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Mr. EIDEMILLER has purchased the old mill at the foot of Ohio street and will put up a large ice house there. The old chimney that has stood there so long will be blown over to-morrow.

In Memoriam

John V. BANTA, Jr.

Born February 18, 1925

Died February 08, 1986

Clayton C. STANWIX

Born August 27, 1923

Died July 07, 1986

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WILLS RECORDED IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, 1857 - 1873

(Continued from Vol. IX, No. 2)

PILLA, Friedrich L., w.d.-4 Feb 1871; w.p.-11 Feb 1871. Will written in German. Heirs-One-half to brother, Chas. Pilla; other one-half to brothers and sisters(not named). Wit-Charles Durr, Carl Messenbrink, William Rahner; Exec-Charles Durr; Bond-Chas. Pilla, principal, Levi Woodard, John Conger, Leo Vitt; Bond-Charles Durr, principal, Charles Wilkenson, Aug. Buehler, F. Brinkman.

Notes and due bills collected to 8 Jan 1873:

James Bass	B. (?)Pribbenow	Nick Wail	Thos Clark
A. Basel	Lyd. Monroe	J. Neustiffter	Robt Perry
John Boender	W. Spietz	H. W. McClintock	Wm McBride
Jac. Hosh		Thomas McClean	Dav Paten
W. Hale	<u>Paid out to:</u>	L. Shendel	Miller Pavy
H. Lentz	Henry Lentz	David Miller	Lew Adair
John Meyer	Jno. Meyer	E. Gerner	Jas (?)Braiel
J. McKnight	And. Bauer	J. Kanzig	Brannegan
W. H. Shreves	Henry Johnson	J. Henderson	Booth
Chas. (?)Mormon	Meserbrink	B. Brecheison	G. (?)Corvait
J. Pichler	Alf Vitt	S. H. Warren	M. Couch, Sr.
J. M. Still	Peter Breiggen	J. Schneitter	G. Conant
C. Thoren	Gertsenberger	J. Coletrane	J.S. Duncan
Geo. Stadtler	Frances (?)Guizsax	T. W. Warren	Henry Edler
J. T. Wilson	O. G. Richards	Jos. Stadtler	Eaton Meis
H. L. Ward		K. Heinrichs	Jas. Finly
C. Meier	<u>Unsettled book accounts</u>	Blakeman	John Fish
C. Scales	collected to 8 Jan 1873:	Pfeiffer	Feldhope
C. Strobel	Thomas Cook	P. Mathias	A. (?)Grace
Jn. Keagi	N. W. Owen	C. Dollinger	Len (?)Gruz
P. & A. Westerhaus	F. Bernitz	J. Brender	P Hiatt
Porter & Fish	A. Gabriel	J. Bowers	Jack Andrew
Tom Hough	M. Ritzinger	J. (?)Bover	Shubal Kersey
J. Weaver	W. W. Oshell	S. Davis	P. Kellerman
H. Meinike	J. Rochell	Geo. F. Rodger	L. Kellerman
<u>S. Zimmerman</u>	C. Schneider Sr.	Ben (?)Nicolm	Jas. Kern
E.L. & D. Phenecie	F. T. Vitt	B. F. Shields	Kubichek
Jos. Eade	H. Wittler	A. Thomas	Thos. Kane
Jos. Seiwald	John Keagi, Sen.	Martin Fisher	M. Kersey
(?)G. H. Cole	Isaac Henshaw	A. Meill	Wm McClintock
F. Vitt	J. Moll, Sen.	Mattie Parker	Louis Meoll
L. Kurtz	John McKnight	Mrs. Robt Peoples	H. Meyer
F. Maibel	K. Summers	K. Shindler	Wm Morse
G. Hausman	C. Coletrane	Geo. Meeder	J. B. Neal
Shinhofer	John Conger	Wm. Shields	John Prang
James Deay	James Epply	C. Kohler	Solon Rodgers
J. Miller	O. B. Perkins	John Meadel	J. Smeller
G. Koch	H. Ziesenis	John Townsend	Jac Stubbs
J. E. Hollowell	A. J. Jennings	Wm Deay	F. Schmidt
M. (?)Merz	Joseph Eberly	(?)Bauman, Henry Sr.	Young
H. S. (?)Cameron	E. Parker	(?)Bauman, Henry Jr.	L. Deay
L. Ziegler	J. M. Lassiter	Mary Gruber	Jesse Shirly
B. White	C. L. Wilder	A. Bowers	J. Underhill
D. (?)Hungiker	Philip Barker	Thos. Monroe	James West
R. Vogel	Caspar Weber	Hy Johnson	J. Weinkelman
Geo. Schmidt	Jacob (?)Gehm	W. Coleman	Hy Ward Sr.
D. Lindsly	Amos Hicks	Ben Adams	C. Ziegler
J. Marx	Henry Eggers	John King	L--ey Warren

Wm Brecheisen
 Gen Evolsizer
 Jonath Hodgson
 Jeffrey Dav King
 Schroeizer & Goodrich
 John Anderson
 ____ Weichselsdorfe

Notes, 19 March 1878:

J. C. Bales
 M. E. Bailey
 R. J. Basel
 Jacob Dolisi
 Daniel Kraus
 Eby Robertson
 C. Snyder, Jr.
 John G. Waters
 Aug. Ziesenis
 H. Meyer
 J. Schulz
 John Madel
 Stephan Sherer
 Jos. Meier
 T. C. Darling
 J. Heitzman
 E. Shilling
 B. Kramer
 John Vaux
 Jas. Dobbins
 C. M. Sears
 F. Pinger
 Thomas Rayson
 Raym Fassle
 Peter Hartig
 ____ Heitzman
 N. W. Owens
 Chas. White
 A. Phillips
 J. Schaffer
 Jacob Koofer

Book Accts 1878

F. Meyer
 H. Kellerman
 Jacob Fisher
 H. M. Reusch
 Stephan Stubbs
 W. H. Shreve
 Chas. White
 R. Bartush
 A. Davenport
 N. Reusch
 S. H. Albright
 R. J. Basal
 M. E. Bailey

Wm Ham
 J. B. Smith
 C. Willsdorf
 S. Zimmerman
 Mrs. Wright
 Ralf Clark
 F. (?)Anthon
 ____ Kemper
 ____ Laws
 ____ McClean
 Wm Parshall
 ____ Hough
 Jno Kirkpatrick Jr
 Jno Kirkpatrick Sr
 Jac. Koofer
 C. J. Snyder
 Joel Charles
 Ben Barnet
 And. Lutz
 D. McClintock
 (?)Jno Henshaw
 Hy Herold
 F. Femmer
 Cy Rogers
 J. Snyder
 Copp Henry
 John Tate
 ____ Shanberger
 F. Nichols & son
 F. Mulson
 Frank Deay
 Burns
 J. Albritten
 Jim Gibson
 Mrs. Baird
 Wm Hale
 John Webber
 A. Donavon
 J. Pichler
 C. Strobel
 Levy Woodward
 J. P. Wilson
 C. Meyers
 Joe Miller

Paid out to:

Isaac Burns
 R. Bartush
 ____ Stoll
 Ely Robertson
 J. G. Waters
 F. Deay
 F. Anthon
 H. H. Carr
 J. H. Mathews

Uncollected accts 1878

Basil Henderson
 Davis
 (?)O. S. McClintock
 D. L. McGinley
 Chas. Sugart
 L. B. Wood
 J. Rechter
 J. Newby
 ____ Miller
 F. C. Elain
 Geo. Marks
 Mich Eder
 Mose Simmons
 L. Henderson
 Wm Adams
 Stephan Essex
 Ely Brainc
 Mrs. Cox
 ____ Damuth
 C. Darling
 ____ Gunnison
 Yankee Jewett
 Geo. McKnight
 M. M. Persing
 Stephan Taylor
 Henry Turner
 Will Von
 John Wright
 Mrs. York
 Wm Koofer
 W. W. Silsby

NICHOLS, Leonard H., Twp No. 13, Douglas Co. w.d.-9 Oct 1857; w.p. 16 Sept 1858; w.r.-2 Oct 1858; Exec-Leonard Nichols; wit-Joel Grover and Edward P. Fitch; Bond- Leonard Nichols, Joseph Savage, Edward P. Fitch; appr's-E. P. Fitch, Clark Crane, M. R. Clough; inventory-Joel Grover and G. W. Berry. Case File #1780.

OWENS, William, Marion, Douglas Co; w.d.-19 Nov 1869, w.p.-13 Dec 1869. benef-wife-name not listed, ch-William R., Mary, Elizabeth, Sara Ann- minor, David R.- minor, Robert J.-minor, Owen; Exec's-wife and son, William R. Owens; wit-John O. Sullivan and Aaron J. Haskins. Paid to Elizabeth Fallwell, an heir, to F. Schneider for support of minor, to Mary Tapering, an heir, to Nic Simons, to W. D. Harding and to W. Thurber; Bond-W. R. Owens, David Robison, James Searing. Items sold to Jef Losey, A. Duffey, George Safford, Morris Wittenburg, D. Williams, A. Marshall, Wm Hays, Wm Mott, Wm Vincent, Silas Jessup, William Fallwell, Clinton Searing, Adam Waford, (?)Coriels Manix, John Challas, Fredrick Batskey, P. T. Hupp. Receipts to W.R. Owens-Jasper Baker, services of horse, Alexander Lewis, lumber. Case File #1826.

PEABODY, David G., Lawrence; w.d.-14 Aug 1868, w.p.-11 Sept 1868; heirs-wf Elizabeth A. Peabody, only dau-Alice H. Peabody; Exec-wife; wit-C. K. Gilchrist, A. M. Wilder, Allen L. Pease, F. Gleason; inventory-D. Hubbard and L. J. Worden; Bond-David Hubbard and F. Gleason. Case File # 1871.

RANSOM, Luther N., age 71, Lawrence; w.d.-26 Sept 1870, w.p.-31 Jul 1872; date of death-21 Jul 1872; heirs-grandson blank Ransom, issue and heir of my son Albert Ransom, son-Albert Ransom who is Exec. wit-A. D.T(Y)enney and David C. Beach; wife-Rhoda W. Ransom (not listed as a benef; o.p. Rachael S. Tenney, physician, Lawrence verified A. D. Tenney's signature as witness to will. Bond-Albert Ransom, O. A. Hanscom, C. D. French; appr's-J. C. Peck, Thos M. Work and George W. Goss. Case File #2010.

REEDER, Andrew H., resident of Borough of Easton; will made in Northampton Co Pa.; w.d.-10 Sept 1862, w.p.-15 Jul 1864 in Pa.; in Leavenworth Co admitted to probate on 21 Apr 1865; filed Douglas Co 1 Aug 1870; heirs-wf-Amalea, five ch- Ida R. Marsh, Emma R. Ferriday, George M. Reeder, Howard Reeder, a minor and Frank Reeder, a minor; Exec-wife, Amalea, son-in-law, Wm W. Marsh and son, George M. Reeder; o.p.- Henry Gree and F. V. Barnet swore that signature of A. H. Reeder was authentic. Case File #2001.

RODMAN, John, Douglas Co; w.d.-3 Mar 1868; w.p.-25 May 1868; heirs-wife, sons- Wm A. Rodman and John E. Rodman, dau-Elizabeth J. Rodman, son-Thomas J. Rodman, dau-Sarah M. Rodman, son-Christian B. L. Rodman, son-George E. Rodman, dau-Susana F. Rodman; Exec-wife, Elizabeth; wit-Amos Walton, James Bryson; inventory- John G. Gill, Amos Walton. Case File #1999.

SALTER, Thomas, no address listed in will; w.d.-16 Dec 1864; w.p.-3 Apr 1865; benef-Sister Joanna of the Saint John's Hospital in Leavenworth, niece-Catherine Young, wife of Robert Young, Lecompton, Douglas Co; wit-Wm G. Mathews and Wm O. Marra; inventory-A. J. Parrish, Abraham McKinney, .9 Oct 1865; appr's-A. J. Parrish, Abraham McKinney, John Bishop. Case File #2153.

SCHWAB, Michael, Lawrence; w.d.-15 Sept 1863; w.p. 29 May 1869; benef-Catharine Schwab, the widow of my deceased brother, ch of Catharine Schwab: John, Catharine, Joseph, Mary and Julianna; wit-James C. Horton and Paul R. Brooks. Case File #2159.

SIMMONS, Thomas J., Lawrence, w.d.-15 May 1864; w.p.-28 Jul 1864; wf-Nancy R. Simmons; Exec-wife; wit-John Speer and George M. Smith; inventory and appr's- C. Livingston, P. D. Ridenour and John Speer. Case File #2151.

SIPES, William, Lecompton. w.d.-28 Jun 1866; w.p.-27 Jul 1866; wf-Jane; Exec-wife; wit-A. M. Thornton, David Shuck and G. W. Zinn. Letter in packet from Ann Sipes, Corner of James & Hemlock St., Allegheny City, Pa., dated 2 Feb 1903 regarding will sent in 1866. Letter a reply to Mr. J. H. Mitchell. Case File #2164.

SMITH, Spencer, Baldwin City. w.d.-13 Mar 1866; w.p.-27 Mar 1866; "unmarried having neither wife nor child"; benef-bro Thomas Smith; heirs of bro Alfred Smith in Franklin Co, Mo., to wit: Ann, Ralph, Jane, Alfred Smith (also listed as A. Edward Smith) and Isabella Smith, the widow of said Alfred Smith; sisters-Jane Smith and Sarah G. Smith who are now living in Liverpool, England; sister-Ann L. Hart, living in Melbourne, Australia; Exec-Bro, Thomas Smith; wit-Chas. J. Lovejoy, Joel R. Goodin and John W. Vaughn; appr's of real estate-J.(?)C. Moore, Wm C. Hoopes and J. W. Vaughn. Real estate listed in Gasconade Co Mo., St. Louis Co Mo., Washington Co, Franklin Co Mo., at Miller's Landing in Franklin Co Mo., and in Baldwin City, Kans.; inventory-Spencer Smith, Wm G. Piper, Jacob L. Stillwell and G. W. Miller; Bond-Peter Markel, I. R. Kennedy, N. Taylor and Louis F. Green. Receipt dated Derby, 27 Sept 1872 for money received "due to my late sister, Jane Tomilson Smith and bequeathed to me". Signed-Sarah G. Smith. o.p.-G. C. Snow, (?)Palming Lodge #23 of Freemasons, L. J. Dallas, Baldwin City Lodge #31 of I.O.O.F. Case File #2162.

SPICER, John, town of Starkey, Yates Co N. Y.; w.d. 14 Jul 1855; w.p.- 16 Dec 1868; heirs: "Seven youngest children, being ch of my second wife, Mary-Edward P. L. Spicer, Emela Spicer, Martin V. B. Spicer, Augusta Spicer, Andrew Spicer, Rosala Spicer, Florence Spicer and the eight oldest-John Spicer, Jr., James Spicer, Mary Jane Spicer or Church, Pollyan Spicer, now Pollyan Huson," mentions as first wife's children-George, Reuben H., Charles and Lucy; wit-S. S. Benham, S.S. Benham, Jr., Richard Huson and Samuel K. Huson. Admin. with will attached-George S. Hampton. Death at Lawrence. Heirs listed: Ruben, residence unknown; Charles of Barrington, Yeats Co N. Y.; George of Michigan; Lucy and John, residences unknown; Mary Jane Hathway, res. Ottawa, Ill.; Polly Ann Huson, res. Lawrence; Emily Skinner res. Lawrence; Augusta Eldridge, deceased being Edwin S. Eldridge; Kersey Coates Eldridge and Phoebe Eldridge, residence Lawrence; Rosalia (Mrs. R. F.) Ross, res. Washington City, D.C. and Florence Wilber, res. Lawrence. Dated 9 Dec 1868. Admin's bond signed by J. H. Glashart and James Blood, 21 Dec 1868, James S. Emery and Paul R. Brooks, 7 Dec 1868; appr's of personal property-Wilson Shannon, Geo. W. Smith and S. W. Eldridge. Affidavit of Andrew Spicer: On 14 Feb 1869, at Fredonia, Wilson Co Kans., fire destroyed letter dated Jan 1869, from Martin Spicer of Dallas City, Ill. Martin's present address unknown. Affidavit dated 23 May 1872.#2175.

STEPHENS, Taylor, Wakarusa Twp; w.d. 4 Apr 1870; w.p.-28 Apr 1870; heirs-gr.son-Robert Harrington, two dau's-Mahala Ann Heart and Anna Florence Stevens; wit-John L. Patterson and James P. Clarke; Exec-David Garvin, with will annexed; Bond-John Garvin, Thomas McFarland. o.p.-Henry Leisch-purchase agreement for real estate in Douglas Co after Taylor Stevens received his patent from the U.S. Gov't. wit-S. L. Holman, 3 Mar 1870; appr's-Smith Herren, Heinrich Leisch, William Fearing. Case File #2181.

TAYLOR, Elizabeth P., Greene Co, town-Cairo, N. Y.; w.d. 29 Dec 1855; w.p.- 13 May 1867 at town of Catskill; heirs-mo-Maria, sisters-Charlotte K. Taylor, Caroline A. Taylor, Nancy Marie Taylor. "If at any time, the circumstances of the

family should be such as not to require any of my property, I would like it to be given to the American Bible Society, Evangelical Knowledge Society and Episcopal Board of Missions--divided equally among three societies." Admin. of will granted to Maria E. Taylor. On 22 Mar 1868, request to appoint Lorenzo J. Worden, admin. to complete admin. of E. P. Taylor will as admin. was not completed by Maria E. Taylor prior to the appointment of a guardian, since her insanity. Request signed by Mrs. Charlotte K. Brackett. Inventory of real and personal property includes a promissory note signed by John W. Taylor, dated 5 Nov 1858, Montgomery Ala. and note signed by Charles J. Howell, dated 18 Aug 1865, Cairo, N. Y. "I have sold the above note to my mother, Mrs. Maria E. Taylor of Cairo, Greene Co N. Y." Dated at Macon Ga., 12 Oct 1865. Appointed three sisters and mother as joint Exec's; wit to will-Charles P. Howell and James C. Wooster, both of Cairo, N.Y.; appr's of personal property-George Ford, H. D. Whitman and Ralph S. Johnson; receipt dated 14 June 1869 signed by N. Maria Stewart and C. A. Taylor, Memphis, Tenn. Case File #2430.

TAYLOR, Carrie A., Fulton, Ga. (copy of will found in same packet with that of Elizabeth P. Taylor). w.d.-12 Jan 1878; w.p.- 20 Mar 1880 at Fulton Co Ga.; heirs-to F. M. Coker of Atlanta, Ga., as trustee for sister, Nancy Maria Stewart, wf of I. D. Stewart of Memphis, Tenn., and her ch, real estate in Atlanta purchased from Alton (?) Angier, and notedue by William A. Rawson, Atlanta; to F. M. Coker "for namesake beloved niece; Carrie Taylor Stewart, dau of Nancy Maria and J. D. Stewart of Memphis;" bro-Bentonville Taylor, land in Miss. and house and lot in Brookhaven.; bro-Charles Taylor; bro-Edward Taylor, Lawrence, Kans.; sister-Charlotte Brackett and husband, George C. Brackett, Lawrence; Refers to division of residue of estate "whether from whatsoever sources, whether from litigation pending in England concerning my great grandfather Barker's estate or any other sources". Wit-Frank Coker, J., S. A. Coker and J. F. Coker; Exec-F.M.Coker & Dr.F. ____ . C.F.#2430.

