; J. Wattens	OH		Cancer	155
		(Shipped from K.C.)				
Polon, Mrs.	4 Aug 1900	James Polon	Hope, Ks	26	BloodPois.	94
(?)Polson/Palm, Andrew	6 May 1905	Mrs. Gustavson	OH	75		156
Pomeroy, W.	24 Aug 1898	E. Hertzler	Pleasant Grove	1	mo.	73
		N. Pomeroy				
Pontius, (?)Ina	22 Jan 1901	Arthur Pontius	OH	9	yrs	100
Popenoe, B. T.	1 Dec 1904	The Family	OH	29	Typhoid	148
		(Shipped from K.C.)				
Popenoe, Kate L.	6 Feb 1903	P.D. & Thos Popenoe	OH	65	Hrt Trbl	125
Porter, child of	21 Nov 1897	Benton Porter	MG	7	da	65
Porter, B., child of	9 Feb 1898	(?)Benjamin Porter	Clinton	2	? Fever	68

Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Porter, H. child of	26 Jun 1905	Peter Terry	OH			157
Porter, J. H.	16 Apr 1907	Mr. Y. (?)Peard (Shipped to Decorah, Iowa)		76	Apoplexy	184
Porter, Roy V.	11 Mch 1901	(?) Mayor Gould	OH		con of lungs	101
Posch, blank	10 Dec 1896	Henry & Herman Posch	Vinland	9	Diph	57
Posch, Annie	6 Dec 1896	Henry & Herman Posch	Vinland	12	Diph.	57
Potter, Mrs. E.C.	22 Jun 1891	Wm. Lescher	OH			10
Potter, Caroline W.	3 Dec 1900	Mrs. R. Addison	OH	85	Old age	98
Potter, Otis	25 Nov 1892	Mrs. Potter	OH			23
Potts, Effie	19 Dec 1897	A.G. Honnold; Jenni Pols	OH	6		66
		Viola ?Tent May Fields				
Potts, Wm.	18 Nov 1894	(?) J.M. Cameron	Hartford, Ks.			37
Powell, Clayton	22 Jan 1901	Chas Powell; Rogers	MG	18 mo	Croup	100
Powell, Emily	20 Mch 1898	H. H. Powell	OH	64		69
Powell, infant	25 Nov 1901	Chas. Powell	MG		Stillborn	110
Powell, J. B.	4 Aug 1895	The Family	OH			44
Powell, Jimmie	26 Mch 1895	Chas Powell; AJ Dicker	MG		(child)	40
Pratt, Mary J.	18 May 1907	L F Pratt; Mark Ellis	OH	62	Paralysis	185
Preble, Mrs.	1 Jul 1895	E B & G W Preble	MG	24	con.	43
Prentice, child of	15 Aug 1890	C T K Prentice	OH			2
Prentice W. H.	25 Jun 1895	C T K Prentice	OH	37	Peritonitis	42
(?)Prentiss, S.B.	12 Oct 1892	Mrs P & W A S-?	OH			22
Price, child of	7 Oct 1895	A G Honnold	OH			46
Price, child of	13 Oct 1895	A G Honnold	OH			46
Priestly, William	13 Feb 1898	The Family	OH	71	Hrt Fail	68
Primraux, Paul (Indian)	12 Dec 1906	Haskell In; H B Pears	S. Dakota	21	Typhoid F.	177
Pringle, Josephine	25 Nov 1907	Henry Pringle	OH	7	Diph	192
Pryer, Grace Hanna ?	27 Nov 1907	Carl A. Preyer	OH	42	Pneu.	192
Puckett, Mrs. Mary A.	1 Feb 1900	Enos N & Chas Puckett	Kennedy	60		87
Pullen, child of	23 Jan 1891	Judson Pullen	MG			6
Purcell, G. W.	1 Jun 1891	Sanford Purcell	OH			10
Purcell, Loyd S.	20 Dec 1905	C. M. & S. N Purcell	OH	75	Hrt Trbl	163
Purington, S. N.	11 Jan 1899	Henry Purington	OH	52	Pneu.	77
		J. G. Haskell				
Purnell, Mary	17 Jul 1906	A. J Parnell; Co Poor	C. MG	70	Cancer	171
Purnell, Mr.	13 Feb 1894	A G Honnold	OH	61	LaGrippe	33
Queen, Chas. (Indian)	19 Jul 1902	W B Queen; Haskell In	Haskell	19	Sunstroke	118
Quigg, John	15 Mch 1893	James Quigg	Gideon			25
		Chas. Longnecker				
Quinlan, John	16 Dec 1903	The Family	OH	78		134
Raffle, child of	8 Jul 1902	Harvey Raffle	MG	8	da chol.M.	117
		Cesar Myers				
Raffle, Francis	22 Jul 1900	Harvey Raffle; Myers	MG	13		94
Raffle, Iola	11 Mch 1907	Father; H Raffle	MG	1 yr 5 mo		182
Raffle, Willie	27 Jan 1904	Wm Scott; Co. Com.	MG	17	? ?	136
Ramer, Henry	27 Oct 1901	J G Sullivan; Poor Com	OH	65		65
Randall, Mrs. Elizabeth	18 Oct 1893	The Family; John Wood	OH	50	Cancer	30
Randall, James	28 Feb 1891	Mrs. Pardee	OH			7
Randol, Mrs. E. L.	13 Dec 1904	Horace Randol	Clinton, Mo	24	Pneu.	149
Randolph, Mr. W. H.	6 Jan 1905	E R Owens	OH		Railroad Acc	150
		(Shipped from Topeka)				
Rankin, Elbridge	27 Feb 1906	Fred Rankin	OH	1/2	Pnue	166
Rankin, Herbert J.	1 Nov 1902	J K Rankin	OH	30	Chron. Diarr	122
		(Shipped from Manilla, P. I.)				



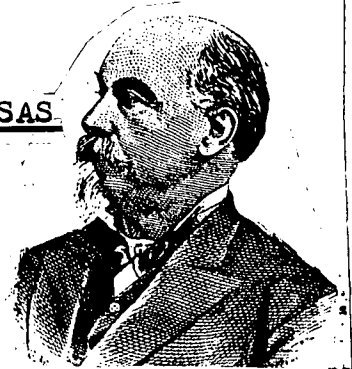
Name	Burial Date	Ordered by	Burial	Age	Cause d.	Pg.
Rankin, Will (Shipped from K C Mo.)	10 Jan 1905	Mrs. Rankin; ?	OH	29		151
(?)Random, Alex	28 Mch 1896	G. C. Bailey	OH			51
Rarick, J. J.	7 Dec 1904	Carl Rarrick	OH	63	Hrt Trbl	149
Raspberry, Ellen	10 Jun 1896	Mr. Raspberry Ed Grey	OH	51	Cancer	53
Ratcliff, A. T. (Shipped from Omaha)	11 Oct 1903	Mrs. Ratcliff	Tonganoxie	50	Killed in cyclone	133
Ratcliff, Etta (Shipped from Stafford)	9 Sep 1906	Mrs. Roda Ratcliff	Tonganoxie	23	Appendic.	174
Ray, H. H. (Brought from Oakland, Neb.)	2 Dec 1894	G. Grovenor	OH			37
Ray, Mrs. Kate (Shipped from Oskaloosa, Iowa)	7 Apr 1905	T. J. Ray	OH		carcinoma	155
Ray, Leander	31 Mch 1906	County Com.	OH	54	Dropsy	167
Re(o)y, Luke E.	30 Sep 1892	W Roy; L J Brown	C.G.			22
Read, Mrs. F. W.	2 Oct 1892	F W Read	OH			22
Read, F. W. Corp. Co. E 3rd (?)K S M	10 Jun 1901	The Family	OH	69	UremicPois	104
Reading, Mrs. Ellen	9 Jun 1904	J W Reading	OH	79	Tumor	142
Reading, James A.	15 Oct 1895	Jas. W. ?	OH		ChronDiar.	46
Ream, Elizabeth	18 May 1905	M C Neff, 2100 N 10th Kansas City, Ks.	Atlantic, Ill.	90	Old age	156
Reardon, Mrs. B. S.	15 Oct 1902	B S Reardon	Hope, Ks.	59	Nephritis	122
Reatz, Henrietta	22 Nov 1905	Lizzie Read Mary Reatz	OH	65		162
Reatz, Willie J.	23 Jul 1896	Mrs Reatz; F W Read	OH	20	Meningitis	54
Re(o)dman, Mrs. A.	8 May 1905	H C Patterson	OH	70	Paralysis	156
Reece, Mrs. E. C.	30 Apr 1892	V L Reece	DeSoto			18
Reece, Minnie	22 Oct 1891	V L Reece	OH			13
Reed, child of	11 Apr 1891	G J Reed	Catholic			9
Reed, ch.	10 May 1899	R A Reed; A G Honnold	Blank	6 da		80
Reed, Fitch	11 Jan 1897	Dr. Leary	OH	83	Catarrh	58
Reed, Marie	21 Apr 1891	P W Wallace	OH			10
Reed, Mrs. Nancy	16 Sep 1896	William Zeitz	Tonganoxie	79		55
Reedy, Byron	18 Aug 1899	L M Reedy	OH	45	?Rupt.?	83
Reedy, Conrad D.	10 May 1897	Reedy Bros.	OH	82	Old age +	61
Reidnour, Sadie (Shipped from K.C.Mo.)	22 Nov 1907	Elisha Reidnour	OH	37		192
Reid, Hugh M.	17 Sep 1898	The Family	OH	26	?	74
Ren(u)ch, children of	15 Sep 1901	L T Rench	OH(moved from Topeka)			108
Rench, J. V.	17 May 1901	S H & L T Rench	OH	70	Tubercul.	104
Renfrau, Polly	19 Aug 1894	Lee; ?	Reno	52	Hrt ?	36
Renfrew, Grant	23 Jul 1896	Mrs. Dora Renfrew C S Camp	MG	60	Typhoid	54
Renfrow, (?)Cophadora	26 Dec 1892	Grant Renfrow W T Sinclair	MG			24
(?)Rennicke, Lillian	5 Mch 1899	Rennicke; E F Stanley	OH	6	wk?	79
Reno, Jimmie	27 May 1907	Mrs. Pete Terry	OH		(baby)	185
Rentz, child of Noble	16 Sep 1903	Noble Rentz	OH		1 wk	
Reynolds, A. G.	9 Nov 1890	Mary A. Reynolds R W Woodward	OH			4
Reynolds, Geo.	29 Mch 1906	Masonic Lodge	OH	70	Burned	167
Reynolds, Job	28 Aug 1897	Mrs. Reynolds	MG	62	?	63

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-To be continued-

SOME EARLY PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSASFrom: 1860-61 Lawrence City Directory

FULLER, A., 35 Tennessee St.  
 HARRINGTON, S.C., boards, Commercial House  
 HARTMAN, M., 37 Massachusetts St.  
 LEIBERG, James, 24 Massachusetts St.  
 MINER, C.E., 31 Tennessee St.  
 NEWMAN, A., 87 Vermont St.  
 SEEWIR, J.G., 79 Ohio St.  
 WOOD, John P., E. side Massachusetts St. between  
 Winthrop and Henry Streets.



A.G. ABDELAL, M.D.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A.G. Abdelal M.D."

From: 1875-76 Lawrence City Directory

ABDELAL, A.G., 149 Massachusetts St., upstairs  
 \*ANDERSON, S.B. (Homeopathic), 99 Massachusetts St.  
 HUSON, R., 37 Massachusetts St.  
 BARBER, T.A., corner New York and Elm Sts., North Lawrence  
 MOTTRAM, C.V., 127 1/2 Massachusetts St.  
 NEUMANN, Carl, 133 Massachusetts St.  
 McCONNELL, M., Bridge St., SW corner Locust, North  
 Lawrence  
 MORRIS, R., 59 Massachusetts St.  
 PRENTISS, S.B., 90 Massachusetts  
 STUART, J.H., 59 Massachusetts  
 WILDER and MORSE, Henry St., S.W. corner Massachusetts St.  
 YARNOLD, Thos. (English) 174 Massachusetts St.  
 YEAGLEY, H., 125 Massachusetts St.



R. MORRIS, M.D.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. Morris M.D."

CARPENTER, John T.-Marion Township-graduate of Univ. of Louisville.  
 Ky Medical Dept. class of 1865.- Has had Medical practices in  
 Buchanan Co., MO, Johnson, Leavenworth and Douglas Co.'s, KS

CANNIFF, H.J.-Practicing Medicine in Prairie City, Palmyra Twp. in  
 1857.

GRAHAM, William-Practicing Medicine in Prairie City, Palmyra Township  
 in 1857.

MEDLICOTT, John J.-Studied Medicine in Cincinnati, OH. Practiced  
 Medicine in Lawrence 2-3 years at 205 Massachusetts St. (See THE  
 PIONEER, Vol VII, No. 4, p. 177).

THOMPSON, Horace W., Clinton Township-of NY, came to KS in 1855 at age  
 of 35. Died 17 Apr 1869 with wife, Catherine A., while crossing  
 Washington Creek at night to make an emergency call on a patient.  
 Buried in Clinton Cemetery. (See History of NE, Sec 30, T 13  
Clinton-R 19, Douglas Co., KS by Tom Averill, 1973-at KSHS.)

\* ANDERSON, Samuel Brooks-born Greenfield, OH 1825-attended Eclectic  
 Medical Inst., Cincinnati, OH-practiced Greenfield, OH 1859-1868.  
 Came to Lawrence 1868 where he practiced medicine until 1900. Son,  
 Arthur J. ANDERSON; b. 1863 also practiced in Lawrence, KS.

\* Note: The Kansas Collection, Spencer Research Library, Univ. of  
 Kansas has the original account books of S.B. ANDERSON (11 volumes  
 1859-1907) which are a record of patient fees for treatment-There is  
 also a list of births of babies he delivered in Highland & Ross Co's,  
 Ohio in 1867 and 1868, (Vol II.)

## DOUGLAS COUNTY HEALTH REPORT FOR THE YEAR, 1887

Report of N. SIMMONS, M.D., County Health Officer-Lawrence, (Douglas Co.),  
Feb 2, 1888 to J.W. REDDEN, Sec. State Board of Health.

Dear Sir:

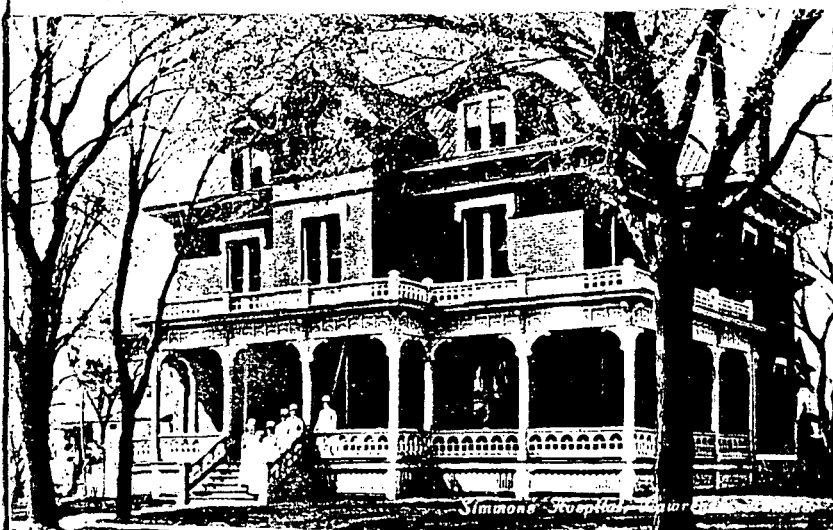
I regret that the reports of deaths received during the last year are so incomplete as to render those that have been received practically worthless. By comparing the burial permits that were issued by the city clerk during the year 1886 with the reports of deaths made to this office, I find the defect much greater than I had supposed. Instead of an improvement in the mortuary reports during the year 1887, as was expected, I doubt whether 50 per cent have been reported. A few physicians who are in active practice have entirely ignored the law, and have not made any reports of either deaths or births; while others have made partial reports. The reports of births and marriages are more complete than during the previous year, yet they are not perfect. The law requiring reports of contagious and infectious diseases to be made to the County Health Officer at once by the physician in attendance, has in no instance been observed.

Under these circumstances, I can only report my own observations, and facts derived from inquiry and constant watchfulness. Measles, mumps and whooping cough have appeared in the county at different points, but in such a mild form as to require very little medical attention. Intermittent and remittent fevers have prevailed less than usual. We have had no small-pox or small-pox excitement, hence no vaccinating has been done. A few cases of scarlet fever have been reported, but none fatal; it is possible some or all may have been measles. Many cases of death, due to consumption, and cancer in its various forms, have occurred; cases of the latter have been unusually numerous. While we have not had any diphtheretic epidemic, it has appeared in different families, in various parts of the county, at various times during the year, with fatal results in numerous instances. And the fact that it has been more fatal in rural districts than in the city, would seem to indicate that its cause was due to impure water...The increasing frequency of diphtheria, with its fatal results, often strangling its victims in the most horrid manner, should guarantee the most thorough investigation.

For nearly two years we have had more or less typhoid fever constantly; during last year it had almost entirely abated, but early in July it appeared at several points in the city of Lawrence, also in the rural districts, and has prevailed with unusual fatality. During the present month, deaths due to this cause have occurred in Lawrence, and in at least five townships outside the city. Where the water that was used for drinking purposes was examined, it was found to be impure. I therefore reaffirm my views, which were expressed in former reports, that the typhoid fever which has prevailed in this county was due to the use of impure water.

If there is any movement in the direction of better sanitation...I shall be glad to cast my mite in that direction.

N. SIMMONS, M.D.



Simmons Hospital, Lawrence, KS ca 1910

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REGISTER of PHYSICIANS and MIDWIVES of DOUGLAS CO., KANSAS 1887



Bureau of Labor and Industrial Statistics, Topeka, Kansas 1888  
 From the Third Annual Report, State Board of Health, Topeka, KS

Name.	When registered.	School of practice.	Residence and P. O. address.	County.	Age.	Nativity.	Years in practice.	Years practice in Kansas.	When diploma was conferred.	Name of college, and place of graduation.
Abdelal, A. G.	September 26, 1885.	Regular.	Lawrence	Douglas.	54	France	32	17	August 14, 1852.	Montpellier Medical School.
Anderson, S. B.	September 24, 1885.	Homeopathic.	"	"	52	Virginia	20	12		
Antone, Miss Mary.	September 24, 1885.	Neuman Home.	"	"	31	Illinois	10	1		Cincinnati College, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Banks, J. E.	September 26, 1885.	Regular.	"	"	78	Canada	54	16		Dartmouth, New Hampshire.
Black, G. R.	September 23, 1885.	"	"	"	60	Ohio	35	14		Cleveland Medical College, Ohio.
Black, W. G.	September 24, 1885.	"	"	"	31	Illinois	10	1		University Medical Department, Kansas City.
Bombroake, J. H.	September 29, 1885.	Eclectic.	Lecompton	"	55	Ohio	32	25		Eclectic Medical, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Blsher, C. N.	September 30, 1885.	"	Eudora	"	47	Pennsylvania	14	8	1871	Eclectic Med. Col. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Cock, Joseph P.	September 14, 1885.	Regular.	Lawrence	"	63	Indiana	13	7		Attended Indiana Medical School.
Cowgill, H. E.	September 24, 1885.	"	Baldwin City	"	57	Kentucky	52	7	March 10, 1851.	Undergraduate Lind University, Chicago, Ill.
Dick, J. H.	September 19, 1885.	"	North Lawrence	"	55	Pennsylvania	23	7	March, 1858	Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.
Donaldson, H. A.	September 26, 1885.	Homeopathic.	Lawrence	"	45	Ohio	13	13		
Don, Geo. H.	October 1, 1885.	"	Baldwin City	"	25	Iowa	1	1	February 20, 1885.	Homeopathic Medical College, Chicago.
Doane, Mrs. H. C.	October 20, 1885.	"	Lawrence	"	45	New York	22	6		
Ellis, A. M.	October, 1885.	Eclectic.	Pleasant Grove	"	61	"	37		March, 1885	Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Finney, Frank	September 8, 1885.	Regular.	Lawrence	"	27	America	8	1	March 9, 1885.	College, Georgetown, Washington, D. C.
Fell, Antonia.	September 26, 1885.	Midwife	"	"	36	Germany	14		1872	
Fuller, A.	November 7, 1885.	Regular.	"	"	67	Connecticut	43		January, 1842.	Yale College, New Haven, Connecticut.
Graves, Helen T.	September 21, 1885.	"	"	"	34	America	2	2	March, 1883	Woman's Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.
Gille, T. J.	September 30, 1885.	Eclectic.	"	"	59	New York	12			
Gardner, H. J.	November 5, 1885.	Homeopathic.	"	"	36	Illinois	5	4	1881	Homeopathic Hospital College of Cleveland, O
Holtzland	September 26, 1885.	Regular.	"	"	24	Virginia	2		March 4, 1883.	Missouri Medical College, St. Louis, Mo.
Hazelton, F. O.	September 29, 1885.	Eclectic.	"	"	44	England	30			
Johnson, Ann.	September 24, 1885.	Midwife	"	"	47	Arkansas		8		
Lewis, P. M.	September 26, 1885.	Regular.	Lecompton	"	44	America	15	13	March 4, 1884.	Kansas City Med. Col., Kansas City, Missouri.
Lillie, U.	September 29, 1885.	"	Lawrence	"	77	Vermont	34	8	March 10, 1803.	College of Med. and Surg., Cincinnati, Ohio.
Leonard, W. V.	September 9, 1885.	"	"	"	51	Ohio	25	2	February 15, 1886.	Rush Medical College, Chicago, Illinois.
Morris, Richard	September 8, 1885.	"	"	"	61	America	34	10	February, 1857.	Rush Medical College, Chicago, Illinois.
May, V. W.	September 18, 1885.	"	"	"	49	"	22	18	March 9, 1887.	Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.
Mottram, C. V.	September 19, 1885.	"	"	"	58	"	37	14	March, 1847.	Indiana State Medical College, Laporte, Indiana
Miller, V. G.	September 22, 1885.	"	"	"	68	America	32	12	March, 1852.	Ohio State Medical College, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Morse, F. D.	September 26, 1885.	"	"	"	56	Massachusetts	18	17	June 25, 1807.	Rush Medical College, Chicago, Illinois.
May, A. J.	September 29, 1885.	"	"	"	29	Ohio	2	2	1883.	Medical College, Keokuk, Iowa.
Neuman, C.	September 24, 1885.	Allopathic	Lecompton	"	66	Austria	29	19	March 5, 1865.	Dr. Pope's Medical College.
Parker, R. C.	September 28, 1885.	Regular.	Media	"	37	Iowa	14			Attended two terms in State University of Iowa
Phillips, E. L. D.	September 29, 1885.	"	Lawrence	"	44	Indiana	9	9	March 9, 1876.	Medical College of Kansas City, Missouri.
Prentiss, S. B.	October 3, 1885.	"	"	"	68	Massachusetts	41	30	1844.	Medical College of Norwich, New Jersey.
Riley, W. S.	September 22, 1885.	Homeopathic.	"	"	48	Germany	7	7		
Roller, Kate H.	September 29, 1885.	Midwife	Belvoir.	"	54	Vermont	16			
Russell, Mrs. W. S.	September 26, 1885.	Magnetic.	Lawrence	"	67	"	20	12		
Russell, Abouso.	September 29, 1885.	"	"	"	58	Ohio	33	17	February 15, 1865.	Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Shannons, N.	August 19, 1885.	Eclectic.	"	"	45	Germany	10	8	March 6, 1877.	College of Phys. and Surg., Kansas City, Mo.
Shlack, Alvin.	August 19, 1885.	Regular.	Eudora	"	50	Ohio	27	20		
Stevens, Esther R.	September 14, 1885.	Midwife	Lawrence	"	42	America	17	8	March, 1866.	Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago, Illinois.
Smythe, Frank	September 21, 1885.	Homeopathic.	"	"	50	America	17	8		
Stuckley, Maria.	September 25, 1885.	Midwife	North Lawrence.	"	71	Virginia	19	17		
Simmons, Charles J.	September 20, 1885.	Independent	Lawrence	"	27	Indiana			March 9, 1884.	Hellvue Hospital Med. Col., New York city.
Scott, D. W.	September 24, 1885.	Regular.	Baldwin City	"	52	Virginia	20	12	June 2, 1885.	Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Summerfield, M.	September 30, 1885.	Independent	Lawrence	"	43	Germany	5	4	June, 1861.	Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Stockstill, D. C.	October 29, 1885.	Regular.	Haskell Inst.	"	27	Ohio	5	4	March, 1885	National Med. Dept. Col. Univ., Washington, D.C.
Twig, Priscilla.	September 19, 1885.	Midwife	North Lawrence.	"	60	Georgia	8	8		
Thomas, Wiley.	September 24, 1885.	"	Lawrence	"	45	Arkansas	10	9		
Taus, C. O.	September 28, 1885.	Regular.	Hesper	"	55	America	33			Attended Lectures Med. Univ., Ann Arbor, Mich.
Thompson, F.	September 30, 1885.	"	Baldwin City	"	59	"	37	17	1858.	Western Reserve, Ohio.
Wear, R. C.	September 28, 1885.	"	"	"	25	"	1	1	1885.	Univ. Kansas City Med. Dept., Kansas City, Mo.
Williams, Allen.	October 1, 1885.	Eclectic.	Vinland.	"	68	"	33	13	June, 1852.	Eclectic Medical Institute, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Witham, C. E.	October 15, 1885.	Regular.	Lawrence	"	55	Maine	30	24		
Young, J. H.	September 16, 1885.	"	North Lawrence.	"	35	America	8	7		
Yarnold, Thomas.	October 1, 1885.	"	Lawrence	"	78	Old England.	53	39	March, 1832.	Royal College Surgeons, Edinburgh.

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MOIT, Mary vs Lewis

m-17 Mar 1844 in Clark Co OH; pad-at a neighbor's house (since May last) 3/4 mi from plff & ch. Ch-Isaiah MOIT, 25 married & "lives to himself"; Lewis W. MOIT, 16; Joseph A. MOIT, 12; Sarah A. MOIT, 9; Emma MOIT, 7; gr-grne & nsup, aban May 1870; rem- R E owned by def(where plff & ch reside): NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 10, T15, R 18 in Dg Co KS. Plff requests livestock, support money & cust. Def denies allegations & files counter charges which plff denies. Wit-Isaiah MOIT, Lewis W. MOIT, Catharine M. MOIT, Martha Jane MOIT, Joseph SMITH, James SMITH, Mark MARIY, William MOIT, George MITCHELL, Joseph BRUBAKER, James BAKER, Thomas TREIE, Keziah MARIY, Ann MOIT, William P. MOIT; df-15 July 1870 #1564

HAZELRIG, Sarah A. vs George W.

m-5 May 1866 at Lawrence, Dg Co KS; gr-aban 10 May 1869 & nsup; requests div & \$100 ali for attorney fees & actual expenses; pf-16 July 1870. #1566

SMITH, Cynthia A. vs John E. of Northampton, MA

m-5 July 1855 at Amherst, MA; lived in MA until 1 Mar 1865; gr-hadr & nsup. Child mentioned but name not listed. Plff in KS since 18 Apr 1867. Requests div & "that def be barred of any claim or interest in the property of the plff..."; df-25 Apr 1870. #1573

CUMMINGS, William J. vs Adaline H.

m-16 June 1868 at Lawrence, Dg Co KS; mnw-Adaline H. MORSE; gr-aban & adul; op-Margaret MORSE; David ALLEN of Clinton; pf-19 Aug 1870. (Refer #1410) #1585

LEHR, Jetta vs Levi Baker

m-12 Apr 1868 at Lawrence, Dg Co KS; Plff was the widow of Ralph C. DIX (who was killed in Quantrill's Raid) & was the mother of 3 ch, ages 10, 8 & 6, from that marriage; gr-excr, grne & nsup; plff requests that her former name of ? Jetta DIX be restored. Letter in file from L. B. LEHR, Box 81, Girard, Crawford Co KS dated 19 Sept 1870; df-13 Sept 1870. Dismissed 28 Jun 1871. #1591. (KHQ v 21, p 454-KS Terr Marriages: Ralph C. DIX m Bridgett GRAHAM, 29 May 1858).