TAYLOR, John W., Wakarusa Twp; w.d.-3 June 1865; w.p.-29 Aug 1865; heirs-son-Charles H. Taylor, Lawrence; wife-Maria Elizabeth Taylor, Green Co N.Y.; dau-Charlotte K. Taylor, Green Co N.Y.; dau's-Elizabeth P. Taylor, Nancy Maria Stewart, Caroline Taylor; sons-Frederick K. Taylor, Bentonville Taylor, Edward A. Taylor; Exec-Charles H. Taylor. Dau, Charlotte K. Taylor, appointed exec until Charles H. Taylor becomes of lawful age. Wit-Eugene L. Akin, Warren Stowe, Frances M. Stowe; Bond-Levi Baldwin, Joel Thomas, Edward P. Harris; appr's of pers. prop.-Levi Baldwin, James Brandon; appr's of real estate-J. H. Glasshart, R. W. Sparr and John E. Dey. Case File #2421.

TODD, Archibald, Douglas Co; w.d.-18 Jun 1871; w.p.-12 Jul 1871; benef-wf Elizabeth Ellen Todd, guardian of ch; lists real estate heretofore conveyed by Ashbel M. Wheadon to the Leavenworth, Lawrence & Galveston Rail Road to three ch-John A. D. Todd, age 15 yrs, Ashabel Todd, age 14 yrs and Alonzo Todd, age 11 yrs; wit-Geo. S. Hampton, Thadeus S. Wheadon and Oscar Burroughs. Case File #2442.

TUFTS, Mary A., Lawrence; w.d.-17 Oct 1860; w.p.-5 Nov 1860; heir-sister Caroline; wit-Harriett H. Earl, Mary R. Eldridge, S. W. Eldridge. Case File #2414.

TURNER, William, New London, Howard Co Ind., w.d.-The 12th day of the 8th month 1867; w.p. 7 Jun 1869; w.r.-15 Jun 1869; heirs-wf-Edith Turner, son-Jesse T. Turner; gr.ch-Mary Frances and Deborah Emaline Turner, dau's of son, Jesse T. Turner; Exec-Jesse T. Turner; wit-Joseph E. Hallowell(signature affirmed 15 Jun 1869 by Washington Hadley) and Jonathan Haworth, Leavenworth Co(signature certified by David Walker, 3 Jun 1869. Inventory includes real estate in Douglas Co and notes receivable signed by the following: Jonathan Johnson, Elias Rick, T. J. Collins, J. M. Coate, Mercer Brwon, W. J. Wright, William Price, Clint Courtney and Peter

Maus, all of Indiana; Bond-Chas. A. Pease and R. Morris; appr's-H. D. Whitman, H. L. R. Jones and W. H. Watkins. Case File #2434..

ULRICH, Jacob, Douglas Co; w.d.-22 Nov 1863; w.p.-8 Feb 1864; heirs-wf-Mary; dau-Christina Metsker (John C.); son-Benjamin; dau-Anna Adair (James S.); son-John Ulrich; son-Daniel Ulrich; son-Jacob Ulrich; dau-Mary Shively (J. M.); son-Henry Ulrich; dau-Susan Flory (Wesley). Wit-Stephen Studebaker; admin-Daniel Ulrich and John Bower; Bond-Daniel Waybright and Eli Flory; appr's-Jesse Whitman, Patrick Fawl; inventory-Geo. F. Smith and Aaron M. Cory. Case File #2500.

WHITE, Augustus W., w.d. 8 Mar 1864; w.p. 18 Apr 1864; heirs-son-Arthur M. W. White(to receive real estate in Palmyra Twp), wf-Elinor G. White (Elinor G. Duffy before marriage); Exec-wf Elinor with John Dyer; wit-Eliza F. Hayslett, Bretta M. Dyer, Fielding Heash and Leroy Gr . Bond-W. P. Buchanan and Robert Morris; Inventory-Isaac L. Baker, Wm McKinney, James A. (?)Graves. Case File #2529.

WHITLOCK, William, Wakarusa Twp. w.d.-29 Mar 1861; w.p. 5 Aug 1861; heirs-wf-(?)Minafullarila Whitlock, four married children-names not listed; Exec-Thomas Ferrell and M. R. Clough; wit-M. R. Clough and John M. Graham; appr's-E. R. Falley; Wm M. Hazeltine, Henry Brown; inventory-A. Curtiss, J. M. Graham; Bond-M.R.Clough, as principal, Wm S. Hughes and J. A. Beam, sureties; appr's pers. prop.-John M. Graham, F. E. LaHay, G. W. Godwin. Case-File #2521.

WILLEY, Baldwin City; w.d.-11 Jan 1871; w.p.-13 Oct 1871; heir-wf Lydia P. Willey; wit-Samuel Weeks and U. C. Cavaness; inventory & appr's-Samuel Keifer and William S. Foster. Inventory includes notes signed by the following: L. R. Willey, Rev. William Butts, D. Shook, Jas. H. Carruth, John & George Boon, A. D. Lewis, J. H. Riggs, A. W. Jones, Jacob Stilwell, B. R. Nordyke, F. L. Robinson, Samuel Adams, Isaac C. Barton, Michael Mierley, A. Grim, C. D. Brooks, G. W. Stewart and W. D. Kindall. o.p. Prof. Foss, Daniel Fulton, Samuel Keifer, Wilbur Keifer, Widow Dunn, W. J. Jenkins and Hurlburt. Bond-Lydia P. Willey, principal, (?) V.J. Lane and Samuel Weeks. Case File #2560.

--Abstracted by Pauline B. Elniff

Newspaper notices

From the Lawrence Journal, Sunday, 11 November 1883, p. 4

"Dying"

"A telegram from Montrose, Col. received last evening states that J.R. Kennedy, an early settler of Douglas County, and founder of the Deaf Mute Institute at Colorado Springs, is sinking rapidly and is not expected to live."

Note: A notice of the death of J.R. Kennedy appears in the 12 November issue of the Lawrence Journal.

Submitted by Judy SWEETS

BEST TIME EVER
 "PAST 75" PICNIC AT WOODLAND
 PARK ENJOYED BY A GREAT
 MANY VISITORS.

Afternoon Was Informal.

One Heat of a Horse Race Was Pulled Off, There Was Fiddling
 and Singing and Visiting and Picture Taking.

It was thought the limit of enjoyment at Woodland park had been reached with the children's picnic last week, but this proved not to be the case. There was absolute joy with the "Past 75" picnic held there yesterday afternoon. The joy of anticipation was as great as that of realization, and the preparation for the event impressed everyone with the strong feature that made the occasion such a huge success—the perfect delight of those who were invited to take part.

There wasn't much going on at the park—not nearly as much as there will be next year when the event is repeated—but the gathering under the great old trees, with their carpets of splendid verdure, where the breezes always blow, was enough to make the event enjoyable. The guests gathered and visited; gathered even as the children, before the hour set; and visited as hard as the children played. Then all gathered in the auditorium, where there was some old time fiddling by Captain J.M. SPENCER that made others gathered suggest that a sort of an old fiddlers program would be an interesting feature another year; there was some singing, too, led by Miss Olivia OLSSON.

Then the crowd separated and visited some more, the greater number going to the race track seats to watch a heat or two of a horse race that had been promised. There was an annoying wait, as the horse men were quarreling among themselves about making the race, although they finally emerged from the stables and drove a hap-hazard heat around the track. Then all assembled for the photograph that was to be taken by Lawrence.

In the contest for the five-pound box of candy for the spryest of the guests, age considered George KIMBALL and Mrs. Charles PEASE won. There was lots of good lemonade for the visitors, who just had to walk up and show their badges, and get all they wanted, whenever they wanted it. It was a great afternoon, and was worth while.

The list of those present "past 75," their ages and addresses, is as follows:

95 Years Old.

George KIMBALL, 933 Vermont street.

92 Years Old.

E.V. GRANT, 808 Indiana street

88 Years Old.

J.M. WOOD, 1331 Vermont street.

87 Years Old.

O.H. AYER, R.D. 4, Lawrence.

M.C. RICE, 1223 Vermont street.

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86 Years Old.

W.C. VAN TRIES, Wellsville.
 Mrs. Mary DEAN, Vermont and Berkley street.
 H. NEWBY, 1105 New Jersey street.
 Jesse DILLARD, 520 Louisiana street.

85 Years Old.

A. ROSE, 352 Illinois street.
 Mrs. E.J. PARTRIDGE, 1020 Tennessee street.

84 Years Old.

Mrs. C.H. RICHARDS, 1121 New Jersey street.
 John RICHARDSON, 1101 Pennsylvania street.
 S.M. REYNOLDS, 1023 Vermont street.
 Wm. CRUTCHFIELD, Breezedale.
 Mrs. Harriet ADAMS, 816 Kentucky street.
 W.S. CROUCH, 615 West Henry street.

83 Years Old.

M.S. MITCHELL, 1700 Tennessee street.
 A.J. JENNINGS, 817 Tennessee street.
 M.L. HUNT, 1400 Connecticut street.

82 Years Old.

F.J. ECKE, 938 Tennessee street.
 Dr. W.F. OSBORN, Baldwin.
 Jasper WILSON, 211 Elm street.
 John CHAMPION, 1233 Rhode Island street.
 Henry RITTER, R.D. 3, Lawrence.
 Miss Laura BLINN, 276 Lincoln street.
 G. GROVENOR, 1002 New Hampshire street.
 Justus HOWELL, 1320 Ohio street.
 Samuel COOK, 524 Louisiana street.

81 Years Old.

Claus OTTEN, 724 Rhode Island street.
 John DEEMER, 1945 Vermont street.
 John WALTON, 629 Connecticut street.
 Mrs. A. WHITCOMB, 844 Tennessee street.
 J.M. MORRIS, 1711 Haskell avenue.
 J.M. SPENCER, 1100 Connecticut street.

80 Years Old.

Mrs. E.W. FLORY.
 L.S. STEELE, 842 Indiana street.
 A.J. PHILLIPS, 700 Elliott street.
 Jos. G. SULLIVAN, 723 Arkansas street.
 Mrs. M.A. GOOD, 245 Indiana street.

79 Years Old.

H.L. HOLLAND, Holdenville, Okla., visiting his son, J.P. HOLLAND at
 626 Ohio street.
 Mrs. L. MENGER, 721 Connecticut street.
 Mrs. A. DUDLEY, West Warren street.
 Mrs. H.P. ANDERSON, 838 Louisiana street.
 T.S. McGEE, 917 East Lee street.
 L.J. EBERHART, 1212 Connecticut street.
 Mrs. M.E. FAWCETT, 341 Indiana street.

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78 Years Old.

S. ENGLE, 2224 Barker avenue.
 Prescott UNDERWOOD, 534 Louisiana street.
 Jos. GARDNER, 823 Massachusetts street.
 A. WELTY, 615 Tennessee street.
 Mrs. Rebecca CHADWICK, 1947 Barker avenue.
 W.W. CHADWICK, 1947 Barker avenue.
 L.E. JOHNSON, 1030 Massachusetts street.
 W.D. WELLS, R.D. 4, Lawrence.
 J.H. SPHAR, 224 Locust street.
 Mrs. Elizabeth STEEN, 1208 Kentucky street.
 Mrs. Fannie DILLARD, 520 Louisiana street.
 Mrs. Jane RADCLIFFE, 620 Rhode Island street.

77 Years Old.

F.A. DERBY, 810 Alabama street.
 O.G. RICHARDS, Eudora.
 Mrs. Lucia JONES, 638 Louisiana street.
 Mrs. W.H. SPALDING, 808 Rhode Island street.
 T.N. CROWDER, 729 Missouri street.
 E. HUDDLESTON, R.D. 4, Lawrence.
 A.W. METCALF, 634 Kentucky street.
 Mrs. J.H. HILL, 844 Tennessee street.
 Mrs. Chas. PEASE, 1225 Tennessee street.
 E.D. O'BRYON, 1332 Tennessee street.
 P. SOUDERS, 400 Maple street.
 A.W. PLUMMER, R.D. 5, Lawrence.
 J.T. STUBBS, 716 Louisiana street.

76 Years Old.

Mrs. J. GALLAGHER, Tonganoxie.
 Charles FETTY, 709 Alabama street.
 O.D. LEE, 900 Tennessee street.
 Mrs. J.W. JUNKIN, 945 Tennessee street.
 B.F. SMITH, Barker and Banks streets.
 Ed. MUNK, 813 Illinois street.
 F.E. STIMPSON, 1224 Tennessee street.
 Mrs. M.A. GILLISPIE, 1002 Vermont street.
 Mrs. E.J. MOYS, 331 Indiana street.
 F. HARRIMAN, 523 Louisiana street.

75 Years Old.

J.C. DODDS, 903 Alabama street.
 Mrs. J.C. DODDS, 905 Alabama street.
 F.H. HAVERKAMPF, 1138 New York street.
 O.W. THOMAS, 1339 Haskell avenue.
 Mrs. O.W. THOMAS, 1339 Haskell avenue.
 J.H. GERKIN, 1001 Rhode Island street.
 P.C. EBERHART, 911 Alabama street.
 A.J. ANDERSON, 833 Alabama street.
 Wm. BROWN, R.D. 9, Lawrence.
 Mrs. A.A. RUSS, 1231 Kentucky street.
 F.B. VARNUM, 345 Missouri street.

"Past 75" Picnic, June 17, 1913

75 Years Old.

I. HEMPHILL, 1026 New Jersey street.
 V.L. REECE, 1245 Rhode Island street.
 Celindia COON, 1241 Delaware street.
 Mrs. Chas FETTY, 709 Alabama street.
 Mrs. S. ENGLE, 2234 Barker avenue.
 Mrs. Jasper WILSON, 211 Elm street.

After the exercises at the park were completed the announcement was made that Mr. and Mrs. PATTEE of the Nickle would be glad to honor the "Past 75" badges by admitting the wearers to the evening program.

From The Daily Gazette, Lawrence, Ks., Wednesday, June 18, 1913.

Submitted by Jane WIGGINS



Lawrence Daily Gazette, November 12, 1913

FRANCISCO LIVERY SOLD

S.C. BYBEE of Garnett, Assumes
 Charge January 1.

The FRANCISCO livery barns at 808-10-12 Vermont street, one of the largest of the kind in the city, was sold this morning to Mr. S.C. BYBEE of Garnett, Kansas, who will assume charge as owner with the opening of another year.

Negotiations for the sale of the property have been going on for some time, but always some hitch occurred until the final consummation of the deal this morning. Mr. FRANCISCO has been in business several years and has made a big success of it. When he assumed charge several years ago the business was run down more or less, but he has built up and added until now the barn and business is the largest of its kind in the city. Mr. BYBEE, although not assuming absolute charge, will remain here until January next, and will thoroughly familiarize himself with the business and at the same time become acquainted with his Lawrence trade. He is a married man with a family and will move here some time after the opening of next year.

Mr. FRANCISCO has not definitely decided upon his future course of action, but will remain here at least until after the barn has passed out of his control.



The Morning News, Dec. 6, 1883

G. A. R.

All ladies, wives of members of the Washington Post, and wives of all old soldiers and the widows of soldiers with their daughters over twelve years of age are earnestly requested to meet at the headquarters of Washington Post on Henry street next Saturday at 2 o'clock, p.m.; for the purpose of forming a ladies auxiliary society to Washington Post No. 12, Grand Army of the Republic.

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by Douglas County Citizens

from "Kansas Claims", House Reports, (36th Congress, 2nd Session) (2 Vols.) Compiled by Judy M. Sweets, 11 April 1986. Government Documents Section, Spencer Research Library, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.

The following Douglas County Citizens gave testimonies concerning losses they sustained "during the disorder that prevailed from November 1, 1855 to December 1, 1856." in Kansas Territory. They were making claims to the Federal Government for compensation. (Note: not included in this index are the names of those persons, usually friends, relatives or neighbors who gave supporting testimonies.)

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Submitted by Judy SWEETS

A Portion of the
Testimony of
Ezekiel A. Coleman

From "Kansas Claims", House Reports, (36th Congress, 2nd Session) Government Documents, Spencer Research Library, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas.

"No. 54

Territory of Kansas, Douglas County, ss:
 To the commissioner of claims under act of the legislative assembly of Kansas, approved February 7, 1859, in session at Lawrence, March A.D. 1859.

Your petitioner, E.A. COLEMAN, respectfully shows that he is and since the 27th day of October, A.d. 1854, has been a citizen of Douglas county and Territory of Kansas. That during the troubles and disorder that prevailed in said Territory between the 1st day of November, 1855, and 1st day of December, 1856, and in consequence thereof, he lost and had stolen and taken away of his goods and chattels the property mentioned in the annexed schedule, at the time and in the manner therein stated, which schedule is annexed to and made a part of this petition, for which property he has never received any compensation whatever.

He further alleges that about the 1st day of September, and for several weeks thereafter, armed bands of men were infesting said county and the neighborhood of petitioner, and he, with others of his neighbors, was driven away from his home and unable to save his crops, and thereby the crops mentioned in said schedule were totally lost and destroyed.

He further alleges that his occupation at that time was that of a teamster, which was entirely broken up by said loss of his team, to his damage \$50, as set forth in said schedule.

Wherefore he prays your honors to audit and certify said losses, amounting to \$574 in all, and the interest thereon from said 1st day of September, A.D. 1856, as damages resulting from said loss, and to award him certificate therefor.

E.A. COLEMAN

Sworn to and signed before me this 16th day of March, A.D. 1859.

SAMUEL A. KINGMAN, Commissioner"

Note: Supporting testimony from Ezekiel COLEMAN's son, Charles J. COLEMAN and his neighbor, George GILBERT are also included in this claim.

Submitted by Judy SWEETS

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Testimony of

DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS MARRIAGE RECORDS = 1879

From Book 4 and 5 in the office of the Clerk of the Specialized Division of the District Court, Room 144, Law and Judicial Building, Lawrence, Kansas. Compiled by Edna Welling and Vivian Clough.