DAVIS, Emma Jane vs Robert

m-blank May 1865 in Dg Co KS; gr-aban; ch-2: (?)IsawRial Charles DAVIS and John Wesley DAVIS; age 3; plff requests div, cust & rnm Emma Jane WATSON, df 19 Sept 1870. #1595.

MESSER, Lester H. vs Malvina A., pad unknown

m-14 Sept 1862 at Marshall in Calhoun Co MI; gr-aban; pf-21 Sept 1870. #1598.

SLY, Lorena Jane vs George W., pad unknown

m- 1 Jan 1869 at Rockville, Parke Co IN; gr-def was still legally married to a former wife, excr, grne, nsup & aban; plff requests eqre & rnm Lorena J. COOK; wit-Mrs. E. A. SKINNER; df-4 Oct 1870. #1607

BROWN, Alice vs Wm. H. S.

m-25 Dec 1858 or 1859 in Dg Co KS; gr-it was unknown to plff at time of marriage that def was legally married to another wife in the state of IL, grne, nsup & excr; def has title to R E:  $N\frac{1}{2}$  of  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 7, T15, R19 Dg Co KS & the whole consideration for said premises was furnished by father of plff; requests div & rmn Alice BEARD & def to be prevented from disposing of real or personal property; df- 5 Oct 1870. #1609

ELDRIDGE, Adalaide vs Lyman

m-11 Mar 1854 at Rochester, Monroe Co NY; gr-aban; df-10 Oct 1870. #1611

THOMPSON, Nelson vs Fannie

m-30 Apr 1866 at Lawrence, Dg Co KS; gr-aban 4 Jul 1869; df-22 Oct 1870. #1621  
(Note: Dg Co Marriage Records show Nelson THOMPSON m Sarah HAZELRIG, 25 Feb 1871)

McKINZIE, Thomas J. vs Mary A.

m-2 Sept 1855 at Winterset, Madison CO IA; gr-aban; df-1 Nov 1870. Dismissed Feb 1872. #1630.

RILEY, Nelson vs John Ann of Springfield, MO.

m-at North Lawrence, KS; no date listed; gr-aban; grne; adul & excr; op Alexander REEVES; wit-Hala BROWN, George BROWN, Fred MAKADARIX(?); df-22 Nov 1870. #1639

HICKS, Louise vs James H. of Franklin Co KS

m-1 Aug 1870 at Lawrence, Dg Co KS; gr-aban 1 Nov 1870; ch-2 by former husband; requests restoration of name of Louise WILLIAMS "the name she had and went by before her marriage to defendant"; df-31 Jan 1871. #1690

STEVENS, Martha A. vs Henry M.

m-30 Jun 1869 in Dg Co KS; gr-aban & nsup; requests div & that court may order def to pay court action & support for her; df-16 Feb 1871. #1706

CLARK, George vs Rachel

m-6 Apr 1867 in Dg Co KS by Charles PILLA, J.P.; gr-aban 1 Jan 1870 leaving child of 9 mo., "She stays on other side of Little Wakarusa", other gr-adul(name & date listed); Requests rmn Rachel MASON; op-Robert KING, Eudora Twp, Bartlett DAVY(?), Martha COWARD; df-29 Jul 1871; rem-Plff has been resident of Eudora Twp ca 9 yrs; #1714. (Note: Dg Co Marr Records list George CLARK m Elizabeth CLARK 3 Feb 1872)

McGILBRA, Washington vs Cynthia

m-27 Dec 1868 in Dg Co KS; gr-aban 1 Sept 1869; df-20 Apr 1871. #1763

ASHLEY, Sylvia E. vs Thompson V.

m-1 Jun 1861 at Clinton, Dg Co KS; ch-Annie E. ASHLEY, 5 & Bertha G. ASHLEY, 2; gr-excr, threats & acts of personal violence; R E of plff, which she acquired by a deed from her father, Asa DARNELL: 20 A. of  $S\frac{1}{2}$  of  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 4, T15, R20; requests div, cust & title to R.E & ali for herself & ch; wit-Mrs. Emily CRADIT, Mrs. Margaret ANDREW, Mrs. S. CHURCHILL, Dr. EATON, Asa DARNELL, Sarah DARNELL, Miss Lizzie DOAK, N. C. Cradit; df-17 May 1871. #1784

DAVIDSON, E. vs Mary Elizabeth, pad OH

m-22 Sept 1864 at Allensburgh, Highland Co OH; ch-Robert Arthur DAVIDSON, 6; R E of plff: Lots 4 & 5 in NE Central sub-division of 6 A. in  $E\frac{1}{2}$  of  $N\frac{1}{2}$  of  $NW\frac{1}{4}$  of fractional Sec 20, t 12, R20 on Maple St City of Lawrence, also R E in Lyon Co in NE corner of  $SE\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 28, T 15, R 11; df-31 May 1871. #1803

NUTTING, Sarah vs Melvin, pad unknown

m-24 Mar 1870 at Pieratt's farm on the Wakarusa River in Dg Co KS; by Frank M. ELLIS, Pastor of Baptist Church; gr-aban 2 May 1870; plff has been resident of state for 7 yrs; wit-Thaddeus WHEADON, 39, res of Wakarusa Twp about  $\frac{1}{4}$  mi from where parties reside, said plff owned premises where they lived--about 23 A in cultivation; wit-William WILKINSON, 22, lived about 1 mi from parties & had lived in Co 16 yrs; plff requests div, restoration of personal & real property, rmn Sarah Jane PIERATT; op-E. T. BARNES, referee, James W. HENDRY, judge, B. D. PALMER, clerk of court; df-7 Jun 1871. #1812

HICKMAN, Mary Jane vs Abraham

m-16 Jan 1868 at house of her mother, May BLANTORE in Dg Co KS; ch-2, only 1 now living, Noah Ephriam HICKMAN, was 2 on 13 Nov 1870; gr-aban 1 Apr 1870; plff owns 80 A land: the E $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 18, T 13, R 20 in Dg Co; def owner of wagon & team of horses, 1 of which was property of plff before marriage; requests div, cust & control of her property; wit-John A. D. TODD & Mrs. Elizabeth TODD of Wakarusa, Thad-eus WHEATON, May BLANTOR, Mrs. Dr. TERRY, Lawrence, Dr. J. B. PRENTISS & Samuel WALKER; df 10 Jun 1871. #1813 (see also #1877)

MUELLER, Henry vs Alida

m-18 Spt 1866 in Dg Co KS; ch-1, Arthur H. MUELLER, age 4 last Apr; gr-adul(name & date listed), also def took \$600 in plff's money & burned it; requests div & cust; op Elsie BARNETT, Benjamin BARNETT, Henry C. McMillen. Signature of def--A. Ella MUELLER; df 24 Jun 1871. #1825 see #2077. (note: Dg Co Marr. Records list Henry J. MUELLER m Fannie J. LEWIS, 7 Jul 1873.)

GLEASON, Sarah vs Geo. W., living in MA

m-22 Jun 1848 at Thompson, CT by Charles WILLETT, Minister of the Gospel; mnw-Sarah M. PRESTON; gr-hadr for 5 yrs; grne, nsup and aban; ch-have had 7--2 now living. Oldest son is Alonzo GLEASON, 22; other is Frank GLEASON, 14; wit-Sylvia F. WHITNEY & Sarah E. WILLIS. Mrs. GLEASON lived with Mrs. WILLIS in years of 1870 & 1871 doing housework for her; df-11 Jul 1871. #1836

TERRY, Jane vs Peter, pad-Jefferson Co KS

m-7 Jul 1867 at house of Harrison WILLIAMS in Jefferson Co KS; ch-1, Mary Ellen TERRY, age 2 yrs last Nov; gr-aban 28 Dec 1869; op-E. F. FISHER, referee, Viola MORRIS, Elizabeth FLEMING, of lawful age (colored), City of Thayer, Neosho Co KS; df 2 Aug 1871. #1851

MARYHEW, Caroline M. vs Amos J., pad unknown

m-5 Jun 1854 at Ashford, Cathorace, NY; gr-aban Nov 1868 & nsup; plff 38 yrs old 17 Jan 1872, res of Dg Co 3 yrs, does housework & lives with parents when not at work; Def owned 160 A farm near Marathon, NY & large amount of stock, all of which he sold shortly before he abandoned her; wit-William DRAPER, Kanwaka Twp, age 41, moved here from state of NY in Apr 1855, has lived  $\frac{1}{2}$  -  $\frac{3}{4}$  mi from plff's house for 3 yrs. Wit-John DRAPER, 67 yrs old Mar 1872, step-father of plff, m 26 yrs to her mother. Def left NY at same time John DRAPER & family left--26 Mar 1869, def has never been in KS to my knowledge; plff requests div & rmn Caroline M. BAILEY; df-12 Aug 1871 #1860

PRYOR, Maria vs William, pad unknown

m-21 Feb 1856 near town of Princeton, Bureau Co IL by Stephen WILSON, J. P; ch-William M. PRYOR, 8 Apr 1858; Kate A. PRYOR, 28 Oct 1861, Emma B. PRYOR, 16 Feb 1864; Robert Lee PRYOR, 21 Dec 1866; gr-aban, grne, nsup; requests div & cust of dau Kate A. and Emma B. Two boys now in IL with folks of def. Plff has lived in KS 11 yrs & in Dg Co 1 yr. Wit-Emma P WILEY, lived here 4 yrs, states def left Lawrence Sept 1871 for IL; wit-Robert STIRLING, lived here 2 yrs, lived near plff & def. df-18 Aug 1871. #1865

HICKMAN, Mary vs Harrison (see #1813)

Summons directed to sheriff of Atchison Co; Def ran away from there. Def has changed his name to Harrison (?) Veninel and left the state. df-24 Aug 1871 #1877.

SPICER, Eunice C. vs Newell W., pad unknown

m-28 Jan 1851 at Harford, Susquehanna, PA; ch-Adaline E. SPICER, 19, Arthur E. SPICER, 16, Francis N. SPICER, 12 & Nellie S. SPICER 10; gr-aban 15 Aug 1870 & nsup; plff's R E: Lots 83 & 85 on MS St Bk 19 in West Lawrence, Dg Co KS; requests div & cust of Arthur E., Francis W. & Nellie S.--still minors; op-John G. A. Norton, referee, Susie J. SEARLE & A. D. SEARLE--neighbors for 11 yrs; df 12 Sept 1871. #1909



SMITH, Emma vs William of Kansas City, MO

m-14 Apr 1865 in Ray Co MO by David CUSHIONBERRY, J.P.; ch-1 boy, Charles SMITH will be 5 yrs old in April next & who is in Lawrence with plff's mother; gr-excr and aban 5 yrs ago in Ray Co MO to live with another woman by whom he had a child. Wit-Louisa WILLIAMS, 30, knew def in Richmond, Ray Co MO; df-13 Sept 1871. #1912

McCALL, Louisa vs Jacob N. of Leavenworth

m-date & place blank; gr-nsup & abusive; op-Simpson HOLLISTER; df-16 Sept 1871 #1921

HOBON, Mary vs Don, pad unknown

m-16 Nov 1866 at home of Josie HANSEN in Savannah, MO; ch-Stella HOBON, who died afterward, Anna Louisa HOBON, age 4, will be 5 in Oct next; gr-excr & hadr for 3 yrs before separation. Plff, age 20, has lived in Lawrence 2 yrs; requests div, cust & rmn not listed; wit-N. S(?) HANSEN, 50, father of plff, signed--Ingerborg HANSEN, Joseph T. DAVIDSON, Supt of Masonic Temple, Louisville, KY who wrote Mr. HANSEN about money to bring plff to Lawrence. wit-Josie HANSEN, 42 stated that plff & def lived in Savannah, MO, Omaha, NE & Louisville, KY. df-20 Sept 1871 #1924

THARP, Emeline vs Lafayette, pad unknown

m-15 May 1868 in Dg Co KS; gr-wa more than 3 yrs; df-3 Nov 1871. #1952

WALLACE, Josephine B. vs John A. of Leavenworth

m-14 Oct 1866 in Dg Co KS; ch-Allan WALLACE, 2 yrs on 4 Oct 1871; gr-def convicted of crime of robbing the US Mail & stealing from a letter, sentenced to hard l labor & 10 yrs confinement in the state penitentiary in Leavenworth Co; requests div & cust; op A. H. HORTON, US Dist Atty, S. A. RIGGS, def's atty. Jury: W. H. SMITH, Horace TUCKER, James ROBB, D. C. AULD, S. M. LAUHAM, Geo. A. REICHENEKER, E. E. STRAIT, John PIPHER, A MUNTZ, John MORRIS, Robt. F. DAVIS, E. W. KING; A. S. THOMAS, clk of Dist Ct; df-28 Nov 1871 #1972

BRISTOL, Amelia R. vs Alonzo B.

m-1 Feb 1855 at Edinburgh, Portage Co OH; ch-2, Hattie BRISTOL, 12 yrs Oct last & Mattie BRISTOL, 11 yrs Nov last; gr-adul, aban 20 Dec 1871; requests div, cust & that def be forever barred from any claim or interest in property of plff; plff & def have been in KS since 9 Oct 1870; came from Cleveland, OH. Plff, age 35; op-Richard HANSON, Kittie JONES, who sewed for plff, George S. HAMPTON, referee, Df-3 Jan 1872. #2010 (Note: KS Marr Records: Alonzo B. BRISTOL m Mary K. JONES 31 Jul 1872)

FALLEY, Eliza vs Edmund R.

m-11 Apr 1847 at Mount Gillead, Morrow Co OH; ch-Laura Isabel FALLEY, 20, George Montgomery FALLEY, 17, James Sands(?) FALLEY, 14; gr-nsup & aban Mar 1867; R E of def: E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 9, T13, R19 Dg Co KS; requests div cust & title to R E for her support & children; op-Aaron H. FOOTE, referee, A PARSONS, J.P.; wit-Elkanah HUD-  
DLESTON, 36, Wakarusa Twp, acquainted with parties 16 yrs, were nearest neighbors; George Washington GODWIN, 47, Clinton Twp has known parties 11 yrs; Plff resides in Wakarusa Twp ca 1 mi east of my home; plff, age 46 in Oct 1872, lived in Wakarusa Twp since spring of 1857; df-4 Jan 1872 #2014

BECKER, August vs Amelia Bertha Rosamunde

m-14 Oct 1852 at Culditz in Kingdom of Saxony; gr-aban; In last 6 yrs they lived together in Saxony, def was addicted to drunkenness; plff resided on VT St, Lawrence 2 yrs before pf on 5 Jan 1872; lived with def until 3 yrs ago when he came to U.S. of North America and def will not leave parents & will not come; op-M. W. KELLY, business manager of the KS Weekly Tribune sent summons to def at Leissnir, Kingdom of Saxony; M. SUMMERFIELD, atty, A. L. HOUSE, an interpretor; wit-Antoinette BUSE & Betty WIESE. #2019

BARKER, Letitia vs Christopher of Johnson Co KS

m-date blank, in Dg Co KS; gr-aban-- df-16 Feb 1872. #2024

DAVIS, George W. vs Martha, pad unknown

m-1 Apr 1862 in Dg Co KS; gr-aban; df-10 Jan 1872. #2030

BRIDGES, Mary E. vs John S.

m-29 May 1862 in Dg Co KS; gr-aban 10 Apr 1867 & nsup; wit-S. A. RIGGS, Esq., S. K. HUSON, Richard MORRIS. 6 Sept 1872 plff award'd judgment forever barring any claim of def to her R E: Lot 105 & 107 on OH St. Lawrence; df 18 Jan 1872. #2036.

MEULER, Henry E. vs Alida E.

m-18 Mar 1866 in Dg Co; ch-11, Arthur Huson MEULER, 4 yrs & upwards; gr-adul (names & dates listed); plff has been in Dg Co 6 yrs; requests div & cust; op-E. B. CHADWICK, Henry C. NULLEN, Orrin WORRALL; subpoenaed--Edward E. KNIGHT, E. B. CHADWICK, Anna KNIGHT, Frank CHADWICK, R. D. NICHOLS, Fred NICHOLS, H.B. NORTON, Joseph A. WEST, Mrs WEST (mother of J. A. WEST), Mrs. R. D. NICHOLS, C. M. SEARS, Stephen OGDEN, John ANDERSON, Mrs. Justitia ANDERSON; James WHALEY, Wm. MABERLY, Jr. & Wm MABERLY, Sr., Ben BARNETT, Hiraco NORTON; df-4 Mar 1872. #2077 (refer to #1825)

FARRAR, Lucy A. vs Oliver P., pad unknown

m-16 Oct 1870 in North Lawrence, Dg Co KS; gr-hadr, grne, nsup, aban 2 wks after marriage; mnw-Lucy Alice CURRY. Plff, age 17, in Lawrence 4 yrs; wit-Mattie E. DENNY, age 25, sister of plff; requested div & rnm; df-16 Apr 1872. #2113

SCHOTT, Helen vs John F.

m-2 Jul 1872 at Leavenworth, KS; gr-def cruel & inhuman; def R E: NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 2, T 13, R 20; N $\frac{1}{2}$  Lot 29 on NH St; NE $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 36, T 14, R 18; S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 36, T 14, R 18; N $\frac{1}{2}$  Lot 30 on MA St; also large amount bonds, notes & mortgages. ch-Mary Helen SCHOTT, 4 yrs & Ann Catherine SCHOTT, 18 mo; requests div, cust & that def be restrained from disposing of, or in any way encumbering the property described herein; subpoenaed: Charles ACHNING, Mrs. Wilhelmina ACHNING, his wife, Adam ERNST (between Franklin & Blue Jacket, about 4 mi from here), Samuel BUCHEIM, Margaret BUCHEIM (Kanwaka) resides on Deer Creek, Theodore POEHLER, Jacob (Jake) McGEE, David GARVIN, Dr. A. FULLER, Ettie HELENSTEINE, Alice FISHER, James M. HENDRY, L. J. SPERRY, James BLOOD, Minerva SMITH, Dr. ABDELAD, Mrs. HOLDINE (Vesper, husband at Cunnington's Bakery), Mrs. Josephine ECKE, Mrs. Anna MUGLER, R. G. ELLIOTT, Mrs. OSTHOE (husband at Walruff's saloon) Henry FAGER, W. S. Mc CURDY; op-T. F. DEICHMAN, Mrs. STOCKFELDT, G. GROVENOR; df-2 Jul 1872. #2179

OGDEN, George W. vs Mary E., pad unknown;

m-3 Apr 1851 in Fayette Co KY; gr-aban; df-5 Jul 1872. #2113

CONANT, Alice vs John

m-19 Apr 1870 at Clinton, Dg Co KS; ch-Maggie May CONANT, b. 15 Feb 1871; plff lived in Dg Co 18 yrs; gr-grne, nsup & aban Jul 1870; requests div & rnm Alice UMBARGER; wit-Thomas J. McKenney--lived 100 yds from their house; John W. BULLOCK, Geo. W. UMBARGER, father of plff; L. S. STEELE, referee; df-5 Jul 1872. #2184

PERROTT, Louisa A. vs Richard E.

m-19 Sept 1866 at Indianapolis, Marion Co IN; ch-Adda PERROTT, age 2 yrs; gr-nsup & hadr; requests div, cust & that def be restrained from selling the property or interfering with her peace & quiet enjoyment; plff moved to Lawrence from Indianapolis in Oct 1868, at time of marriage plff owned house & lot in Indianapolis, a farm in Morgan Co IN & \$2000 in money. Sold the house, lot & farm & bought 160 A farm near Garnett in Anderson Co Ks; op-A. ROEDELHEIMER, signer of bond, A. J. REID, referee; Horace W. BELL, 47, keeps a meat market. From 19 Dec last until 23 Apr 1872 was in the employ & clerking for the def at which time my brother, F. E. BELL & Jesse LITTLEJOHN bought the def out; George MARTIN, 22, in Lawrence nearly 4 yrs, engaged in grocery business; df-11 Jul 1872. #2194

JENNINGS, Nancy L. vs John

m-14 Jan 1872 in Jefferson Co Ks; gr-excr & false & slanderous statements regarding plff; plff requests div & asks injunction to prevent def from selling personal property; op-J. M. SANDERS and F. A. CROUCH, signed bond; df-19 Aug 1872. #2272.

HUDDLESTON, Eliza B. vs Eli

m-28 Jan 1869 in Dg Co KS; gr-nsup & aban; def's R E: ½ Lot 28 in Simpson's sub-division, Lawrence, Dg Co KS. Plff has R E in MO, IA & KS; plff requests div, ali and atty fees. Def states that plff was m 12 Sept 1867 at Baldwin City, Dg Co KS to Hubbard HAMMOCK who was living on 28 Jan 1869 and still living. Said plff has never been divorced from their marriage; df-1 Aug 1872. #2221. (20 Jan 1874 dismissed at cost of plff).

COOTE, Annie B. vs Thomas

m-4 Mar 1852 at Sandusky, OH; ch-Orville W. COOTE, age 16 & Chester M. COOTE, age 12; gr-nsup & aban; requests guardianship, control & cust, & reasonable alimony; df- 21 Aug 1872. #2277

WILSON, Leanna vs Henry

m-spring of 1870 at Ottawa, Franklin Co KS; ch-Henry WILSON, age 1 yr 8 mo; gr-on 30 Mar 1871, def found guilty of bigamy & sentenced to 2 yrs in penitentiary at Leavenworth; requests div & cust; df-2 Sept 1872. #2284

SHEEPBACK, Frederick vs Eliza

m-15 Mar 1872 at Eudora, Dg Co KS; mnw-Eliza FRY; gr-plff had no knowledge of fact that def had former husband living; df-26 Sept 1872. #2308

SANDHOVAL, Ada vs John

m-14 June 1870 at City of NY; gr-abuse & excr when child was 3 da old & made false accusations against her. Def a carpenter by trade, employed by F. C. LESHER, has resided in Dg Co since May 1871, lived as husband & wife until 10 Oct 1872. Plff left Lawrence ca 3 July 1873. Wit-Mrs. Mary OSBORNE, age 60, lived on CT St., Lawrence for 3 yrs; Mrs. Catherine HAYES, in Lawrence 17 yrs; Mrs. Elizabeth Tib-BALS, in Lawrence 8 yrs; Lizzie ROBINSON, Mary P. ROBINSON (resides on MA St over Mrs. OLIVER's miliner store), George S. HAMPTON; op-S. P. ANGLE, N.P. of Pottawat-omie Co St. Marys Twp; wit-Mattie HARPER, 18 yrs old resident of city of St. Marys Mission; df-11 Oct 1872 #2347

SANSCOMB, Thomas L. vs Harriet E., pad Golden City, Colo. Terr.

m-6 Jan 1865 at Coldwater, Branch Co MI; gr-aban 11 Jul 1871; plff has been resi-dent of KS 3 yrs last July; accuses def with improper conduct; wit-A. J. REID & D. L. HOADLEY; op-Fielding BURNS; df-18 Oct 1872. #2355

FLETCHER, Amelia vs George G.

m-14 Mar 1871 at Jamestown, Fentress Co TN; mnw-Amelia LANDON; gr-excr, grne, nsup, & aban May 1872; df-22 Oct 1872. #2361. Case dismissed 7 Jan 1873.

PHILLIPS, Mary Ellen vs Alexander

m-25 May 1844, Hillsdale Co MI; ch-Daniel PHILLIPS, age 27 & dau Freena PHILLIPS, age 8. Son married during past 2 yrs; gr-hadr for more than 7 yrs, nsup & excr. Plff & def own in common 40 A land: S½ of NW¼ of Sec 9, T13, R21, Eudora Twp Dg Co KS; requests cust of minor child, and ½ of said land by the decree; wit-Daniel PHENICIE, Jr. lived ½ mi from parties, wit-Oscar G. RICHARDS lived at Eudora for 7 yrs, have been in R E business; Joseph EADE lived in Eudora 4 yrs. #2401

WHEADON, Sarah vs Robert H.

m-5 Mar 1844? at Lawrence KS; 2 ch-Carrie WHEADON, age 5, & Frank WHEADON, age 7, in custody of def; gr-excr & nsup; def's R E: 40 A land NE¼ of NE¼ Sec 20, T 13, R20 conveyed to him by James M. PIERATE & wife, and undivided 1/5 interest in adjoining tract of 37 A; df-7 Dec 1872. #2409. Requested dismissed 20 Feb 1873.

FULLER, Emily E. vs Rufus H., pad unknown

m-30 Oct 1856, Knox Co IL; gr-excr & grne; df-19 Dec 1872. #2427

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"Some mighty disagreeable contemporaries have turned out to be glorious ancestors"--Anon

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Douglas County, K.T. for the year-1859



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McClelland, J. G.	Mathews, Milo	Parker, Theodore
McGhee, James	McAllastor, N. W.	Plumb, Arthur R.
McGhee, Thomas S.	Mallory, Anson H.	Peake, Alfred
Mathews, George	Mack, John	Prentiss, S. B.
Mathews, William	Mack, Robert	Potter, Otis
Miller, R. H.	Montandon, C. J.	Pease, C. A.
McCall, John	Morrow, Robert	Perine, George W.
Morgan, Jonathan F.	Mills, J. W.	Parks, William
McCan, M. Fn	Miller, Martin	Peck, Albert
Mc , James	Milligan, Joseph B.	Pearson, John
Merrill Silas	Miller, Josiah	Pearson, Elias
Mickey, Samuel	McCrum, William	Parker, George
Miller, Samuel	McLouth, J. W.	Paul, John
Means, Jackson	McLouth,	Pieratt, John
Moore, Homer H.	McGhee,	Peake, William
Mullen,	Martin, C. R.	Palmer, Thomas
Murphy, John	Malone, John	Prather, L. A.
McElroy, Thomas	Moore, George F.	Peebles, Robert
Murphy, Dennis	Matthews, George	Purinton, David
Martin, Henry	Martin, William	Pursell, John R.
Mason, Henry		Plank, Henry
McAlastor, O. W.	Nadely, John	Parsons, Edgar
McGhee, A. W.	Newberry, Scott	Parsons, Oscar
Mathews, George A.	Newman, Charles	Pilcher, Isaac
Moulton, M. W.	Neal, Jordan	Pilcher, Lewis
McCune, J.	Nailor, John	Platt, Sampson
Mears, William	Nobles, Hairy	Pollard, C. W.
McCabe, James	Nathans,	Pollard, Eugene
Mesler, John	Newman, A.	Phillips, W. A.
Merrill, Samuel	Nute, Ephraim	Parker, Henry F.
Miller, Jacob	Newhall, S. M.	Preedy, Peter
Mulholland, F. A.	Norton, Silas B.	Perry, Aaron
Morgans, Josiah B.	Newcomb, W. A.	Pike, Joshua A.
Montague, D. H.	Nolan, James	Pore, William
Mathews, Jonathan		Paul, Oliver
Muzzy, H. H.	Odell, James	Pike, John
McLean, William	Odell, J.	Peck, A. W.
Mattice, Henry	Owens, Robert	Prentice, Thaddeus
Moore, A. W.	Ogden, Stephen	Prentice, W. H.
Michael, Joseph	Ogden, Jonathan	Pratt, E. A.
Miller, C. J.	O'Neal, Hugh	Pratt, John
Murray, Francis	Odell, Robert	Prager, David
Mandell, C. L.	Ott, John J.	Pratt, C.S.
Miner, C. E.	Oswald Michael	Powers, Joseph
Miner, D.	O'Conner, Thos G.	Payne, A. J.
Monroe, Franklin	Offner, Joseph	Pratt, John
Monroe, Edward W.	Oldham, Jonathan	Pratt, J. L.
Morris,	O'Donnell, William	Patterson, E. S.
Morgan, Patrick	Oswald, James	
McMann, D. H.		Quidruck, John C.
Miller, Isaiah	Persall, C. W.	Quimby, Ira