<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
ADAMS, Ulysses Jackson Co., MO	THURMAN, Mary A. Douglas Co., KS	6 Mar 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
ADOLPH, Henry	ROBINETT, Mary	8 Oct 1879	David T.WoodwardMG
ALDRIDGE, Isaiah (ALDRICH)	YOUNG, Susan	6 July 1879	L. S. Steele,JP
ALDRIDGE, Izah	YOUNG, Susan	5 July 1879-License only	--
ALLEN, Jesse	DORSEY, Martha	8 June 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
ANDERSON, Nelson	GALLETHY, Martha	20 Sept 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
ANTON, Lafe	ELAM, Jennie	21 Aug 1879-License only	--
AUTERBURN, Samuel Jefferson Co.,KS	GRAY, Rachel Jane Jefferson Co.,KS	25 Nov 1879-Jefferson Co.,KS	J. C. Northrup,JP
BAILEY, Bishop A.	POLLARD, Viola M.	4 Oct 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
BARNES, Joseph C.	HART, Carrie	21 May 1879-License only	--
BEDGOOD, William B.	CARSON, Elizabeth J.	10 Nov 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
BELL, Christopher C. Kansas City, MO	WILLIS, Jessie J. Douglas Co., KS	14 June 1879	A. C. Peck,MG
BENEFIELD, Eli A.	CASABOOM, Emma	25 Dec 1879	John McInston,MG
BIERER, Everard, Jr.	LAMBERTSON, Lucy M.	6 May 1879	A. C. Peck,MG
BLACK, Charles S.	BAKER, Mary J.	30 Jan 1879	A. G. Murray,Min
BLACK, Washington C.	ASHBY, Kate N.	1 Jan 1879	Andrew Stout,MG
BOWEN, Alfred M. Leavenworth Co.,KS	HAMMILL, Rilla D. Douglas Co., KS	9 Jan 1879	Henry W.Reed,Min.
BOYD, Alexander B. Oskaloosa, KS	GRIFFITH, Cordelia A. Prairie Center, KS	7 Jan 1879	A. G. Murray,Rev.
BRANDON, James A.	LAWSON, Sophronia	5 Oct 1879	A. J. Haskins,JP
BRASS, Charles H.	HOUSEEMAN, Priscilla	28 Dec 1879	Wm. Draper,JP
BROEKER, John F.	LARO, Emma Alice Nettie	30 Sept 1879	George Foenier, Pastor
BROOKS, Alford	HANKS, Francis	18 June 1879	Dudley Lee,MG
BROWN, Frederick	EBERHART, Lena	21 July 1879	Joseph Rahskopf,Rev
BROWN, John H.	FLOYD, Emma M.	8 Sept 1879	A.M.Richardson,MG

DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS MARRIAGE RECORDS - 1879 (Cont'd)

<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
BROWN, Perry B. Douglas Co., KS	HUNTINGTON, Clara Sandusky Co., OH	24 May 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
BROWN, William Jefferson Co., KS	ROTHWELL, Lydia P. Jefferson Co., KS	18 Dec 1879-Jefferson Co., KS	C. W. Cherry,JP
BROWN, William T.	CARMEEN, Mary H.	19 Feb 1879	A. C. Peck, MG
BURKET, Benton	GRACE, Ella	15 July 1879-License only	--
BURR, Ed N. Denver, CO	MC KEE, Ella May Douglas Co., KS	1 May 1879	Jas. Marion,MG
BUSH, Angus	BLANCHARD, Sue	30 Dec 1879-License only	--
BUTTRICK, Joseph Kent Co., MI	NYE, Julia Douglas Co., KS	25 Nov 1879	A.G.Murray,Pastor
CAREW, James Leavenworth Co.,KS	NICHOLS, Sarah Leavenworth Co.,KS	12 July 1879-Jefferson Co.,KS	C. W. Cherry,JP
CARROL, Matthew W.	ZIMMERMAN, Clara	2 Apr 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
CARTER, Adam	CARTER, Harriet	17 Dec 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
CASTELLO, Thomas W. Pottawatomie Co.,KS	SPALDING, Harriet E. Douglas Co.,KS	13 Oct 1879	Joseph J.Walsh,Priest
CLARK, Reese Douglas Co., KS	HAYNES, Mary B. Jefferson Co., KS	10 June 1879	Henry Frank, MG
CLARK, Sidney Douglas Co., KS	GOULDING, Dora Topeka, KS	10 Dec 1879-Topeka,Shawnee,KS	Thomas H.Vail, Bishop
CLAY, Lewis H.	BURNELL, Mary A.	26 May 1879-License only	--
COLE, James A.	KNEALE, Mary E.	26 Mar 1879	G. W. Browning,Pastor
CORNISH, Henry Lincoln, NE	CARTER, Ella Douglas Co.,KS	23 Oct 1879	Andrew V.Stout,MG
CRAIG, Robert Osage Co.,KS	MURRAY, Anna Osage Co.,KS	3 Feb 1879	S.W. Spring,Pastor
CRAMER, John C. Kansas City, MO	STOUT, Susan Douglas Co., KS	16 June 1879	P.W.Rote, MG
CROSBY, Jacob	PERRY, Annie	26 Nov 1879	C.B. Beeks, JP
DAVIS, John Leavenworth Co.,Ks	HOPKINS, Sophia Leavenworth Co.,KS	30 June 1879-Leavenworth Co.KS	S.J.McNaughton,JP
DAVIS, John H.	CHRISTIAN, Inger	12 Sept 1879-License only	--
DAVIS, John W.	WHITLOCK, Cordelia	30 Sept 1879	A.A.Trimper,MG
DAVIS, Turl	WALTERS, Mary I.	9 July 1879	A.A.Trimper,MG
DAWSON, Albert W. Winchester, IL	COVEY, Mary Ellen Winchester, IL	1 May 1879	S. W. Spring,Pastor

DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS MARRIAGE RECORDS - 1879 (Cont'd)

<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
DAY, Phylander	CARTER, Eliza	3 Sept 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
DAY, Willis(William)H.	LIPPY, Florence M.	30 Mar 1879	J.R.Meredith,Pastor
DELAPP, Stephen	INMAN, Julia A.	24 Feb 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
DELLIT, George W. Leavenworth Co.,KS	MARTIN, Nancy Jane Leavenworth Co.,KS	7 July 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
DESKINS, Francis J.	MOORE, Mattie F.	24 Sept 1879	P. M.Lewis,Min.
DESKINS, John	SPRAGUE, Sarah J.	27 July 1879	S. P.Jacobs,Pastor
DEVLIN, Noris	SCHRADER, Carrie	6 Feb 1879	A.A.Trimper,MG
DILLON, Peter H. Topeka, KS	MC NERVEY, Mary Douglas Co., KS	20 Apr 1879	P.Lewis Guenther, Priest
DODGE, David W.	GORMER, Alzena	12 Nov 1879	Andrew Douglas,JP
DRAKE, Joseph	CUNNINGHAM, Jennie	23 Aug 1879	Thomas J. Cunder,MG
DUDLEY, William C. De Soto, KS	BRUNK, Sophronia De Soto, KS	1 Jan 1879	John Q.A.Norton,PJ
DUMMER, Henry E.	FINLEY, Judie	23 Jan 1879	P.M. Lewis, MG
DUNN, James B.	HOWELL, Margaret	24 Apr 1879	James Bryson,MG
DUTTON, Joseph B. Johnson Co., KS	HOBBS, Lillie Jane Douglas Co., KS	1 Jan 1879	W.H. Reece, MG
DWYER, Patrick Leavenworth Co., KS	MALONEY, Hannah Leavenworth Co., KS	11 Nov 1879-Leavenworth Co.,KS	Elias Mayer,Priest
ELLIOTT, James G.	PATTON, Martha	2 Apr 1879	John N.Young,Clergy
ELM, Henry	FLEER, Minnie	4 Sept 1879	Moses Disinger,Rev.
ELSTON, Henry	HARLAN, Alice	16 Feb 1879	Dexter Tucker, MG
EVERETT, Milton J.	HOWARD, Sarah	27 Apr 1879	James Bryson, MG
FAUST, Benjamin F.	WESTERHAUS, Emma	16 Oct 1879	John Wilder,JP
FEATHERSTONE,Edward I.	STEWART, Emma Molina	30 Dec 1879	John N.Young,MG
FINLEY, George W.	LOWE, Clara E.	13 Apr 1879	Absolom Lacock,Rev
FORSYTHE, Harrison	COOLEY, Mary	5 Nov 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
FREEMAN, Daniel G.W. Douglas Co., KS	HIGGS, Elizabeth Leavenworth Co.,KS	15 Sept 1879-License only	--
FRITZEL, John	SNYDER, Margaret	31 Aug 1879	Albert M.Weikmann, Priest
FULTZ, Andrew Leavenworth Co.,KS	MINTON, America Leavenworth Co.,KS	9 Feb 1879?	Ezra Hubbell,Elder
GALLETLY, George W.	ACKLEY, Dena	3 Jan 1879	John Q.A.Norton,PJ
GARST, Benjamin F.	HAMMILL, Maggie M.	4 Sept 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
GAUMER, Thomas C.	MC GEE, Emma	3 Dec 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
GIBBARD, Ignatius	GUBSMIETH, Anna	13 Aug 1879	Albert M.Weikmann, Priest
GLUYAS, George W.	SHIELDS, Mary P.	13 Mar 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
GRAY, Daniel Sedan, KS	BACKWITH, Flora Douglas Co.,KS	1 May 1879	A. C. Peck,MG
GURLEY, John S.	EPHY, Christina	16 Apr 1879	Joseph Rahskopf,Rev
HARRIS, Charles R.	TYRRELL, M. Ella	12 Jan 1879	S. W. Spring, Pastor
HARRIS, Nathan	CROCKET, Jennie	26 July 1879	Chas.Chadwick, JP
HARRIS, Thomas	WEARRER, Charity	14 Nov 1879	Richard Ricketts,MG
HASE, Albert	RIDINGER, Mary	1 Mar 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
HAYS, Henry F.C. Kansas City, MO	SHEARER, Elizabeth M. Douglas Co., KS	19 Feb 1879	William Bedale,MG
HEARNE, James A.	SHANK, Mary	18 June 1879	Wm.H.Reece, MG
HERNAL, Thomas	CARTER, Maria	25 Dec 1879	W.W. Silsby, JP
HERRING, Samuel W.	DENTON, Sethy	14 Dec 1879	S. P. Jacobs, MG
HESTON, Charley (Canby) Gove Co., KS	HIGGINS, Francis L. Mt. Pleasant, IA	24 June 1879	Milo Hobert,Rev
HIDDEN, Jason Kansas City, MO	LAMBERTSON, Mary Isabella Douglas Co., KS	6 May 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
HILL, Frederick B.	MACY, Carrie	14 Dec 1879	J. H. Bonebrake, Min
HILL, Livingston Leavenworth Co.,KS	BRUCE, Martha Leavenworth Co.,KS	28 Aug 1879-Leavenworth Co.,KS	Elias Mayer,Rev
HILL, Quincy A.	DAY, Ella A.	30 Jan 1879	J.R.Meredith, MG
HINES, Samuel	DEAN, Mary F.	15 June 1879	Benjamin Sunnial,MG
HITCHCOCK, Adolph E.	HALLOWAY, Rose D.	30 Oct 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
*HOGAN, Thomas	HYLAND, Maggie R.	24 Nov 1879-License only	--
HOLLADAY, Benjamin W. Jefferson Col,KS	PHILLIPS, Minnie W. Jefferson Co.,KS	29 June 1879-?	J.C.Northrup, JP
HOLLY, Charles F.	LEIBY, Nancy A.G.	5 May 1879	Henry Frank, MG
HOLMES, Samuel	HOWLAND, Mary T.	14 May 1879-License only	--
HOLMES, William C.	PAYNE, Fannie C.	25 Dec 1879	A. G.Murray, Pastor
HOOVER, Isaac L.	STEDMAN, Mary E.	14 Dec 1879	Joseph Michael,MG
HORNER, Levi Leavenworth Co.,KS	LINDLEY, Emma E. Douglas Co.,KS	13 Oct 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
* Leavenworth Co.,KS	Douglas Co.,KS		

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
HOWARD, Benjamin P.	HART, Nellie M.	2 Dec 1879	S.W.Spring, Pastor
HOWARD, George W. Leavenworth Co., KS	HUBBLE, Catherine S. Leavenworth Co., KS	16 Mar 1879-Leavenworth Co., KS	Wm.R.Cousbant, Min
HUNTER, Eli B.	PETERSON, Anna L.	30 June 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
HUNTZINGER, Franklin	NEAL, Annie E.	20 May 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
HUSTED, Charles W. Dutchess Co., NY	GILMAN, Alice May Denver, CO	28 Aug 1879, NY	S. M.Osmond, MG
JAMES, John De Soto, KS	GIVENS, Martha Douglas Co., KS	25 Dec 1879	W.W.Silsby, JP
JOHNSON, Justin J.	LOCKWOOD, Lillian D.	17 June 1879	A.M.Richardson, MG
JUDSON, Arthur W. Douglas Co., KS	JONES, Elizabeth J. Jefferson Co., KS	2 Apr 1879	Henry Frank, MG
KAUB, Jacob Franklin Co., KS	FORD, Elnora Leavenworth Co., KS	6 Apr 1879-Leavenworth Co., KS	J.C.Smith, Elder
KEARNS, O. Frank	HILL, Julia	22 Apr 1879	J. R.Meredith, MG
KELLEY, James	MYERS, Elizabeth	22 May 1879	Bedford Drisdorn, MG
KERBY, Alexander Leavenworth Co., KS	MC KINNEY, Susan Leavenworth Co., KS	30 Oct 1879-Leavenworth Co., KS	P.W.Gowers, JP
KILLOUGH, William Jefferson Co., KS	SATER, Mary E. Jefferson Co., KS	1 May 1879-?	W. M.Payne, JP
KNIGHT, George W.	ROBINSON, Annie	24 Mar 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
KNOWLES, John W. Osage Co., KS	BANKS, Martha E. Douglas Co., KS	20 Apr 1879	W. A.Cardwell, MG
KOONS, William	YOUNG, Mary Francis	20 A 12 Mar 1879	Robert Loggan, VDM
KRAMER, Bernhardt	EBERHARD, Sophia	3 Mar 1879	C. Emmel, Pastor
KRAMER, Bernhardt	BRECHEISON, Wilhelmina	28 Jan 1879	C. Emmel, Pastor
KRATZBURG, Anton Anderson Co., KS	KOEHLER, Annie Douglas Co., KS	11 Nov 1879	John T.Leary, Priest
KYLE, James Jefferson Co., KS	HUNT, Charlotte A. Jefferson Co., KS	3 Dec 1879-Jefferson Co., KS	J.C.Northrup, JP
LANDWERLEN, George A.	BOWERS, Frances	13 Feb 1879	A.G.Murray, Pastor
LANGSTON, Desaline W.	MADDOX, Lizzie	27 Mar 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
LANKFORD, Benjamin F. Leavenworth Co., KS	SMITH, Ida Douglas Co., KS	21 Aug 1879	T.H.Ewing, MG
LAWRENCE, William S. Boston, MA	RICHARDSON, Minnie E. Douglas Co., KS	18 Mar 1879	A.M.Richardson, MG

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
LEE, Michael B.	DOBBINS, Mamie	10 Sept 1879	Chas. Chadwick, JP
LEE, William	GRANT, Anna	26 Feb 1879	Dudley Lee, MG
LEWIS, Allen E. Lafayette Co., IA	DEAN, Louisa M. Douglas Co., KS	16 Sept 1879	Bedford Drisdorn, MG
LOESCH, Adam	FISHER, Eliza	11 Dec 1879	C.G. Fritsche, Pastor
LUBY, Martin E. Osage Co., KS	FAWL, Catherine Douglas Co., KS	9 Feb 1879	H. O'Reilly, Rev
LUCAS, Nathan D.	COULTER, America M.	16 Nov 1879	P.M. Lewis, Min.
LUDINGTON, Duett F.	SISSON, Frankie	20 Oct 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
LYNN, Charles W. Salina, KS	LANGWORTHY, Laura J. Salina, KS	3 Sept 1879	S. M. Osmond, MG
LYON, George Winthrop, MO	FINCHER, Mary Douglas Co., KS	10 Mar 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
MACY, John G.	HOPPER, Lizzie	30 Dec 1879	Chas. Chadwick, JP
MAGILL, William G. West Bay City, MI	KEIFER, Adelina Douglas Co., KS	7 Oct 1879-Kansas City, MO	Samuel B. Bell, Pastor
MANSON, Andrew	LARSON, Mary	30 Apr 1879	John S. Brown, Clergy
MARSHALL, John E.	DENNEWILLER, Julie	7 Jan 1879	Paul Ziegler, Rector
MATNEY, Jasper N.	MYERS, Sadie	28 Jan 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
MC ALLASTER, Charles A.	MC ALLASTER, Emily	8 May 1879	S. W. Spring, Pastor
MC ARTHUR, John A. Reno Co., KS	CARTER, Josephine Douglas Co., KS	13 Feb 1879	A.M. Richardson, MG
MC CALL, Charles D. Sherman, TX	SHIMMONS, Nellie E. Douglas Co., KS	29 Dec 1879	Archibald Beatty, ?
MC CLAY, George Leavenworth Co., KS	WILLIAMS, Annie T. Douglas Co., KS	4 Apr 1879	Henry Frank, MG
MC CURDY, Fred A.	WALTON, Rachel A.	8 Nov 1879	A. M. Richardson, MG
MC DOUGALL, Franklin Osage Co., KS	SEILER, Rachel A. Osage Co., KS	24 Dec 1879	S.W. Spring, Pastor
MC GEE, Peter	MORGAN, Elizabeth	7 Aug 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
MC LAREN, William Neil Sedgewick Co., KS	SAGE, Lea V. Sedgewick Co., KS	6 Aug 1879	A. C. Peck, MG
MILLER, David	TYRREL, Jennie	25 Sept 1879	S.J. Mc Naughton, PJ
MITCHELL, Wiley	ODELL, Maggie	3 Dec 1879	Richard Ricketts, MG
MONROE, James	LEWIS, Louisa	4 May 1879	W. W. Silsby, JP
MOODY, Henry C.	HOLMES, Mabel A.	9 Aug 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
MOON, Alvia A.	STONE, Mattie A.	25 Dec 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
MOON, Joel Hutchison, KS	MOORE, Philora Douglas Co., KS	4 Jan 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
MORGAN, John F.	MERCER, Elcina	29 Oct 1879	Henry Frank, MG
MORRIS, William F.	EDWARDS, Martha E.	1 June 1879	Henry Frank, MG
NEIS, Fred Douglas Co., KS	STROBEL, Minnie Johnson Co., KS	19 Feb 1879	C. Emmel, Pastor
NININGS, James Jefferson Co., KS	BOWER, Mary A. Douglas Co., KS	2 Mar 1879-?	Samuel Baker, MG
NOLAN, Nicholas F. Douglas Co., KS	LEONARD, Kate A. Douglas Co., KS	6 Oct 1879-Emporia, Lyon Co., KS	J.Pearier, Priest
NOLAND, Smallwood W.	WILLIAMS, Jennie	24 Aug 1879	Richard Ricketts, MG
NORTON, William E.	WOOD, Julia F.	17 May 1879	Henry B. Rogers, JP
OGDEN, John H. Topeka, KS	BRISTOL, Hattie E. Douglas Co., KS	19 June 1879	A.C.Peck, MG
OVENDER, Marion Leavenworth Co., KS	HODSON, Jane T. Leavenworth Co., KS	23 Jan 1879-Fall Leaf, KS	Sam Kelsall, Min.
OWENS, Charles C.	DESKINS, Hulda J.	21 Apr 1879	Henry Frank, MG
OWENS, Eric	HOWE, Kittie C.	31 July 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
PARKER, Edward J.	NEWLIN, Elmira	22 Oct 1879	James Newlin, ?
PARKER, Henry	MARTIN, Emily	5 June 1879	Richard Ricketts, MG
PARNHAM, Joseph B.	COWAN, Rachel A.	27 Mar 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
PATRICK, George Edward	LEWIS, Hattie	19 June 1879	S.W.Spring, Pastor
PAYNE, James A. Jefferson Co., KS	PARNELLS, Emaline Jefferson Co., KS	23 Nov 1879-Jefferson Co., KS	J.C.Northrup, JP
PEAIRS, Chambers A.	BANTA, Susie	3 Oct 1879	A.G.Murray, MG
PERRY, Charles S.	SPERRY, Nellie D.	1 Oct 1879	A.A. Trimper, MG
PERRY, Washington	SCOTT, Rosie	11 Feb 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
PETERSON, James	REED, Mary E.	20 Feb 1879	Wm. Draper, JP
PETTIT, John W. Rome, Adams Co., OH	YATES, Annie E. Douglas Co., KS	3 Sept 1879	Wm. Bedale, Min
RAKE, John E.	KOEHLER, Elizabeth	19 Aug 1879	Wm. Draper, JP
RAY, Edward	COOK, Mary E.	26 May 1879	L.S. Steele, JP
* REED, Marcus G.	ROTHWELL, Permelia M.	1 Apr 1879-Jefferson Co., KS	Charles W.Cherry, JP
REED, Robert H. Franklin Co., KS	DIGGS, Louisa Osage Co., KS	15 Nov 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
* Leavenworth Co., KS	Leavenworth Co., KS		