Quinn, Patrick  
 Richards, Richard  
 Randolph, W. W.  
 Rufert, William  
 Robinson,  
 Randolph, M. J.  
 Ringer, Isaiah  
 Reading, John  
 Rice, John E.  
 Roy, P. P.  
 Rogers, Wm. H. H.  
 Riley, James  
 Ratz, Christian  
 Robinson, Levi Y.  
 Reynolds, T. F.  
 Reynolds, Samuel  
 Ruth, Isaac M.  
 Rabin, Augustus  
 Reynolds, G. A.  
 Robinson, Daniel  
 Riker, Albert  
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 Read, John F.  
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 Raymond, J. M.  
 Robinson, Frank O.  
 Rhodes, G. P.  
 Rosenwald, E.  
 Rohobacker, George  
 Read, F. W.  
 Robinson, C.  
 Randall, Reuben  
 Rothman, Adam  
 Ross, John  
 Sparr, F. W.  
 Sweezer, Green B.  
 Stone, John  
 Sinex, Jacob  
 Simpson, Henry  
 Starling, Edward  
 Spicer, Edward  
 Spicer, John  
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 Shepherd, James W.  
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 Stillson, Alexander F.  
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 Sumner, Holland  
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 Saunders, Henry F.  
 Stewart, John E.  
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 Stroup, John  
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 Sterling, Hubert F.  
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 Sleppey, W. R.  
 Sharp, Jackson  
 Saxton, Isaac  
 Saxton, James  
 Seaton, Thomas  
 Shields, Robert  
 Sciger, Cornelius  
 Sip, Joseph  
 Smith, G. W., Sr.  
 Smith, G. W., Jr.  
 Snibley, Jacob  
 Southerland, George  
 Smith, G.  
 Sampson, Turner  
 Simpson, Samuel  
 Smith, Giles  
 Shoemaker, Fred  
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 Stewart, S.  
 Shaft, Lorenzo  
 Synder, George H.  
 Shearer, James  
 Smith, Bartholomew  
 Sullivan, William  
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 Snyder, S. S.  
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 Safford, H. O.  
 Safford, A. C. W.  
 Seewir, John G.  
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 Simmons, F.  
 Schmidt, Geo.  
 Searle, A. D.  
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 Schwab, John  
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 Smith, W. H.  
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 Speer, John  
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 Shott, John Fred  
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 Steraburg, Thomas  
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Tabor, C. D.  
 Thurber, Whitford  
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 Taylor, John W.  
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 Thompson, George  
 Toyne, F. B.  
 Tuttle, L. H.  
 Todd, A. D.  
 Toyne, Joseph  
 Talley, B. C.  
 Tolle, Isaac  
 Tracy, Gilbert  
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 Tabor, J. F.  
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 Treat, G. C.  
 Trask, Josiah  
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 Twiss, Charles P.  
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 Van Winkle, Job  
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 Vohl, John Peter  
 Vinot, Stephen  
 Voght, John

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 Webber, Legh R.  
 Wells, Thomas R.  
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 Winslow, Edward  
 White, Luther  
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 Witts, Nelson  
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 Wheelan, H. Oscar  
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 Willey, J. W., Jr.  
 West, John  
 Wheedon, A. M.  
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 Wilkinson, Robt. M.  
 Wilkinson, M. S.  
 Williams, R. L.  
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 Williams, Richard E.  
 Williams, Linus  
 Wallace, C. M.  
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 Waldick, Fredrick  
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 Warner, W.  
 Warden, W.  
 Waits, R. G.  
 Weir, D. H.

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McCurdy, Witter S.  
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Brooks, George C.  
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 Baldwin, Henry  
 Benham, Jos V.  
 Benhan, Silas  
 Bishop, C. W.  
 Bowers, Soloman

Elmore, Henry  
 Fuller, Jos B.  
 Freitzel, Henry

Nichols, R. D.  
 Nichols, Martin

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 Cottrell, Benj F.  
 Cutler, D. C.  
 Champman, Jacob E.  
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 Chatwell, George  
 Couthfield, William

Hancock, Chas G.  
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 Rosenburg, A. U.

Standau, Christian  
 Squires, Zach

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 Lundstrom, I. U.

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 County of Douglas, for the year 1859

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 Huxal, Frank  
 Hirst, Jonathan

Nalon, P. K.

Dunn, Roscoe  
 Dunn, James M.  
 Dunn, John C.

Judson, G. O.

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 Katzenstein, A.

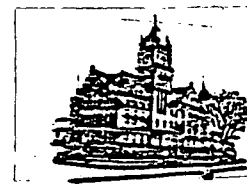
Spicer, Martin

Teaford, Thos U.

31st day of October, AD 1859

Caleb S. Pratt, Township Clerk

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AHLERS, Johannes, age 20; occupation-clerk and student; complexion-light, height-5'11½", weight-167#, blue eyes, light hair; marks-slight scar in middle of forehead; b-Trustup, Denmark, 7 June 1887; r-Lawrence, KS; ef-Denmark; v-"Hekla" Scandinavian American Line; lfr-T.D.; ra-Frederick VIII, King of Sweden; arr-NY 19 April 1903; df-1 Feb 1908; #10.

BAHAS, Theodore Spiros, 22; cook; dark, 6', 185#, black hair, light blue eyes; b-Patras, Greece, 25 Dec 1899; r-1001 NH St., Lawrence; ef-P.G.; v-Martha Washington; lfr-P.G.; ra-Alexander, King of the Hellenes; arr-NY 9 Feb 1913; df-7 March 1921. #156.

BARTELDES, M.L.J.H., 60; no occupation listed; fair, 5'2", 180#; gray hair, blue eyes; b-Hanover, Germany, 5 March 1848; ef-Bremen, Ger.; v-Saliel; lfr-H.G.; ra-William II, Emperor of Ger.; arr-NY 19 Sept 1882; df-19 Nov 1908. #16.

BEAR, Abraham, 21, clerk; fair, 5'11", 142#, brown hair, brown eyes; b-Washilok, Russia, 20 Dec 1896; r-922 NJ St, Lawrence; ef-Antwerp, Belgiu, v-Fatherland; lfr-W.R.; ra to present gov't of Russia; arr-Boston, 2 July 1913; df 3 Apr 1917. #50.

BENSON, Nels B., 35, laborer; fair, 5'9", 170#, light hair; blue eyes; b-Warburg, Sweden, 22 Oct 1882; r-646 IL St, Lawrence; ef-W.S.; v-Hockley, lfr-W.S. ra-Gustavus V, King of Sweden; arr-NY 24 July 1903; df-26 Sept 1918. #133.

BOEHLE, August Henry, 53, farmer; fair, 5'6", 155#; brown hair, brown eyes; marks-scar inside left hand; b-Potsdam, Ger, 28 March 1864; r-Willow Springs Twp. Dg. Co.; ef-P.G.; v-Hohlvenstauen; lfr-P.G.; ra-Wm. II, Ger. Emperor; arr-NY, 12 Apr 1881; df-27 Feb 1918. #77.

BOEHNER, Bernard Bertels, 32, farmer; light, 5'11½", 170#; blond hair, blue eyes; b-Roxel, Province, Westfalen, Ger., 24 April 1894; r-RFD #3, Lawrence; ef-Bremen, Ger; v-America; lfr-R.G.; unmarried; arr-NY, 9 Oct 1924; ra-The German Reich; df-1 Feb 1927. #208.

BRANDENBERG, Ernest Klose, 35, farmer; light, 5'6", 169#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Zug, Switzerland, 23 Oct 1874; r-Dg Co KS; ef-Switz; v-St. Louis; lfr-Z. S.; ra-to Swiss Confederation; arr-NY 26 March 1907; df-30 July 1910. #28.

BROOKS, William George, 26, shoe clerk; light, 5'10", 148#; light hair, blue eyes; b-London, England 26 Jan 1891; r-1231 Delaware St Lawrence; ef-London, Eng; v-St. Paul; lfr-L.E.; ra-to George V.; arr-NY 29 Apr 1911; df-24 May 1917. #52.

BRUTECHIN, Eugene, 29, clerk in collar factory; light, 5'7", 165#; light hair, blue eyes; b-Stuttgart, Ger, 16 Feb 1894; r-845 TN St. Lawrence, ef-Ger.; v-President Roosevelt; lfr-S.G.; ra-The German Empire; arr NY 26 Jan 1923; df-9 Oct 1923. #181.



CARLSON, John Emil, 45, contractor; fair, 5'7½", 145#; light hair, blue eyes; b-Asa, Sweden on 31 March 1873; r-1013 NH St. Lawrence; ef-A.S.; v-"I don't remember"; lfr-A.S.; ra-Gustavus V, King of Sweden; arr NY 2 April 1892; df 30 Sept 1918. #135.

CHRISTOPULOS, Andrew, 24, cook; dark, 5'6", 165#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Patres, Greece 24 Dec 1892; r-1914 MA St. Lawrence; ef-P. G.; v-Athens; lfr-P. G.; ra-Constantine, K. of the Hellenes; arr-NY 26 Apr 1912; df 23 May 1917. #51.

COHEN, Morris, 26, junk dealer; dark, 5'2", 145#; brown hair, brown eyes; b-Washilok, Russia 26 Sept 1891; r-Lawrence; ef-Antwerp, Belgium; v-Kue(s)land; lfr-W.R.; ra-present gov't of Russia; arr-NY 24 Dec 1906; df-13 March 1918. #91

COLLETT, John Hall, 22, farmer; fair, 5'11", 175#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Bedford, England 28 Oct 1887; r-Baldwin, Dg Co; ef-London, Eng; v-Lusitania; lfr-L.E.; ra-Edward VII; arr-NY 2 Aug 1907; df 30 April 1910. #25.

COLLETT, Joseph William, 18, farmer; light complexion, blue eyes; b-Bedford, Eng 25 Oct 1889; r- Dg Co.; ef-Canada by rail, lfr-London, Eng; ra- Edward VII; arr-Detroit, MI 26 June 1906; df 10 Aug 1908. #14.

CONTRAKON, Peter Perikly, 33, confectioner; dark, 5'6", 133#; black hair, gray eyes; b-Karaspai, Greece 5 Nov 1884; r-713 MA St. Lawrence; ef-Patras, Greece; v-Laonia; lfr-Karaspai, G.; ra-Alexander, King of Hellenes; arr-NY 23 July 1914; dr 9 May 1918. #117.

CONTRAKON, Steve J., 26, candymaker; dark, 5'7", 135#; black hair, brown eyes; b-Sparta, Greece 3 Nov 1887; r-713 MA St. Lawrence; ef-S.G.; lfr-S.G.; ra-Constantine, K. of the Hellenes; arr-NY Sept 1904; df 25 June 1914. #36.

COTE, Louis Herve, 34, R.R. clerk; fair, 5'9", 200#; gray hair, hazel eyes; marks-scar on front of left thumb; b-South Durham, Quebec, Canada 21 June 1894; r-2209 MS St. Lawrence; ef-Dixville, Quebec, Canada on Grand Trunk R.R.; lfr-East Angus, Q.C.; ra- George V; arr Emporia, KS 14 Jan 1918; df 24 Sept 1928. #217.

DAWSON, Francis Murray, 37, engineer; fair, 5'10½", 150#; light hair, blue eyes; marks-scar on first knuckle of lft hand; b-Truro, Nova Scotia 3 Sept 1889; r-1655 MS St. Lawrence; ef-T.N.S. on NY Central RR; lfr-T.N.S.; ra-King George V; arr-Ithaca, NY 15 May 1921; df 26 May 1927. #211.

DEIBEL, Maria, 26, teacher; fair, 5'2", 136#; red hair, gray eyes; b-Dutenhofer, Germany 20 Sept 1894; r-1211 KY St., Lawrence; ef-Hamburg, Ger; v-Graf Waldersee; lfr-Giessen, Ger; not married; ra-Ger.Empire; arr-Philadelphia, PA 12 Aug 1911; df-30 Oct 1920. #149.

DUCOMMUN, Mark Julius, 20, chemist; dark, 5'8", 135#; brown hair, black eyes; b-Petits Pouts, Neuchatel, Switzerland on 19 Nov 1894; r- 1011 NH St. Lawrence; ef-Havre, France; v-Chicago; lfr-P.P.S.; ra-Swiss Confederation; arr-NY 26 Sept 1913; df-8 Jan 1915. #40.

DUCOMMUN, Paul, 22, bacteriologist; dark, 5'4½", 120#; brown hair, brown eyes; b-Petits Pouts, Neuchatel, Swits. 15 Jan 1893; r-1011 NH St. Lawrence; ef-Switz; v-Chicago; lfr-P.P.S.; ra-Swiss Confederation; arr-NY 26 Sept 1913; df-6 Jan 1915; #39.

DUNKLY, Frances Henry, 65, mechanic; dark, 5'6", 200#; grey hair, brown eyes; b-North Hampton, Eng. 10 Nov 1859; ef-N.H.E.; v-Sythie; lfr-N.H.E.; ra-George V; arr-NY 4 Apr 1882; df 27 Dec 1923. #182

DUNKLEY, John Thomas, 51, blacksmith; dark, 5'6", 180#; grey hair, brown eyes, b-East Haddem, Northampton, Eng 17 May 1872; r-741 MO St. Lawrence; ef-N.E.; v-Servia, lfr-EH.N.E.; ra-King George; arr-NY city 10 June 1894; df 22 Jun 1923. #172

EBERHARTT, Christian, 66, laborer; dark, 5'4", 146#; dark brown hair, brown eyes; b-Weizlingen, Alsace-Lorraine 31 Aug 1859; r-1036 NY St. Lawrence; ef-Strasbourg; v-does not remember; lfr-W. A.L.; wf-Mary EBERHARTT, b.at W. A.L.; ra-to present gov't of A.L.; arr-NY City 15 June 1883; df 14 Dec 1925. #204.