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
REED, Will H.	STEPHENS, Emma	23 Apr 1879	Henry W. Reed, MG
REYNOLDS, Albert W.	LEUTWILER, Bertha	29 Mar 1879	W. W. Silsby, JP
REYNOLDS, John Leavenworth Co., KS	ADAIR, Samantha Douglas Co., KS	19 Nov 1879-?	T.P.Olds, MG
RICHARDSON, George A.	COLEMAN, Minnie A.	12 Apr 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
ROHE, Martin Douglas Co., KS	STROBEL, Paulina Johnson Co., KS	19 Feb 1879	C. Emmel, Pastor
ROTHWELL, Samuel J. Jefferson Co., KS	NICHOLS, Almildia (Allvildie) Leavenworth Co., KS	16 Sep 1879-Jefferson Co. KS	C.W.Cherry, JP
RUEHL, John H.	STEINLE, Ottilie	27 Nov 1879	C.G.Fritsche, Pastor
RUTTER, Chester L. Miami Co., KS	READING, Mary J. Douglas Co., KS	28 Sept 1879	S.E.Rudleton, VDM
SANDS, Jacob	CRAVENS, Millie	24 Oct 1879	A.C.Peck, MG
SAXTON, Byron F. Osage Co., KS	HEINE, Libbie S. Douglas Co., KS	16 Oct 1879	J.W.Clock, MG
SCHUBERT, John W.	BREITHAUPT, Lydia	8 Aug 1879	Moses Dissinger, Rev
SEATON, Johnson	FITCHUE, Maria	12 June 1879	Gabriel Gray, Min.
SELZER, William J.	STROBEL, Hannah	19 Feb 1879	C. Emmel, Pastor
SHANK, William	HOLLOWELL, Dora L.	25 Dec 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
SHARPLESS, Nathaniel Osage Co., KS	GREER, Julia A. Douglas Co., KS	23 Jan 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
SHIELDS, Joseph	WILKINSON, Rachel S.	1 Oct 1879	A C. Peck, MG
SHOCKEY, William	HAAS, Annetta	4 Sept 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
SHOLES, David C.	HARRIS, Adelia	24 Dec 1879	Chas. Chadwick, JP
SMITH, Andrew J. Lyon Co, KS	PIPER, Lucy E. Douglas Co., KS	20 May 1879	Werter R. Davis, MG
SMITH, David G. Dickinson Co., KS	BRUEGGEN, Augusta Douglas Co., KS	19 Apr 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
SMITH, Isaac M.	STEWART, Lucy	14 Sept 1879	Gabriel Gray, Pastor
SMITH, Winston	SHERMAN, Jennie E.	22 Jan 1879	W. S. Harrad, MG
SOLT, Henry M.	YARNOLD, Mamie T.	9 Oct 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
SPEAR, S. P. Topeka, KS	STACEY, Artie B. DeKalb, NY	17 Dec 1879	S. W. Spring, Pastor
SPERRY, James	DAVIS, Eva E.	18 Apr 1879	James M. Hendry, PJ
SPRATT, James H. Douglas Co., KS	MITCHELL, Emma E. Leavenworth Co., KS	5 Mar 1879-Linwood, KS	Henry Frank, MG

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
STADLER, Herman	VOGEL, Matilda	13 Nov 1879	Albert M.Weikmann, Priest
STADLER, Louis	VOGEL, Mary	13 Nov 1879	Albert M.Weikmann, Priest
STANLEY, Henry A. Douglas Co., KS	BOWKER, Jennie S. West Brookfield, Mass.	29 May 1879-Leavenworth Co.,KS	E. Nibel,Clergy
STARR, John M.	SHEPARD, Hulda	5 Feb 1879	Andrew Stout, MG
STEWART, Robert H. Franklin Co.,KS	MENDENHALL, Mattie Douglas Co., KS	3 Dec 1879	Absolom Lacock,Rev
STOGERS, Basil	WILSON, Nancy L.	8 May 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
SUTTON, Frederick R.	BRITT, Mary	28 Feb 1879	John S. Brown,MG
SUTZ, Frank	SCHOEPFLIN, Mary E.	7 Jan 1879	C. Emmel,Pastor
SWENSON, Lewis	PURINGTON, Fillmore E.	27 Aug 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
TALLEY, William	DICKSON, Fannie M.	3 July 1879	Daniel E.Smith,MG
TASKER, Reuben C. Otero, NM	ALLEN, Sarah L. Douglas Co., KS	14 May 1879	S.W.Spring,Pastor
TAYLOR, Franklin C.	TOWERY, Matilda L.	25 Feb 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
TAYNE, Cyrus P. Leavenworth Co., KS	MC CABRIA, Lydia C. Leavenworth Co., KS	13 Feb 1879	A.M.Richardson,MG
THOMPSON, Robert	CLARK, Maggie	20 Aug 1879	Richard Ricketts,MG
TIGDER, John Kansas City, MO	WYLER, Adeline E. Douglas Co., KS	27 Oct 1879	Chas.Chadwick, JP
TIMMONS, Warren Kansas City, MO	HUSON, Adella B. Douglas Co., KS	22 May 1879	Thomas H.Vail,Pastor
TOBLER, John J.	DESKINS, Susie S.	16 July 1879	L.S.Steele,JP
ULRICH, George J. Paola, KS	HEINEN, Johanna F.L. Douglas Co., KS	2 Aug 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
WALLER, John L. Leavenworth Co., KS	BRAY, Susan Douglas Co., KS	24 May 1879-License only	--
WALLS, Waskey J. Shawnee Co., KS	STEWART, Melinda C. Douglas Co., KS	13 Apr 1879	Absolom Lacock,Rev
WALSH, Michael Johnson Co., KS	FRANER, Rose Douglas Co., KS	1 Nov 1879	Albert M.Weikmann, Priest
WATSON, Addison	BARRETT, Sarah	14 Nov 1879	Dudley Lee, MG
WEINER, James H.	BAILEY, Clemmie	20 Nov 1879	James E.Hilkey,MG
WEITZENKORN, Philip	BIEBUSH, Clara	28 Oct 1879	Henry Frank, MG
WENRICH, Christian K.	LIPPY, Francis C.	21 June 1879-License only	--

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<u>Bridegroom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Date/Place if not Doug.Co.</u>	<u>Officiant</u>
WERSE, Joseph C.	CARR, Nancy J.	24 July 1879	James M.Hendry,PJ
WESTERHOUSE, Henry (WESTERHAUS)	ELDER, Katie	10 July 1879	John Wilder, JP
WHALEY, George C.	HARMON, Minnie J.	19 Mar 1879	G. W. Browning,Pastor
WHEELER, Charles E.	RISLEY, Nancy	16 Oct 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
WHITE, John H.	RICHARDS, Hattie	25 Sept 1879	A.C. Peck, MG
WIDENER, James Leavenworth Co., KS	SKINNER, Mahala A. Leavenworth Co., KS	13 Mar 1879-Sherman twp.,?	Peregrine W.Gowell,JP
* WILEY, Lyman	REED, Marildia	31 Aug 1879-Jefferson Co., KS	C.W. Cherry,JP
WILLIAMS, Francis M. Leavenworth Co., KS	RAMSEY, Adelia Leavenworth Co., KS	29 Oct 1879	James M.Hendry, PJ
WILLIAMSON, William P.	YOUNG, Rebecca	22 Jan 1879	Jacob Evans, MG
WILSON, Edward	OBURG, Matilda	26 Jan 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
WOOD, William H.	SHEPARD, Annie	25 Dec 1879	Wm. Draper, JP
WOODS, David	WILLIAMSON, Malinda	20 July 1879	Samuel Baker, MG
ZEEL, George	BOHNMAIER, Katie	15 April 1879	Ph.Fricker, Rev.
ZERBY, John V.	JONES, Marcia E.	19 Nov 1879	A.A.Trimper, MG
* Jefferson Co.,KS	Leavenworth Co.,KS		

ALPHABETICAL LISTING BY BRIDE'S NAME -1879

<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>
ACKLEY, Dena	GALLETLY, George W.	BOWER, Mary A.	NININGS, James
ADAIR, Samantha	REYNOLDS, John	BOWKER, Jennie S.	STANLEY, Henry A.
ALLEN, Sarah L.	TASKER, Reuben C.	BRAY, Susan	WALLER, John L.
ASHBY, Kate N.	BLACK, Washington C.	BRECHEISON, Wilhelmine	KRAMER, Bernhardt
BAILEY, Clemmie	WEINER, James H.	BREITHAUPT, Lydia	SCHUBERT, John W.
BAKER, Mary J.	BLACK, Charles S.	BRISTOL, Hattie E.	OGDEN, John H.
BANKS, Martha E.	KNOWLES, John W.	BRITT, Mary	SUTTON, Frederick R.
BANTA, Susie	PEAIRS, Chambers A.	BRUCE, Martha	HILL, Livingston
BARRETT, Sarah	WATSON, Addison	BRUEGGEN, Augusta	SMITH, David G.
BECKWITH, Flora	GRAY, Daniel	BRUNK, Sophronia	DUDLEY, William C.
BIEBUSH, Clara	WEITZENKORN, Philip	BURNELL, Mary A.	CLAY, Lewis H.
BLANCHARD, Sue	BUSH, Angus	CARMIEN, Mary H.	BROWN, William T.
BOHNMAIER, Katie	ZEEL, George	CARR, Nancy J.	WERSE, Joseph C.
BOWERS, Frances	LANDWERLEN, George A.	CARSON, Elizabeth J.	BEDGOOD, William B.

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<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>
CARTER, Eliza	DAY, Phylander	EPLY, Christina	GURLEY, John S.
CARTER, Ella	CORNISH, Henry	FAWL, Catherine	LUBY, Martin E.
CARTER, Harriet	CARTER, Adam	FINCHER, Mary	LYON, George
CARTER, Josephine	MC ARTHUR, John A.	FINLEY, Judie	DUMMER, Henry
CARTER, Maria	HERNAL, Thomas	FISHER, Eliza	LOESCH, Adam
CASABOOM, Emma	BENEFIELD, Eli A.	FITCHUE, Maria	SEATON, Johnson
CHRISTIAN, Inger	DAVIS, John H.	FLEER, Minnie	ELM, Henry
CLARK, Maggie	THOMPSON, Robert	FLOYD, Emma M.	BROWN, John H.
COLEMAN, Minnie A.	RICHARDSON, George A.	FORD, Elnora	KAUB, Jacob
COOK, Mary E.	RAY, Edward COOLY	FRANER, Rosa	WALSH, Michael
COOLEY, Mary	FORSYTHE, Harrison	GALLETHY, Martha	ANDERSON, Nelson
COULTER, America M.	LUCAS, Nathan D.	GILMAN, Alice May	HUSTED, Charles W.
COVEY, Mary Ellen	DAWSON, Albert W.	GIVENS, Martha	JAMES, John
COWAN, Rachel A.	PARNHAM, Joseph B.	GORMER, Alzena	DODGE, David W.
CRAVENS, Millie	SANDS, Jacob	GOULDING, Dora	CLARK, Sidney
CROCKET, Jennie	HARRIS, Nathan	GRACE, Ella	BURKET, Benton
CUNNINGHAM, Jennie	DRAKE, Joseph	GRANT, Anna	LEE, William
DAY, Ella A.	HILL, Quincy A.	GRAY, Rachel Jane	AUTERBURN, Samuel
DAVIS, Eva E.	SPERRY, James	GRIFFITH, Cordelia	BOYD, Alexander B.
DEAN, Louisa M.	LEWIS, Allen E.	GREER, Julia A.	SHARPLESS, Nathaniel
DEAN, Mary F.	HINES, Samuel	GUBSMIETHT, Anna	GIBBARD, Ignatius
DENNEWILLER, Julia	MARSHALL, John E.	HAAS, Annetta	SHOCKEY, William
DENTON, Sethy	HERRING, Samuel W.	HALLOWAY, Rose D.	HITCHCOCK, Adolph E.
DESKINS, Hulda J.	OWENS, Charles C.	Hammill, Maggie M.	GARST, Benjamin F.
DESKINS, Susie S.	TOBLER, John J.	HAMMILL, Rilla D.	BOWEN, Alfred M.
DICKSON, Fannie M.	TALLEY, William	HANKS, Francis	BROOKS, Alford
DIGGS, Louisa	REED, Robert H.	HARLAN, Alice	ELSTON, Henry
DOBBINS, Mamie	LEE, Michael B.	HARMON, Minnie J.	WHALEY, George C.
DORSEY, Martha	ALLEN, Jesse	HARRIS, Adelia	SHOLES, David C.
EBERHART, Lena	BROWN, Frederick	HART, Carrie	BARNES, Joseph C.
EBERHARD, Sophia	KRAMER, Bernhardt	HART, Nellie M.	HOWARD, Benjamin P.
EDWARDS, Martha E.	MORRIS, William F.	HAYNES, Mary D.	CLARK, Reese
ELAM, Jennie	ANTON, Lufe	HEINE, Libbië S.	SAXTON, Byron F.
ELDER, Katie	WESTERHOUSE, Henry	HEINEN, Johanna F.L.	ULRICH, George J.
	(WESTERHAUS)	HIGGINS, Francis L.	HESTON, Charley (Canby)

ALPHABETICAL LISTING BY BRIDE'S NAME - 1879 (Cont'd)

<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>
HIGGS, Elizabeth	FREEMAN, Daniel G.W.	LEWIS, Louisa	MONROE, James
HILL, Julia	KEARNS, O. Frank	LINDLEY, Emma E.	HORNER, Levi
HOBBS, Lillie Jane	DUTTON, Joseph B.	LIPPY, Florence M.	DAY, Willis (William) H.
HODSON, Jane T.	OVENDER, Marian	LIPPY, Francis C.	WENRICH, Christian K.
HOLLOWELL, Dora L.	SHANK, William	LOCKWOOD, Lillian D.	JOHNSON, Justin J.
HOLMES, Mabel A.	MOODY, Henry C.	LOWE, Clara E.	FINLEY, George W.
HOPKINS, Sophia	DAVIS, John	MACY, Carrie	HILL, Frederick B.
HOPPER, Lizzie	MACY, John G.	MADDOX, Lizzie	LANGSTON, Desaline
HOUSLEMAN, Priscilla	BRASS, Charles H.	MALONEY, Hannah	DWYER, Patrick
HOWARD, Sarah	EVERETT, Milton J.	MARTIN, Emily	PARKER, Henry
HOWE, Kittie C.	OWENS, Eric	MARTIN, Nancy Jane	DELLIT, George W.
HOWELL, Margaret	DUNN, James B.	MC ALLASTER, Emily	MC ALLASTER, Charles A.
HOWLAND, Mary T.	HOLMES, Samuel	MC CABRIA, Lydia C.	TAYNE, Cyrus P.
HUBBLE, Catherine S.	HOWARD, George W.	MC GEE, Emma	GAUMER, Thomas C.
HUNT, Charlotte A.	KYLE, James	MC KEE, Ella May	BURR, Ed N.
HUNTINGTON, Clara	BROWN, Perry B.	MC KINNEY, Susan	KERBY, Alexander
HUSON, Adella B.	TIMMONS, Warren	MC NERVEY, Mary	DILLON, Peter H.
HYLAND, Maggie R.	HOGAN, Thomas	MENDENHALL, Mattie	STEWART, Robert H.
INMAN, Julia A.	DELAPP, Stephen	MERCER, Elcina	MORGAN, John F.
JONES, Elizabeth J.	JUDSON, Arthur W.	MINTON, America	FULTZ, Andrew
JONES, Marcia E.	ZERBY, John V.	MITCHELL, Emma E.	SPRATT, James H.
KEIFER, Adelina	MAGILL, William G.	MOORE, Mattie F.	DESKINS, Francis J.
KNEALE, Mary E.	COLE, James A.	MOORE, Philora	MOON, Joel
KOEHLER, Annie	KRATZBURG, Anton	MORGAN, Elizabeth	MC GEE, Peter
KOEHLER, Elizabeth	RAKE, John E.	MURRAY, Anna	CRAIG, Robert
LAMBERTSON, Lucy M.	BIERER, Everard, Jr.	MYERS, Elizabeth	KELLEY, James
LAMBERTSON, Mary Isabella	HIDDEN, Jason	MYERS, Sadie	MATNEY, Jasper N.
LANGWORTHY, Laura J.	LYNN, Charles W.	NEAL, Annie E.	HUNTZINGER, Franklin
LARO, Emma Alice Nettie	BROEKER, John F.	NEWLIN, Elmira	PARKER, Edward J.
LARSON, Mary	MANSON, Andrew	NICHOLS, Almildia	ROTHWELL, Samuel J.
LAWSON, Sophronia	BRANDON, James A.	(Allvildie)	
LEIBY, Nancy A.G.	HOLLY, Charles F.	NICHOLS, Sarah	CAREW, James
LEONARD, Kate A.	NOLAN, Nicholas F.	NYE, Julia	BUTTRICK, Joseph
LEUTWILER, Bertha	REYNOLDS, Albert W.	OBURG, Matilda	WILSON, Edward
LEWIS, Hattie E.	PATRICK, George Edward	ODELL, Maggie	MITCHELL, Wiley

ALPHABETICAL LISTING BY BRIDE'S NAME - 1879 (Cont'd)

<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>
PARNELLS, Emaline	PAYNE, James A.	SKINNER, Mahala A.	WIDENER, James
PATTON, Martha	ELLIOTT, James G.	SMITH, Ida	Lankford, Benjamin F.
PAYNE, Fannie C.	HOLMES, William C.	SNYDER, Margaret	FRITZEL, John
PERRY, Annie	CROSBY, Jacob	SPALDING, Harriet E.	CASTELLO, Thomas W.
PETERSON, Anna L.	HUNTER, Eli B.	SPERRY, Nellie D.	PERRY, Charles S.
PHILLIPS, Minnie W.	HOLLADAY, Benjamin W.	SPAGUE, Sarah J.	DESKINS, John
PIPER, Lucy E.	SMITH, Andrew J.	STACEY, Artie B.	SPEAR, S.P.
POLLARD, Viola M.	BAILEY, Bishop A.	STEDMAN, Mary E.	HOOVER, Isaac L.
PURINGTON, Fillmore E.	SWENSON, Lewis	STEINKE, Ottilie	RUEHL, John H.
RAMSEY, Adelia	WILLIAMS, Francis M.	STEPHENS, Emma	REED, Will H.
READING, Mary J.	RUTTER, Chester L.	STEWART, Emma Molina	FEATHERSTONE, Edward I.
REED, Marildia	WILEY, Lyman	STEWART, Lucy	SMITH, Isaac M.
REED, Mary E.	PETERSON, James	STEWART, Melinda C.	WALLS, Waskey J.
RICHARDS, Hattie	WHITE, John H.	STONE, Mattie A.	MOON, Alvia A.
RICHARDSON, Minnie E.	LAWRENCE, William S.	STOUT, Susan	CRAMER, John C.
RIDINGER, Mary	HASE, Albert	STROBEL, Hannah	SELZER, William J.
RISLEY, Nancy	WHEDER, Charles E.	STROBEL, Minnie	NEIS, Fred
ROBINETT, Mary	ADOLPH, Henry	STROBEL, Paulina	ROHE, Martin
ROBINSON, Annie	KNIGHT, George W.	THURMAN, Mary A.	ADAMS, Ulysses
ROTHWELL, Lydia P.	BROWN, William	TOWERY, Matilda L.	TAYLOR, Franklin C.
ROTHWELL, Permelia M.	REED, Marcus G.	TYRRELL, Jennie	MILLER, David
SAGE, Lea V.	MC Laren, William Neil	TYRRELL, M. Ella	HARRIS, Charles R.
SATER, Mary E.	KILLOUGH, William	VOGEL, Mary	STADLER, Louis
SCHOEPFLIN, Mary E.	SUTZ, Frank	VOGEL, Matilda	STADLER, Herman
SCHRADER, Carrie	DEVLIN, Noris	WALTERS, Mary I.	DAVIS, Turl
SCOTT, Rosie	PERRY, Washington	WALTON, Rachel A.	MC CURDY, Fred A.
SEILER, Rachel A.	MC DOUGALL, Franklin	WEARRER, Charity	HARRIS, Thomas
SHANK, Mary	HEARNE, James A.	WESTERHAUS, Emma	FAUST, Benjamin F.
SHEARER, Elizabeth M.	HAYS, Henry F.C.	WHITLOCK, Cordelia	DAVIS, John W.
SHEPARD, Annie	WOOD, William H.	WILKINSON, Rachel S.	SHIELDS, Joseph
SHEPARD, Hulda	STARR, John M.	WILLIAMS, Annie T.	MC CLAY, George
SHERMAN, Jennie E.	SMITH, Winston	WILLIAMS, Jennie	NOLAND, Smallwood W.
SHIELDS, Mary P.	GLUYAS, George W.	WILLIAMSON, Malinda	WOODS, David
SHIMMONS, Nellie E.	MC CALL, Charles D.	WILLIS, Jessie J.	BELL, Christopher C.
SISSON, Frankie	LUDINGTON, Duett F.	WILSON, Nancy L.	STOGERS, Basil

ALPHABETICAL LISTING BY BRIDE'S NAME - 1879 (Cont'd)

<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>	<u>Bride</u>	<u>Groom</u>
WOOD, Julia F.	NORTON, William E.	YOUNG, Rebecca	WILLIAMSON, William P.
WYLER, Adeline E.	TIGDER, John	YOUNG, Susan	ALDRIDGE, Izah
YARNOLD, Mamie T.	SOLT, Henry M.	YOUNG, Susan	ALDRIDGE, Isaiah (ALDRICH)
YATES, Annie E.	PETTIT, John W.	ZIMMERMAN, Clara	CARROL, Matthew W.
YOUNG, Mary Francis	KOONS, William		

The Western Recorder, Lawrence, Ks., March 21, 1884

SILVER WEDDING

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Deacon Alexander GREGG and wife, was one of the finest and most enjoyable silver weddings ever held among the colored people of Lawrence, at their residence on the corner of Tennessee and Warren streets, on the 9th inst. About two hundred of the best people in Lawrence were present, and a most brilliant time was enjoyed. People were also present from Topeka, Atchison and other places.