EDER, Louis, 61, retired farmer; fair, 6', 155#; gray hair, brown eyes; b-Bavaria, Ger. 26 Nov 1856; r-Eudora, Dg Co; ef-B. G.; v-Hamburg American Line; lfr-B.G.; ra-Wm II, Ger. Emperor; arr-New York City 12 May 1869; df-26 Feb 1918; #74.

EL-DRINY, Mohamed Hamed, 34, medical student; color-brown; dark, 5'8", 204#; black hair, brown eyes; b-Cairo, Egypt 15 March 1889; r-MA St. Lawrence; ef-C.E.; v-Lapland; lfr-C.E.; ra-King Fouad of Egypt; arr-NY 1 Oct 1919; df-31 Aug 1923. #178.

ENO, Frank J., 54, farmer; fair, 5'8", 165#; light hair, blue eyes; b-Zehden, Ger. 27 Nov 1863; r-Marion Twp Dg Co; ef-Z. G.; v-Saxonia; wf-Minnie B. ENO, b(?)east Worden, KS; ra- WmII, Ger. Emperor; arr-NY 14 May 1868; df-2 Apr 1918. #103

ENO, John, 87, retired farmer; fair, 5'3", 170#; white hair, blue eyes; b-Zehden, Ger. 11 March 1831; r-1001 PA St. Lawrence; ef-Z.G.; v-Saxonia; lfr-Z.G. "I am married. My wife is dead. She was b. at Z. G."; ra-Wm II, Ger. Emperor; arr-NY 14 May 1868; df 1 Apr 1918. #102.

ERICKSON, Erick, 54, mason; fair, 5'7", 167#; brown hair, dark grey eyes; b-Silganswas, Hiulback(?), Sweden 17 Nov 1865; r-730 CT St. Lawrence; ef-Goteborg, Sweden; v-Alaska; lfr-H. S.; wf-Hilma ERICKSON, b-Gottland, Sweden; ra-Gustavus V, K. of Sweden; arr-NY 15 May 1888; df-26 Jan 1920. #147.

ERNST, Joseph, 19, farmer; fair, 5'8", 160#; dark brown hair, blue eyes; marks-crooked finger on left hand; b-Thawnweiller, Ger. 24 Apr 1895; r-Eudora; ef-Alsace, Ger; v-Kroonland; lfr- A. G.; ra-WmII, Emperor of Ger.; arr-NY 31 March 1912; df 1 Sept 1914. #37.

EVANS, George Morton, 50, carpenter; fair, 5'7/4", 142#; brown hair, blue eyes; marks-tattoo on arms, chest and back; b-Halifax, Yorkshire, Eng. 19 Oct 1865; r-R.R. #7, Lawrence; ef-Southampton, Eng; v-Saint Louis; lfr-London, Eng; wf-Grace EVANS; ra-George V; arr NY 21 Sept 1913; df-21 Feb 1916. #42.

EYRES, Philip Henry Huish, 24, student; fair, 5'9", 145#; dark brown hair; brown eyes; b-Farmham, Eng. 28 Feb 1904; r-1038 TN St. Lawrence; ef-Canada on Canadian Northern R.R.; lfr-Richard, Saskatchewan, Canada; ra-George V; arr-Duluth, MN 1 Nov 1918; df-29 Dec 1928. #218.

FISCHER, Anna, 57; fair, 5'9", 152#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Czersk, Ger. 12 Apr 1863; r-921 IL St. Lawrence; ef-Bremen, Ger; v-I do not remember; lfr-C. G.; ra-German Empire; arr- NY 1 May 1872; df-18 Nov 1920. #151.

FOSTER, Henry Carl, 32, baker; fair, 6', 160#; light hair, light brown eyes; b-Bremen, Ger. 26 Jan 1879; r-916 VT St. Lawrence; ef-B. G.; v-(?)Lohn; lfr-B.G.; ra-Wm II, Emperor of Ger.; arr-NY 24 Dec 1889; df-14 Oct 1911. #30.

GEILER, Bruno E., 45, monument dealer; fair, 5'5", 150#; slightly gray hair, blue eyes; b-Waldenburg, Ger. 15 May 1872; r- 814 E. 13th St. Lawrence; ef-Bremen, Ger; v-Amsterdam; wf-Ella M. GEILER, b-Junction City, KS; lfr-Bulesdorf, Ger; ra-Wm II, German Emperor; arr-NY 8 May 1881; df 30 March 1918. #99.

GERSTENBERGER, Ernst W., 67, farmer; fair, 5'8", 150#; dark gray hair; blue eyes; marks-crippled thumb and second finger on left hand; b-Siliecen, Ger 25 July 1850; r-Eudora; ef-S. G.; v-Ocean; lfr-S. G.; wf-Sophia GERSTENBERGER, b-Hanover, Ger.; ra-Wm II, Emperor of Ger.; arr-NY 10 Apr 1864; df-6 Apr 1918. #108.

GERSTENBERGER, Fredrich, 63, farmer; fair, 5'6", 145#; gray hair, blue eyes; b-Hermsdorf, Ger. 7 Oct 1854; r- Eudora Twp Dg Co; ef-H.G.; v-Ocean; lfr-Lauterbach, Ger; ra-WmII, Ger. Emperor; arr-NY 1 March 1863; df-20 March 1918. #95.

GIBB, John Gordon, 55, merchant; fair, 5'6", 158#; gray hair, blue eyes; b-Quebec, Province of Quebec, Canada 27 Oct 1862; r-Lawrence; ef-Canada on train; lfr-St. Catherine, Can; ra-George V; arr-Port Huron, MI 15 Apr 1883;df-4 Dec 1917. #56.

GRIESA, August Heinrich Carl, 21, farmer; light, 5'6½", 137#; light hair, blue eyes; marks-scar under right eye, two scars on right cheek, crippled fingers; b-(?)B\_ lefeld, Ger. 20 June 1894; r-Lawrence; ef-Bulefeld, Ger; v-Barbarrosa; lfr-B. G.; ra-WmII, Ger. Emperor; arr NY 27 March 1914; df-28 Oct 1915. #41.

GUNTERT, Emil Ernest, 25, farmer; fair, 6", 155#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Bunsinger, Baden, Ger. 12 Apr 1893; r-750 3rd St. Lawrence; ef- B.B.G.;v-St Paul; not married; ra-WmII, Emperor of Ger; arr-NY 22 Sept 1907; df-7 Aug 1918. #126.

GUNTERT, Robert, 40, tecquition, Dept of Entomology, K.U.; fair, 5'6", 140#; light brown hair, gray eyes; b-Busingen, Ger. 1 Dec 1884; r-312 Maiden Lane, Lawrence; ef-South Hampton, Eng; v-St.Louis; lfr-B.G.; ra-Germ Empire; arr-NYC 26 Jan 1905; df-31 Oct 1925. #202.

GUNTERT, Jr., Robert, 33, farmer; fair, 5'6", 135#; brown hair, grey eyes; b-Busingen, Ger. 1 Dec 1884; r-Grant Twp, Dg Co; ef-Southampton, Eng; v-St.Louis; lfr-B. G.; wf-Augusta GUNTERT, b-Lawrence, KS; ra-WmII, Emp of Ger; arr-NY 26 Jan 1905; df 11 May 1918. #118. (Same as # 202).

GUNTERT, Robert, 55, farmer; dark, 5'5", 140#; dark brown hair, blue eyes; marks-brown mustache, short gray beard; b-Baden, Ger. 18 Apr 1853; ef-Havre, France; v-St. Paul; lfr-B.G.; ra-WmII, Emp of Ger; arr NY 24 Sept 1907, df-27 Nov 1908.#17.

GUTIERREZ, Santiago, 42, teacher; dark, 5'5", 135#; black hair, dark brown eyes; b-San Vicente, Costa Rica, Central America; r-1117 VT St., Lawrence; ef-Costa Rica; v-San Jose; lfr-San Jose, C.R.; ra-Republic of C.R.; arr-Boston, MA 20 May 1916; df 3 July 1927. #54.

HAAS, Frederick, 79, retired farmer; fair, 5'8½", 125#; gray hair, blue eyes; b-Ingelfingen, Ger. 17 Jan 1839; r-Baldwin; ef-Havre, France; v-Samuel Fox; wf-Magdalena HAAS b-Hessen, Ger; ra-WmII, Ger Emp; arr-NY 15 Apr 1854; df 15 May 1918; #119.

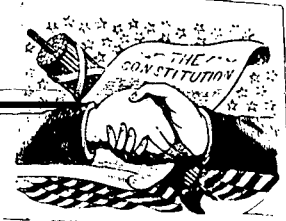
HAAS, wilhelmina, 53, seamstress; fair, 4'5", 83#; brown hair, blue eyes; b-Ober (?)Moerlen, Ger. 15 May 1865; r-1316 OH St., Lawrence; ef-Bremen, Ger; v-Haerter; lfr-O.M.G.; not married; ra-WmII, Germ Emp.; arr-NY 31 Jul 1879;df-8 Aug 1918. #127.

HADL, Stephan, 75, retired farmer; dark, 5'8", 130#; gray hair, brown eyes; marks-right wrist broken & scar on top of hand; b-Bavaria, Ger; 3 Aug 1843; r-Eudora; v-don't remember; wf-Anna HADL b-Bavaria, Ger; ra- WmII Ger; arr NY 30 Mch 1872; df-23 Apr 1918. #114

To be continued

## A VISIT TO CLINTON--THE FOURTH OF JULY

as reported in the Lawrence Republican, 9 July 1857  
Submitted by Martha Parker



"A Kansas editor, like all other editors, we suppose, is glad occasionally to get out of sight and hearing of exchanges, types, presses, compositors, devils, and all, and enjoy a day amid other scenes, even at the risk of being called upon to make a speech or respond to a toast. At least, such was our feeling, as, on last Saturday morning, we took a seat beside the driver, on board a four-horse wagon, containing the "Lawrence Cornet Band, "en route for CLINTON. Our way was up the valley of the Wakarusa and, as usual, as soon as we forgot our editorial charge, we were longing for a quarter-section of that splendid bottom sweeping back on to the upland just enough to give us a good building site. We were ready to shout, "A farmer's life is the life for me, sir." And then, as we gazed upon those broad fertile meadows, with the waving grass, we could not help thinking of our boyhood days, when, toiling amid the hills, and stumps, and rocks of "old Steuben," in New York, we spent time and labor enough to have made a farm here as rich and beautiful as any New York can boast.

The Valley of the Wakarusa resembles very much the far-famed Valley of the Genesee, in Western New York. It is full as wide, is as good soil, and sweeps back with a gentle ascent to the high-rolling prairie. Indeed, had it not been for the lack of large farm-houses and fenced fields, we could easily have imagined ourself on the Genesee flats below Genesco. We saw some fine fields of corn this side of CLINTON, some containing we should judge, from twenty to forty acres.

## CLINTON, THE TOWN

Like a great many other towns in Kansas, CLINTON is as yet, more ideal than actual. The town is laid off on a couple of quarter sections of land adjoining and south of the town of BLOOMINGTON. Some trouble or dispute about the title of the latter town, caused, I believe the laying out of CLINTON. A well-filled store forms already a part of the future village, and a steam mill is to be shortly erected. The location is very pleasant, and is backed up by a fine country.

The CELEBRATION was held in an adjoining grove. About eleven o'clock the procession formed at the store aforesaid, and under escort of the band, proceeded to the place of assembling. There was a large attendance, some fifteen hundred, I should judge, and in all sorts of vehicles, from good substantial ox-teams to covered carriages and gay horses. The ladies and babies formed well on to half the audience,--a good indication this of peace and prosperity. Our Kansas ladies have not yet learned that important lesson of aristocratic high life, that it is more proper for a lady to carry in her arms a nasty poodle-dog than a sweet and smiling babe. May they never learn it!

The ORATION.--Now, dear reader, learn a lesson of the danger of allowing your name to be used as a public speaker. We had observed our name on some large posters for this celebration, but amid the array of Generals, Judges, etc., with which it was associated, we had calculated on getting off with some "remarks," occupying say about fifteen or twenty minutes. But, as luck, or the Fates, or the Furies, would

have it, the General did not make his appearance.--one of the Judges was sick, and the other had been made President of the day, and so the poor editor had to officiate as "Orator of the day!" Well, how he got through with it, we can't say. All that we profess to remember about it is that a couple of those babies afore-said did take occasion to cry most vociferously during the most of the time he was speaking. Whether they thought that a proper way to testify their respect for the "glorious Fourth," we are unable to divine.

The DECLARATION.--Pardon us, dear reader, for we had almost forgotten the reading of that grand old document, full of the immortality of truth. It is such a rarity, as well as luxury, to hear it read well, that we presume all listened, with the greatest pleasure to the excellent intonation and delivery of the reader, Mr. G.W. HIGHLAND.

The DINNER.--After the oration, Judge WAKEFIELD, the President of the day, made an appropriate speech, and then we all went to dinner. It was served on some long rustic tables close at hand, beneath the shade of giant trees. Of the dinner it is sufficient to say, that it was a good dinner, a free dinner, and that everybody, boys included, had all they wanted.

TOASTS.--After dinner, (it was a coldwater dinner, reader,) came a goodly number of toasts with appropriate responses. We can't remember all of them, nor the names of near all the speakers, and as it would appear invidious to mention a portion only, we will only say, that the toasts embraced a good variety of subjects, from "Gen. WASHINGTON," and "The Day we celebrate," clear down to "Old Bachelors," and that they were responded to in as many different styles as there were toasts and speakers.

The BAND did most excellent service, contributing by their fine stirring music, much, very much to the interest of the occasion. The pioneer Cornet Band of Kansas are a noble set of fellows, Free-State men, true as steel, every one of them, and most pleasant company, as the writer hereof can testify.

The MARSHALL, the gallant Capt. Sam'l WALKER, and his efficient assistant, Mr. J.C. PECK, performed their duties ably, and for the entire satisfaction of the assembly.

COMING HOME.--We could tell you a nice little story, reader, of a long, weary tramp down the valley of the Wakarusa, last Saturday evening, by the "light of the moon," somewhere between sundown and nine o'clock, P.M., of musicians marching manfully to their own sweet strains, of a "Life on the Ocean Wave," and "Rory O'More," ringing out on the clear night air;--but, as nobody was to blame except a body "as wasn't anybody," we will leave that part untold.

The citizens of CLINTON and the surrounding country deserve great credit for their enterprise and energy in getting up so fine and spirited a celebration."





Book of Commissions for the City of Eudora, opened in March 1859.

ACHNING, Carl . . . . City treasurer 1859; liquor license  
 ACHNING, Charles. . . Security for City of Eudora 1859; "Paid to Charles  
 Achning for glass and putty - 95."  
 BASEMAN, Henry . . . . Liquor license 1865  
 BRAEDER, P. . . . . Liquor license 1864  
 BROWN, George . . . . Liquor license 1864  
 BRENDER, John . . . . 1859  
 BUCK, Johann . . . . 1859  
 COHEN, A. L. . . . . Liquor license 1859  
 DUERR, Charles. . . . Elected mayor 1860  
 EDMON, W. . . . . Liquor license  
 EPPLE, Gottlieb . . . . Witness  
 ERB, A. . . . . Liquor license  
 FAERBER, Friedrich. . Elected mayor 1859; security for city 1859  
 FISH, Charles. . . . . Paid \$1. fine 2-20-1864  
 FISHER, Jul. . . . . Security for city 1860  
 GADOW, Charles. . . . City license 1865  
 GNESSKOW, Ferd. . . . 1859  
 GOFFLER, Anton. . . . Security for city 1859  
 GOFFLER, John . . . . "Received tax on redeemed railroad deeds from John  
 Goffler - .50"  
 GREEN, J. H. (L) . . . . Hall rent 12-28-1864 - \$3.00  
 HAGEN, Charles . . . . Liquor license 1859  
 HARTIG, Anton . . . . Security for city 1859  
 HOELSIG, Adolph T. . . Election judge 3-7-1859  
 HOPPENAU, Peter . . . Security for city 1859  
 KARNASH, J. . . . . City clerk 1860; election judge 1860; security 1860  
 KRAUS, Dan. . . . . City marshal 1860; security for city 1860  
 KUHN, A. . . . . 1859  
 LIESENIS, August. . . Election judge 3-7-1859  
 (?)Loeriol, F. . . . . Surety 1860  
 LOTHOLZ, Charles. . . Election clerk 1859, city treasurer 1860; surety  
 MANTN(H)EY, Mirhal. . Election judge 1860  
 MARSSILIUS, Caspar. . City license 1863  
 MULLER, Christian . . Hall rent 1-2-1864; liquor license 1865  
 NETSCHEDO, Anton . . Hall rent 12-3-1864  
 PATTON, Chas. . . . . Hall rent 11-27-1863  
 PHILLIPS, Ellis . . . . Liquor license 1859  
 (?)POXLEITER, Johan . Security for city 1859  
 RAMM, Heinrich . . . . Security for city 1859  
 RICHARDS, Oscar . . . Hall rent 11-20-1863  
 ROTH, J. . . . . Hall rent 8-10-1863  
 SCHOWARTE, C. F. . . . City clerk 1859; election clerk 1859  
 SEADER, P.(?) . . . . City license 1863  
 SOEHLKE, J. Fr. . . . . City marshal  
 SOMMERFIELD, Abraham. City license 1863; hall rent 1863  
 TEGLER, B.H.(HERMANN) Liquor license 1864, 1865  
 THOREN, Chr. . . . . Security for city 1860  
 TOOTHMAN, W. . . . . Security for city 1860; justice of the peace 1860  
 WILLIAMS, Henry . . . Justice of the peace 1859  
 WITTLER, F. . . . . Election judge 1860

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## NEWS OF GRANT TOWNSHIP...IN 1882

From: The Lawrence Daily Journal and Daily Kansas Tribune

March 24, 1882-

Dear Journal-Having never seen any news in your valuable paper from this section, I give the "outer world" a few brief items concerning our little berg.

Farmers have commenced their plowing and as spring approaches crops are advancing, and everything seems in progressive order.

Mr. DEAL, of North Lawrence, with his estimable family, have rented the CORKIN farm, and are now pleasantly located in their new home. We welcome them to our neighborhood.

Mrs. Sam STEVENSON is rapidly convalescing from her recent illness. They contemplate removing to the city as soon as her health will permit. Miss Jessie HARRISON, of Atchison, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S.S. HERD.

Mr. John WISE is cultivating his new land preparatory to putting in his spring crop.

"AGRICOLA."

Submitted by Jane Wiggins



Biographical Sketch of James H. DICK, M.D.

From History of the State of Kansas, A.T. Andreas, Chicago, 1883

James H. DICK, M.D., farmer Section 6, P.O. Box Lawrence, came to this state and settled in Grant Township where he owns and cultivates 183 acres of choice land; He employs four hands and has his farm well improved and stocked. He was born in Indiana Co., Penn., June 19 1829, attended Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia in 1857 and at once entered a successful practice of Medicine in Pittsburg, Penn and vicinity and then continued for 21 years enjoying great distinction in his profession. During the late rebellion he was associated with Dr. Bess as surgeon in the Army. Mr. DICK was married in Pennsylvania October 20, 1858 to Miss Elizabeth M. LOWMAN, by whom he had three sons, William S., Harry, and George L.

From the Booklet, EARLY HISTORY OF NORTH LAWRENCE  
published by the Woodlawn Parent-Teachers Association  
in 1961, A.B. Ewing, Author

p. 21

"At its first city election North Lawrence chose the following officers: G.J. TALLMAN, Mayor; N. HOYSTRADT, Clerk; A.R. SMITH, Treasurer; Thomas BEASELY, Marshall; and H.H. HOWARD, Police Judge. The city was divided into two wards, First and Second, corresponding to the present Fifth and Sixth Wards, respectively. Three councilmen were elected from each ward."

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 THE EZEKIEL A. COLMAN FAMILY OF KANWAKA TOWNSHIP
 

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EARLY DAY HOUSING

 by Nan ~~Wear~~ COLMAN

 From a booklet entitled, "Memories of Yesteryear" (No date)  
 Submitted by Kathryn Bunton

"On October 18, 1854, Ezekiel A. COLMAN and his family arrived in Lawrence from Boston, Massachusetts. They hastily built a shelter of loose stones for walls, a dirt floor and canvas for a roof. This was just west of 23rd and Iowa Streets. They spent the winter there. Snow was often on the bedding when they awoke those cold winter mornings.

A son, W.A. COLMAN, was born there on March 15, 1855. That spring the family moved to KANWAKA where Ezekiel A. COLMAN bought his farm, a part of which has remained in the COLMAN family and is now owned by Ralph L. COLMAN. Here they erected a house, quite pretentious for its day. It contained five bedrooms, a large hall and reception room and a wide ornate stairway. It was Mr. COLMAN's plan to use this home as a hotel since it was located only one-half mile from the Wakefield Mail and Stagecoach Station. However, it turned out that Judge WAKEFIELD took care of the travellers who came to his station.

Of course this house of the COLMANS did contain a large kitchen and it was here, where John BROWN often dined. Beneath the floor of this kitchen was the hiding place for many run-away slaves. Thus, while this house was not a hotel for customers of the stagecoach station, it did become an important station in the "underground railway". Although not habitable, the house over 100 years old does still stand."

THE Ezekiel and Mary Jane WENDELL COLMAN FAMILY

 Information from D.A.R. Records at the KSHS, Topeka, KS  
 Submitted by Mary A. Topping, January 1, 1935.

Ezekiel Andrus COLMAN, was born in Ashby, MA on 10 August 1814. He was an only child. On 22 Nov 1838, he married Mary Jane WENDELL in Concord, MA. Miss WENDELL, whose mother's name was Mahitibel LUDDEN, was born in Salem, MA on 16 Oct 1817. Ezekiel and Mary Jane WENDELL COLMAN had the following children: Loring, Charles, Cosma, Amelia(?), Osgood, Frank, Osgood, Alice, Mary, Willis, Annie, Johnnie, Samuel, and Minnie. The Ezekiel A. COLMAN family settled in Lawrence, KS in October of 1854. Ezekiel COLMAN died in San Diego, CA on 10 Dec 1898 and his wife, Mary Jane, died in Lawrence, KS on 17 Oct 1905.



Mary J. WENDELL COLMAN

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The obituary of W.A. COLMAN, believed to be the first man born in Douglas County, KS is found in the Lawrence Daily Journal, 19 Mar 1934, p. 1.





## INDEX TO VITAL STATISTICS IN TWO LECOMPTON NEWSPAPERS (1888-1890)

Births, Marriages, and deaths printed in the College Echos a Lane University newspaper and also in the Lecompton Ledger, a city newspaper for the years from Aug. 1888 thru December, 1890 were indexed by Iona Spencer, R. R. #1 Box 54, Lecompton, KS 66050. Most of the dates refer to the date of the newspaper, not necessarily the date of the actual event. If further information is desired, contact Mrs. Spencer.

### Taken from the College Echos

Aug. 1888	Died:	Youngest child of Prof. Brooke, on 15th.
Sept.	Died:	Leah Edmonds of McLouth, on the 22nd of July
Sept.	Died:	Chas. Eddy, on the 19th of August
Oct.	Died:	George Sehon, on Sept. 7th
Nov.	Died:	Nephew of Geo. Brown, on the 26th.
Nov.	Marr:	Miss Jennie L. Mehaffey and Wm. R. McClure, on Oct. 11.
Dec.	Marr:	W. T. Palmer, on Nov. 7th. near Burlington
Dec.	Died:	Brother of Miss Belle Carpenter
Dec.	Died:	J. M. Rankin, bro. to Prof. J. O. Rankin, on Nov. 18, Raymore, Mo.
Jan. 1889	Died:	Mrs. Babcock died on the 24th.
April	Died:	Cora Baughman on the 11th.
April	Died:	Frank Cunningham, on March 19, 1889
June	Died:	Carl Frank McCabe in May, 1889
July	Marr:	F. M. Testerman and Eda Huffman, June 16th.
July	Marr:	J. N. Day and Nettie Baughman, June 30th.
Oct.	Marr:	Prof. J. O. Rankin and Miss Hattie Beauchamp on Sept. 24th.
Nov.	Marr:	Mr. Sherman Runnels to Miss ----- Surface, on last Fri. evening.
Nov.	Marr:	Fremont S. Timmons and Lizzie Truan on Nov. 10th.

### The following taken from the Lecompton Ledger

Dec. 13 1889	Born:	10 pound girl to E. W. Tredwell (Treadwell)
Dec. 20	Died:	Mrs. Calvin Hart's father was killed by horse at Valley Falls
Dec. 27	Marr:	Mr. Seigel-Rose to Miss Lucy J. Harrinson on Dec. 25th.
Jan. 31 1890	Died:	Miss Hattie Rose of Lawrence
Feb. 7	Born:	10 pound girl to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Day
Feb. 7	Died:	Miss Alice Coppinger, eldest daughter of secretary Blaine.
Feb. 21	Died:	The grand child of Mrs. Elder Mitchel in Dickinson county.
Mar. 7	Died:	Child of Mr. Joseph Vaughn
Mar. 21	Died:	Abraham Lincoln, son of Minister Lincoln and grandson of old Abe, died last week in London, England.
Apr. 11	Born:	A son to Pap Pruden
May 16	Died:	May 10th, Mr. J. F. Mathews (Colored).
June 13	Died:	Mr. Wenrick, was taken sick last week and passed away Sunday.
June 13	Died:	Little child of F. W. Zeeb and wife died last week.
June 13	Died:	Little girl of Jacob Nuffer now living in Texas, died.
June 27	Died:	Mother of Mr. Andrew McMurray, of Madison, Greenwood county
June 27	Died:	James Davidson, June 26th, 1890.
July 18	Died:	John C. Fremmont is dead
Aug. 22	Born:	A son to Prof. and Mrs. H. M. Ambrose, on Saturday 16th inst.
Aug. 29	Born:	A girl to Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Timmons
Aug. 29	Died:	A 15 year boy named Frank Kounter was killed in Emporia.
Sept. 12	Marr:	Mr. O. E. Osborne and Miss Pearl Macy on Sept. 10th.
Oct. 3	Marr:	Rev. D. L. Doub (Daub) and Miss Edna Hush in Cloud county.

**WILLS of IRVIN and CELINDA SMITH**

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
Irvin H. SMITH

"Last will and testament of Irvin H. SMITH in the Town of Marion and county of Douglas State Kansas dated this first day of January 1874.

Being of a sound mind it is my will and desire that my beloved wife Celinda S. SMITH shall be my sole administrator and guardian of my children to wit Percival W. SMITH—Clark A. SMITH, Pearl I. SMITH, Nela SMITH & \_\_\_\_\_ and to have full power to sell and dispose of any or all of my property personal or real and with the proceeds thereof to pay off all of my just and lawful debts, after which she the said Celinda S. SMITH is to have and to hold all of my property remaining (after said debts are all paid) whether pers or real, so long as she remains my widow. In case she should marry again it is my will and desire that whatever of property personal or real she may then be in possession of shall be divided in two equal parts one half of which shall be divided equally between my surviving heirs the remaining half to be and remain the property of my wife aforesaid. And it is further my will and especial desire that my wife aforesaid shall furnish and provide my mother with all that shall be necessary to make her comfortable through sickness or health during her natural life."

(Not signed)

(Witnesses) Henry HIATT, Daniel DUCK, L.K. HECOX(?), Ida \_\_\_\_, Mary C. JOHNSON, Mary J. BALDWIN.