The following are the presents given:

SILVER.

Fine gold-lined mug, Mr. Gratton GREGG and wife; fine mug, Mrs. D. LEE; set fine tablespoons, Mrs. Ellen SMITH; two napkin rings, Mrs. Sarah WASHINGTON; butter knife and sugar spoon, E.M. PRATHER; fine fruit spoon, W.M. GREGG; fine napkin ring, Mrs. Adda JACKSON; eight dollars in silver, John C. GREGG; two fine salt spoons, Mrs. EVANS, of Topeka; fine thimble, Mrs. W. MERCER; set teaspoons, R. HENSON and wife; butter knife and napkin ring, —; one dollar in silver, Angie CLINE and mother; fine fruit spoon, Lewis JACKSON and wife; fine butter dish, Isaac JOHNSON and Richard JONES; butter knife, Mrs. Allen WILLIAMS; fine fruit knives, Nathan MILLER and wife, fine butter knife and sugar spoon, C.C. JAMES and wife; two dollars in silver, Mrs. GENTRY; fifty cents in silver, Mrs. M.V. WHITE; fine butter dish, R.M. WILSON, of Atchison, Kans.; pickle dish, Samuel LEE and wife; pickle dish and fork, Fred GLEED and wife; pickle dish, Mrs. Rosa ALLEN and others; fine napkin ring, J.H. WOODSON and J.C. PERKINS; pickle dish, Mrs. L. BELL and Mrs. H.L. WINSTON; fine water pitcher, C.H. LANGSTON, Milton SIMS and others; fine cake tray and goblet, Harriet HOLMES, Mary LANGSTON and others; fine breast pin, M. BIRD.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. MERCER and at 11:30 p.m., the happy guests dispersed.

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Lawrence Daily Journal, Oct. 24, 1906

Social and Personal

Mrs. Celia GIBSON was united in marriage to James CUMMINGS of Excelsior Springs, at her home on Indiana street last evening by Rev. E.W. FINKLE of the North Lawrence Christian church. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony.

*Clinton
Township*

AN INFORMAL HISTORY OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 22,
WASHINGTON CREEK SCHOOL.

By
ELIZABETH K. DUNN

The first school building was a log cabin, in the 1850's. In 1860, Darwin E. BOWEN received a patent from President James BUCHANAN and it was from the southwest corner of this quarter section that he and his wife, Sarah A. BOWEN, on June 24, 1863, deeded an acre of land to District 22 to be used for school purposes. The school board members at that time were: Joseph LOVELACE, Sylvester CREEL, and Darwin E. BOWEN.

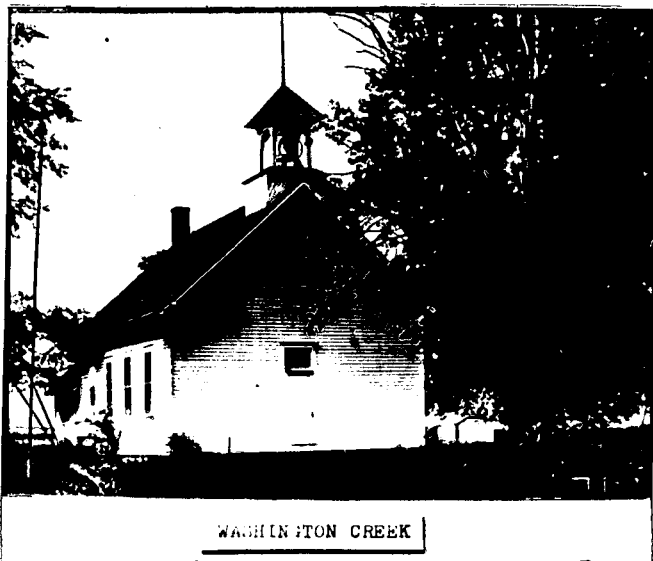
On this site a stone school house took the place of the old log one. This school house served the district for 60 years. A frame building to replace the stone building was built in 1898. The clerk's annual report for the school year, 1897-1898, carried only the surnames of those of school age: ATTIC, BOYD, BOWEN, BOND, CREEL, DARNOLD, HASTIE, HYRE, LONGANECKER, PARNERLL, ULRICH, SUTORS, MATNEY, DUNN, EVANS, MARKLEY, McKAY, and HALVERT.

I, Elizabeth DUNN, attended Washington Creek School from 1916-1924. Some of my teachers were Edith STRONG, Mary LANDON, Lola WILBUR, Mary A. NORRIS, Mary Leone ISAACS, Alice McTAGGART. Some of the school board members were: Hugo SCHELLHORN, O.P. McNEES, G.E. MARTIN, J.W. BANKS, and D.E. BOND. Some of my classmates during those years were: Inez BOWEN, Neal BANKS, Winston McNEES, Inez MOHLER, Earl MARTIN, Venita BOND, Esta LONGANECKER. I thoroughly enjoyed school and looked forward each September for the year to begin. I enjoyed all the programs, the pie suppers, the last day of school picnics. It was a happy time in my life.

The social life of this community, Washington Creek School, was always an active one, with entire families involved in programs, parties, basket lunches and dinners. The 300 volume library was also in constant use.

The disorganization of the district was June 24, 1959, when District 22 became part of the Wakarusa Valley District No. 98. The personal property of the district was sold, the large bell becoming the property of Mr. and Mrs. George BERG, and in the fall of 1984 was sold to Jane WIGGINS. The school house burned after being a rental property for some years.

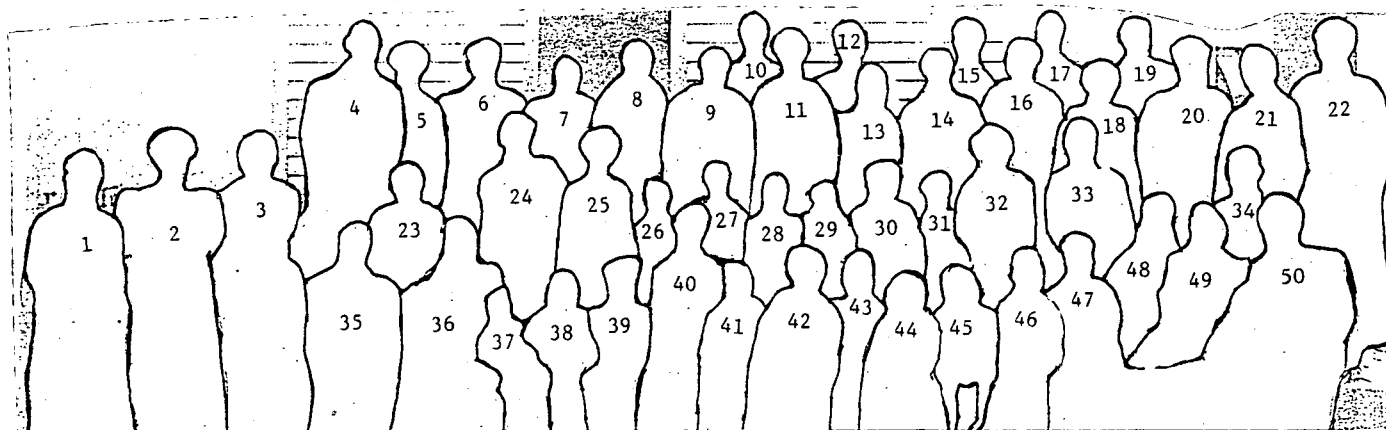
Note: Part of this information was taken from: RURAL SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL-HOUSES OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS, by Goldie PIPER DANIELS.



Copy of picture taken from one
at Wakarusa Valley School by
Mrs. Grace WANER



LAST DAY OF SCHOOL, WASHINGTON CREEK SCHOOL, DISTRICT # 22, 1912
Picture owned by Elizabeth K. DUNN, Lenexa, Ks.



Names on following page

WASHINGTON CREEK, DISTRICT # 22, 1912

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| 1. Mrs. Henry BECK | 26. Mabel LONGANECKER |
| 2. Mrs. Roger WILLIAMS | 27. Marie SCHELLHORN |
| 3. Mrs. Harve BOWEN | 28. Irene BERRY |
| 4. Mr. HOUGHLAND | 29. Helen BECK |
| 5. Mrs. HOUGHLAND | 30. Mildred LONGANECKER |
| 6. Harve BOWEN | 31. Howard HOUGLAND |
| 7. Mrs. Iva CURTIS | 32. Eleanor HOUGLAND |
| 8. Mrs. Hugo SCHELLHORN | 33. Clayton WILSON |
| 9. Mrs. Charley MARTIN | 34. Willis DUNN |
| 10. Roger WILLIAMS | 35. Charley MARTIN |
| 11. Lillie SMITH, Teacher | 36. Hugo SCHELLHORN |
| 12. Mr. Bill CURTIS | 37. _____ BERRY |
| 13. Mrs. Milt BOND | 38. _____ |
| 14. Etta DUNN WHITE | 39. _____ BERRY |
| 15. Mr. BERRY | 40. Ila MARTIN |
| 16. John WHITE | 41. Arthur BERRY |
| 17. Henry BECK | 42. _____ |
| 18. Florence FLORY | 43. Virgil ICE |
| 19. John W. DUNN | 44. _____ HOUGHLAND |
| 20. Mrs. BERRY | 45. _____ |
| 21. Katie DUNN (Mrs. John) | 46. _____ |
| 22. Helen DUNN | 47. Percy BECK |
| 23. Robert WILSON | 48. Milt BOND |
| 24. Helen MARTIN | 49. Frances MARTIN |
| 25. Agnes WILSON | 50. Charley ICE |

This picture was taken after a "last day of school dinner" in 1912. Some of the names of the people pictured were the old families of the community. For many years the same families owned the farms that had been in the family since the 1890's. The names of the people in the picture were given by Elizabeth K. DUNN, Mildred LONGANECKER MARKLEY and Solon J. MARKLEY.

Washington Creek News Items

Lawrence Weekly World, July 25, 1895

Mr. CREEL is still at work on his new house. He will have a fine residence when it is finished.

September 19, 1895

Mr. CREEL is painting his house. Mr. Dick WILLIS is doing the painting.

The Lawrence Gazette, December 8, 1887

Washington Creek school is doing finely under the management of our old time-tried pedagogue Samuel CARSON.

December 29, 1887

Ira CREEL and Thomas HOLBERT of Argentine, and Morris LONGANECKER of Lawrence, all formerly the blood, beauty and brains of this valley, have come in to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

The new railroad is coming, and we are to have that young city on Darnold's Corner. DARNOLD will be postmaster; CARTWRIGHT says he will start a creamery with Jess COLEMAN's wind mill to furnish power; Charley BROWN will put in a big store; Gus JOHNSON will run a blacksmith shop; and last, but not least, Deacon will preach to the sinners in the school house every Sabbath at 10 o'clock.

Submitted by Jane WIGGINS

LIST
OF THE LEGAL VOTERS REGISTERED
IN EUDORA TOWNSHIP.
MARCH 1867

ABBEY, O.	DAVIS, David	HENSHAW, Iram
ALLEN, J.R.	DEAY, George	HENSHAW, Nathan
ALTENBRAND, Wm.	DEAY, William	HENDERSON, Wm.
ANTHON, F.	DEAY, John	HERRON, Smith
ALTENBRAND, C.	DEAY, Lewis	HOWLAND, N.D.
ARTERBURY, Thos.	DEAY, Francis	HENDERSON, Joseph
AEGNER	DAVIS, Nathan	HOPPING, J.W.
BASEMAN, H. Sr.	DOLISI, John	HUGHES, William
BASEMAN, H. Jr.	EPPLEY, James	HUNTSICKER, D.
BUCK, John	ERNST, A.	HOHALTER, J.
BOUCHER, W.H.	EDMUNDS, H.	HOBB, F.
BASEL, G.A.	EATON, C.F.	HEITZLEMAN, J.
BARBER, W.I.	EPPLE, Christian	JACK, Andrew
BELDIN, G.W.	EPPLE, G.F.	JENNINGS, A.J.
BARRETT, J.S.	EPPLEY, John	JOY, Stephen
BRENDER, John	EBBERLY, Joseph	JOY, Henry
BLECHEL, Frank	FISHER, H.M.	JOY, G.W.
BAIR, B.W.	FOSSETT, J.F.	JOY, James
BARBER, Charles O.	FRITZE, J.	JONES, Isa
BERNITZ, F.	FENDS, H.	KROUSE, Daniel
BASEL, R.J.	FRY, John	KELLERMAN, John
BENNETT, George	GILLMORE, John	KELLERMAN, Lewis
BOLES, William	GUNTZ, F.I.	KEMPER, A.D.H.
BISSEL	GUNTZ, F.J.	KERN, A.
COLE, W.N.	GIDEON, G.W.	KIRKBRIDE, D.
COLE, David	GREGG, O.H.	KOCK, Henry
CONE, A.W.	GUNTZ, Emanuel	KOHLER, Christian
COLE, W.H.	GETCKER, Anton	LAMPSON, P.W.
COLE, S.B.	GARVIN, J.	LAMPSON, J.T.
CURRY, James	GUFFLER, Anton	LAVO, Frank
COLTRAINED, J.M.	GRAHAM, D.L.	LIGGETT, M.M.
CHOENOUR, D.M.	GRIFFIN, E.B.	LITCHFIELD, F.A.
CARR, Thomas	GARDNER, William	LOECKER, H.
COHN, A.L.	HILL, Aaron	LEISH, H.
COLE, John	HOLLOWELL, Joseph	LOTHHOLTZ, Charles
CRUMRINE, H.S.	HOCKETT, Saml C.	MARFELIUS, Casper
COWAN, James	HILL, John	MULSOW, Frederick
CAMPBELL, John E.	HILL, W.T.	MYER, A.
CONGER, John	HALE, Edward H.	MEYER, Casper
DONAVAN, A.	HADLEY, Albert M.	McDIVISS, F.M.
DAMUTH, W.	HARRIS, Thomas	MULLER, Christian
DAVIES, B.F.	HERROLD, Henry	MYER, Charles
DUNBAR, Hiram	HERTZ, Joseph	MOORE, Joseph S.
DOUGHERTY, George	HARTIG, Peter	McGEE, A.N.
DOBSON, J.Y.	HERRINGTON, G.W.	McMANUS, J.
DAVIS, Thomas E.	HENLEY, D.	McGEE, T.
DUERR, Charles	HENLEY, John	MARSKA, Amendus
DOLISI, Jacob	HEL SIG, A.	McFARLAND, Thos.
DAVIS, Winslow	HENSHAW, Newton	MULLER, Henry

Registered Voters of Eudora Township, 1867

MENGER, F.	ROTE, W.	STREETRER, D.
McCORMICK, Jas. J.	ROBSON, John	STUBBS, Mahlon
MARTEE, P.	ROBISON, John	STARBUCK, Charles
McKNIGHT, J.	ROBISON, Job	SHUGART, Charles
McGINLEY, Wm.	REYNOLDS, J.	SHUGART, William
MOORE, William	RAMM, Henry	SCHNEIDER, F.
McLANE, James	ROBERT, J.F.	TEST, E.
NICHOLS, F.E.	RICHARD, C.H.	THOREN, Chirstian
NICHOLS, R.D.	RICH, EZRA	THOMAS, Barkley
NATCHADA, Anton	SAWTELL, John	T__MAN, A.
NORTON, H.	SHIELDS, J.	V__, Leo
NEUSTEFTER, L.	SHIELDS, Benjamin	VAUX, John
ORTH, John	STILL, J.M.	VOGLESANK, C.
OSHEL, W.W.	SNYDER, Emanuel	VOGLE, Frank
PARK, John	SNYDER, Henry	WAGNER, T.J.
PARTRIDGE, Wm.	SNYDER, Christian	WHALEY, James
PEOPLES, Robert	SEARS, C.M.	WHEELER, S.
PFEIFFER, Jacob	SILSBY, W.W.	WARREN, Saml H.
PHENECIE, Danl Sr.	SERRICE, P.M.	WARREN, Thomas
PHENECIE, Danl. Jr.	STROUD, William	WEAVER, Jonathan
PHENECIE, Lewis	SWITZER, John	WESTHEIFER, E.
PHENECIE, Erastus	STEPHEN, Taylor	WESTHEIFER, W.
PILLA, Charles	SUMMERS, A.D.	WEBER, Casper
PILLA, Frederick	SYBOLT, Joseph	WESTERHOUSE, T.
POXLITNER, John	SURIG, H.	WOODWARD, Levi
PHILLIPS, Alexander	SHARP, J.J.	WARREN, Thos. (river bottom)
PHILLIPS, Daniel	SHARP, N.	WARREN, Edward
RAYSON, Thomas	STOTLER, George	WILLIAMS, E.R.
RICHARD, C.O.	STOTLER, J.	WHITLER, Henry
RICHARD, Oscar G.	SMITH, J.	WEAVER, Henry
RICHARD, N.	SMITH, Nicholas	WEAVER, Franklin
RANDALL, George	SHREAVES, W.H.	ZESENIS, Augustuy
RANDALL, Thos. L.	SPITZE, W.	
ROTE, P.W.	SCHMIDS, Henry T.	

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct list of the names registered in Eudora Township.

ADAM D.H. KEMPER,
Board of Registration.

From Kansas Daily Tribune, Lawrence, Ks., March 20, 1867
Submitted by Jane WIGGINS

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The Daily Gazette, Lawrence, Ks., November 24, 1913

DEATH OF EARLY SETTLER.

James DEAY Settled in Hesper Neighborhood in 1857.

Mr. James DEAY, an old and highly respected citizen living near Hesper, died Friday, leaving a wife and several children, all grown, and many relatives to mour his death. Mr. DEAY has been in poor health for some time.

Mr. DEAY came to the territory of Kansas from Iowa, with his parents and several brothers and sisters in the spring of 1857 and settled near Hesper where he has lived ever since.

Mr. DEAY had the respect and esteem of all who knew him. He was nearly 78 years old at the time of his death, was a member of Eudora lodge No. 42 I.O.O.F., and also a member of the Christian church. Funeral services were held at the home Sunday at 1 o'clock and burial was in the DEAY cemetery under the auspices of the lodge.

DOUGLAS COUNTY TAX PAYERS
1900-1901

GRANT TOWNSHIP

ACHNING, Chas, Lawrence	HICKS, A.A., Lawrence
ADAMS, J.Q., Lawrence	HIGINS, Fred, Lawrence
ALFORD, F.G., Lawrence	HILL, Marshall, Lawrence
BARRITT, Norman, Lawrence	HOGAN, Chas, Lawrence
BARLEY, C. N., Lawrence	HUNZINGER, Phil, Lawrence
BEACH, J. M., Lawrence	HUSTEAD, Chas., Lawrence
BEARD, E.S., Lawrence	HUSTEAD, Daniel, Lawrence
BEARDSLEY, J.S., Lawrence	IRWIN, J.H., Lawrence
BECKET, B.B., Lawrence	IRWIN, W.J., Lawrence
BERGAN, Chas., Lawrence	KNAP, Albert, Lawrence
BERGAN, Sam'l., Lawrence	LANDIS, D.O., Lawrence
BIGGS, W.P., Lawrence	LAPTAD, Joseph, Lawrence
BIGGS, W.P., Lawrence	LAPTAD, Peter, Lawrence
BLEVINS, John, Lawrence	LAVALLE, Mary, Lawrence
BLOKER, Arthur, Lawrence	LAWSON, John, Lawrence
BRINKMYER, F.J., Lawrence	LEARNARD, J.M., Lawrence
BRANNING, WM., Lawrence	LEARNARD, Paul, Lawrence
BROWN, Nancy, Lawrence	LOIT, Geo. A., Lawrence
CABLER, F.H., Lawrence	LOIT, Chas., Lawrence
CADY, Geo., W., Lawrence	NELSON, Frank, Lawrence
CAPPIS, Wm., Lawrence	NESBITT, H., Lawrence
CARMEAN, Ed, Lawrence	PARNELL, Geo., Lawrence
CARMEAN, S.H., Lawrence	PATTY, Frank, Lawrence
CARR, D.C., Lawrence	PETTY, Geo., Lawrence
CLARK, A.P., Lawrence	PEARL, H.G., Lawrence
CLARK, J.C., Lawrence	PHILLIPS, Chas., Lawrence
CONN, Malcolm, Lawrence	PHILLIPS, I.Q., Lawrence
CORDER, Henry, Lawrence	PHILLIPS, P.P., Lawrence
DICK, J.W., Lawrence	PINE, W.A., Lawrence
DOLAN, Senator, Lawrence	PURNELL, Jacob, Lawrence
FINCHER, C.W., Lawrence	RHIMEHART, J.J., Lawrence
FLEMING, GEO. B., Lawrence	ROBERT, A.S., Lawrence
FREIND, Jasper, Lawrence	ROBINSON, Sarah, Lawrence
FUCHS, G.F., Lawrence	ROGERS, D.B., Lawrence
GANTZ, Jacob, Lawrence	ROGERS, R.H., Lawrence
GARWIN, A.W., Lawrence	ROLLER, Geo., Lawrence
GASKILL, CHAS., Lawrence	ROSS, W.C., Lawrence
GILMORE, J.L., Lawrence	SCHULER, Sam'l, Lawrence
GILMORE, Martin, Lawrence	SPARY, L.M., Lawrence
GILMORE, W.J. Lawrence	STINER, Wm., Lawrence
GREEN, W.E., Lawrence	STRONG, C.B., Lawrence
GREENE, W.R., Lawrence	STUBBS, W.R., Lawrence
GROENER, R.B., Lawrence	TYSON, J., Lawrence
HALL, J.S., Lawrence	TYSON, James, Lawrence
HANNING, Jacob, Lawrence	TYSON, Wm., Lawrence
HANNING, ROBT., Lawrence	VERMILYA, Ed, Lawrence
HECK, Fred, Lawrence	WALL, A.P., Lawrence
HECK, GEO., Lawrence	WILSON, Eli, Lawrence
HECK, Philip H., Lawrence	WILSON, T.J., Lawrence
HERD, S.S., Lawrence	WISE, E., Lawrence
HICKS, GALEN S., Lawrence	WISE, John C., Lawrence

GRANT TOWNSHIP TAX PAYERS, 1900-01 Cont.

WOOD, A.S., Lawrence
 YOUNG, Geo. E., Lawrence
 YOUNG, J.H., Lawrence

YOUNG, J.H., Mrs., Lawrence
 ZIMMERMAN, A., Lawrence

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Lawrence Daily Gazette
 December 4, 1884

24 years ago Mr. Thaddeus FISH, now a resident of Grant township, in this county, declared that he would not be shaved till a Democrat was elected president of the United States. He has faithfully kept his pledge till to-day, when he came into the city and indulged in the luxury of a first-class shave at Frank WILLIARD's. Mr. FISH is 73 years of age, and like millions of other good citizens, feels happy over the election of CLEVELAND. Our friend, Ed. CANOVAN, accompanied Mr. FISK in pursuit of a good democratic shave, and was master of ceremonies.

Lawrence Daily Gazette, May 31, 1913

Death of Jason MOORE

Mr. Jason MOORE, one of the oldest and most respected colored citizens of Lawrence, died at his home at 285 Lake street, North Lawrence, yesterday evening. Besides being a member of the North Lawrence Baptist church, Mr. MOORE held a membership in several fraternal societies. The funeral notice will be given later.

The Daily Gazette, Sept. 12, 1913

Fred LAPTAD A Winner

Fred LAPTAD was a winner at the Topeka state fair this week on the yellow dent corn, raised this year on his Grant township farm. He got several first prizes and made one of the best corn showings made at the fair. It was a demonstration, too, that there is corn in Kansas this year that is fine enough to take the blue ribbon prizes at the fairs.

Western Home Journal, Lawrence, Ks., June 29, 1876

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. JOHNSON of North Lawrence, who was knocked down some time since by an arm of the wind-mill, died yesterday morning at about one o'clock. The funeral will take place to-day about four o'clock. The bereaved friends have the deepest sympathy of all who know them.

DOUGLAS COUNTY TAX PAYERS
1900-1901

KANWAKA TOWNSHIP

ANDERSON, David, Lecompton
 ANDERSON, Geo., A., Lecompton
 ANDERSON, J.L., Lecompton
 ANDERSON, M.A., Lecompton
 ANDERSON, W.A. Lecompton
 BALDWIN, L.P., Lawrence
 BARBER, H.M., Big Springs
 BERRY, Geo, Big Springs
 BERRY, Robt. A., Big Springs
 BERRY, Robt., Jr., Big Springs
 BETTIS, C.B., Lawrence
 BIDINGER, Jacob, Stowe
 BIDINGER, Otto, Stowe
 BIGSBY, Guy, Lawrence
 BRASS, W.F., Big Springs
 BRAWLEY, Clarence, Sigel
 BRAWLEY, Thos, Sigel
 BUCHHEIM, Fred, Stowe
 BUCHHEIM, J.F., S
 BUCHHEIM, Sam'l., Stowe
 BUCHHEIM, Sam'l., Jr., Stowe
 BUCHHEIM, W.F., Stowe
 BUSCH, Jno, Mrs., Big Springs
 CARTER, G.W., Lecompton
 COLEMAN, J.J., Mrs. Lawrence
 COLEMAN, O.A., Lawrence
 COLEMAN, W.A. Lawrence
 CORNFORTH, L., Lecompton
 COX, Edwin, Belvoir
 DAMM, John, Big Springs
 DAMM, Wm., Big Springs
 DERBY, F.A., Belvoir
 DENEWILER, Jno., Belvoir
 DESKINS, C.F., Lawrence
 DESKINS, Fred, Lawrence
 DIESTER, Henry, Big Springs
 DIESTER, H.F., Belvoir
 DIVELBLISS, John, Stull
 DRAPER, Wm., Lawrence
 DRAVIS, Herman, Big Springs
 DUFFEE, Lloyd, Lawrence
 DUFFEE, Lewis, Lawrence
 EBERHARDT, Peter, Big Springs
 EMERGY, E.T., Lawrence
 EVANS, Bert, Lawrence
 EVANS, Mrs. Mary, Lawrence
 EVANS, T.J., Lawrence
 GREGORY, Fred, Sigel
 GREGORY, J.P., Sigel

GRISS, JOHN, Big Springs
 HAMMOND, S.A., Belvoir
 HAMMOND, Will, Belvoir
 HANSELMAN, A.H., Lawrence
 HANSELMAN, J.M., Lawrence
 HARRIS, W.A., Lawrence
 HARTMAN, Aug., Big Springs
 HENDRICKS, M.S., Belvoir
 HENRY, D.K., Big Springs
 HERSCHILL, W.B., Big Springs
 HILDERBRAND, Geo., Big Springs
 HILDERBRAND, Jacob, Big Springs
 HOLLOWAY, Emery, Lawrence
 HOWK, Geo., Belvoir
 HOWK, J.W., Belvoir
 HOWARD, Richard, Lawrence
 HUFMAN, Alex, Lawrence
 ICE, Len, Belvoir
 ICE, Thos, Belvoir
 IRVING, Sam'l, Big Springs
 JOHNSON, L., Lawrence
 KAMPSCHRODER, Fred, Belvoir
 KAMPSCHRODER, Henry, Belvoir
 KAMPSCHRODER, Wm., Belvoir
 KELLY, John, Lawrence
 KENNEDY, Geo. W., Belvoir
 KENNEDY, M.L. Belvoir
 KENNEDY, Sam'l., Belvoir
 KIZER, Alex, Big Springs
 KIZER, James, Big Springs
 KOEHLER, Frank, Big Springs
 KRATZENBURG, Joseph, Stowe
 KROPP, M.F., Jr., Big Springs
 KUPPER, Geo., Belvoir
 LANE, E.S., Big Springs
 LAWRENCE, August, Big Springs
 LAWRENCE, D.K. Big Springs
 LAVIN, Timothy, Big Springs
 McDOMAN, F., Lawrence
 MILLER, Frank, Lawrence
 MILLER, Geo., Lawrence
 MILLER, T.R., Lawrence
 MURPHY, Annie, Big Springs
 NICHOLS, R.T., Big Springs
 NUFFER, Adam, Lawrence
 NUFFER, August, Belvoir
 NUFFER, Phil, Big Springs
 NUFFER, Wm., Belvoir
 PATTERSON, Z., Clinton

KANWAKA TOWNSHIP TAX PAYERS, 1900-1901 Cont.

PATTON, R.L., Clinton
 PIERSON, M.J., Lawrence
 PONTIOUS, A.C., Lawrence
 PONTIOUS, J.B., Lawrence
 PONTIOUS, W.D., Lawrence
 PORTER, Sarah A., Stowe
 PRESINGER, Sam'l., Lawrence
 RABER, F.M., Lawrence
 RAKE, E.W., Big Springs
 RAKE, Jno.E., Belvoir
 RAKE, Presley, Belvoir
 RANDOLPH W., Lawrence
 RAYMOND, J.M., Lawrence
 REED, C.M., Lawrence
 RENCH, S.H., Lawrence
 RALLER, Chas., Belvoir
 RALLER, Mike, Belvoir
 RICHARDSON, C.A., Lawrence
 RICHARDSON, G.T., Lawrence
 RICHARDSON, Mary C., Lawrence
 RICHARDSON, O.D., Lawrence
 RICHARDSON, R.T., Lawrence
 RICKER, L.S., Lawrence
 SAYLOR, E.L., Lawrence
 SCHEER, Chas. T., Lawrence
 SCHELLWIN, Albert, Lawrence
 SHAW, Thos., Big Springs

SHAW, Wm., Big Springs
 SKINNER, Roslan, Lawrence
 SLUSSER, C.B., Lawrence
 SMITH, A.E., Lawrence
 STOWE, Benj., Stowe
 STOWE, C.B., Stowe
 STOWE, Chas. F., Stowe
 STRAHAN, A.J., Sigel
 STULL, S., Stull
 SWADLEY, H.C., Stull
 SWADLEY, Wm., Stull
 TOBLER, C.A., Lawrence
 TOPPING, J.R., Lawrence
 UNGER, John, Belvoir
 WALRAFER, G.F., Belvoir
 WALTERS, A.C., Stull
 WHITE, Wm., Lawrence
 WILSON, A.E., Stull
 WILSON, John, Stull
 WINCHESTER, C.M., Lawrence
 WULFKUHLE, C., Sr., Belvoir
 WULFKUHLE, H.W., Belvoir
 WULFKUHLE, C.F., Jr., Belvoir
 WULFKUHLE, Wm., Big Springs
 ZEBB, Chas., Big Springs
 ZEBB, Edward, Big Springs
 ZEBB, Julious, Big Springs

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The Daily Gazette, Lawrence, Ks., July 2, 1913

KANWAKA

Mr. and Mrs. KEEFER spent Sunday at SWALLOW's.

The LOSH Brothers are in this neighborhood threshing.

Miss Phoebe BIGSBY spent Sunday with Laura SCHELLHORN.

The Kanwaka club meets with Mrs. LAVETTE and Mrs. S.E. SEETIN July 3.

COLMAN brothers wheat harvest averaged 21 bushels to the acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramier RICHARDS have moved from Lawrence to the E.A.

RICHARDSON farm.

Mrs. Lenora HOLLINGBERRY spent a couple of days out on her farm last week.

Mrs. H.D. SMITH from Lawrence is spending the summer with Mrs. DUFFEE.

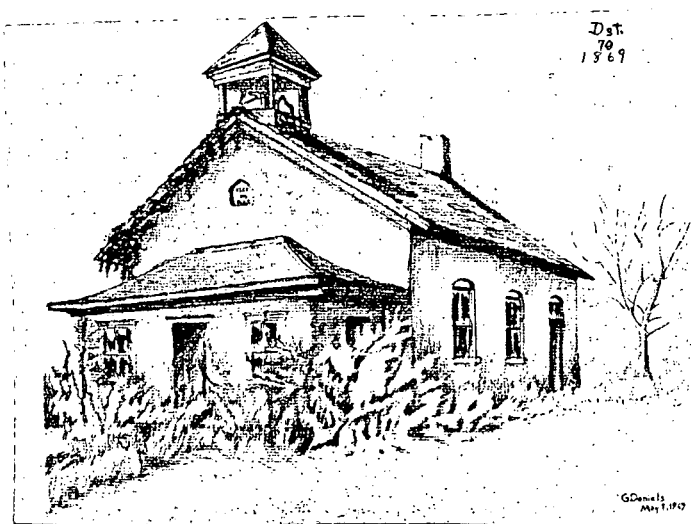
MURRAY went to Missouri last week.

Lois WILEY and Paul RICHARDSON spent Friday and Saturday at Fritz RICHARDSON's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred DAY were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Guy BIGSBY.

Dewey PORTER returned to his home in Fredonia.

The Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Frank MILLER.



WINTER DIST. NO. 70

The first known school in this community was held in a little two-room frame house, one room above the other, located on the R. T. Richards farm, about one and three-fourths miles north of Kanwaka Corner on U. S. Highway 40. This was not an organized school, and probably maintained by subscriptions, with the top floor used to house the teacher. When no longer needed for a school, this little house was moved to a different location on the farm and used by the Richards as a dwelling, being enlarged as needs of the growing family dictated.

The actual organization of District No. 70 as shown in the earliest district record, reads as follows: "The legal voters of School District No. 70 of Douglas County, met, pursuant to notice of the County Superintendent on the 5th day of June, 1869, and proceeded to organize by calling J. A. Kelly to the chair. On motion, R. T. Richards was elected director of said district, J. A. Kelly was elected clerk, and C. F. Deskins treasurer of said district. Meeting then adjourned."

M. S. Winter donated an acre of land on which a stone schoolhouse was built in 1870, and this date (statement by Chas. Winter), determined the number "70" given to the district.

On June 3, 1871, a special meeting voted to increase the size of the school grounds by buying from Mr. Winter an additional three-fourths acre adjoining the acre already donated. This was legalized when on July 11, 1871, Matthias S. Winter and Mary E. Winter, his wife, for the sum of \$15.00 gave a warranty deed to District No. 70, for this parcel of land located in the Southeast corner of the S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 13, T. 12, R. 18, same being recorded the next day.

The first annual school meeting was held March 30, 1871, resulting in the election of S. M. Sedgwick, director, M.S. Winter, clerk, and R.T. Richards, treasurer. School was to be held for three months in the summer with a female teacher, and four months in the winter, sex of teacher optional with the board. A tax of three-eighths of one percent for the teacher, and one-eighth of one percent for incidentals, was voted. The meeting also instructed the board that in hiring a teacher, the contract should be that the teacher be obliged to stay with the children at recess and during intermission at noon.

Like many rural schools in early times, no well was put down for years after the schoolhouse was built, the older boys carrying drinking water from a spring across the road southeast of the school. Not until 1906 did the district dig a well on the grounds.

The first term of school was held from May to July 21, 1871, with Alice Colman as teacher. The pupils were Nancy, Arminda and Mary BLANKENSHIP; Laura, Maggie and Elmer BURCH; Annie DONAHUE; Huldah, Susie, Lizzie and Willie DESKINS; Geo., Mildred and Margaret ANDERSON; Mary, Annie and James HAMILTON; Ella HAGAN; Hattie and Joseph MONTGOMERY; Mary, Leora, Milton, Thomas and George WINTER; Perry and Clara WORTHINGTON.

Since the summer term usually taught only girls and small boys, it was customary to hire female teachers. The winter term of four months accommodated the older boys and girls and such younger ones as could battle the bad weather and roads. So for this, a male teacher was usually selected as being better able to cope with the rigors of the elements as well as the disciplinary problems which frequently arose among the older boys.

The social side of life here was not neglected. The Community Club held monthly meetings in the schoolhouse and provided entertainment in the form of dialogues and plays, followed by the spelling bee which was inevitably featured.

For this bee, two captains were selected, and they then proceeded to choose sides, selecting the best spellers first of course. This continued until all present had been chosen, old and young. As their names were called they took their places by their respective captains in two lines on opposite sides of the room facing each other. The person to pronounce the words (usually the teacher) armed himself with a speller and the serious business of spelling down, began. When a speller misspelled a word he took his seat, until as the ranks thinned to two contestants, the mounting tension could almost be sliced. Upon the ability of one of these two, rested the championship of the evening.

Tax-payers in the district in 1874, were Thos. Anderson, John Anderson, Wm. Anderson, Eli Barnes, Elias Chris, C.F. Deskins, Wm. Donahue, Daniel Freeman, Henry C. Howlett, J.S. Kelly, Wm. McCarty, R.T. Richards, Henry Rodgers, Julia B. Sumner, J.T. Cummings, M.S. Winter, W.H.T. Wakefield and Chas. Worthington.

At this time schools were not graded except as pupils were grouped into primary, intermediate and grammar grades.

Teachers' records between the years 1877 and 1887 are missing, but from treasurer's books the names of these teachers are revealed: E.M. Emmett, Eliza Emmett, George Draper, S.E. Winrick, Alice Ingersoll, Dora Patten, Myra Fitz and C.R. Wenrich.

Academic requirements for teaching in rural schools at that time were not high but one of the prime requirements was a teacher's ability to "keep order," and sometimes this factor alone determined whether or not a teacher was hired or fired.

Looking further into this treasurer's accounts, the cost of a cord of wood varied from \$4.70 to \$3.50 according to whatever the low bid was that particular year. There was always an annual expense of 25 cents for a water bucket, 15 cents for a dipper and 25 cents each for a broom and box of chalk. Work done on the building and grounds cost \$1.50 per day for a man or \$3.00 for a man and team.

In 1885, Beattie Armstrong was paid \$13.05 to point up the schoolhouse, which involved repairing the crumbling mortar between the stones. This was before the days of Portland cement, so mortar was made of lime and sand with horsehair for a binder.

Other teachers in the late 1800's were Wm. Parsons, S.M. Gaston, Anna Sears, Ella Flinn, Florence Crowder, Maggie Gregory, Julia Hutt, Rose Heise, Olive Wisely, Kate Clark, Mary Riddle, C. E. Houdyshell and Alma Nelson.

In 1898 the district board consisted of M. R. Winter, Geo. T. Richards and Fred Deskins. The teacher, Mr. E. E. Houdyshell, received a salary of \$25.00 per month and total expenditure for the school year was \$224.21. Names of those of school age in 1898 were: Corbet and Shipman CARTER; Clarence, Abbie and Jake BROWN; Agnes KELLY; Chester PELSOR; Jack, Kate, Maud, Fred and Mert READ; Raimer, Eva, Clark and Sadie RICHARDS; Arthur, Granville, Henry and Leeman UNDERWOOD; Mark, Hazel, Bessie, Paul, Georgie and Maud WINTER.

For the first ten years of the twentieth century, the teachers were Lillie Gwinn, Camilla Nelson, Sylva Kettering, Clara Colman, Alta Phillips, Mildred LaHue, and Emma Dews. Board members of 1910 were George Banks, Mrs. Lenora Colman and George Carter. Bertha Bailey taught the 26 pupils. During the term taught by Clara Colman, Mr. George Banks took a wagon-load of school children to Lawrence to the dedication of the water fountain at 9th and New Hampshire Streets, by President Theodore Roosevelt; the same fountain, now in South Park in Lawrence.

Teachers of the next decade were Bessie Jackson, Carrie Geelan, Marguerite Ice, Ada Schroyer, Jeanne Winter, Lillian Stover, and Rebecca Miller who taught the term ending in 1920, with 26 pupils enrolled. During this period a number of improvements were made. The school-room was replastered, new weighted windows installed, a new hitchrack set up, a concrete walk and platform built in front of the schoolhouse, and a woodshed erected.

A mandate was given the board to hire an experienced teacher, which would seem to indicate that most of the previous teachers may have been inexperienced. If such was the case, it might tie in with the story in the next paragraph.

In early years of the district a small woman had worked a bluff on the teachers to the point of once bringing a ball bat with her when visiting the school, in order to emphasize her ideas as to how the school should be conducted. There came a year finally, when things were to be different, and matters were brought to a head when one of this parent's offspring defied the teacher and received a shaking therefor. This teacher, however, proved to be experienced and the game of bluff was finished. Thereafter baseball bats were used only for the purpose originally intended.

Other improvements made during this period were an anteroom built on the front, with shelves installed for dinner buckets, slate blackboards purchased, an eight-foot United States flag bought and chains to replace the old ropes used for the swings. The term ending in 1920 was the first eight-months' one for this school. Board members were C. J. Banks, R. E. Schroyer and M. Shelly.

Teachers of the 1920's were Lenora Schroyer, Christeen Schroyer, Lawrence Journey, Rose Dews (Wymer), and Dorothy Elliott, whose monthly salary was \$91.00 for teaching the 15 pupils. Board members were Newt. Hamlin, C. B. Winter and Willis Coleman. Total expenditure for the term was \$1245.66.

The teachers in the 1930's were Dorothy Elliott, Kathryn McCaffrey, Mrs. Ruth Sawyer, Alice Mitchell, Mary Sanford and Edna Reekie. Board members of 1940 were J. Elmer Shields, C. B. Winter and Willis R. Coleman. Twelve pupils were enrolled.

After 1940, Ruth Bertsinger, Roberta Swearing, Anna Hubbard, Vesta Bahnmaier and Emma Petefish, brought teaching in Winter School to an end in the term ending in 1946. The school was closed in the next two years, and in 1949, the district was disorganized and the property distributed among districts 14, 36 and 40.

When this was done, schoolhouse and grounds were turned over to the Winter Community Club which some years later distributed the equipment among its members and sold the building and grounds to Max McClure who owned the surrounding farm. He, in turn, finally sold the property to Jerry Smith, a car dealer in Kansas City who tried to preserve it as a museum and offered its use to Boy Scouts and other like groups. Eventually it fell a victim of vandals and decay and now stands on the prairie a forlorn reminder of better days. Its large bell was broken and destroyed when persons unknown attempted to steal it.

RURAL SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLHOUSES OF DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS, by
GOLDIE PIPER DANIELS.

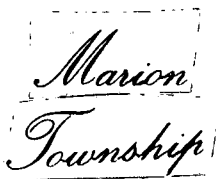
The Winter School Preservation Inc., a non-profit corporation was recently formed by members of the WINTER family and friends to renovate Winter School.

Sen. Wint WINTER, Jr., the great-great grandson of Mathias S. and Mary E. WINTER who donated the land for the school was elected president.

The group decided to restore the school to its condition in the 1920's—which means no running water and no electricity. The work will probably start this fall and may take about a year to complete. The building would be open by appointment to visitors and to classes from area schools.

From "Family Gets Together to Restore Old Schoolhouse," Lawrence Journal-World, July 2, 1986, p. 8.

Submitted by Jane WIGGINS

DOUGLAS COUNTY TAX PAYERS
1900-1901

MARION TOWNSHIP

ALBRIGHT, C.M., Globe
ALT NICK, Overbrook
BACHELOR, Ben, Lapeer
BACHELOR, J.H., Lapeer
BADSKY, Jno. F., Twin Mound
BADSKY, T.E., Overbrook
BADSKY, Thos., Globe
BAKER, Jno. N., Glove
BALDWIN, C.M., Overbrook
BALDWIN, J.H., Overbrook
BANKER, A.W., Twin Mound
BANKER, J.P., Globe
BANKS, J.M., Globe
BARNHART, Wm., Globe
BEARD, Cyrus, Centropolis
BEHRNS, Gus, Twin Mound
BEHRNS, Wm., Globe
BEINE, Chas., Globe
BENJAMIN, A., Appanoose
BENJAMIN, R., Appanoose
BENNETT, W., Twin Mound
BIDGOOD, W.B., Alfred
BOND, H.G., Echo
BOND, Silas, Echo
BROWN, R.G., Echo
BROWN, T.J., Twin Mound
BRUBAKER, A.D., Centropolis
BRUBAKER, Eliza, Globe
BRUNK, J.E., Centropolis
BURGER, A.G., Overbrook
CLARKE, John, Centropolis
COLLINS, J.F., Overbrook
COLLINS, O., Overbrook
COLLINS, W.S., Overbrook
COURSEN, C.W., Overbrook
COURSEN, Fred, Overbrook
COURSEN, P.S., Overbrook
COOPER, L.S., Lapeer
CRAWFORD, L.D., Centropolis
DAVIS, Jno. C., Alfred
DISQUE, Henry, Overbrook
DODDER, M., Overbrook
DODDER, Silas, Overbrook
DODDER, S.E., Overbrook
DODDER, Wm., Overbrook
DOWN, Eli A., Appanoose
ELLORD, F.E., Overbrook
ENO, Frank, Globe
ENO, John, Globe
ENSLOW, H.E., Overbrook
FAUL, C.J., Lapeer
FAUL, F.E., Lapeer
FAUL, P.W., Lapeer
FEATHERSTONE, L.H., Globe
FEATHERSTONE, Wm., Globe
FINK, A.E., Alfred
FISHBURN, Anna, Appanoose
FISHBURN, H., Centropolis
FISHBURN, J.W., Overbrook
FISHER, A.W., Globe
FISHER, Sam'l, Alfred
FLEER, A., Echo
FLORY, C.O., Alfred
FLORY, E.J., Lapeer
FLORY, J.M., Lone Star
FLORY, Sarah, Lone Star
FLORY, Wesley, Alfred
FOGERTY, E.M., Twin Mound
FORD, C.L., Alfred
FORTH, A., Globe
FORTH, E.P., Globe
FULKERSON, A.L., Twin Mound
GARST, H.S., Appanoose
GARST, I.B., Appanoose
GARST, S.S., Appanoose
GIESEL, Gotthold, Globe
GILL, James, Globe
GISH, W.D., Alfred
GORMONT, F.L., Lone Star
GRIFFIN, E.H., Overbrook
GRIFFIN, L.H., Overbrook
GRIFFITH, W.H., Overbrook
GROSSKOFF, Max, Twin Mound
GRUBER, P., Twin Mound
HARDING, C.P., Twin Mound
HARDING, M.T., Overbrook
HARDING, W.D., Twin Mound
HARDTARFER, G.I., Mrs., Warden
HALSTEAD, S.F., Lone Star
HARSHMAN, A.F., Centropolis
HARTMAN, F.W., Overbrook
HARTMAN, H.F., Overbrook
HECKMAN, David, Appanoose
HEDLEY, G.W., Overbrook
HEFFNER, D., Echo
HEFFNER, John, Globe
HEFFNER, J., Echo
HEIMEN, John, Echo
HENRICH, G., Overbrook
HERMAN, S., Globe

MARION TOWNSHIP TAX PAYERS, 1900-01 Cont.

HIATT, C., Twin Mound	MYERS, C.A., Globe
HICKS, R.A., Appanoose	MYERS, F.B., Globe
HINES, D.P., Overbrook	MYERS, L.S., Lone Star
HODGES, J.T., Lone Star	MYERS, Rebecca, Worden
HOOVER, I.L., Alfred	NELSON, C., Twin Mound
HOVER, J.L., Lone Star	NYE, Edward, Alfred
JACKSON, D., Twin Mound	NYE, R.W., Alfred
JAMES, I.L., Centropolis	OEHILE, A., Globe
JENKINS, F.M., Twin Mound	OEHILE, G.F., Echo
JENKINS, H.S., Twin Mound	OEHILE, Gottlif, Alfred
JONES, A., Centropolis	OEHILE, G.I., Echo
JONES, C.A., Centropolis	OLIVER, H.N., Worden
JONES, J.H., Centropolis	O'SULLIVAN, Geo., Twin Mound
JONES, J.M., Centropolis	O'SULLIVAN, James, Twin Mound
KELLEY, D.R., Centropolis	O'SULLIVAN, Wm., Twin Mound
KINBERRY, Thos., Appanoose	OSWALD, J., Twin Mound
KINSEY, J.T., Centropolis	PAYNE, E.A., Alfred
KROUSE, H., Overbrook	PORTER, James, Twin Mound
LAWSON, C., Twin Mound	POSTMA, Wm., Alfred
LAWSON, L., Twin Mound	POSTMA, W.H., Alfred
LAWSON, Wm., Twin Mound	POWELL, B., Overbrook
LAYPORT, P.W., Globe	POWELL, W.G., Worden
LIND, A.B., Alfred	PRICE, J.R., Twin Mound
LUTZ, E.E., Echo	PRICE, R.C., Overbrook
LYON, W.H., Alfred	PRICE, Thos., Globe
MARCKLE, W.D., Overbrook	PRIMM, J.P., Lapeer
MARCKLE, W.W., Overbrook	RAHRER, B.F., Appanoose
McKINZLY, A.W., Twin Mound	RAIBLE, E., Lapeer
McKINZEY, I.C., Twin Mound	RALSTON, Peter, Centropolis
MESSENHEIMER, B.F., Alfred	RAPPARD, W.C., Globe
METSKER, A.E., Lone Star	REA, W.S., Overbrook
METSKER, G.H., Appanoose	RHINEHARDT, J.B., Willow Springs
METSKER, H.C., Lone Star	RILEY, Jno., Overbrook
METSKER, J.C., Lone Star	RITTENHOUSE, Jesse, Centropolis
METSKER, J.F., Alfred	ROBINSON, D., Twin Mound
METSKER, M.W., Alfred	ROGERS, G.B., Overbrook
METSKER, Philip, Lone Star	SAILE, F.J., Lapeer
METSKER, S.R., Appanoose	SAILE, P.A., Lapeer
METSKER, S.W., Overbrook	SAILE, W., Lawrence
MIACHEL, Geo., Lapeer	SANDERS, M., Twin Mound
MIACHEL, J.C., Lapeer	SAWYER, E.E., Lone Star
MIACHEL, Joseph, Lapeer	SCHEINER, Jno., Lapeer
MICHEL, Lewis, Lapeer	SCHERMAN, Phillip, Worden
MICHEAL, Jacob, Appanoose	SCHMIDT, Jno., Globe
MIFFLIN, Frank, Alfred	SCHOTT, J.F., Worden
MIFFLIN, T.W., Alfred	SCHOTT, Otto, Worden
MILLER, C.P., Alfred	SCHULTZ, M., Worden
MILLER, J.A., Alfred	SCHWARTZ, Chas., Centropolis
MILLER, S.W., Alfred	SCHWARTZ, J.A., Globe
MOEHLER, Frank, Alfred	SCHWARTZ, Wm., Echo
MOSS, Ed., Globe	SELLERS, H.W., Centropolis
MOSS, John, Twin Mound	SHILBAR, Nick, Globe
MURPHY, J.F., Lone Star	SHOEMAKER, C.W., Appanoose
MURPHY, T.W., Overbrook	SIMMONS, P.A., Overbrook

MARION TOWNSHIP TAX PAYERS, 1900-01 Cont.

SIMMONS, V.P., Alfred	TURNER, Jas., Globe
SIMON, Frank, Twin Mound	TURNER, W.C., Lapeer
SIMON, Joseph, Twin Mound	TUTCHNER, T.H., Appanoose
SIMON, Joseph, Twin Mound	TUTTLE, A., Alfred
SIMON, J.R., Twin Mound	TUTTLE, Geo., Lone Star
SIMON, Peter, Twin Mound	TUTTLE, S.J., Alfred
SIMON, Wm., Lapeer	ULRICH, Jas., Echo
SINCLAIR, M.B., Twin Mound	ULRICH, M.H., Echo
SKAGGS, W.S., Globe	WARD, H.E., Appanoose
SMITH, Abraham, Globe	WATSON, G.W., Alfred
SMITH, A.G., Appanoose	WATTS, Jno., Centropolis
SMITH, Geo., Appanoose	WEBBER, A.A., Alfred
SMITH, J.E., Alfred	WEBBER, Fred, Twin Mound
SMITH, J.M., Globe	WEIMMER, J.H., Overbrook
SPIGLE, E.L., Appanoose	WEYBRIGHT, C., Alfred
STAHEL, Thos., Alfred	WEYBRIGHT, Wm., Alfred
STEVENSON, N.E., Alfred	WHITE, H.J., Richland
STRAWLEY, J.M., Alfred	WHITEMAN, E.E., Lone Star
STUTSMAN, Wm., Alfred	WILLIS, R.J., Lone Star
TERWILLIGER, W.L., Alfred	WISE, F.E., Globe
THOMIE, Nick, Lapeer	WOODWARD, J.R., Alfred
THOMPSON, Geo., Twin Mound	WRIGHT, J.J., Appanoose
THOMPSON, Geo. E., Lapeer	WRIGHT, W.G., Appanoose
THURBER, O.E., Twin Mound	WURTZ, A.C., Appanoose
TRENSMEIER, H., Globe	

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Submitted by Jane WIGGINS

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Western Home Journal, Lawrence, Ks., December 29, 1881

BRUBAKER SCHOOL

Report of the Brubaker School for the month ending December 2d, 1881, number of pupils enrolled, males, 23, females, 19: total, 42. Those not absent during the month, Laura KELLY, Florence KELLY, John KELLY, Tilford CLARK. Pupils whose standing was between 80 and 100: Alice KINZIE, Laura KELLY, Charlie CLARK, Charlie PINGREE, Charlie BARTON, Milton MEYER, George FISHBURN, Florence KELLY, Sherman CLARK, Laura PRICE, Mattie CALVIN, Violetta SHOAF, Mary SOWERS.

The following names deserve a place on our roll of honor: Charlie PINGREE, Charlie BARTON, Charlie CLARK, Milton MEYER, George FISHBURN, Mary SOWERS.

F. Grace ALLEN,
Teacher.

Lawrence Daily Gazette, December 4, 1884

Twin Mound

A literary society has been organized in the neighborhood, which meets at the school house every Friday evening. The present officers are Mr. Frank VAN HORN, president; vice-president, H. STEELE; Secretary, Perry SMITH; treasurer, Henry HIATT.

EXCERPTS FROM
THE SCHOOL TIMES
BALDWIN, KANSAS

Published the first and third Fridays of each school month by the teachers and pupils of the Baldwin Public schools.

Editor - E.W. MYLER

Associate Editors - F.M. POWELL, Edith KIRKPATRICK, Edith DUDGEON, Anna HAIR, and Josie COWGILL

Reporters - Ona AMOS, Room 5, Ina COLBURN, Room 4 and Nannie TRENDER, Room 2.

February 12, 1892

The Senior Class organization is as follows: John CROOKS, Pres.; Elsie HUFF, Vice-Pres.; Ona AMOS, Secretary and Treasurer.

The Middle Class will read Evangeline this month.

Dr. OWEN was a last week's visitor. He gave the Juniors an interesting talk.

Sunday is St. Valentine's day.

Fanny WAGNER entertained a few of her schoolmates last Tuesday evening.

Nellie HAWLEY is very ill at this writing, but we hope she may speedily recover.

Mrs. COLEGROVE and Mrs. PARMENTER were among our visitors last week.

February 26, 1892

Public School Directory

Board of Education

J.M. FOLLIN - President

Miss M.E. COWGILL - Clerk

J.W. GAMES - Treasurer

Teachers

E.W. MYLER - Principal

F.M. POWELL - Asst., High School

Edith KIRKPATRICK - Grammar Dept.

Edith DUDGEON - Intermediate Dept.

Anna HAIR - Second Primary

Josie COWGILL - First Primary

Library Association

E.W. MYLER - President

Mabel KNOX - Vice-President

Anna LE HEW - Secretary & Librarian

Jessie SKINNER - Asst. Librarian

Ella HAMMOND - Treasurer

"Times" Reporters

Mabel KNOX - High School

Ina COLBURN - Room 4

Roy LEWIS - Room 3

Nannie TRINDER - Room 2

Death has entered our ranks and his icy touch has stopped the beating of two hearts. Youth, beauty, wealth, power have naught to charm away his coming. "With his sickle keen He reaps the bearded grain at a breath, and the flowers that grow between."

Willie ALBRITON (colored), aged nine years and ten months, died of La Grippe, on the morning of Feb. 16.

Willie was a bright and promising little boy, and his death, so unexpected, seems sad and untimely. He was a pupil of the First Primary where he will be greatly missed by his teacher and schoolmates.

Nellie HAWLEY, aged fourteen years, died Feb. 22, at 12 o'clock. Nellie was a member of the Seventh Grade and was respected and loved by teacher and schoolmates. Sad indeed is it to record this early passing away of so beautiful and so promising a life. It "adds one more to the inexplicable mysteries of Providence that perplex us here." No., we do not, cannot understand His ways, for "Now we see as through a glass darkly;" but there will come a time when it will be made plain to us, and we will rejoice in the love of a just God who doeth all things well.

News Notes

Harry PARDEE was absent several days last week, a victim of the toothache.

Mr. POWELL gave the Middle Class their usual weekly "Latin lecture" Tuesday morning.

THE SCHOOL TIMES, Baldwin, Ks.

Misses Venia GAMES, Mabel KNOX and Elsie HUFF, and Clyde KNOX, Ray BORK and Walter JOHNSON have been absent, caused principally by sickness.

Miss Kate STEVENS made Room 4 a very pleasant call Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. D.W. LEWIS returned home from the City of Mexico last week. Mr. LEWIS has four representatives in school, one of them is our reporter, Roy.

County Supt. J.E. PEAIRS inspected the schools Thursday and Friday. He gave the High School a very beneficial drill in singing Thursday, p.m.

Meade EATON presented the Sixth Grade with a very neat inktray last Monday, for which he has the sincere thanks of the pupils and teacher—especially the teacher.

The members of the Junior Class extend hearty thanks to Dr. OWEN for his interesting and instructive explanation of circulation together with the dissection of a heart.

Pearl McCURDY has been sick the past week but is some better at the present. We hope she will soon be with her class again.

Miss Ella FOLLIN taught Room 2 for Miss HAIR last Friday afternoon. The pupils hope she was as well pleased with them as they were with her. Miss HAIR attended the oratorical contest at Topeka.

Arthur PATTERSON is out of school this week on account of a painful burn received last Monday.

Josie HAWLEY was delayed from school this week by the sickness and death of her sister Nellie.

Bessie QUAYLE and Mary HENDERSON have been out of school on account of sickness.

Amy BRANDSTADT was classified 5B a week ago last Monday, but on account of sickness did not enter school until this week.

Miss Katie HUKILL, a former teacher and aunt of Nellie HAWLEY, came down from Topeka to attend the funeral.

Alma MARVEL and Grace EATON have been on the sick list and consequently have been out of school a day or two.

March 11, 1892

Grace CHANDLER visited room # w last Thursday.

Josie HAWLEY is again in school after a long absence.

So many pupils have been absent on account of sickness we cannot name them all. We hope it will be better this month.

Gertie GRIFFITH entered the Seventh Grade last Tuesday.

Chas. BROWN and Chs. SOWERS have turned from intellectual to manual pursuits, leaving vacancies in the Seventh Grade.

Miss Daisy WHEELER has our thanks for a handsome bouquet of Tidal Wave Pinks.

Chas. ROBINSON, Ray RORK, and Harry PARDEE left the High School last week. Chas. and Ray started yesterday for Marshal County to seek their fortunes. May success be theirs.

March 25, 1892Baldwin

Bessie STEWART, 5A

Baldwin is a small village in the eastern part of Kansas and in Douglas county. It is on a branch of the Santa Fe railroad. It has about 1500 inhabitants with the students of Baker University which is in Baldwin. It has a fine public school building in which are four departments besides the High School. Baldwin has a bank and a creamery and a good many stores. It has four churches, the Methodist, Colored Methodist, Baptist, and Presbyterian. They have lately built an Opera house in Baldwin.

THE SCHOOL TIMES, Baldwin, Ks.

IN MEMORY OF NELLIE HAWLEY
-Edith DIXON-

Dear Nell, you have gone and left us,
And we all do miss you so;
But we hope sometime you will meet us,
Where we all now hope to go.

And won't you be waiting, Nellie,
At the beautiful golden gates,
To welcome us into glory
Who once were your old schoolmates?

And we will ever remember
The one with whom we played,
When the flowers were in the blossom,
And the grass was in the blade.

As we study and work at our lessons,
We think of you often, Nell,
And the days you assembled with us,
To learn to figure and spell.

You will see no more sorrow and trouble,
But ever with angels shall dwell,
While we are awaiting the morning
When we shall bid the world farewell.

News Notes

Mrs. JOHNSON (nee LEONARD), of Joplin, Mo., called this week in company with Miss Ida HUFF. These ladies were both teachers in our schools in 1889-90.

Mrs. Dr. DAVIS and Mrs. NORTH and Mr. Lyman SULLIVAN visited Room 2 last week. Mrs. MARTIN and Miss Effie HARSHBERGER were also callers.

Jessie CARSON left school Tuesday and returned to her home in Lawrence. She will be greatly missed by the members of the Junior Class.

Ella HAMMOND has returned to school after nearly two weeks with pneumonia. We are glad to welcome her to her classes again.

To be continued.

A copy of The School Times is located in the Newspaper Section at the Kansas State Historical Society, Topeka, Ks.
Submitted by Jane WIGGINS



Report of the First Month of School
District No. 9

Black Jack, Kas., Dec. 13, 1881

Number of pupils enrolled, 65; average attendance 53. Those neither absent nor tardy were Gideon RICE, Hallie MARTIN, Frank and Ira STEVENSON; Frank and John HAYS. Pupils averaging 95 per cent or over in attendance, punctuality, deportment and scholarship, were Frank O'NEIL, 96; Frank STEVENSON, 98; Hallie MARTIN, 96; Bertha VAN FRIES, 97; Minnie Van FRIES, 97; Ira STEVENSON, 98. A number more averaged 88 and 90.

A.E. PEAIRS,
Teacher

MRS. JENKINS' NINETIETH BIRTHDAY

Spending her days in peaceful quiet in the town in which she witnessed the great tragedy of her life, is Mrs. Gaius JENKINS, the widow of the man who was shot by James H. LANE, while Lawrence was still scarcely a town, Mrs. JENKINS celebrated her ninetieth birthday last Friday at her home at 1617 Kentucky street, where she lives with a daughter, Mrs. M.E. WILDER. Mr. and Mrs. C.L. EDWARDS and Mrs. O.E. LEARNARD were guests at a little dinner given in honor of the event and hostess and guests, all of whom had suffered in the wild early days, had a long talk concerning the events of the stirring time, though it is now far in the past as a human lifetime goes, but must always be remembered as the most thrilling period of their lives, by those who experienced it.

Mrs. JENKINS came to Lawrence with her husband and family in 1855 and Gaius JENKINS homesteaded a quarter section of land, a part of which is now west Lawrence. Later James H. LANE instituted a contest to the title of the land and a feud grew up between him and JENKINS. This went on until June 3, 1858, when LANE shot JENKINS as the latter was trying to get water from a well on the land under dispute.

The killing of JENKINS by LANE aroused a great deal of feeling all over the country, and this was particularly the case at Lawrence. The killing was done in cold blood, as JENKINS' only object on the premises was to get water from the well which LANE claimed as his own. The well stood near what is now the corner of Henry*and Illinois streets. Although the well had been dug by JENKINS, a short time previous to the killing LANE had put a padlock on the gate leading to the well, and had forbidden JENKINS entry to the premises. The JENKINS family had used water from a ravine for a few days, which had caused sickness in the family. The head of the household finally went to the well, where he was killed by LANE. The murderer was never punished for his crime except by the ostracism of many who had been his friends.

Mrs. JENKINS has lived in Lawrence nearly all the time since the day when she helped to carry the body of her husband back to the home. It is now fifty-five years since the tragedy occurred, and Mrs. JENKINS, one of the chief sufferers from it, is spending the evening of her days in peace and tranquility.

From The Lawrence Daily Gazette, Saturday, May 10, 1913

* Henry Street is now known as Eighth Street.

Submitted by Jane WIGGINS

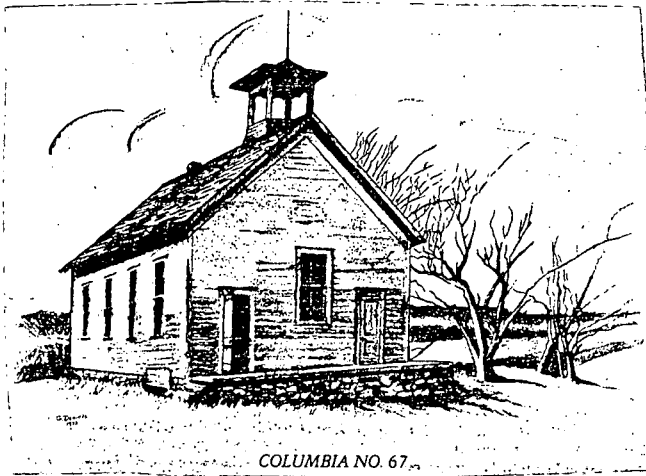
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Republican Daily Journal, Lawrence, Ks., June 28, 1871

SOLD - George SCHWEITZER sold his handsome residence, yesterday, to Mr. George W. OGDEN, a wealthy gentleman from Paris, Kentucky, for \$7000.

We are also pleased to learn that Mr. OGDEN intends purchasing a farm near the city, and stocking it with the best Kentucky bred horses and cattle, making a model stock farm. We welcome Mr. OGDEN to Lawrence. Gentlemen of means and enterprise, like him, will find appreciation.

Submitted by Jane WIGGINS



COLUMBIA NO. 67.

NOTES FROM "THE SECRETARY BOOK
OF THE COLUMBIA LITERARY SOCIETY,
DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS,
1894-1897."

Continued from Volume IX, No. 2

Jan. 7, 1896 - After the routine business meeting, the election of officers resulted in the following: President, Lue FLORY; Vice-President, Charles PELLET; Secretary, Mary CHURCHBAUGH; Treasurer, J.K. BOYD; Sergeant at Arms, Tom CLARK. A short program followed, then recess. The debate question was, Resolved, "that woman has more influence over men than money." Judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those in attendance were: Charlie PELLET, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Vina SANDERS, Joe WILLIAMS, Joe SHIELDS, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Perry FLORY, J.K. BOYD, C. BURTON, John CHURCHBAUGH.

Jan. 14, 1896 - The president called the meeting to order. The program was followed by recess. Then came the debate. The question was: Resolved, "that the cow is of more benefit to a man than the horse." The judges decided in favor of the negative. Lewis and Mary CHURCHBAUGH were chosen as the paper editors. Those attending were: Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Leroy FLORY, Rosa BROHAMMER, Ella FLORY, Vina SANDERS, Charlie BROHAMMER, Katie BROHAMMER, Lee FLORY, Mabel GRAHAM, H. BAKER, Tom CLARK, C. BURTON, Joe SHIELDS, Lue FLORY.

Jan. 21, 1896 - The president called the meeting to order. After the routine business, program and recess. The paper was read by the editors. There was no debate question. Those attending were: Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Vina SANDERS, Ella FLORY, C. BURTON, Charlie PELLET, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Tom CLARK, Lee FLORY, Alonzo STUDEBAKER, Austin FLORY, Lue FLORY, J.K. BOYD.

Jan. 28, 1896 - The meeting was called to order by the president. After the business meeting and recess, a short program was held. The debate question was: Resolved, "that the president has no right to make love to the secretary." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those attending were: Lue FLORY, C. BURTON, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Leroy FLORY, Hattie SANDERS, Joe SHIELDS, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Lee FLORY, Mabel GRAHAM, Joe WILLIAMS, Rosa BROHAMMER, E.A. Boyd, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH.

Feb. 5, 1896 - The routine business was taken care of and the election resulted in the following officers: President, Lue FLORY; Vice-President, J.K. BOYD; Secretary, Mabel GRAHAM; Treasurer, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH; Sergeant-at-Arms, Joe WILLIAMS. After the program and recess, the debate followed with the following question: "that there is more pleasure in married life than in single life." The judges decided in favor of the negative. The society decided to give a basket dinner in two weeks to raise money to buy declamation books for the society. Those attending were: Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Mabel GRAHAM, Tom CLARK,

Columbia Literary Society Con't.

C. BURTON, Lue FLORY, Perry FLORY, Hattie SANDERS, Katie BROHAMMER, Vina LANDIS, Charlie BROHAMMER, Joe SHIELDS, J.K. BOYD, John CHURCHBAUGH, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Charlie SANDERS, Lee FLORY, Roy FLORY, L.M. FLORY.

Feb. 11, 1896 - After the business meeting and recess, a short volunteer program was given. The debate question was: Resolved, "that the frog leads a more pleasant life than the toad." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. No attendance was given.

Feb. 18, 1896 - A business meeting was held and a volunteer program given. The paper was read. No debate was held. Those present were: Mabel GRAHAM, Alva FLORY, Lue FLORY, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Rosa BROHAMMER, Vina SANDERS, Ella FLORY, E.A. BOYD, Joe SHIELDS, Joe WILLIAMS, C. BURTON, John CHURCHBAUGH.

Feb. 25, 1896 - After the business meeting and recess, a short volunteer program was given. The teacher asked the society to help with the program at the school closing. The president appointed the following people to a committee for the program: Joe WILLIAMS, Henry BAKER, Hattie SANDERS, Rosa BROHAMMER, and Lewis CHURCHBAUGH.

The debate question was: Resolved, "that tobacco is more injurious to the health than chewing gum." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. No attendance was given.

March 3, 1896 - After the meeting was called to order an election resulted in the following officers: President, Henry BAKER; Vice-President, John CHURCHBAUGH; Secretary, Mabel GRAHAM; Treasurer, Joe WILLIAMS; Sergeant at Arms, W.A. FLORY. The debate followed the program and recess. The question was: Resolved, "that the state should give every person over twenty years of age three years college course free of charge." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. The society voted not to meet until Nov. 10, 1896. Those present were: Mabel GRAHAM, Hattie SANDERS, Rosa BROHAMMER, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Ella FLORY, Lee FLORY, Charlie PELLET, Charlie BROHAMMER, John CHURCHBAUGH, Henry BAKER, Joe WILLIAMS, John BROHAMMER, Vina SANDERS, L.M. FLORY, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Roy FLORY, Lue FLORY.

Nov. 10, 1896 - The president was absent so Lue FLORY called the meeting to order. Ella FLORY took the minutes in the absence of the secretary. In the election of officers, the following people were given offices: President, Lue FLORY; Vice-President, Levi MARKLEY; Secretary, Mary CHURCHBAUGH; Treasurer, Joe WILLIAMS; Sergeant at Arms, Charlie BROHAMMER. No program nor debate was held. Those present were: Lue FLORY, Levi MARKLEY, Ella FLORY, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Charlie BROHAMMER, Joe WILLIAMS, Iva FLORY, Ora STUDEBAKER, Alva FLORY, Perry FLORY, Henry DEARDORFF, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Maud FLORY, Leroy FLORY, Lee FLORY.

Nov. 17, 1896 - The president called the meeting to order. In the business meeting, the society voted to buy five gallons of kerosene and a can. After recess and the program the debate question was: Resolved that there is more sport in winter life than summer life." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those attending were: Lue FLORY, Vina SANDERS, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Ella FLORY, Alva FLORY, Hattie SANDERS, Perry FLORY, Charlie BROHAMMER, Dave WILLIAMS, Austin FLORY, Lee FLORY.

Nov. 24, 1896 - Lue FLORY, the president, called the meeting to order. After recess and the program the question for debate was: Resolved, "that the Indian has been treated worse than the Negro by the white man." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those present were: Lue FLORY, Ora STUDEBAKER,

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Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Alva FLORY, Ella FLORY, Charlie BROHAMMER, Tom CLARK, Henry BAKER, Joe WILLIAMS, Lee FLORY, Dave WILLIAMS, E.A. BOYD.

Dec. 2, 1896 - The meeting was called to order by the Vice-President, Levi MARKLEY. Officers elected were President, Henry BAKER; Vice-President, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH; Secretary, Ora STUDEBAKER; Treasurer, Charlie BROHAMMER; Sergeant at Arms, Joe WILLIAMS. After recess and the program, the question for debate was: Resolved, "that water is more destructive than fire." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those present were: Levi MARKLEY, Perry FLORY, Ora STUDEBAKER, Henry BAKER, Joe WILLIAMS, Charlie PELLET, Rosa BROHAMMER, Ella FLORY, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Alva FLORY, Lee FLORY, Hattie SANDERS, Iva FLORY, Leroy FLORY.

Dec. 8, 1896 - The president, Henry BAKER, called the meeting to order. After the recess and program, the question for debate was: Resolved, "that all the railroads should be owned by the government of the United States." The judges decided in favor of the negative. Those present were: Henry BAKER, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Ora STUDEBAKER, Vina SANDERS, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, L.M. FLORY, Ella FLORY, Rosa BROHAMMER, Joe WILLIAMS, Levi MARKLEY, Charles SANDERS, Iva FLORY.

Dec. 15, 1896 - The meeting was called to order by the president, Henry BAKER. After the business meeting and recess, a short program was given. Then came the debate. The question was: Resolved, "that the horse is more beneficial than the cow." The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Those present were: Ora STUDEBAKER, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Dave WILLIAMS, Hattie SANDERS, Rosa BROHAMMER, Mary CHURCHBAUGH, Leroy FLORY, Henry BAKER, Charlie BROHAMMER, Charlie SANDERS, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, John CHURCHBAUGH.

Dec. 22, 1896 - The president called the meeting to order. After the business meeting and recess, a short program was given. The question for debate was: Resolved, "that there is more pleasure in pursuit than possession." The judges decided in favor of the negative. Those present were: Ora STUDEBAKER, Henry BAKER, Iva FLORY, Alva FLORY, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Mabel GRAHAM, Lonie STUDEBAKER, Eda BOYD, Lee FLORY, Rosa BROHAMMER, Charlie BROHAMMER.

Dec. 29, 1896 - A short business meeting was presided over by the president. The program followed a recess. No debate question was presented. Those present were: Ora STUDEBAKER, Henry BAKER, Lue FLORY, Leroy FLORY, Joe WILLIAMS, Lewis CHURCHBAUGH, Hattie SANDERS, Ella FLORY, Mabel GRAHAM, Maud FLORY, Vina CHURCHBAUGH, Charlie PELLET.

COLUMBIA LITERARY SOCIETY ROLL CALL FOR 1896

Henry BAKER	Henry DEARDORFF	Mabel GRAHAM
E.A. BOYD	Alva FLORY	Vina LANDIS
J.K. BOYD	Austin FLORY	Levi MARKLEY
Charlie BROHAMMER	Ella FLORY	Charlie PELLET
John BROHAMMER	Iva FLORY	Charlie SANDERS
Katie BROHAMMER	L.M. FLORY	Hattie SANDERS
Rosa BROHAMMER	Lee FLORY	Vina SANDERS
C. BURTON	Leroy FLORY	Joe SHIELDS
John CHURCHBAUGH	Lue FLORY	Alonzo STUDEBAKER
Lewis CHURCHBAUGH	Maud FLORY	Ora STUDEBAKER
Mary CHURCHBAUGH	Perry FLORY	Dave WILLIAMS
Vina CHURCHBAUGH	Roy FLORY	Joe WILLIAMS
Tom CLARK	W.A. FLORY	

(To be continued)

Submitted by Mary CHURCHBAUGH JAMISON
 Picture from Rural Schools and Schoolhouses of Douglas Co., Ks. by Goldie PIPER DANIELS



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.

Maxine HOUGLAND, Rt. 1, Box 153C, Perry, KS 66073

I have a new Vol. I, 1984 Buchanan County, MO history about families mainly around St. Joseph, MO, and Northeastern Kansas. I will share with you the 500 pages and pictures. (913-597-5969)

Maxine HOUGLAND, Rt. 1, Box 153C, Perry, KS 66073

HAYS
McCLAIN
MARION

Who was Mary McClain-HAYS parents? Mary was born in Potosi, Mo., November 28, 1848. Died Ft. Scott, KS, Jan. 28, 1928. Mary's first marriage to James MARION (MIRIAM) about 1866 Potosi, MO. Frank HAYS was third husband.

Renee COLE, 1206 Tennessee, Lawrence, KS 66044.

LOVE
WHEELER

Need information on a John LOVE. Born about 1776 in So. Carolina. Wife's name was Nancy and he had a daughter Elizabeth, who married Orrel H. WHEELER. John LOVE lived in Tennessee and Indiana, and I last found him in Indiana in 1850.

Robert EDWARDS, 3712 147 Avenue SE, Bellevue, WA 98006.

McNAIR
BOUCHER

John McNAIR purchased land from John M. BOUCHER in 1858, and in 1859 the same land was sold, with Caroline McNAIR giving up her dower rights to it. The deed called the land "an estate of inheritance." Caroline was dead by 1862. What relation was she to John M. BOUCHER? Who was the Margret J. who became John McNAIR's second wife, by 1866? Looking for descendants of the McNAIR's and BOUCHER's. John was also known as Jacob, and was my great grandfather.

Ray H. SHAW, 17410 Mpl. Vly. Hy Sp75, Renton, WA 98058.

SCHULTZ
JONES

Would like information on the family of Christian SCHULTZ, born ca 1833 in Germany, and wife Mary SCHULTZ, born ca 1833 in Germany, living in Willow Springs Twp., Dg. Co., KS in 1885 per Kansas State census. Children living at home, born in IL per that 1885 census: Frederick (19), Mary (16), my grandmother Elizabeth (15), George (13), Herman (10). Elizabeth (Lizzie) married Henry R. JONES 17 March 1888, at Lawrence, KS.

Ray H. SHAW, 17410 Mpl. Vly. Hy Sp75, Renton, WA 98058.

JONES

Seek information on parentage of Henry Richard JONES, born PA 1864, died Colorado 1943) and wife, Lizzie Schultz JONES married in Dg. Co., KS, March 17, 1888 (born Germany? - died Okla 1909).