(One of the documents in Irvin H. SMITH's probate file states that he "died on 2 January 1874 and that after his death a child was born unto him of his wife Belinda C. SMITH which child was born 4th Jan 1874 the same being a female child now named Grace \_\_\_\_ SMITH."

Pro 14 Jan 1874

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF  
Celinda S. SMITH

"Last will and testament of Celinda S. SMITH of Marion Township, County of Douglas and State of Kansas this third day of January 1874.

Being of a sound mind it is my will and desire that Mary C. JOHNSON shall have the sole care of charge and guardianship over my children (to wit) Percival W. SMITH, Clark A. SMITH, Pearl H. SMITH, Nela SMITH) and be a mother unto them in any and every sense fully and completely as though they were her own children. For and in consideration of such motherly care charge and guardianship (it) is my will and desire that the said Mary C. JOHNSON shall have all of my share (one half) of the estate personal or real of Irvin H. SMITH late of Douglas County Deceased that shall remain after all the just and lawful debts are paid, excepting only a sewing machine. And it is my will and desire that the said Mary C. JOHNSON shall have the sole care of and contrroll over the house and farm stock and produce to sell and dispose of the same and to pay off with the proceeds thereof all just claims against the state of the said Irvin H. SMITH and to execute and carry out the provisions of the last will and testament of the aforesaid Irvin H. SMITH in any and every particular as recorded in said will."

(Signed) Celinda S. SMITH

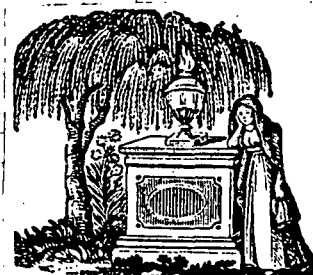
(Witnesses): Henry HIATT, N.P. DEMING, E.W. BUCK, Nancy D. DEMING, Ann ? BUCK, Elizabeth GEORGE and Julia E. FRENCH.

The undersigned hereby agrees to accept the charge and guardianship of the minor children of Celinda S. SMITH according to the provisions of her will and wish as stated above.

(Signed) Mary C. JOHNSON

Died 7 Jan 1874

Pro 14 Jan 1874





NEWS of VINLAND....Ninety Years Ago

From Lawrence Daily Journal and Evening Tribune,  
September 7, 1883, p. 4

"Mrs. ELWELL is visiting her daughter, Mrs. BUTTERICK"

"Quite a number of persons have left this vicinity for the southern border to await the opening of the Cherokee strip. Quincy, Bert and Arthur STEVENS, Harry ROE, Seth FENTON, Doc JONES, Joseph BUTTERICK, George RODMAN, Dwight VERDEN and several others left last week. More will follow."

"Miss Ella PASLEY of Wellsville, is visiting among her old friends in this vicinity."

"Misses Mary and Ella ADAMS, of Lawrence, were visiting their sister, Mrs. S. K. FUNK, last week."

"Shane the photographer of Lawrence, was out Tuesday taking photos of the homes of Messrs. JONES, ILLIFF, BAKER, PERINE, FUNK and BARNES."

"School commences this week, September 4th."

"Another hop was given out to the home of Mr. John RODELL Saturday night. There was a good attendance and plenty of fun."



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REPORT of the VINLAND SCHOOL

for the Month Ending, Nov 11 1881

as reported in the Western Home Journal, Lawrence, KS  
Nov 24, 1881

"The following is a list of names of pupils having an average standing in attendance, punctuality, deportment and examination higher than 60 on the scale of 100:"

Belle VARNUM 97	Eddie O'BRYON 86
Maranda HAMMOND 83	Cyrus JONES 86
Laura O'BRYAN 93	Hattie VARNUM 84
Ettie JONES 93	Emma RODELL 79
Lena JONES 92	Gilbert MORTON 78
Annie WILLIAMS 91	Lizzie WALTON 73
Willie O'BRYAN 88	Eva CADE 70
Annie VARNUM 88	Mattie WALTON 70
Jimmie SKIFF 86	North WILLIAMS 65
Arthur MORTON 86	Lee WALTON 63
	Effie RODELL 63

Jennie ALLEN, Teacher"

## Excerpts

From the: PORTRAIT and BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD of LEAVENWORTH  
DOUGLAS and FRANKLIN COUNTIES, KANSAS, 1899

REUBEN R. DOOLITTLE

Reuben R. DOOLITTLE, a retired farmer of Wakarusa Township, Douglas County, was born in Wayne County, N.Y., May 22, 1827. His father, Rev. Orin DOOLITTLE, a native of New York, was for many years a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church, but owing to the stand taken by the denomination at the time the slave question was being agitated, he withdrew from the ministry and devoted his attention to lecturing in behalf of the abolition of slaves. By his marriage to Elizabeth RANDOLPH he had nine children, of whom our subject was the fifth and is the only one in Kansas.

The paternal grandfather of our subject, Reuben Randolph DOOLITTLE, was born in Culpepper, VA., where he attained maturity, but afterward he removed to New York. During the war he was employed as dispatch bearer for General Washington.

When our subject was about nine years of age, the family settled in Michigan. In 1852 he went via water to California, crossing the isthmus of Panama. For two years and four months he engaged in mining. He resumed farming in Michigan, but soon became restless again, and in the spring of 1859 started for Pike's Peak. However, when about one hundred and twenty miles west of Omaha he met so many returning that he decided not to go further. Consequently he drove down to Douglas County and bought a claim where he now resides, afterward securing from the government a deed, bearing the signature of Andrew Johnson, to one hundred and sixty acres of land. His first house was a log cabin, in which he lived for about eight years. At the time of the war he was a member of the state militia, but did not see active service, as he was placed on detached duty.

In 1885 he erected a comfortable house from plans designed by his wife, and here he has since resided. His wife gained a reputation throughout the county as a skillful buttermaker, and at no time was a pound of her butter ever sold for less than twenty-five cents, while at times it commanded as much as fifty cents.

Several times (Mr. and Mrs. DOOLITTLE) visited California and the east, and also visited the Centennial in Philadelphia, the World's Fair in Chicago and the Trans-Continental Exposition in Omaha. Mrs. DOOLITTLE, died in March 1899. Prior to her marriage in Michigan in 1852 she was Jeannette VAN VLEET.

The only son of our subject and his wife is Randall DOOLITTLE, born in Michigan in December 1857. In 1895 he was elected township trustee and served for two terms, being the only Democrat elected to any office in Wakarusa Township. On November 29, 1882 he married Ella WALTON, of this township. They have four children Charles, Faith, Jeannette and Walton Randall.


 HEIRS of JAMES FLETCHER

As Listed in Drury FLETCHER's Petition in the District Court of Kansas Territory, County of Douglas, on the 9th of April 1860

Copied from the Lawrence Republican, Lawrence Kansas  
Thursday, May 10, 1860, p. 1.

"NOTICE OF PUBLICATION"

John CATRON and Mary CATRON, his wife; James HOGGARD and Sarah HOGGARD, his wife; James TROTTER and Jane TROTTER, his wife; James JENNINGS and Caroline JENNINGS, his wife; Thos. W. BARNES and Tabitha BARNES, his wife; Andrew RAINEY and Amanda RAINEY, his wife; Thomas S. RODGERS and Lucinda RODGERS, his wife; Hampton B. WINN and Isabella WINN, his wife; William WINN and Catherine WINN, his wife; Lewis W. COX and Eliza COX, his wife; James B. FLETCHER, minor heir of Nancy LAWRY; Emerine FLETCHER, Ellen FLETCHER, James UNDERWOOD, John UNDERWOOD; Elizabeth UNDERWOOD, heirs of James FLETCHER, deceased-defendants of the State of Missouri and the State of Texas, will take notice, that Drury FLETCHER, of the county of Douglas, in the Territory of Kansas, did, on the 9th day of April, A.D. 1860, file his petition in the District Court of Kansas Territory, Second Judicial District, within and for the county of Douglas, against the said defendants-setting forth that the said plaintiff, on the 5th day of April, A.D. 1858, purchased of one James FLETCHER, of the State of Missouri, a certain tract or parcel of land, situated and being in the county of Douglas, Kansas Territory, and described as follows: to wit: The Southwest quarter of Section No. 7. in Township No. 14 south, of Range No. 19 east of the sixth principal meridian, in Kansas Territory for the sum of two hundred and twelve dollars, payable the 1st day of March, 1860; and also, that said sum of money was paid to the said James FLETCHER in his lifetime, and that the said James FLETCHER is now deceased; and praying that the said defendants, heirs of the said James FLETCHER, may be decreed to make a deed to the said plaintiff for the aforesaid land, in accordance with a written agreement between the said Drury FLETCHER and James FLETCHER, deceased; or in default thereof, that the Master Commissioner of said Douglas county may be ordered to make a good warrantee deed in fee simple to the said premises, to the said plaintiff. And the said defendants are notified that they are required to appear and answer said petition, in twenty days after the 31st day of May next, A.D. 1860.

DRURY FLETCHER

By Christian and Lane, his Attorneys.  
April 9, 1860.

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Some of the names of early landowners in WILLOW SPRINGS Township and other townships in Douglas County, KS are shown on the "Map of Douglas County, Kansas Territory" by J. Cooper STUCK (1857). Copies may be purchased from the office of the County Engineer, Public Works Department, Douglas Co. Courthouse, Lawrence, Kansas 66044.



## Queries

Queries are free to members. They should state at least two facts to gain best results. Queries are also free to non-members but must concern Kansas related ancestors of fifty years or earlier.

- TIBBALS Jane Wiggins, Route 5, Box 54, Lawrence, KS 66044  
Willing to share information on the TIBBALS family of Beloit, Rock Co., WI, and Bloomington, McLean Co., IL.
- HOGAN Anna Marie Hogan, 3017 N. Racine, Chicago, IL  
DINEEN Seeking information about my great-great uncle, Timothy HOGAN - time of death and place of burial. He and my great grandfather, John HOGAN, and families went to KS from WI around 1860 and bought property in Marion Township. Also seeking information about Timothy's three children - Donie, Timothy, and Mary HOGAN. On 1865 Kansas Census the three children's names suddenly appear as DINEEN. Would appreciate any information regarding this.
- WORK Mrs. John M. Irvin, 2109 Twentieth Ave., Monroe, WI 53566  
IRVIN Seeking information on Thomas WORK and Margaret Nancy IRVIN, b. 5 April 1829, Crawford County, PA; d. 13 Aug. 1904. Where? She was in the Robert IRVIN household in 1860 Census of Douglas County, KS. Believed to have married and lived in KS. Are there descendants?
- FREE Donald Vaughn, 1946 Barker, Lawrence, KS 66044  
HELP Will be glad to check my copy of the 1890 LOUISIANA VETERANS' CENSUS INDEX for your ancestor. Send name and SASE.
- KENNEDY Elsie Callow, Route 1, Box 68, Graham, MO 64455  
Looking for information about Margaret KENNEDY, wife of Hugh KENNEDY. She was b. in Ohio in 1800, d. in Douglas County ca 1886-87. Will exchange research in Nodaway Co., MO.
- PATEE Jane Wiggins, Route 5, Box 54, Lawrence, KS 66044  
WEBSTER Am trying to locate descendants of Henry Ed "Doc" PATEE, brother of Clair M. PATEE. Both lived in Lawrence, KS. Henry b. in 1860, possibly Ford Co., KS. He d. 1935, Lawrence. He had two children: Henry Clair (Harry) PATEE, b. 1910, and Kathryn D. WEBSTER, b. 1915, Kathryn was living in Alexandria, VA, in 1935.

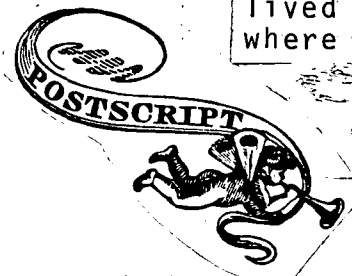
SMITH Mary Lou Winchell, 927 Crestline Dr., Lawrence, KS 66044  
 Seeking information on Simon Peter SMITH and his brother, William Thomas SMITH, both heads of households, who lived in KS "on the Kaw River" 1865 to 1875. They do not appear in the 1860 Federal Census for Douglas or Jefferson Counties.

MARSHALL NUTTING Alan L. Whipple, McDonald Library, Lawrence Academy, Groton, MA 01450. Need information on Zachariah MARSHALL and his wife, Martha NUTTING. Came from MA ca 1860 and lived on the NE 1/4 of Sec 30, T 13 S, R 20 E, now called the Reynolds Place.

TRAPP JENNINGS Mary Lou Winchell, 927 Crestline Dr., Lawrence, KS 66044  
 Seek information on Terry TRAPP, Baptist preacher and wheelwright, b. 1809 TN, m. Elizabeth JENNINGS, 1829, Howard Co., MO, moved to Jefferson Co., KS, in 1850's where he lived out his life. Children of Terry and Elizabeth were: Amanda Caroline TRAPP, George W. TRAPP, Washington Terry TRAPP, Rhoda Jane TRAPP, John Vanborn TRAPP, William Dodson TRAPP, Lewis Presinger TRAPP, Job Terry TRAPP, and Sarah Emmaline TRAPP. Terry TRAPP had a brother, Charlie, who built and repaired prairie schooners. Who were the parents of Terry and Charlie TRAPP and where in TN did they live?

WEIBEL WEIBLE Dennis J. Cotter, 1162 Rockport Ct., Columbus OH 43220  
 Seeking information on WEIBEL (WEIBLE) family, Eudora, KS ca 1869 through 1920. Frederick believed to be charter member of Eudora Methodist Church. Other names this period: John, Fred, Jr., and Edward (?). Some WEIBELS believed buried Eudora Cemetery.

METCALF Judy Sweets, 2905 Moccasin Dr., Lawrence, KS 66044  
 Would like information about three brothers: William METCALF, Samuel METCALF, and Earl METCALF, who lived in CA from ca 1860 to early 1900's. Samuel and William lived for many years in Plumas Co., CA. When and where did William METCALF die?



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LITTLE KNOWN SOURCE: GERMAN "ALIEN" REGISTRATION FILES OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS