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INTRODUCTION

At the beginning of the time period covered by this volume, there were only two newspapers being published in Holton; *The Recorder-Tribune* and the *Holton Weekly Signal*. *The Recorder-Tribune* continued publication through this time period. *The Recorder-Tribune* changed its name to *The Holton Recorder* on January 2, 1908.

The Soldier Clipper, *Whiting Journal*, and the *Hoyt Sentinel* continued in their respective cities.

In Circleville the *Jackson County World*, continued its publication.

The Netawaka Talk began publication on November 1, 1907.

The *Delia Paper* was short-lived, being published from April 4, 1907 through June 18, 1908.

As noted in the previous volumes, not every death reported in these newspapers is included in this book, only those seeming to have some connection with Jackson county. A death notice could appear in different newspapers and from different sources within a paper. One principal notice is listed with excerpts from other accounts being used only when there is differing or additional information. Accolades to the deceased such as a Christian, parent and citizen have been deleted when possible, because of space consideration. Three ellipses denote the deletion of part of a sentence and four that of a sentence or even paragraphs.

Each death notice is numbered consecutively and it is this number that appears in the index, not the page number. This is an all surname index that I hope will help the researcher identify family relationships that otherwise would be hidden. The index begins on page 1335.

As with any book of this type there have been mistakes made in transferring the information from the newspapers to book form. If you believe there should be a death notice for your ancestor and it is not included, or other information is not correct, please check the original newspapers for that time period.

5 793. Mary Ann (Kincade) Mullenax was born in the state of Ohio, March 10, 1 833 and died at Avoca, Kans. December 25, 1905, aged 66 years, 9 months and 15 clays. Her husband died about five years ago. She was the mother of 10 children, 3 sons and seven daughters, one girl having preceded her to the world beyond She was a sufferer at the hand of affliction for the last two years *Soldier Clipper*, January 3, 1906.

Olive Hill. The remains of Mrs. Mulanax were brought here from Avoca and interred in this cemetery Christmas day *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 4, 1906.

5794. Mrs. Jacob Shuler died on Sunday very unexpectedly. She had been poorly for some time. She was buried Tuesday in the Soldier cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, January 3, 1906.

5795. Mayetta. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, who attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. Blevens in St. Joseph, returned here Sunday last. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 4, 1906.

5796. Soldier Valley Items. Mrs. Gillaspie returned from Nebraska where she attended her father's funeral. *Soldier Clipper*, January 10, 1906.

5797. America City. The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris' died last Tuesday evening and was buried Wednesday afternoon in the America City cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, January 10, 1906.

5798. Adrian. Dr. Killbourne and wife were called to his former home in western part of the state on account of a death in the family. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

5799. Circleville. Mrs. J. E. White was called to Kansas City last week by the death of her brother. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

5800. Dr. V. V. Adamson received word Tuesday that his son-in-law Moses S. Towsey had died at 11 o'clock that morning at his home in Anderson, Ind. The cause of his death was an attack of plural pneumonia of a week's duration. The funeral and interment will occur this afternoon from the home in Anderson. Mr. Towsey was about 55 years old and formerly resided in Holton. He married Miss Maggie Adamson, daughter of Dr. V. V. Adamson and was the father of one son, Sanford, who is now a newspaper artist in Chicago. He was a member of the Masonic order, having received his first degree in the Holton Lodge. They have a daughter buried at Anderson and Mrs. Towsey will continue to reside there. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

Anderson (Ind.) Morning Herald ... his home at 1341 West thirteenth street Mr. Tousey was born fifty years ago in Kentucky While a young man Mr. Tousey went to Kansas, where, together with a brother, he *very* successfully conducted a large cattle ranch. It was while in Holton, Ks., he met Miss Maggie Adamson, who afterward became his wife. Miss Adamson the daughter of Dr. Adamson who for years practiced his profession at Ovid in this county and who many years ago went to Kansas. Mrs. Tousey's mother was a sister to Capt. W. R. Myers and Mrs. W. N. Croan of this city. It was in the early '90's that Mr. Tousey, together with his family, removed from Kansas to this city, taking a responsible position with the Sefton Manufacturing Company. After a few years he accepted the position as head bookkeeper for the American Steel and Wire Company in this city, which position he held until his death. Mr. Tousey was a prominent member of the Tourist Club

was also a prominent member of the Presbyterian church ... Charter member of the Holton Kan., Lodge of Masons. Although he had lived in Anderson for years he never had his membership transferred. Mr. Tousey leaves, besides the widow, one son, Sanford, who is in business in Chicago. The mother, Mrs. M. K. Tousey, of Cincinnati was also at the bedside of her son when death came. A brother, Thomas Tousey, lives in Houston, Tex. A number of relatives are expected today from Kentucky, Kansas and Iowa to attend the funeral . *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1905.

5801. B. M. Mullins has received word of the death of his son, G. A. Mullins, at his home in Chicago, on November 9, 1905. Mr. Mullin's was an engineer for the Nichols Engineering Co., of Chicago, and had recently completed a contract for building the Kalamazoo and Lake Michigan Railway, a contract involving the expenditure of more than a million and a half of dollars. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

5802. John Reiderer, the father of Mrs. Chas. Morris and for many years a resident of this county, died at the Sanitarium in San Diego, Calif, Friday night at ten o'clock. His son, John, went from Higgensville, Mo., the family home, and has started home with the remains Mrs. Reiderer and other relatives are here from Higginsville. The burial will be in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

John Reiderer was born in Canton, Granbuntin, Switzerland., February 18, 1836. At the age of seven, he with his parents came to America, settling in Wisconsin. At the age of twenty-one in 1857 he was married to Miss Elizabeth Gilbert. Immediately after their marriage they came to Kansas where he engaged in the milling business. In 1880 he disposed of his business in Kansas and moved to Missouri, settling at Higgensville, where he engaged in the milling business until 1895 when he retired having been actively engaged in business for 38 years To John and Elizabeth Reiderer were born 9 children, 3 of whom have passed to the other shore. The six who remain are Mrs. Carrie Strowig, Paxico, Kan.; Mrs. Julia Huirbrook, Higgensville, Mo., Mrs. Emma Morris, Holton, Kan.; John Reiderer, Slater, Mo.; Mrs. Louise Haifer, Higgensville, Mo.; Miss Hattie Reiderer, Slater, Mo. He died January 5, 1906, at San Diego, Calif., of heart failure, aged 69 years, 10 months and 17 days. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, six children, nine grandchildren, one brother and two sisters, Mr. Jacob Reiderer and Mrs. Lutz of Holton and Mrs. Lena Roberti of Los Angeles, Calif. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

.... at one time engaged in the milling business at Arrington with his brothers ... *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 11, 1906.

5803. Jacob Hixon died at his home east of town, Thursday just a week after having suffered from a paralytic stroke. In his death there passed away one of the oldest settlers in the county Jacob Hixon was born in Pennsylvania June 6, 1824, and died January 4, 1906, aged nearly eighty-two years. In early life he moved to Ohio and later to Indiana, where he remained seven years. He came to Holton in the fall of 1864, and has ever since resided here. On Feb. 20, 1849, he was united in marriage with Miss Cassandra Stonebrake. To this union were born four sons and one daughter. Two of the sons, Samuel H. and Homer L., preceded their father to the great beyond. The three living children who were present at the funeral are Columbus Marion, of Weiser, Idaho, and John S. and Mrs. Addie Fredericy, of this city. His grandchildren number thirteen and great-grandchildren

three. Mr. Elixon was bereft of his companion Sept. 24, 1865 August 14, 1889, he was married to Mrs. M. E. Updegraff, of Mt. Carrot, Ill., who survives him ... united with the church in Indiana forty-eight years ago. Coming to Holton he was active in the organization and building of the Presbyterian church, of which he became a charter member. At the same time he was elected to the office of ruling elder, which position he held until the day of his death, covering period of nearly thirty-nine years

Dr. Charles Hixon of Atchison came to Holton to attend the funeral of his grandfather.

Drake. Mr. Jim Stonebreaker of Soldier attended the funeral of his uncle, Jacob Hixon, and visited with his sister, Mrs. Alice Troub. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

.... settling on a farm one mile east of Holton Samuel H. and Homer h., died since the family lived in Kansas Twice being elected to the office of county commissioner; first in 1866, holding that office for two years and being chairman of the board, and again in 1882; serving a term of three years laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 11, 1906.

5804. Mayetta. John Wyatt attended the funeral of his uncle, D. F. Wyatt, at Topeka last Saturday. Mr. Wyatt and family lived here some years ago and owned a large sheep ranch on the farm where A. N. Pooler now lives. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 11, 1906.

5805. New Notes ... Mrs. Oscar Williams has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Biddle in Indiana. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 11, 1906.

5806. Mrs. Rinehard received word Saturday of the death of her brother-in-law, Rev. J. Burkart, a Presbyterian minister of Brownville, N.Y. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 11, 1906.

5807. Clare Reed, the brother of Mrs. W. P. Clark and Geo. Reed, died December 28, in Kansas City, where he resided. Geo. Reed went to Kansas City and accompanied the body to Blue Rapids ... interment was in the Blue Rapids cemetery. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 1.1, 1906.

5808. Soldier. Mrs. Barton McKee, living south of American City, died on Sunday evening and the remains were interred in the America City cemetery on Monday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

America City. Mrs. Bart McKee, after a lingering sickness, passed away Sunday, Jan. 14, at her home where she had lived the greater portion of her life ... remains laid at rest in the America City cemetery. She was fifty three years old. She leaves a husband, eight children, two sisters and two brothers *Soldier Clipper*, January 31, 1906.

Mrs. J. Knoff returned Monday night from Havensville where she was called by the sickness and death of her sister, Mrs. McKee. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 18, 1906.

5809. Soldier. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills, living near America City, died Sunday and was buried in the America City cemetery Monday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

5810. Netawaka. The nine months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Humphries died Saturday night, was buried in the Netawaka cemetery Monday afternoon. *the Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

Netawaka. The youngest child ... *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 25, 1906.

5811. Pea Ridge. Miss Tweedy was called to Holton last Saturday morning on account of the death of her cousin. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

5812. Mayetta. Miss Iva J. Anderson, who, as we stated last week, had been in California for her health, and who returned home Monday, died at her home Thursday. Miss Iva was born June 9, 1879, in Nebraska, and was 26 years, 3 months and 25 days old at the time of the death. Her mother died some twelve years ago and Iva has been a mother to the younger children ever since After the children grew older, Iva attended Campbell College at Holton and later went to Manhattan to school. She taught school and had a government position in Minnesota. She made a success of her work but was forced to go to Colorado and later to California for her health laid to rest in the Brick cemetery beside the remains of her mother father and brother and sisters ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

5813. We received a paper from Oklahoma last week announcing the death of Chas. Coultrup's mother, Mrs. Barnum. *Soldier Clipper*, January 24, 1906.

5814. Mrs. Slade Wimmer died at her home in the northwest part of town Tuesday afternoon ... Mrs. Wimmer was the wife of a college student and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Slade, who keep the dormitory. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

Oppa E. Wimmer, wife of W. N. Wimmer and daughter of Rev. E. E. Slade, was born at Lecompton, Douglas county, Kan., January 17, 1885, and died in Holton January 23, 1906, making her age 21 years and 6 days She joined the United Brethren church at the age of five years During the time of her parents' residence at Enterprise, Kan., she was especially active in the Junior society and Y. P. C. U She was married to W. M. Wimmer September 1, 1904. Sweet little babe Winifred is left, aged 7 months and 19 days. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 1, 1906.

5815. Soldier. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Fisher died on last Friday ... interred in the Soldier cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

5816. ... the death of Johanna Catherine, wife of J. W. Hill, who departed this life Monday evening, Jan. 15, from a complications of diseases. Mrs. J. W. Hill, (nee Johanna Catherine Rooney), was born near Holton, Sept. 28, 1872, and was married to John Hill, Jan. 19, 1897, and died at her birthplace Jan. 15, 1906. She had been in poor health for several years, and finally grew worse and last August she was taken to her sister's in St. Joe, where medical aid and loving care were given her, but it was of no avail, and she was brought home, Nov. 15th, where she remained until death ... she was the mother of two children, who with a husband, father, mother, sister and brother are left to mourn The remains followed by a large procession of friends were taken to Mount Calvary cemetery two miles west of the city and laid to rest *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

... died at the home of her father, M. Rooney, west of town, Monday night. She has been ill some time with consumption *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 18, 1906.

5817. Denison. George E. Tweedy while going home from church Monday night, January 15, was injured by his horse slipping and falling on him as he turned the corner near the R. P. church. No serious results were anticipated at the time, but on Friday his condition became serious and a surgeon was called who performed an operation which was said to be the only chance to save his life. He died Friday evening at his parent's home at 8:30 o'clock aged 23 years, 6 months and 26 days. He was born in Smith county, Kan., and was always at home in the saddle or as a bareback rider. Several years ago he received injuries by falling from a horse from which he never recovered and which probably had much to do with his early death. A brother, two sisters and parents ... buried in the R. P. cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

5818. Charles Frederick Bradley was born October 24, 1867, and died at St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 17, 1906. He was married to Miss Ida E. Knopf, of Holton, March 20, 1901. Besides his wife, he leaves an aged mother, three sisters and two brothers to mourn his loss. He united with the Presbyterian church February 5, 1904 ... At the time of his marriage, Mr. Bradley was traveling for a hardware firm, but his health failed soon after and for three years he has been a constant sufferer, most of the time unable to do anything. Last spring Mayor Kuhn appointed him City Clerk and with the assistance of his wife he has performed the duties of the office *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

Mrs. J. R. Rupp, of Chicago, who was called to Holton by the death of her brother, C. F. Bradley ... *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 25, 1906.

.... born October 24, 1867 at Andrew, Jackson county, Iowa and died ... of tubercular peritonitis. He was united in marriage to Miss Ida E. Knoff ... When he came to make Holton his home he was in the employ of the Sligo Iron Store Co *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 25, 1906.

5819. Rev. C. W. Erffmeyer attended the funeral of Mrs. Milton Erffineyer's mother, Mrs. Cramer in St. Joseph Sunday. *The Holton Weekly Signal*, January 25, 1906.

5820. Adam Shaffer was born in Richland county, Ohio, December 7, 1851, and died at Circleville, Kan., January 6, 1906, at the age of 54 years and 30 days. He came to Circleville in 1870 where he has since made his home with the exception of a few months in Colby, Kan., which not agreeing with his health, he returned to Circleville and purchased the farm where he died. He was married to Miss Naomi Kell on November 28, 1878, who survives him. No children were born to them but they took and reared as their own, two orphan children, a boy and girl who attained their manhood and womanhood in their home. The boy, Willie Stephens, is now a trusted and prominent conductor in the employ of the Rock Island railroad. Emma Lane is now married and resides at Elmo, Mo. Both mourn for Mr. Shaffer as for a father, and strive in every way to comfort, as they would their own mother, his grief stricken widow. Later they took their little niece, Rebecca Shaffer, when left motherless, and loved her as their own and she is an inmate of the bereaved home ... Mr. Shaffer had been a sufferer from asthma, catarrh and rheumatism for some years and traveled much in search of relief He was never able to do hard work, but was accustomed to doing light chores around his home, and it was while thus engaged he was stricken by death When quite a young man he became a Mason ... Mr. Shaffer leaves besides his wife, two brothers and two sisters as follows: Jake Shaffer, Circleville, Kan., Silas Shaffer, Lexington, Ohio, Mrs. Sarah Snipes, Belleville, Ohio,

and Mrs. Mary Culbertson, Oklahoma, to mourn his loss. His parents died only a few years ago *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 25, 1906.

5821. A. A. Gordon was born near Xenia, Ohio, March 20, 1828, and died at his home in this city January 27, 1906, aged 77 years, 10 months and 7 days. The deceased first came to Kansas in 1858 and entered some land which, with other tracts, he leaves as part of his estate. He returned to Ohio the same year and did not come back to Kansas until March 11, 1871. He has since been a citizen of this county. He lived on Banner and carried on his farm until the fall of 1893 when he moved to Holton where he has since resided. He was married to Miss Lydia Galloway March 1, 1859, with whom he has lived happily some forty years. Mrs. Gordon died some seven years ago. A son and daughter were born to this union. The daughter died in infancy. The son, George G., is living near this city. He also leaves a brother in Xenia 90 years old and a sister still older. Besides the son George, an adopted daughter, Mary is left to mourn ... Mr. Gordon united with the Presbyterian church in early youth ... a ruling elder for thirty years The following tribute to Mr. Gordon was handed to us by his long time neighbor and friend, R. P. Hamm. A. A. Gordon came to Kansas in the spring of 1858 and made settlement on the farm which he improved as a stock farm near the north line of the Pottawatomie reserve on Banner. Mr. Gordon was a man of means when he came among us His home was called the orphan's home, as he was ready to take in those children who were wanting a home. In company with Mr. Gordon were C. H. Williams now of Holton and W. A. Hurd. At this time Mr. Gordon was single, also Mr. Hurd and Mr. Williams. Later on Mr. Gordon was married and moved onto his farm where he engaged in stock raising *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 1, 1906.

.... married at Xenia After his marriage he lived some twelve years in Champaign county, Ohio On March 11, 1871, he came to Jackson county, Kansas, and settled on a farm about eight miles west of Holton The remains ... to Xenia, Ohio to be interred by the side of his wife ... *The Holton Weekly Signal*, February 1, 1906.

5822. Soldier Valley. Richard Wykert was born May 25, 1824, in Marshall county, West Virginia, February 17, 1846, he married Miss Hannah M. Smith who preceded him to the better world, January, 1898. To this union were born four children, Mrs. H. R. Walker of Denver, Oklahoma, Mrs. M. J. Meeks of Asher, Okla., Mrs. S. A. Miller, of Rossville, Kans., and Rev. J. Wykert, of Soldier. In early life he was converted to Christ and united with the church of God. In 1857 he came to Kansas and located at Troy and in 1868 came to Jackson county and settled at Soldier Valley where he has since lived He united with the M. E. church and then with the U. B. church which he continued until his death. He is also survived by 1 full brother, Rev. Clarke A. Wykert, of Troy, Ks., and 4 half brothers and 4 half sisters. He was a stout man with an iron constitution. It is said he walked to St. Clere in order to attend church revival, he would continue doing this for weeks every night. About a year ago his health began to fail The burial was made in the graveyard 1 mile east of the U. B. church *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 1, 1906.

Olive Hill. Mrs. Chloe Little and children from Willard, Kans., visited ... after attending the funeral of their grandfather Wykert. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

Olive Hill ... passed peacefully away, Saturday 27, at his home, with the family of his son, Rev. J.

Wykert. He lived to the advanced age of 81 years . *The Holton Weekly Signal'*, February 8, 1906. ...

laid to rest in the Nott cemetery. *So/die/ Clipper*, February 7, 1906.

5823. Local and Personal. The Angel of Death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mercer on Thursday afternoon, and bore their infant child away *The Hoyt Sentinel*, February 2, 1906.

5824, Pat Larkin was called to his hoouoin Seneca Tuesday by the death of his brother. *Me Recorder-l>-ibujie*, February 8, 11906.

5825. Rebecca Wheeler Manuel was born at Lexington, Ky., Nov. 13, 1824, and died at Soldier, Ks., Jan. 30, 11906, aged 91 years 2 months and 17 days. She was married to Philip Manuel in May, 1837 and to this union were born nine children, five of whom preceded her to the great beyond. In March 1055ahnmoved to Kansas and settled uoorWm1houa. In 1868 moved to Wallula and in 1877 came to Jackson county and for the last 21 years had made her home in Soldier. She leaves four children, John Manuel of Holton, Kan., James Manuel of Billings, Okla., Thos. Manuel and Mrs. J. T. Holston of Soldier, Kan., also 27 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild, a total of 53 descendants. Mrs. Manuel was a member of the Methodist church. The burial was at Buck's Grove cemetery where she was laid beside her husband who died 29 years ago. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

5826. Circleville. Mrs. Lou Eby who was taken seriously ill on Sunday, Jan. 28, died Friday, February 2, leaving ohuabaud and six little sons, the youngest being only six weeks old. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rant Thompson whose home is in Oklahoma and she with her family moved from there alittle over oyear ago ... member of the Royal Neighbors lodge interred in the Circleville cemetery The parents, the little sons, the husband, sisters ...

Beauty Heights. We are all grief stricken to hear of Mrs. Lewis Eby's death. She was the second daughter of Ruumlhooz;soowho for many years resided in the neighborhood. *7lie//numrder-7r/bxxo*, February 8, 1906.

... her home one mile south of the Pleasant Valley school house ... father and mother, one brother and two sisters *The Holton Weekly Signal*, February 8, 1906.

East Grant. V. R. Thompson came up from Oklahoma *The Holton Weekly Signal*, February 8, 1906.

Anna Viola Thompson was born April 29, 1879 near Circleville and died Feb. 2,190bnear Holton aged 26 years, 9 mo. and 3 days To this union was born seven children, six sons and one daughter; the infant daughter having preceded the mother to the world beyond The deceased was a member of the Royal Neighbor Lodge. *Soldier Clipper*, February 7, 1906.

Pleasant Valley On June 17, 1896, she was united in marriage to Louis O. Eby leaves a husband, six sons, father, mother, three brothers, five sisters ... laid to rest in the Circleville cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

East Grant. L. O. Eby has moved to his mother's Mrs. Carlyle, near Circleville. He will take his baby

to Oklahoma next week. *The Holton Signal*, February 15, 1906.

Circleville. Rant Thompson left last week for his home in Oklahoma. Lon Eby accompanied him, taking with him his infant son, whom he will leave in its grandmother's, Mrs. Thompson's care. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5827. E. L. Nicholas of Avoca was in town last Friday and called at this office. He notified us of the death of his father, Thomas Nicholas, which occurred Monday morning of last week. Deceased was 99 years and 10 months old interred in the Buck's Grove cemetery last Thursday. - Onaga Herald. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

5828. In the death of Ms. Andrew Hill this county has lost one of the old settlers who spent many years of her life on Banner where she raised her large family ... she lived many years in Grant township ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

Mrs. Andrew Hill. For many years a resident of this county died Tuesday in Solomon City, where she was spending the winter with her son. She was the mother of Mrs. Dora Nicoll of this city. The remains will be brought to Holton for burial ... *The Holton Weekly Signal*, February 1, 1906.

Mrs. John Crawford, of Solomon, Kan., has been in Holton the past two weeks. She was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Hill *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

Monici Neff was born July 5, 1832, in Malenfeld, Switzerland, and died Jan. 29, 1906, at the age of 73 years, 6 months and 24 days. In 1851 she was married to Florina Just, with whom she lived happily 7 years when he died leaving her a widow with four children. In 1861 she was united in wedlock to Andrew Hill. To this union 8 children were born. Mr. Hill died about four years ago will be greatly missed by her 3 sons and 5 daughters who survive her. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

5829. J. W. Shiner, of Westmoreland, died at his home Tuesday, February 6, 1906, of dropsy, heart trouble and asthma. He had been in poor and failing health for some years. Only a few days before his death he joined the congregational church ... Mr. Shiner was born in Dublin, Ind., in 1850, within a few miles of where the writer of this first saw the light twelve years earlier. He was raised to manhood in Iowa. At the age of twelve years he entered the Waterloo Courier and learned the printer's trade. In 1868, in company with a partner, he started the Jessup Recorder. He soon sold his interest and was for several years engaged as compositor and foreman of the office of the job department, first in the office of the Waterloo Courier and late of the Leavenworth Commercial. He was working in the Commercial when he heard of a newspaper opening in Holton. He came up and he and this writer started the Recorder March 2, 1875. He remained with the Recorder until 1881 when he sold his interest to his partner and went to California to live on his wife's father's ranch. He soon got tired of ranching and returned to Salt Lake City where he became foreman of the Tribune. In 1858 he came back to Kansas and in company with J. K. Coddling started the Westmoreland Recorder. Shiner could make money but did not seem to have the faculty for saving it. When he returned to Kansas he had but little money, but we knew him to be honest and honorable and his credit at this office was such that we sold him most of the material with which he furnished his new printing office on credit. He paid us every dollar according to contract. In 1890 he sold the Recorder

to Mr. Hill who still publishes the paper. Mr. Shiner engaged in the real estate and insurance business and for several years held the office of justice of the peace. In 1902 he purchased the Westmoreland Signal and published the paper until failing health compelled him to part with it something over a year ago. Mr. Shiner was a member of Westmoreland Lodge A. F. & A. M. and the Westmoreland lodges of Modern Woodmen and Knights and Ladies of Security Mr. and Mrs. Shiner were the parents of three sons and one daughter. B. C. Shiner is rate clerk for the State Board of Railroad Commissioners; Mrs. Bessie Freeman, J. M. Shiner and Frank S. Shiner are residents of Los Angeles, California *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

5830. Alice M. Rolfs, aged 21, wife of Alfred Rolfs, died at St. John's hospital this morning. The deceased was a daughter of Thomas Williams, and was born and raised here ... interment will be at Mt. Muncie cemetery. - Leavenworth Post; Feb. 2. *Whiling Journal*, February 9, 1906.

5831. W. T. Ferguson of Corning, father of Mrs. J. R. Miller died Friday. *Soldier Clipper*, February 14, 1906.

5832. Soldier. The three months old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bateman died on last Saturday and the remains were interred in the Havensville cemetery Sunday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

Soldier. The infant daughter ... *The Ho/ton Signal*, February 15, 1906.

Klodene Laverne, the four months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bateman, died Saturday morning of spinal meningitis *Soldier Clipper*, February 14, 1906.

5833. Edwin N. Ball died at his home three miles west of Whiting, February 7, 1906, aged 76 years and 23 days. He was born near Chester, Ill., where he spent his early life and was married to Nancy I. Armstrong, January 17, 1854. To this union were born 10 children, 4 preceded him to the spirit life. He enlisted in the 103 Illinois volunteers in 1862, was converted while in the service and joined the M. E. church and remained a faithful member to the day of his death He came to Kansas in 1868 and settled with his family on the farm where he died ... He served the G. A. R. post No. 138 Whiting as chaplain since its organization. He leaves besides his five sons and 1 daughter, his aged wife who for more than 50 years shared his toils and triumphs laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Netawaka. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

Whiting. Howard Ball came from California to the burial of his father. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

.... Mr. Ball was an old soldier having contracted disease in the Army he has been a sufferer for many years *Whiling Journal*, February 9, 1906.

5834. Whiting. John J. Ernest was born in Mifflin county, Pennsylvania, May 6, 1858, and died at Whiting, Kan., February 3, 1906. He married Miss Alice Smith of Newton, Hamilton county, Pa. Soon after coming with his wife to Kansas, where he has since resided ... leaves a wife and six children ... Not only was he engaged in contracting and building but was also proprietor of the feed mill at this place ...

Olive Hill .. Two brothers, Wm. and Ellsworth Ernest who came from Altoona, Pa.... *Me Recorder-1 ribiuie*, February 15, 1906.

Whiting. John J. Ernest worked for W. M. 1-ledge & Co., on Saturday, at their elevator, until 4 o'clock, went home, ate a light supper and died from heart trouble, aged 48 years He was a carpenter and contractor and will be missed very much. They have lived here about 25 years.

Circleville. Miss Eva Ernest of Whiting who spent last week with Miss Nellie Good received the sad news Saturday evening that her father had died very suddenly while at work. Miss Ernest left immediately for her home, accompanied by Miss Good and Mrs. Early, mother-in-law of Mr. Ernest, left yesterday.

Olive Hill. Miss Eva Ernest, of Whiting, came Saturday afternoon to visit the family of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Armor, but her visit was of short duration. Early in the evening a phone message came that her father, John Ernest, had died, very suddenly. She returned to her friends at Circleville and went home to Whiting early Sunday. Mrs. Armor went to Whiting, Monday morning.

Whiting. Mrs. Erenfeld arrived here Monday morning from Colorado, called by the death of her brother, J. J. Ernest. John J. Ernest died suddenly at his home in west Whiting Saturday evening, February 3*the Recorder-Tribune*, February 8, 1906.

Local and Personal, Two brothers of John Ernest's from Pa. One from Topeka and one sister, Mrs. Armor from near Soldier attended the ftmeral.

George Ernest and wife of Topeka and Mrs. Jesse Ernest were called here Sunday by the sudden death of the former's father. *Whiling Journal*, February 9, 1905.

... He was the oldest son of a family ten children, of which four brothers and four sisters survive him. In the spring of 1879 he married Miss Alice Smith. A year later he came to Whiting, Kansas, where he has since resided ... laid to rest in the Spring Hill cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, March 9, 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bender of Panhandle, Texas were here last week to attend the funeral of John Earnest of Whiting. Mr. Bender and Mr. Earnest married sisters. *The Holton Signal*, February 15, 1906.

5835. Henry Perry, a respected resident of Jackson county, died at his home Monday, Feb. 5, 1906, aged 62 years, 3 months, 17 days. The cause of his death was dropsy Mr. Perry was born in Henry county, Ind., Oct. 19, 1843. In 1857 he with his father's family moved to Kansas, in 1859 they moved to Jackson county where he has lived since. He was married to Lurinda Burnett Sept. 13, 1866, to them were born 13 children, 6 daughters and 7 sons. The wife, 11 children, 2 brothers, Joe Perry, of Tecumseh, Okla., Reed Perry, of Holton, Ks., and one sister, who is living in Colorado, are left to mourn ... Mr. Perry was a practical farmer ...

Local and Personal. Mrs. Arrene Furguson and Miss Arrilda Perry attended their uncle's funeral at St. Clere last week. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

5836. Mrs. Maria Knight, wife of Lorenzo DKnight, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs L. H. Anderson, 707 Lane street, Topeka, Kan., February 6, 1906. She was born in Leesville, Ohio, November 11, 1829, and with her family moved to Holton, Kan., in 1880, They resided on a farm near Circleville until after the death of her companion in 1885. Her last years were spent on a farm near Topeka with a son who was stricken with paralysis last June. Her last days were spent in caring for this son Her remains were laid to rest beside her husband in Holton. Three sons, one in Texas, one in Colorado, a son and daughter in Topeka and four grandchildren remain to mourn their loss. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

5837. The death of Mrs. Eveline Mitchell occurred on the 13th of February 1906. She was born in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, April 8, 1849, and was 57 years, 10 months and 5 days old at the time of her death. She was married to William R. Mitchell December 24, 1868, and shortly afterward they came to Kansas. To this union were born seven sons. Two died in infancy. The survivors are B. S. and W. B. who live in Franklin county and Harry and Earl A., who lived with their mother in Holton. The father died December 5, 1903, the son Louis A. November 25, 1905, and now the mother has been taken *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

Earl Mitchell, whose mother died last week, went to Franklin county with his brother to make his home with him on the farm. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5838. Mrs. Hazel Balding Leon died at St. Joseph's hospital in Kansas City Monday morning. Her husband, L. L. Leon, brought her remains to Holton and funeral services were held at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Wilson yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Leon was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Balding and was 22 years old at the time of her death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 15, 1906.

... . Her mother who was in Oklahoma reached her bedside before she past away. Her father arrived from Oregon in time for the funeral. Her brother Lee and his wife were also present. *The Holton Signal*, February 15, 1906.

East Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. John Minor attended the funeral of Mr. Minor's niece Mrs. Hazel Leon ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

Mrs. B. J. Berkman has returned from Holton, where she was called to attend the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Hazel Leon. Leavenworth Post. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5839. Mrs. J. A. Stearns died December 23, 1905, at her home in Wichita. She was formerly Miss Percy Beard * * * t w o years was ostudent of Campbell University She was buried in the family lot at Tonawanda cemetery *The Holton Signal*, February 15, 1906.

5840. From a private letter received this week from Charles Tyler it is learned that the report that he was washed overboard and drowned while on the way to Manila, was false, although the information came from his family. He is a member of the band of the 13th U. S. Infantry stationed at Fort McKinley, Manila. *2 h c 3 q o / 1 o v / Signal*, February 15, 1906.

5841. Arrington. Henry B. Dale died at his home in Arrington, Feb. 13, 1906, . a g e d 61 years, 8 months and 23 days. He was born in Henry county, Kentucky, where he lived until 16 years of age, when he enlisted in the Civil War, and fought through the entire war receiving a honorable discharge.

After the war he went to Missouri and lived until 26 years ago when he came to Kansas and has made this state his home ever since. He was married to Miss Elizabeth Hazlett, March 18., 1873. To this union were born eight children, all living but one boy who died in infancy. The living children are Mrs. Geo. Haines of Nortonville, Mrs. Bun. Weese of Larkin, John Dale of Comptche, Calif., Mrs. Fred Wylie of Atchison and Roy, Nellie and Vera at home with their mother. Mr. Dale had been in poor and failing health all winter but the direct cause of his death was chronic bronchitis ... the remains were taken to Nortonville and interred *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5842. Whiting. Mrs. Canter, formerly Zilpha Haggard, raised here, died north of Muscotah on Monday night, leaving a husband and 6 motherless children. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5843. Mrs. Ruth McCune was born at Rushville, Ind., April 15, 1834, and died Feb. 13, 1906. She moved when a child with her parents to Pleasant Grove, Iowa. About nineteen years ago she came to Kansas. When she was seventeen years of age she was united in marriage to Andrew McCune and to this union were born nine children, five of whom are living, a daughter, Mrs. Josie Childers, of Unionville, Pa., two sons at Manitou, Okla., and a son and daughter, James and M. E. McCune, living in Holton. Mrs. McCune moved with her family to Holton nineteen years ago. One year later her husband died. She united with the Presbyterian church when sixteen years of age and was a member of that church at that place during her entire residence here. She was in poor health for two years *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5844. Woodworth. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Latimer attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, A. Glick, of Fairview, Kans., Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 22, 1906.

5845. Leroy Margerum was born Jan. 24, 1863, in Page county, Iowa, died at his home six miles south west of Holton Feb. 25, 1906. Mr. Margerum was married to Martha A. Woolsey in the year 1884 which union was blessed with four boys and three girls ... united when a young man with the United Presbyterian church and upon moving to Kansas transferred his membership to the M E. church South ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 1, 1906.

.... married in the year 1887 *The Holton Signal*, March 1, 1906.

5846. On February 27, 1906, Simeon F. Mosher died at his home three miles east of Arrington, Ks. He had been a sufferer for several years March 1866, he came to Kansas, where he lived until his death interred in the Larkin cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

Arrington. Simeon F. Mosher was born in St. Lawrence county, New York, July 7, 1836, where he lived until 1842 when he went with his parents to Wisconsin and lived there until 1861, when he enlisted as a soldier and went to war Nov. 26, 1861, and served until July 18, 1865, when he received an honorable discharge at Louisville, Ky. He came to Kansas in 1866 and was married to Miss Mary Wise in Leavenworth Aug. 18, 1867 and lived there until 1884 when he came to Atchison county, where he lived until his death, which occurred Feb. 27, 1906. He is survived by a widow and 7 children, 4 sons and 3 daughters, Sydney, Edward, Ben, Charlie, Katie, IVrs. Lulu Brown and Mrs. Melissa Duffy of Dakota ... interred in the Moore cemetery ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 1, 1906.

5847. Denison. Mrs. Della Robb-Paden of Billings, Okla., was stricken with pneumonia and died Thursday, Feb. 27 ... she was for several years a resident of the Fairview district where she taught school. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

5848. Denison. Mr. Benson Yard aged 87 years died Tuesday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Raney ... the body was taken to Des Moines, Iowa, for burial. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

Benson Yard was born in Vernaago county, Pa., May 11, 1818, and died at Denison, Kan., February 27, 1906. He was converted and joined the M. E. church at the age of 18 years ... November 8, 1838, he was married to Nancy Henderson of Mercer county, Pa. Of this union were born five sons and three daughters, of whom all survive except one son who died in infancy. In 1852 he moved to Lasalle county, Ill., and in 1859 to Dallas county, Iowa. Here on the 29th of October, 1864, his wife, the faithful companion of his youth and middle life was called to her heavenly home. August 24, 1865, he was married to Mrs. Emily Grubbs of Dallas county, who died in 1898. After this he made his home with his children. In May 1901 he came to Denison, Kan., and lived with his daughter, Mrs. Howard Raney, till his death ... the body was taken to Iowa for burial. He was the youngest but one of a family of ten children. The youngest, Rufus Yard, of Rock Island, Ill., alone remains *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 21, 1906.

5849. Whiting. Another sudden and unexpected death occurred at Charles McCurdy's Saturday morning when his wife, Mattie McCurdy, crossed the Jordan of death *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

Whiting. Mrs. Chas. F. M. McCurdy died of appendicitis Saturday. The funeral was held Monday, conducted by the Eastern Star. *The Hohon Signal*, March 15, 1906.

... died at her home from the effects of a surgical operation laid to rest in the Springhill cemetery *Whiting Journal*, March 9, 1906.

5850. The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bair died Sunday, March 4 *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

Mrs. Harry Bair died Sunday, March 18, of neuralgia of the heart. She was Exie Elliott, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Elliott, and was 23 years, 10 months and 25 days old at the time of her death. She was married to Harry Bair in December, 1903. Their only child, a son, was born March 2, and lived only two days *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 22, 1906.

Ontario. A niece of Mrs. D. Brown and Mrs. W. P. DeBoard, Mrs. Exie Elliot-Bair, died last week near Holton. *Soldier Ciiiper*, March 28, 1906.

David Newell Elliot was born near Mt. Olive, Casey county, Kentucky, on the 20th day of June 1857 and died at his home on Banner, Kansas, on April 23, 1906; aged 48 years, 10 months and 2 days. He was married to Emily Jane Morgan, Sep. 1, 1878, in his home county and came to Kansas to make their future home. They returned to Kentucky 2 years later and made their home there until March 1895 when they returned to Kansas and have resided on Banner until his death. Of this union have been born eight daughters, one of whom died in infancy, the second, Mrs. Exie Elliott Bair,

preceded her father to the better land one month ago. The remaining six sisters are left to console their bereaved mother; Mrs. Vera Riley and Mrs. Beatrice Bryan, of Holton, and Mrs. Ethel Wilson, of Osborn, Kansas, and Annie, Bessie and Edith at home. Mr. Elliott is of a family of eight children seven of whom still survive him. Two brothers, Simon and Grant, of Casey county, Kentucky. A sister, Mrs. Drucilla DeBoard, of Marshall, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Malissa Adams, Mrs. Bertha Westley, of Deming, New Mexico; Mrs. Amanda Brown, of Soldier and Mrs. Serena DeBoard, of Circleville, Kansas. Brother Elliott united with the Christian church at Mt. Olive, Kentucky, in 1890 *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

East Grant. Died at his home on Banner Sunday, April 22nd ... He came to Kansas first in 1876 and went back to Kentucky in 1878 Mrs. Raymond Riley He requested that the M. W. A., of which he was a member, should lay him to rest. *The Holton Signal*, April 26, 1906.

5851. M. J. Waggy, owner of the Sutherland Hotel, died in this city last Friday night at five thirty o'clock. He came in off the road on Wednesday night very low with Bright's Disease. His wife was sent for and arrived from Kansas City only a few minutes before he expired Saturday morning Mrs. Waggy with some friends who came up with her returned to Kansas City with the remains and the funeral was held there Sunday. Mr. Waggy purchased the hotel only a few weeks ago from Mr. Sutherland and placed it in charge of J. H. Wheeler who has been successfully conducting it. Mr. Waggy was a traveling man, having a position with the J. H. Conrad Coffee Co., of Chicago, the same firm for which John McGrew travels *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906.

W.J. Waggy was a traveling man, living in Kansas City. He brought the Southerland hotel six weeks ago as an investment, he was 55 years old. He left a wife but no children *The Holton Signal*, March 15, 1906.

5852. Soldier. J. W. Wynkoop returned from Illinois last Tuesday where he was called by the death of his sister and mother. *The Holton Signal*, March 8, 1906.

5853. For the past three weeks Mrs. Geo. Taylor has been lying very sick at her home in Wetmore, and on Monday morning the Seneca relatives received the message that she had passed away at 10:45 on Sunday evening. Accompanied by the bereaved family the body was brought to Seneca ... laid to rest in the Seneca cemetery, besides the loved ones who have already responded to the call of the death angel. Flora E. Taylor was the fifth child in the family of J. W. and Elizabeth Huff. She was born in West Carlyle, Ohio, on October 25, 1858, and died on February 18, 1906. While she was yet a child her parents removed to Moroa, and here on December 27, 1877, she was united in marriage to Geo. Taylor. To them were born three sons, Earl, Leslie and Vernie, who with the husband remain to mourn ... In 1879 the family moved to Holton, remaining there until 1894, when they came to Seneca. Here they lived for many years ... Two years ago Mr. Taylor secured position at Wetmore and the family removed to that place. Three weeks ago Mrs. Taylor was taken seriously ill with catarrh of the stomach In early life Mrs. Taylor united with the Methodist church Besides her husband and three sons, she is survived by one sister and two brothers, Mrs. Jennie Turner of this city, S. S. Huff Monterey, California, and G. M. Huff of Holton. It seems that the hand of affliction has indeed been heavy on the family of the deceased in late years. In less than three years her aged father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Huff, two nieces, Mrs. W. B. Harris and Miss Grace Adams,

two nephews, Arthur Huff and Frank Andrews, have been called to the other side of the river of death*Jackson County World*, March 9, 1906.

5854. Local and Personal. Miss Minnie Foster returned home on Tuesday evening from Longmont, Colorado, where she had been called by the sickness and death of her sister. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, March 9, 1906.

5855. The body of Mrs. Fred Bubner was found in a cistern at Netawaka last Thursday morning. The circumstances indicated clearly that she took her own life by plunging in the cistern at her sister's home sometime during Wednesday night. Her daughter, Miss Anna Bubner, had been ill for several days, and Mr. and Mrs. Bubner were almost worn out in constantly caring for her. Wednesday night the mother and daughter were sleeping in an upstairs room. After Anna had fallen to sleep, it appears that Mrs. Bubner slipped out of the room, went softly downstairs through a room in which her husband and a young man were sleeping, and passed out of the kitchen door without disturbing anyone At seven o'clock the lid of the cistern at the home of the woman's sister, Mrs. Starin, was found open and the lifeless body of Mrs. Bubner was seen in the water

Whiting. Prof Starin did not take up school in his room on Thursday on account of the sudden death of his aunt, Mrs. Bubner, of Netawaka. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 15, 1906.

.... Fred and Martin Bubner *The Holton Signal*, March 15, 1906.

Last Saturday's Atchison Globe contained the following: Miss Anna Bubner, age 30, committed suicide at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Clark, two and a half miles south of Wetmore, at noon today by hanging herself in the corn crib. It will be remembered that the girl's mother killed herself two weeks ago at her home in Netawaka by throwing herself into the cistern. The girl was made so ill by this tragedy that her father took her to St. Joseph's hospital in Kansas City where both received treatment. She returned to the home of her aunt a few days ago, leaving her father in the hospital The daughter who hung herself was the only child. *The Recorder-Tribune*, Aprils, 1906.

.... Both mother and daughter were invalids Mr. Bubner is the proprietor of a hardware store at Netawaka *The Holton Signal*, April 5, 1906.

5856. Robert Tweedy died at his home in Holton Friday, March 3, 1906, after an illness extending over six months. He was born in Jefferson county, Penn., February 3, 1832, and was a little more than 74 years old at the time of his death. In August, 1856, he was married to Miss Lavina C. McKee, of his native county, and to this union were born nine children, six of whom are still living. They are: Otis, of Sterling, Nebr.; Harry of Courtland, Nebr.; Will and Mrs. John Hosack, of Denison, and Edna and Zelda, who are living at home. In 1882, Mr-. Tweedy, with his family, moved to Valley Falls, and six years later came to Holton. He was for several years a carrier on the rural route until ill health compelled him to resign. He joined the United Presbyterian church thirty years ago and was soon afterward elected a ruling elder. In Holton he affiliated with the Presbyterian church interment in the Denison cemetery *The Recorder-Minute*, March 15, 1906.

Denison He lived for many years two and one half miles north of Denison interred in the R. P. cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 8, 1906. (coned)

5856. (coned) married ... August 28, 1856 locating in Valley Falls where he lived one year. From there he moved to North Cedar and remained until six years ago when he came to Holton to live *The Holton Signal*, March 15, 1906.

5857. Clarence Boyd, the 21 year old son of John Boyd, who lives about seven miles west of Hoyt, was shot and instantly killed shortly after one o'clock last Wednesday by his brother, Clark, who is four years his junior. The two young men were hunting rabbits when the accident occurred. Clarence was shot twenty feet in front of his brother when the gun carried by the latter was in some unaccountable way discharged. At the time of the accident the boys were about a mile from their home. Not realizing that the shot had been fatal Clark carried his brother the mile to the farm home only to learn that the shot must have proven almost instantly fatal *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 15, 1906.

... Clare and George Boyd, aged about 20 and 16 Interment in the Walnut Hill cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, March 15, 1906.

5858. Mrs. S. H. Ross died at her home three miles southeast of Holton, Thursday of consumption at the age of twenty-five. She leaves two children and her husband *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 15, 1906.

5859. Mrs. Harriet LaFever was born, Feb. 3, 1850, at Washington, Gurnsey Co., Ohio, and died at her home near Circleville, Kans., Feb. 22, 1906, age 56 years, 19 days. She was married to Finis LaFever, October 20, 1867. To this union eleven children were born, seven children have preceded her to the grave; one son, three daughters, and a loving husband, are left to mourn member of the Christian church *Jackson County World*, March 16, 1906.

5860. Mayetta. Wilma Blossom, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Blossom, died at her home corner of Field avenue and Grove Street, at 8 o'clock last evening, with abscess on the brain. She was 9 years and 7 months old. Besides her parents she is survived by three sisters, Misses Elsie, Ethel and Fay Blossom, and one brother, Albert, all of this city. The funeral will be held Sunday morning and the interment will be in Pittsfield. - Rutland, Vt., Daily Herald. Dr. and Mrs. Blossom were formerly of this place. Mrs. Blossom is a sister of A. E. Crane. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 22, 1906.

5861. Hoyt Notes. Died, At his home, 3-1/2 miles northwest of Hoyt, Kansas, Friday, March 16, 1906, Sohn T. Fliescher, in the forty-ninth year of his life. The deceased was born in Topeka, May 30, 1858. He leaves a wife, two sons, four brothers, and three sisters Interment in the Hoyt cemetery. *The Ho/ton Signal*, March 15, 1906.

5862. Wm. Reynolds lately received word from his sister in Idaho stating that Mr. Harvey Freeze died Oct. 6, 1905. Mr. Freeze will be remembered by many here as "Pop Freeze." He was for years a citizen of this community and dwelt in the house now occupied by Mrs. Mary Rudy. About 24 years ago he moved from here to Montana; from there he moved to Idaho where he resided until his death. *Soldier Clipper*, March 28, 1906.

5863. Cicily J. Lockname was born in Kentucky Dec. 18 1848, and died March 19, 1906, at Corning, Kans., aged fifty-seven years three months and one day. She came to Kansas in 1855, with her parents who settled near Granada and she has been a resident of this section ever since. She was married to Robert Sewell Jan. 16, 1866. Mr. Sewell died March 1886. She was married to Andrew Thoren about fourteen years ago. Mrs. Thoren has been in poor health for several years and a few months ago went to California in hopes of receiving benefit. The change did her no good, however, and she returned to Corning a short time ago where she died as stated above. The remains were brought to Wetmore funeral services were held at the home of Chas. S. Lockname, a brother of the deceased ... laid to rest in the Wetmore cemetery. Having lived fifty-one years in this locality the deceased was well and favorably known Wetmore Enterprise.

America City. Iva Thoren, visited a few days at home after attending her mother's funeral at Wetmore last week. She returned home to Holton Monday. *Soldier Clipper*, March 28, 1906.

.... Mr. Thoren was in such poor health that he was unable to visit his life long companion during her last hours. *Soldier Clipper*, March 21, 1906.

5864. Chester H. Berry, brother of Frank Berry, died of cancer at his home near Troy, Kan., March 21, 1906. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

5865. Circleville. Mrs. Julia Fletcher received a telegram Friday morning from her son, Chris, conveying the sad news of the death of his wife on Thursday at their home in Sunrise, Wyoming. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

5866. Soldier. D. M. Thompson died Saturday, another old settler gone. Daniel Martin Thompson was born in Carrol county, Indiana, September 22, 1834, and died at his home in Soldier, Kan., March 24, 1906, age 71 years, 6 months and 2 days. He came to Kansas in the spring of 1858 and was married to Jane Dove, December 31, 1861, and to this union were given 11 children, 4 sons and 7 daughters, 3 of whom died in infancy. On August 13, 1862, he enlisted in the cavalry as private in company B 1 lug Kansas and was discharged as sergeant at Ft. Leavenworth, September 20, 1865. He leaves a wife and eight children, 3 sons and 5 daughters interred in the Soldier cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

.... 1865 he settled in this community united with the M. E. church in 1860.

Those from abroad who attended Uncle Dan Thompson's funeral to-day were: Mrs. Wm. Rule, of Basin, Mont. Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, of Olsburg, Chas. Thompson, of Granada, Colo. and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson, of Junction City. *Soldier Clipper*, March 28, 1906.

5867. Columbia. Mrs. Washburn, the old lady who was sick at the poor farm, died last Monday evening. She has one daughter and one son living and was 70 years old at the time of her death. Mrs. Washburn was an owner of slaves at one time. *The Recorder-DI/ine*, March 29, 1906.

5868. Denison. With sincere regret we note the death of Walter Coleman March 29, 1906, at his home near Cripple Creek, Colo He was born in Cook county, Ill., August 25, 1854, and came to Kansas in the fall of 1856. His parents, George and Elizabeth Coleman, were born in England. Three brothers survive him, Cornelius, Daniel and David, one brother, Edwin, being buried where he died

in Colorado. He was generous to a fault and in the El Paso mine where he was employed he was known and respected by all. His wife and daughter survive him and accompanied the body here Interment in the Coleman cemetery at Cedar Valley church. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

5869. Pleasant Valley. Tibitha E. Chewing was born in Bedford county, Virginia, December 10, 1835 and died near Circleville, Kansas, March 21, 1906, aged 71 years, 3 months and 11 clays. In 1868, she with her family came to Kansas, and has lived in Brown or Jackson counties, her home being in Havensville a number of years She is survived by one sister, three brothers interred in the Circleville cemetery.

Miss Tabitha Chewing, died Wednesday morning at the home of her brother, Abner Chewing *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

Miss Tabitha Channing, aged 74 and Hiram Channing aged 79, died at their home nine miles west of Holton, last week. Mr. Channing was stricken with paralysis a week ago Monday. In assisting her brother, Miss Channing was injured internally, from the effects of which she died. They were born in the east, and had resided west of town a number of years *The Holton Signal*, January 10, 1907.

Circleville. Mrs. Maggie Chewing who has been ill but for a short time with grip died Thursday night about 12 o'clock and on Friday evening, her brother, Hiram Chewing, died of the same disease Not quite a year ago, Maggie and her sister were taken with pneumonia and her sister died ...

Banner They lived west of the Pleasant Valley school house. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

Pleasant Valley. Mr. Chewing, of Seneca, attended the funeral of his brother and sister here Sunday. [Later in column.] Hiram Chewing was born February 27, 1820, and died January 4, 1907, age 76 years, 10 months and 7 days. Miss Margaret Chewing was born February 27, 1822 and died January 3, 1907 age 74 years, 10 months and 6 days. Funeral services were held at the home of their brother, Abner Chewing ... the remains were entered in the Circleville cemetery. *Jackson County World*, January 11, 1907

5870. Denison. Jesse Eaton, son of J. W. and M. E. Eaton, was born near Severance, Brown county, Kan., July 17, 1882, and died at his home one mile north of Denison, March 31, 1906, at 9 p.m., aged 23 years, 8 months and 14 days. For four months he patiently suffered from lung disease His parents, two brothers and two sisters survive him ... buried in the R. P. cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 29, 1906.

5871. Wm. Murphy went to Atchison Tuesday to attend the burial of his father who died Monday evening. *Whiting Journal*, March 30, 1906.

5872. Miss Lizzie Voorhees, who came from California with her mother's remains the first of March, has concluded to remain in Hoyt *The Hoyt Sentinel*, March 30, 1906.

5873. Muddy Creek. Mrs. Henry Boydston's mother died on Monday of last week. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, March 30, 1906.

5874. Muddy Creek, Benjamin Vance, who has been sick with the fever for the past two weeks, died at four o'clock on Monday evening, aged seventy years and three months Interment was in the Stewart Cemetery. The deceased leaves a wife, four daughters and two sons to mourn his death. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, March 30, 1906.

5875. On March 28, 1906, Mr. Albert Artman died at his home in Larkin, Kansas, after an illness of some five months duration Larkin was his home. There he was born, June 6, 1877, here he lived and here he closed his eyes ... He was married to Miss Cynthia Arkright, February 18, 1903. One little boy came into their home to bless their lives. About four years ago Mr. Amman became a ehristian, uniting with the Church of Christ at Larkin Besides a loving wife and little boy he leaves to follow him, an aged father, J. S. Artman, of Larkin, and five sisters, Mrs. M. A. Dustman and Mrs. Chas. Nash, of Denver, Colo., Mrs. Ward, of Wetmore, Kan., Mrs. Guy Tilton, of Detroit, Kan., and Mrs. Annie Hoenshel, of Larkin interred in the Larkin cemetery ... *The RecorderTribune*, April 5, 1906.

5876. Whiting. Mrs. Phebe Williams died at her home three miles northwest of Whiting, Thursday, March 22, after several weeks' illness. She was an old settler of this part of Kansas member of the church of the Latter Day Saints ... interment was in Netawaka E. J. Williams, who returned last week to Denver, from the sick bed of his mother, was called here again by her death on Thursday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 5, 1906.

5877. IVIiss Kittie Daniels received the sad news of the death of a very near and dear relative in Oskaloosa last Monday. She left on the morning train f'om Birmingham to be gone a short time. Etta Hafer has charge of her room. *The Holton Signal*, April 5, 1906.

5878. Denison. The only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blumberg, aged six and one half months, died Thursday after an illness of 3 months Interment was made in the Valley Falls cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 12, 1906.

5879. Whiting. F. M. Green is of a family of twelve children, ten boys and 2 girls. Five boys and one girl are dead, and five boys and a girl are living just half. The youngest that died was 43, and the oldest that died was 76. The youngest living is 64 and the oldest living will be 84 on May 8th. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 12, 1906.

5880. C. W. Noble returned Saturday from Illinois where he was called by the death of his sister. *The Holton Signal*, April 12, 1906.

5881. Mrs. B. D. Flinn has received word of the death of her oldest brother of Seneca county, Ohio, who was killed by a tree falling on him. *The Holton Signal*, April 12, 1906.

5882. Mary Mitchell Segrist was born in Wayne county Ohio, Dec., 19, 1835 and died at the home of her son, Fred Segrist, in Jackson county Kans., Aprils, 1906. She has been married twice, first to Frederick Segrist March 11, 1824. He died in 1862 leaving her a widow with four small children to care for. The second marriage was to John Segrist in 1864, with whom she lived until Oct., 13, 1898, when death entered the home and she was again left in widowhood, after which she made her home with her son, Fred, until called to the home above. She leaves three sons trno mourn the loss of a

mother. While one son and three daughters have preceded her to the world beyond. the living sons are: J. W. Segrist, of Galesburg, Ill., S. E. Segrist, of Munden, Kans., and F. L. Segrist, of Soldier, Kans. She has been a resident of the Avoca community for twenty two years . . the funeral took place from the Bucks Grove church *Soldier Clipper*, April 18, 1906.

Soldier Valley. Mary Mitchell Segrist was born in Twain county, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1835, and died in Jackson county, Kansas, April 5, 1906, aged 70 years, 3 months and 14 days She was the mother of twelve children, four having preceded her to the world beyond. Leaving three sons, J. W. Segrist, of Galesburg, Illinois, S. E. Segrist, of Munden, Republic county, Kansas, F. L. Segrist, of Soldier, Jackson county, Kansas, who survive

Avoca ... buried at the Buck's Grove cemetery ... *The Recorder-tribune*, April 12, 1906.

5883. Columbia. Lilly Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Taylor, died at her home Saturday morning April 7. She was nearly thirty-four years of age and had been an invalid all her life She leaves a father, mother, four brothers and one sister *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 19, 1906.

Miss Lillie C. Taylor who died Friday was buried Sunday in the Holton cemetery ... 32 years old .

East Grant. Chas. Taylor attended the funeral of his sister, Sunday, at her home north of Holton. *The Holton Signal*, April 12, 1906.

5884. Here, There and Everywhere. Mr. C. Persons was called to Nebraska on account of the death of his father. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 19, 1906.

5885. Arrington. Freddie Case, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Case, was born in Arrington, Kan., December 4, 1888, and died April 4, 1906, aged 18 years, 4 months and 4 days. He had been ailing all winter and was confined to his bed one month with brain trouble His mother three sisters and one brother survive him. His father died about seven years ago and his grandfather's death occurred just four days before ... interred in the Effingham cemetery beside his father and grandfather *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 19, 1906.

5886. Arthur B. Agee was born at Troy, Ks., October 4, 1874, died in St. Joseph's hospital, at Denver, Colo., Sunday, April 15, 1906. He was converted at the age of 16, and united with the Christian church at Troy. When 20 years of age he with his parents, removed to Holton, Kansas, where he entered Campbell College, graduating therefrom after four years with honors. He was connected a number of years with the Phillip B. Toll Box Company, of Kansas City, Mo. About a year ago lung trouble compelled him to resign work and seek a different climate, and he spent the remaining months of his life in New Mexico, Wyoming, Nevada and Colorado The immediate cause of his death was pneumonia. On Thursday, April 12th, he was joined by Mr. J. E. Coulson, of Holton, who remained with him and cared for him until the end, and accompanied the body back to Troy where it was interred He leaves to mourn his loss, three sisters, Mrs. Anna Hall, of Graysville, Tenn.; Mrs. Lillian Trant, of St. Joseph, Mo., and Miss Lucile Agee, of Holton, Ks, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Ida Agee, of Denton, Kan. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 19, 1906.

.... The burial was in the family lot at Troy. *The Holton Signal*, April 19, 1906.

5887. John (Farrel, one of the oldest and most highly respected pioneer settlers of the Cross Creek valley and founder of Holy Cross, died at his home near that place last Thursday, aged 90 years. Two sons, Ed of Flagstaff Arizona and John who resides in Washington, and Miss Katie, postmistress at Holy Cross, survive *I *e Recorder- I ribune*, April 19, 1906.

.... died at his home Thursday of paralysis. Mr. O'Farrell came to this country in 1848 and has lived the greater part of his life at Holy Cross. The body was laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at Holy Cross. *The Holton Signal*, April 19, 1906.

5888. Mrs. Minnie Brown, the wife of Tom Brown, Jr., colored, died recently at her home in Kansas City, where she has been living the past two years She had been in poor health for some time and underwent an operation a few months ago from which she never fully recovered. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 19, 1906.

5889. The body of Mrs. Mary Cole, who formerly lived in Holton, arrived in the city Monday from her home in Evansville, Ill., accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Baudler of Evansville, and her son, Fred Cole of Easton. The interment took place immediately in the Holton cemetery where her husband and son are buried. Her daughters, Mrs. J. T. Johnson of Soldier and Mrs. A. G. Huffman, of Norman, Okla., were also present at the funeral. *The Holton Signal*, April 19, 1906.

5890. J. F. Hammond, father of Mrs. Ora DeVoll, and formerly of this county, died at his home in Chicago, Ill., April 15, 1906. *The Reco' der-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

... the death of Frank Hammond at 6404 Yale Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, after an illness of about three weeks. Mr. Hammond lived in Virginia until the Civil War broke out when he enlisted in the Union army where he served three years. After being discharged he lived in Maryland for many years coming to Lanark, Illinois, where he spent 2 years coming on to Kansas in 1890. He lived in this county until 1900 when he removed to St. Joseph, Mo. In 1902 he removed to Chicago which has since been his home. He was a member of the Progressive Brethren church and was about 67 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by a widow and five children as follows: Earl and Charles of Chicago, Ira of Oklahoma City, Mrs. O. F. Devoll of Bartlesville, I. T., and Mrs. Philip Manuel of Granada, Colorado. He has other relatives residing in the east ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

5891. Mrs. Chas. Shepard received a message last week that her brother, Ed. Swartz, died in Ouray, Colo., Thursday. Frank Swartz went to Denver, where the funeral was held Monday.

Mayetta. Fred Swartz received word Tuesday the 17th, that his cousin Ed., had died very suddenly in Denver, Colo. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

The following is from a Denver paper, concerning W. E. Swartz, whose death was announced recently: This afternoon at 2 o'clock the funeral of W. E. Swartz, who, as contractor and carpenter, doubtless helped build as many of the large structures in Denver as any other individual contractor, will be held from the undertaking rooms of Wally & Rollins. Interment will be at Fairmount. Mr. Swartz was born in Greencastle, Ind., in 1860, and came to Denver in 1882. He studied law at first, but afterward laid aside his books to take up building. He has worked on nearly every large building

in the city, and on many of the prominent structures of the state. His work on Mercy hospital attracted the attention of the trustees of the new hospital for Ouray, and it was while at work on the later contract that he was stricken with the illness that resulted fatally Thursday. He leaves a widow, three sons and a daughter. Mr. Swartz lived in Holton for about eighteen years, having come here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Swartz. He studied law for awhile, and worked as a carpenter. He helped build the University building, as well as a number of other structures in Holton. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

5892. The remains of Richard Reddy, Jr., arrived in the city today from Leadville, Colo. He passed away last Tuesday after suffering for years with tuberculosis St. Marys Star. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

5893. The death of little Martha L. Robinson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Robinson, who live on the reservation, occurred Wednesday. Little Martha was born January 14 and died April 18, aged 3 months and 4 days Interment was in the Mayetta cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

5894. Whiting. Mrs. Allebach died at her home in Whiting Thursday, April 19. She had recently moved here with her husband, who is employed at Doctor Mains drug store. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

Whiting. Mrs. E. R. Allebach died Wednesday evening April 19^h at her home in Whiting, her sickness was but a few days. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dern, from the Baptist church of which she was a member. Interment was in Spring Hill cemetery ... *The Holton Signal*, May 3, 1906.

Mrs. Dearst of McPherson who was called here two weeks ago by the sickness of her sister Mrs. Allebach, returned home Wednesday. *Whiting Journal*, May 4, 1906.

5895. Whiting. Word was received here Monday that A. A. Ball who moved from here to California a few months ago, died Saturday April 21. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

5896. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ernst died Sunday morning. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

5897. From Clay Center Dispatch]. W. F. Batson, known to his familiars as "Dad" Batson, died Tuesday afternoon about 4:40 after several weeks of suffering from dropsy, at his home on Clark street ... interment occurred at Greenwood cemetery ... William Thomas Batson was born February 24, 1828, in Loudon county, Virginia, and spent his early life in Ohio and his native state, following the occupation of stoneware potter and farming. He was married to Miss Lucinda Aldrich March 15, 1849, at Zanesville, Ohio. Seven children were born to them, four of whom preceded their father to the grave. The living children are Simon B. Batson, of Medicine Lodge, this state, Mrs. F. F. Wilcox, of Panora, Iowa, and Mrs. W. L. D. Hogan, of Newton, Kansas. Mi . Batson's first wife died some years ago and later was united to Mrs. Leach, who survives him. She is in feeble health. Mr. Batson came to Kansas in 1857, locating in Jackson county. He had been a resident of Clay county since 1893, engaged principally in the fruit tree business. Part of the time he was connected with the

sheriff's office . Way back in the border ruffian days he was associated with Jim Lane and many were the exciting scenes he had passed through, though comparatively few of his friends ever heard the stories he could tell when so minded. Charles Batson, a brother, and two daughters of the deceased were here at the time of his death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 26, 1906.

5898. The body of Mrs. Martha Roberts, an aunt of Mrs. W. H. Webster was brought to Holton Tuesday for burial accompanied by her nephew, J. M. Taylor and family of Thayer, Mo., at whose home she died. Martha Finch was born in Virginia, 1833, afterwards, she, with her parents emigrated to Buchanan county, Missouri. She was married to Ralph Roberts in 1852, and at once moved to California where they resided until the death of Mr. Roberts in 1899. Mrs. Roberts then returned to Denison, Kan., and made her home with her sister, Mrs. G. B. Taylor until the death of Mrs. Taylor, she then removed to Thayer, Mo., to spend her remaining days with her nephew, J. M. Taylor, where she died April 22, 1906 with apoplexy after one day's illness. She had been since her childhood a consistent member of the Christian church laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, April 26, 1906.

Denison. Mary Roberts, who made her home here last summer, died last week at the home of Jerry Taylor in southern Missouri ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 3, 1906.

5899. Bryon Lloyd, brother of Mrs. Jane Anderson, died at his home in Atkinson, Ill., April 19. He owned at one time the James Rule farm, and run a black smith shop in Soldier. *Soldier Clipper*, May 2, 1906.

5900. Carl. Nancy Jane Taylor was born in Hocking county, Ohio, September 8, 1833, and departed this life April 24, 1906, and was laid to rest in the Olive Hill cemetery, April 26. She was married to Thomas McLin and to this union were born nine children, three boys and six girls who are all living: Mrs. Sarah Latimer, Emma Ray and James McLin of Oklahoma, Mrs. Rena Latimer, of Holton, Todd McLin of Soldier, Mrs. Jennie Boan and Philip McLin of Carl, and Mrs. Geo. Christy whose whereabouts are unknown. She lived with one son and a grand-daughter the last few years

Soldier Valley ... died in Jackson county, Kansas, April 25, 1906, aged 72 years and 6 months. She was married to Thomas McLin October 14, 1852 She united with the German Baptist Brethren or Dunkard church in 1874 *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 3, 1906.

. died last week at her home in Adrian of heart trouble *The Holton Signal*, April 26, 1906.

Olive Hill With her husband and family she had been a resident of her late home since some forty years ago, until her husband some twenty-five years since met with an accident by being kicked with a horse which caused his death Her remains were laid to rest beside her husband *The Holton Signal*, May 3, 1906.

5901. Whiting. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson, died last week. He was nearing manhood laid to rest in Springhill cemetery ...

Whiting. ... died at his home northwest of town, Thursday, April 26 *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 3, 1906,

Thomas Peterson died at the home of his parents north west of town last Wednesday, April 25th, aged 21 years, 7 months and 27 days *Yf/hiting Journal*, May 4, 1906.

5902. Denison. Sarah M. George was born in Adams county, Ohio, September 28, 1832. At the age of 24 years she was married to J. A. Torrence and to this union were born twelve children, six of whom are living. At 1:15 Friday evening, April 27, her spirit left its earthly home. A severe cold and general weakness resulted in congestion of the kidneys which caused her death Interment was made in the R. P. cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 3, 1906.

.... She was born in Muskingdon county, Ohio, Oct. 29, 1832. On August 21, 1856, she was united in marriage to J. A. Torrence who survives her. Had she lived until August 21" they would have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. For some time after coming to Kansas they made their home near Winchester, Jefferson county, and in 1881 they moved near Denison in Jackson county, where they resided until the death of Mrs. Torrence Two daughters have laid down their lives in China where they had gone as Missionaries. Early in life Mrs. Torrence joined the Reformed Presbyterian church *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

5903. L. R. Johnson was called to Topeka Sunday on account of the death of Mrs. Minnie Johnson-Elms eighteen-months old child. The family was returning from California and all were poisoned by eating boiled ham. The child died at Dodge City and was buried at Topeka Tuesday. *Soldier Clipper*, May 9, 1906.

5904. Mayetta. We were pained to learn of the death of little Vivian Anderson, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Torn Anderson. He had been sick about three weeks, when death relieved him of his suffering, Tuesday, Mayl ... interred in the Brick cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

Local and Personal. Byron, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Thos. Anderson, died at the family residence, 1-1/2 miles north of Mayetta, on Tuesday night the second affliction that has come into the home in a few months. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, May 5, 1906.

5905. Arrington. Mr. and Mrs. McNeese went to Mayetta Wednesday to attend the funeral of a nephew. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

5906. Denison. Mrs. Joseph Coleman came home Wednesday from Missouri where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law, a Mr. Lanters. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

5907. Mrs. Maggie C. Rohl, of Seneca, sister of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Humes, formerly of Holton, died at the Sabetha hospital last week from the effects of an operation for tumor. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

5908. Mrs. Anna Clark, who spent several months with her brother, Dr. G. E. Locke, in Holton two years ago, died recently at her home in Worcester, Mass. ... Her sister, Mrs. Carr was called to Worcester ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

.. death ... April 30 Mrs. Roy Anderson was a niece of Mrs. Clark ... *The Holton Signal*, May 10, 1906.

5909. Rev. Mr. Buckner's father died at University Place, Nebr., Thursday at the age of 85. He leaves a wife and six children, all of whom are preachers. Mr. and Mrs. Buckner had been married 65 years Hiawatha World. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 10, 1906.

5910. Wm. Parrott, a former resident of Jackson county who moved to California a number of years ago died in Sacramento April 30 *The Holton Signal*, May 10, 1906.

5911. Soldier. Miss Edith Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reed died Monday of rheumatism of the heart *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

Carl. Edith Rebecca Reed was born at Sabetha, Kansas, Dec. 31, 1879, and departed this life May 14, 1906, age 26 years, 4 months, 14 days and was laid to rest in the Olive Hill cemetery May 16, 1906. She with her parents moved on a farm near Carl 10 years ago where they have resided since until death claimed her. She leaves a father, mother, and 3 brothers ...

Soldier Valley ... the only daughter of Winfield S. and Minnie A. Reed *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 24, 1906.

Olive Hill. ... daughter of Scott Reed, living a few miles southeast of here *The Holton Signal*, May 17, 1906.

5912. Soldier. A. P. Johnson went to Kansas City Saturday morning in response to a telegram that his daughter, Mary J. Johnson O'Conner, was seriously ill from an attack of pneumonia. Later - Word comes that Mrs. O'Conner died Monday night and the remains were brought here and interred in the cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

Mary Jane Johnson was born at Soldier, Kans., March 19, 1877, and departed this life May 15, 1906, aged 29 years, 1 month and 26 days. The deceased was a daughter of Alfred and Isabella Johnson In 1888 she was received into the M. E. church and remained a member until her death. Mary Johnson had lived in Soldier and vicinity all her life until about three years ago, when she went to Kansas City where she entered the Woman's and Children's Hospital to take training for a nurse. She did well and was quite successful in her work until her health failed her over a year ago and she was compelled to give up her position and come home for rest, growing no better she returned to Kansas City, and was operated on for Ex-ophthalmic goitre and for a time made rapid improvement but again grew worse. On April 18th she was married to Dr. Patrick O'Conner, a young man who had just completed his course of study in a medical school. They were to have left Kansas City in a few days for Eldorado, Kans., when her fatal sickness came on and in just four weeks from the day she left Soldier to be married, she was brought back dead *Soldier Clipper*, May 23, 1906.

5913. Mrs. Jerry Simpson, of Wichita, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. McCauley. She will take the remains of her little daughter, buried in the Holton cemetery, to Wichita to lay them beside her husband.

Wichita, May 20. - After being buried at Holton for 25 years, the body of Hally Margueritte Simpson, the daughter of the late Jerry Simpson was disinterred by Mrs. Simpson and brought to this city by her and placed in the family lot beside the grave of her father. Miss Hally Simpson died 25 years ago at the age of seven years. She died from injuries received by a log slipping and rolling on

her body. Mrs Simpson said that her little daughter went out to the sawmill to be with Mr. Simpson and while there was killed by the log slipping and crushing her body. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

5914. Whiting. Hugh McManis died at La Moille, Ill., last week. His widow is Billy Hedge's sister and the mother of John McManis, grain dealer at Goffs *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hedge and Mr. and Mrs. John McManis of Goffs went to La Moille, Ill. to attend the funeral of Mr. McManis' father, and Mr. Hedge's brother-in-law. *Whiting SMI71a*/, May 11, 1906.

5915. Whiting. Wake Warren Mayor was born at Whiting, Kans., November 24, 1883, and died at Kansas City, Kans., April 27, 1906, at the age of twenty-two years, five months and three days. He was the second son of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Mayor, formerly of this city. He has been sick for the past two months, having first taken sick at Chicago where his brother Duke, waited upon him, and March 29th his father went to Chicago and brought him home. He was afflicted with arthritic rheumatism which affected his heart and caused *his* death burial at Mount Hope cemetery ... [Horton] Headlight. *Whiting Journal*, May 11, 1906.

5916. Mayetta. Eli Isaacs, formerly of this place, died in Wabaunsee county, Friday morning, May 11, of that dread disease, consumption. His brother, Billy, left Friday ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

Eli Isaacs, lately paroled out of Hutchinson reformatory by Governor Hoch, died of consumption last week at the home of his mother near Dover. Isaacs was implicated in the Mayetta hold-up, and was sent to the reformatory. He was a model prisoner and he kept the terms of his parole. *The Holton Signal*, May 17, 1906.

5917. Mayetta. On last Sunday Dr. Brockett received a telegram stating that his sister, of Columbus, Ohio, was not expected to live. Dr. and Mrs. Brockett started on the night train for Columbus, but were intercepted by another telegram at Galesburg, Ill., that his sister was dead. They returned to Topeka where the remains were sent ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 17, 1906.

5918. Whiting. Thomas Berridge *who* lives east of town, went to Pennsylvania to visit old neighbors, a short time ago, was taken sick there last week and died in a few hours and was buried there the next day. Harry, his son, went to see about his affairs and to learn the particulars of his death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 24, 1906.

A telegram was received Saturday morning that Thomas Berridge, Sen., died suddenly Friday, in Pennsylvania, and a later message that his body was buried Saturday afternoon. His family lives here and received a letter from him last week in which he said he was well and visiting his mother, brothers and sisters, and that he was expected back home about the first of June. *Whiting Journal*, May 18, 1906.

5919. John U. Fisher, a farmer living in the east part of Cedar township, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by a charge from a shot gun in the hands of his friend, Otto Van Gaasbeek. Fisher lived less than a minute after being shot, dying without uttering a word. The shooting occurred

evening about five o'clock The facts brought out at the inquest are as follows: Van
Sunday

Gaasbeek was working at the Fisher farm, and on Sunday afternoon the two men, who were neighbors, and perfectly friendly, were standing in the yard when James R. Green, another neighbor, came along with his shotgun. Fisher took the gun and shot at a target which Gaasbeek threw in the air. Gaasbeek then wanted to try his skill and took the gun which contained another load. Fisher was hunting for a block to throw in the air while his friend was trying the triggers. Suddenly the gun was discharged, and Fisher was standing directly in front of the gun ... The victim of the shooting leaves a widow ... *The Recorder-Di-butte*, May 24, 1906.

.... Fisher was 45 years old. He leaves a family ... his death on May 20, 1906 *The Holton Signal*, May- 24 1906.

5920. Nelu Otto Rosedahl of Whiting died in Denver, Col., May 7, 1906 of consumption, aged 23 years, 5 months and 12 days. He spent two years at Campbell college, but his health failing he was obliged to leave school and for two years he traveled through Texas, New Mexico, California and Colorado. However his health continued to improve and the few months were spent in Denver with
where he passed away on the morning of May 7. His sister, Dr. Matilda Rosedahl

his sisters,
accompanied the remains home and the funeral was held at his brother Herman's on the old home place. He leaves to mourn his loss two brothers and four sisters, Miss Ida Rosedahl of Holton, Mrs. Frederick Strong, Dr. Matilda Rosedahl and Miss Victoria Rosedahl, all of Denver. *The Holton Signal*, May 24, 1906.

.... Nelu Otto Rosedahl was born at Whiting, Kansas Dec. 25th 1883.... He attended High School at Holton.... He leaves to mourn his loss his oldest and youngest brothers ... *Whiting Journal*, May 18, 1906.

5921. Netawaka. N. P. Nettie, eleven year old daughter died last week with pneumonia.

Whiting. Nellie Nesse died at her home northwest of town, Wednesday, May 23, after a brief illness, and was laid to rest in Spring Hill cemetery. *The Recorder-Di-butte*, May 31, 1906.

Nellie the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nissen died Wednesday afternoon aged 12 years, 4 months and 29 days *Whiting Journal*, June 1, 1906.

5922. Drake. Eva Conner was born in Kentucky in 1889 and died May 23, 1906. She was married to J. B. Webb in Kentucky, June 29, 1905, and came with her husband to Kansas the same year and lived four miles east of Holton. She was so delicate that she was not able to get out among the neighbors and the last few weeks was confined to her bed with that dreadful disease consumption until death claimed its own. The funeral was held at Carbon and the remains interred in the Larkin cemetery. Her father, mother and two sisters preceded her. She leaves six brothers and sister and her husband to mourn ... *The Recorder-Di-butte*, May 31, 1906.

5923. Mrs. J. C. Chase received word last week of the death of her oldest brother, Volucy G. Hatch, which occurred Tuesday, May 29, 1906 in Indianapolis, Ind. News of the death of Mr. Chase's brother, Major Levi Chase, at San Diego, Calif., came two days later. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 31, 1906.

5923. (cont'd) Major Levi Chase, the brother of W. U. and J. C. Chase, died at his home in San Diego, Calif, Thursday morning after a lengthily illness. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

.... The body was taken east for burial. Major Chase was one of the pioneer settlers of San Diego and saw it grow from a hamlet into a city. He was for years a leading lawyer and became a large property owner. He was upward of eighty years of age. He died of cancer. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1908,

.... The body was taken to New Jersey for burial. *The Bolton Signal*, June 7, 1906.

5924. Mrs. Clara Hastings Sprong, wife of Chas. Sprong, who was a graduate of Campbell college, died at her home in Potter, Kans., May 24. Mrs. Sprong was in her 29th year and was sick a short time Mrs. Sprong was a granddaughter of the Rev. Pardee Butler, of Atchison county, who was sent down Missouri the river on a raft by border ruffians in the early days of the Kansas troubles *The Holton Signal*, May 31, 1906.

5925. T. P. Rudy was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, on September 24, 1842, and died at his home in Soldier, Kan., May 30, 1906, aged 63 years, 8 months and 4 days In 1862 T. P. Rudy was married near the home of his birth, to Miss Louisa Francis, and then came to Kansas and settled on the place known as the Rudy homestead 3 miles south of Soldier, and resided there until a few years ago when he quit the farm and moved to Soldier. To Mr. and Mrs. Rudy were born eight children, Edward, Samuel, Pearl and Arch Rudy and Rose McDonald survive him, three having gone on before, *'one daughter dying in infancy, one at the age of eight, and Mrs. George McDonald died

some fifteen years ago. Besides these living children the deceased leaves a wife, one brother, Wm. Rudy, of Fresno, California, three sisters, Mrs. E. Fairbank, of Holton, Kan., Mrs. Margaret Conklin, of Mexico, Mo., and Mrs. Sarah Fountain, of Zanesville, Ohio, and a large number of grandchildren to mourn his departure. Mr. Rudy was a very industrious man. When he landed in Kansas he had but \$25 in money and no other property. He was a hard worker and many a day he labored for the small wages of 50 cents, and at the time of his death he owned 640 acres of fine farm land besides town and other property. He was one of the old settlers in the strictest sense of the word. Before the railroads were built across Kansas he made three trips from the river towns to Denver by ox teams, and on one trip he visited Pike's Peak. He put in the first wheat that was sown along Soldier Creek, and was always counted upon as a progressive farmer. For twenty five years he bought and shipped stock and was known among the fairest of buyers. For over a year he had been in very poor health *Soldier Clipper*, June 6, 1906.

Soldier. —. interred in the cemetery here ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

Thomas P. Rudy. . . . *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 31, 1906.

5926. Mrs. Edna Nuzman-Olds Dies of Inflammation of the Bowels. Mary Edna Nuzman was born at Soldier, Kans., Nov., 20th 1879, and died June 2, 1906, aged 27 years, 6 months and twelve days. She was the oldest daughter of Lewis Nuzman, and sister of Arthur Nuzman, her mother died when she was a child. In her girlhood days she united with the M. E. church of which she was still a member. In May, 1903, she was married to John E. Olds who with one little daughter is left to mourn her loss. Her sickness was short, only one week *Soldier Clipper*, June 6, 1906.

5927. MI 'S. Ella Cox Davis died at the home of her father, J. H. Davis, southeast of town Monday of consumption ... She lived at Tonganoxie after her marriage until the death of her husband, returning to Holton several months *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906

Ella Davis Cox was born January 24, 1869, June 4 1906, age 37 years, 4 months and 10 days. She was married to Samuel J Cox, June 11, 1898, there after making her home at Tonganoxie, Kansas, where her husband died September 6, 1903. Two children were born to this union, one dying in infancy, the other, age 4, survives the mother. Mrs. Cox grew up among us, graduating first from the Holton public schools, later from Campbell college. She afterward attended the State Normal at Emporia where she received her training for the work of teaching which occupation she followed for several years, having held positions in the schools of Holton, Cawker City and Tonganoxie. She leaves to mourn her loss ... o -Fadhcx,mother, two brothers, one daughter, three step-daughters and one step-son— *flio//eco/oe/-2>i6/o/m*, June 28, 1906.

... In 1903 Mr. Cox died, leaving her with four children by ofbrmer marriage *The Holton Signal*, June 7, 1906.

Card of Thanks ... death of our daughter, sister and mother, Ella Davis Cox. John Davis and Family, Josephine, Elizabeth, Addie and Quinby Cox. *The Holton Signal*, June 28, 1906.

5928. Emma E. Cottrell was born in Hancock Co., Ill., in 1862 and died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Francis Clowe, near Circleville, June 2, 1906, aged 42 years laid to rest in the Ontario cemetery. Three sisters and one brother are left ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

Ontario Items. — she came here from Osborn, Kans., about two weeks ago to see her niece, Ruey Porter. She has been in poor health for aoumber of years. Her husband and sons came for the funeral which was held at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. M. Clowe on Monday — *Soldier Clipper*, June 6, 1906.

Emma E. Cattrell was born in Hancock Co., Ill., Dec. 10, 1864 and died June 2, 1906, aged 41 years, 6 months and 8 days. She was married to Albert Wilson Oct. 14, 1882. To this union were born 2 sons, John Edgar, aged 21, and William Clarence, aged 11. She united with the Methodist church Dearest sister, thou hast left us Clarence Cottrell and sisters. *Soldier Clipper*, June 13, 1906.

5929. Pleasant Valley. AR and Mrs. W. H. Wilkerson and daughter Emma, attended the funeral of Mrs. John Oldo at Soldier Saturday afternoon. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

5930. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miller, ofCarrier, }k18. buried their little infant daughter Wednesday, May 30. Mrs. Miller has been dangerously ill, but is recovering. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

5931. Mrs. T T. Berry, of Los Angles, Calif, arrived in Holton Friday to visit relatives. She is a sister of Mrs. J. S. Bouse. She came directly from Minneapolis, Kansas, where she was called by the illness and death of her mother, which occurred about three weeks ago. Mrs. Berry will go from here to Nebraska for ovisit before returning to California. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 7, 1906.

5932. East Grant. Andrew Young, formerly of this place died at his home in Lawton, Okla., on Tuesday, June 5. He was a resident of this county for a number of years and at one time was one of the most successful stockmen of Jackson county. He leaves a wife and four children *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

5933. Mrs. D. L. Bristow arrived at Wetmore Sunday from Fresno, Calif, and on her arrival received a telegram that her husband had died Friday night, the day after she left home. Mrs. Bristow was formerly Mrs. Carrie Benton, and was coming to Kansas for a visit, the first since her marriage to Mr. Bristow He suffered from heart disease ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

. for a visit with her father in Goffs Mrs. Bristow formerly lived at the home of Mrs. E. Fairchild *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

The funeral services of the late David C. Bristow, who died suddenly at Fresno, Cal.... the Eagles of which he was a prominent member. Besides the widow of the deceased there are surviving him, his father and mother, with a sister and three brothers, three of whom are residents of Wetmore. *The Holton Signal*, June 28, 1906.

5934. Mayetta. Word was received here last week of the death of Grandmother Flynn at her old home in Waterford county, Ireland. Mrs. Flynn was the mother of John and Michael Flynn, Mrs. Wm. Cooney and the late Mrs. James Cooney. For many years she made her home at James Cooney's but returned to her native land a few years ago wishing to be buried by the side of her husband. This good woman raised a family of twelve children, crossed the Atlantic four times and lived to be nearly ninety years old *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

From Pekin, Ill., Times.] Ex-Alderman Pat Flynn this morning received a copy of the Waterford Star, published at Waterford, Ireland, containing the following in reference to the death of his mother: "with feelings of regret we have, to week, to announce the death of Mrs. E. Flynn, wife of Pat Flynn, of Bridgetown county, Waterford. Deceased passed peacefully away on Monday, the 20th inst., at the advanced age of 90 years" Deceased came to the United States twice. She first came in the year 1.874 and spent three months with her children. She came again in 1890 and remained for eleven years, the greater part of which she spent in Kansas. She occasionally came to Pekin to visit her son Pat. At the end of eleven years she decided she would like to spend her declining years near the scenes of her childhood and returned to Ireland, where she had a son and daughter living. The deceased was a devout Catholic and always faithful to the teaching of her church. She was the mother of twelve children, seven of whom are living, Namely: Ex-Alderman Patrick Flynn, of this city; John, of Chicago; Michael, William and Anna Stach, of Kansas; James and Bridget, of Waterford county, Waterford, Ireland. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

5935. Mr. and Mrs. John Laird and four children started on the morning of June 10 to visit her sister, Mrs. O'Neil. Mr. Laird lived on the old Cartright farm. The team became unmanageable near the R. R. crossing just west of Denison and in making the short turn to go north at the railroad the occupants of the spring wagon were thrown out and the spring wagon fell on Mr. Laird and his neck was broken *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

John A. Laird was born at Cummings, Atchison county, Kansas, August 5, 1866, died in Jackson

county, Kan., June 10, 1906, aged 39 years, 10 months and 5 days. May 11, 1892, he was united in marriage to Miss Anna Greenlee of Cummings, Kan. He leaves a wife and five children who with a mother, brothers and sisters mourn his untimely demise. None of the children are grown, the eldest being 13, the youngest 3 years of age. The deceased was a member of the Ancient Order of Workmen and carried two thousand dollars life insurance. ... The remains were taken to C for interment in the Cummings cemetery Cummings

Mr. Laird moved from Cummings to Jackson county six years ago, and was forty years old. He was a brother of Mark, Frank and Robert Laird, of Cummings. The former is the postmaster at that place. J. W. Laird, of Mayetta; Abraham Laird, of Valley Falls, and Paul Laird, of Argentine, are brothers. They are the sons of James Laird, deceased, who lived at Cummings many years. John Laird owned a fine team of driving horses for which he paid \$350. It is supposed it was this team that ran away. Miss Greenlee, of Atchison, is a sister of Mrs. Laird. *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

Mrs. Nellie Laird called to Cummings Sunday by the sad death of her brother-in-law ... *Whiting Journal*, June 15, 1906.

5936. Soldier. Mrs. John Clark died very suddenly at the home of her son, John Haub, at Osborne, Kan., June 20. It is also reported that her husband, John Clark died several weeks ago but the report has not been verified. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

Word has been received that Mrs. John Clark had died at Osburn, Ids., June 2nd ... Mr. Clark formerly lived 1-1/2 miles west of town ... *Whiting Journal*, June 15, 1906.

Olive Hill Items. We were much surprised to learn that Uncle John Clark died on Sunday of last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Haub, of Osborn county *Soldier Clipper*, June 13, 1906.

5937. William E. Jones, better known to the people of Holton as Willie Tones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. B. Jones, died of appendicitis at Horton Monday, June 11, 1906. Willie was born in this city in 1888, and at his death was a few months over seventeen years of age. He left school something over a year ago and went to Horton to work in the Rock Island railroad yards The body was brought to Holton His parents, brothers and sisters. They were all at the funeral except his brother George who could not get here in time *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

Mayetta. L. W. Hileman and family were called to Holton last Monday by the sudden death of Mrs. Hileman's brother, Willie Jones *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 21, 1906.

William H. Jones He was employed in the yard offices ... promoted several times *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

5938. Mrs. Gertie Swartz died at her home in Topeka Tuesday morning. She was before her marriage Miss Gertie Powell and resided here *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

5939. The infant of Mr. and Mrs. George Synder died last week at their home in Atchison. *The Holton Signal*, June 14, 1906.

5940. Ontario Items. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mill died Friday. Interment at the Ontario cemetery Saturday. *Soldier Clipper* June 20, 1906.

5941. Word from Minter Clark states that his father's death was very sudden. He was real well the week before his death, worked all day Saturday, felt poorly Sunday and died that evening *Soldier Clipper*, June 20, 1906.

5942. Circleville. Word was received here last week that Newt Foster, a former resident here, had committed suicide by drowning. *The Holton Signal*, June 21, 1906.

5943. Avoca. Mr. Strosnider died very suddenly Sunday night of heart disease. *The Holton Signal*, June 21, 1906.

5944. Daniel Teer was born in New York City, November 6, 1839: died June 15, 1906, at his home east of Havensville. In early manhood he moved with his parents to Ohio where he enlisted in the Union army and served until the end of the war. In 1871 he moved to Holton and in 1874 was united in marriage to Susan Sears. Three children were born to them, John, Ora and Lizzie, the daughter dying several years ago. For a number of years he lived on a farm east of Holton, and moved 6 years ago to the Havensville farm. For the past nine months he has suffered intensely from a tumorous growth. The body was brought to Holton Monday, June 18, and taken to the residence of Mrs. E. A. Teer. At the cemetery the impressive G. A. R. burial service was given. A piece of Mr. Teer's regimental flag, which he always carried, was fastened in the lapel of his coat with his G. A. R. button when the body was prepared for burial. *The Holton Signal*, June 21, 1906.

... died at his home near Havensville Friday June 15, of malignant stomach trouble For a while he engaged in shoe making in this city and later he moved to a farm on Straight Creek where he lived several years until he moved to a farm near Havensville a number of years ago and where he died. He served as a volunteer in an Ohio regiment in the war for the union He was a member of the Methodist church and the G. A. R. He was married to his now bereaved wife shortly after he settled in Holton and she and two sons, both grown up, are left to mourn *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906

... Served during the war in Co. H, 98 Ohio Inf *Soldier Clipper*, June 20; 1906.

5945. Mattie E. Buchanan was born in Beechwoods, Jefferson county, Pa., August 9, 1861 and died after an illness of over three months, at her home near Denison, Kans., June 11, 1906. She was married to William M. Tweedy on May 19, 1881. To this union were born seven children, six daughters and one son. One daughter, Gladys, died in infancy. The other children, Ona, Ethel, Vehna, Faye, Hazel and Don, with the husband, are left to mourn her loss. Besides these, she has living in Pennsylvania, her aged mother, three brothers and three sisters. She united with the Presbyterian church of Beechwoods, Pa., when about fourteen years of age. After moving to Kansas with her husband in 1882, she became unidentified with the then, North Cedar, but now, Denison congregation of the United Presbyterian church and remained an active member until her death .. laid to rest in the R. P. cemetery *The Holton Signal*, June 21; 1906

Mrs. Mattie Tweedy, wife of Wm. Tweedy, died Monday morning after a long and severe illness

caused by cancer of the brain ... She leaves a husband and six children.

.... Mrs. Tweedy's mother, two sisters and three brothers live in Pennsylvania and one sister in the state of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Tweedy celebrated their twenty-fil¹th anniversary on the 19th of last May The spring following their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Tweedy moved to Kansas. After living near Valley Falls one year, they moved to Jackson county about three miles north of Denison, where they have since lived

Columbia. Mrs. J. A. Rawlins attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Win. Tweedy of Denison last Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 14, 1906.

5946. Arrington. Mrs. Cruise formerly of this place but who for the past year has lived in California, died last week of pneumonia fever and is to be brought back to Effingham for burial. Mrs. Agnes Ward of western Kans. is here to attend the funeral of her mother Mrs. Cruise. *Me RecorderTribune*, June 28, 1906.

Whiting. Mr. J. Cruise living on the Heatherly farm north east of town was called to Los Angeles, Cal., last week by the fatal illness of his mother, but after starting received a message at Holton that his mother had died *The Hollon Signal*, July 5, 1906.

Richard Cruise was born in Roscommon, Ireland, May 2, 1829, and died in Holton, Kan., May 12, 1907, aged 78 years and 10 days. He came to America in 1848 and settled in Philadelphia living there only 8short time. He then moved to Maryland, where he lived a few years, after which he moved to Wayne Co., Indiana, where he met and married Eleanora Timmons in 1856. In 1868 he came to Kansas and settled in Atchison Co., where he lived until three years ago when he moved to California for his health. His wife dying there one year ago, he came back to Kansas and lived in Horton until the time of his death. He was the father of fourteen children, all of whom are living except the oldest daughter who died in childhood The funeral was held in Effingham at St. Ann's church and the remains were laid to rest by the side of his wife His surviving children are Mrs. Bohannon, of Holton; Mrs. Anna Plummer, of Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. John Wagner, of Arrington; Mrs. John Eckert, Mrs. Jacob Eckert and Arthur Cruise, of Horton; Miss Fanny Cruise, of Horton; Mrs. Fred Herrist, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Fred Ward, of Houston, Kan.; A. D. Cruise, of Los Angeles; Joe Cruise, of Whiting; and Richard Cruise, of Horton. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 30, 1907.

Arrington Mr. Cruise who for many years lived east of Arrington. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

Arrington. Mrs. John Wagner, east of town, took her son to Effingham Friday to see the doctor and while there she was taken sick and died Saturday morning before relatives could reach her. She died of heart trouble .. Mrs. Wagner was a comparatively young woman, but she had worked hard all her life and just last year they had finished auice new home and she was just preparing to enjoy life when death ended all. She leaves a husband and two sons. The funeral will be held today (Monday) at Effingham at ten o'clock and the remains will be interred in the Catholic cemetery there *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

Arrington. Mary Elizabeth Cruise was born near Monrovia, Atchison county, Kansas, Feb. 4, 1872,

died at Effingham, Kans., Aug. 17, 1907, of neuralgia of the heart, aged 35 years, 6 months and 13 days. She was married to John Wagner Sept. 10, 1890. To this union were born two children, William and James. Three months ago her father, Richard Cruise, died in Horton and 14 months ago mother died in California. She leaves a husband and two sons, seven sisters; Mrs. Fred Harriott, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Anna Plummer, Lawton, Okla.; Mrs. Frank Ward, Hanaton, Kans.; Mrs. Bohannon, east of Holton; Mrs. John and Mrs. Jacob Eckert, of Arrington; and Miss Fannie Cruise, of Horton and five brothers, Andrew and William, Los Angeles, Cal.; Arthur, east of town; Joe, of Whiting and Dick, of Horton to mourn *Hie Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

Mrs. W. H. Bohannon *The Holton Signal*, August 22, 1907.

5947. Fred D. Draper was born at Robinson, Brown county, Kansas, on Jan. 2, 1885, and died June 14, 1906, (from the effects of an accidental shooting, which occurred the day before) aged 21 years, 5 months and 12 days. He was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Draper On March 15, 1905, Fred D. Draper was united in marriage to Miss Lula Johnson, and to this union was born one son Clipper. - *The Holton Signal*, June 28, 1906.

5948. Atchison Globe. - It is reported that John Baptiste died recently at his home on the Pottawatomie reserve. John Baptiste was probably better known at one time in Atchison county than any other Kickapoo Indian. In the early days when physicians were scarce, he treated many white people with medicines made from barks, herbs and roots and made quite a reputation as a doctor. He was a temperance man and nothing grieved him more than to see his friends drink whiskey. John Baptiste was absolutely honest. At one time he was quite well-to-do, owing a large tract of land south of Horton, stocked with cattle, horses and hogs. Bur he was no match for the shrewd white traders and gradually lost all his property. From the fact that he seldom laughed, he was know as the Indian who never smiled. His age must have been nearly 100 years. *The Holton Signal*, June 28, 1906.

5949. S. W. Wheeland was called to Colorado Monday by the death of his brother. *The Holton Signal*, June 28, 1906.

5950. The announcement of the death of Mrs. Henry Mees, formerly of Nadeau, was announced last week, as having occurred at the family residence in St. Marys. It was there was born, raised and was best known bereaved husband and the bright little children ... *The Hoyt Sentinel*, June 29, 1906.

5951. Hoyt. John W. Brewster was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, November 26, 1822, and died at Hoyt, Jackson county, Kansas, June 26, 1906, at the age of 84 years and five months. He was united in marriage to Miss Magdeline Rear, who died July 9, 1899. The decated was converted when a young man and unieed with the Methodist Episcopal church in which during his earlier years he was an active and aggressive worker. Since coming to Hoyt to live a year ago he has not been able to attend church regularly on account of physical infirmities Mr. Brewster first came to Kansas in 1864, but did not stay, but returned as far east as Illinois. In 1862 he again came to Kansas and brought the farm now owned by W. L. Pettijohn. On account of an accident in which Mrs. Brewster suffered with a broken shoulder, they only stayed on the farm one year, and moved to Topeka, where they lived twenty-one years. Mr. Brewster and his only son, W. W. Brewster, returned again to Kansas last June, from a two year's stay in Ohio, and brought their little home in Hoyt, where they

have lived until now — reuzuinatukcd to Topeka Cemetery for burial —. /bc7/ov/ Senliliel, June 29, 1906.

5952. Olive Hill Items. Saturday AM. JFairbanks received utelegram stating that little Avery, only son of Morie Shaklee had died at ten o'clock that morning ... *Soldier Clipper*, July 4, 1906.

5953. Fourty years ago last June 1st, Thos. Cline was buried in the Soldier cemetery, being the first person buried there; two weeks later Grandma Racier was buried there being the second burial in the cemetery. *Solclie/Clippe'*, July 4, 1906.

5954. Arrington. Mary A. Keyser was born in Montgomery county, Penn., December 19, 1836, and lived there until 1857 when she was married to David Hnonkouud moved to Iowa the same year. After living there four years they moved to Nemaha county, Kan., where they lived until 1880, when they came to Arrington where they resided until her death which occurred Tuesday morning, July 3, 1906. To this union were born four children, one daughter dying in infancy and one son, Noah B. dying about one year ago at Neosho, Mo. Mr. JoIiuf{eueko at Mechanicsville, Iowa, Mrs. Eldora Robinson, of Stillwater, Okla., and her husband, D. S. Heneks, and also her aged mother of ninety years still survive her. Mrs. l{ueekmbococounomember of the Christian church in 1872 The cause of her death was heart failure ... laid to rest in the Van Winkle cemetery

.... At the age of 20 she was married to Mr. David Heneks, moving soon after to Cedar county, Iuvvu.... In the fall oPIG73Mrs. HonukShnc&zouumember of the church of Christ at Ontario, Kan. She leaves a mother of ninety years, three brothers and two sisters *DioRoxu/de/-D-/bxo,ⁱu\y* 12, 1906.

Arrington. Mary Ann Keyser *The Holton Signal*, July 19, 1906.

5955. Saturday morning Mrs. W. H. Robinson was found about ten o'clock prostrated with apoplexy . -, She died about two o'clock Sunday morning. One daughter, Mrs. T. K. Tousey, of Houston, Texas, had started to Holton on a visit and arrived on Saturday, but her mother did not know her. Mrs. McCreary of Concordia did not arrive until after her death. Mrs. Robinson's maiden name was Hannah Morrison and she was born January 4, 1829, at Newton, Hamilton county, Penn. She was of 8fauly of nine sisters, four of whom survive her. At the time of her death, July 8, 1906, she was 77 years, 0months and 4 days old. At the age of fifteen, she removed to Illinois, where she lived four years. She then returned to Pennsylvania, where she was married in 1849 to Wm. H. Robinson. About seven years later they moved to Illinois, where they lived until the close of the war, when they ca000tnKansas. They resided for auucubcrof years on a farm north of Holton and have since made their home here. Mr. Robinson died about five years ago, having lived to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. They were parents of five daughters and one son. Four daughters survive their parents, Mrs. T. K. Tousey, of Houston, Texas, Mrs. Will McCreary of Concordia, Mrs. Leonard Meyer and Mrs. Stephen Perkins of Holton. She also leaves nine grandchildren ... laid to rest by the side of her husband in the Holton unzoetery.... *The Recorder-Yribune*, July 12, 1906.

. died at her home in this city last Sunday morning, July 8, 1906, of apoplexy ... Mrs. L. J. Myers, Mrs. Tom Tousey *The Holton Signal*, July 5, 1906.

5956. Leonard Musgrove was born in Jackson county, Ohio, August 14, 1842. He came to Jackson county, Kansas, with his father in October 1870. In February 1871, he was married to Miss Mary Willington, who with their son, Stanford, are left to mourn In t 897, he moved to Oklahoma to make his home with his son The 28th of June 1905 he united with the Methodist church July 6, 1906, he went to join the ones gone before, his father, mother, sister, and three brothers. Six brothers are still living, Elijah, Levi, Milton, Melvin, Lemuel and Randolph. He was buried from the home of his brother, Judge Musgrove *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 12, 1906.

5957. C. T. Hessie, who used to live at Netawaka, died at his home in Frankfort Sunday. He was a prominent stock man, both in this and Marshall counties. He carried a policy of \$5000 in the Old Line Banker's Life Insurance Co. *The Recorder-T r•ibune*, July 12, 1906.

5958. A telegram was received Monday announcing the death of Judge Ward S. Hoaglin at his home in St. Johns, Ks..... *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 12, 1906.

... the death of W. S. Hoagland which occurred last Sunday at his home in St. John, Kan. Judge Hoagland, as he was known by Holton people, was among the early settlers of this city. A few years ago he with his family removed to Emporia, later to St. John, and at the time of his death, he and Mrs. Hoagland were operating a hotel in St. John. In his younger days he was a leading Mason, probate judge of Jackson county and a leading lawyer. He was also trustee of the Methodist church. Two sons and one daughter reside at St. John. Judge Hoagland was almost 80 years of age. The burial was at St. John. *The Holton Signal*, July 12, 1906.

5959, Sidney Ross, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hasson, died on Saturday morning, July 14, 1906, from the effects of accidentally taking a swallow of lye on April 6th. When the little fellow first took the deadly lye it did not seem to injure him much and it was hoped that no bad results would follow, but in a few weeks the complications particular to such cases began to develop and it was found necessary to dilate his throat. This was done on three different occasions, each time revealing the plainly intelligence that he was growing worse, and on Saturday morning he passed away. Sidney Ross Hasson was born in Soldier township, on August 30, 1904, age 1 year, 10 months and 14 days ... laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, July 18, 1906.

5960. Whiting. Word was received Monday evening that A. L. Newton died at Topeka at three p.m. He had recently been taken there for treatment.

Whiting. A. N. Newton died at Topeka on the 16th. He was an old settler and leaves a widow and several children, all married and scattered. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 19, 1906.

A. L. Newton, father of E. C. Wagoner, died Monday and was buried Wednesday. *The Holton Signal*, July 19, 1906.

Whiting. A. L. Newton, who was taken to the asylum at Topeka, died there Monday, and was brought here for burial interment was made in the country burying ground south of town, on a farm known as the Estes farm. -Journal. *The Holton Signal*, July 26, 1906.

.... an early settler in St. Creek township and was well known in the vicinity where he lived. On account of failing health rendering him unable to look after the cares of the farm Mr. Newton

Purchased property in to^p/oand moved here last fiil|... *TVhilh*!,journal, July 20, 1906.*

Card of Thanks ... burial of our brother. Geo. A. Newton.

Parallel. Bert and Ed Newton started for their homes Tuesday evening. They came home to attend their father's funeral. *Whiling Journal, July 27, 1906.*

5961. NO. Frank Berry received word yesterday of the death of her mother Mrs. M. C. Nelson of Galena, Mn. Mrs. Nelson was 82 years old. *The Recorder-Tribune, July 19, 1906.*

5962. JoruahaJackson was born near Rushville, Ind., March 10, 1836, and died at her home near Denison, Kan., July 9, 1906. At the age of eighteen she with her parents moved to Morning Sun, Iowa. At the age of twenty she united with the Presbyterian church. After coming to Kansas her church membership was with the Reform Presbyterian of North Cedar and afterward with the United I»roobvt*ao. nShe was united in marriage October 22, 1861, to Joseph Scott. To this union were bom

Our sons and four daughters, one son dying in infancy ... interment was made in the Holton cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune, July 19, 1906.*

Mrs. J. A. Scott, aged 73, died Monday at her home about six miles east of Holton. She had been an invalid for several months. She was the widow of the late Joseph Scott. *The Holton Signal, July 19, 1906.*

5963. Denison. Ronald Wallace Buffon, son of Mrs. E. W. Buffon, died on the morning of July 15⁰¹, aged one year ... interment being made in the R. P. cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune, July 19, 1906.*

5964. Whiting. Albert Sourwine was in Whiting visiting friends last week and went to the cemetery to see the resting place of Grandma Bates. He will soon return to Puyallup, Wash *The Recorder-Tribune, July 19, 1906.*

5965. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Freeman and daughter, Mary, went Co Stanberry, Mo., last week where they were called by the death of Mrs. Freeman's father, J. F. Hamaker *The Recorder-Tribune, July 19, 1906.*

5966. Arrington. Annie Wagner was born September 29, 1864, at Miflin county, Penn., and was married February 8, 1887, to William High. She died July 15, 1906, at her home east of Arrington. She leaves a husband, 7 children, her father and mother, 4 sisters and 4 brothers ... remains were placed in the cemetery m1N0douvillo *The Recorder-Tribune, July 26, 1906.*

Arrington. Mrs. Wm. High died at her home southeast of Arrington, at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, July 15, aged 41 years and 9 months. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. She leaves a family of seven children the oldest of whom is 18 years old, and the youngest less than two years old. *The Holton Signal, July 26, 1906.*

5967. Circleville. Isreal McComas and wife and Mrs. J. C. Stauffer, received the sad news of the death of usister 3d()oaga. They attended the funeral last Sunday. *The Recorder-Mbune, July 26, 1906.* (coned)

5967. (coned) ... death of their sister, IVlrs. Burneson *Jackson County World*, July 27, 1906.

5968. The one year old child of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bair, of Minneola, Kansas, died last week of pneumonia. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 26, 1906.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fairley received the sad news last week that their little grandson, a child of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bair, died July 16, of pneumonia fever. The little fellow was about a year old. *Jackson County World*, July 27, 1906.

5969. Whiting. Mrs. Myrrick's little daughter who has been at the hospital at Winfield, died at that institution and was brought here for burial the burial was in the neighborhood cemetery, in St. Creek township, on what is known as the old Estes farm. *Journal. The Holton Signal*, July 26, 1906.

5970. Whiting. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carder went to Washington, Ohio, last Friday, called there by the death of the latter's brother, J. A. Parrott, Jr. Mr. Parrott was a familiar figure about Whiting 20 years ago and will be remembered by some of our citizens as the thresher and corn sheller. *The Holton Signal*, August 2, 1906.

J. A. Parrott more familiarly known about Whiting as Jack Parrott, died at his home in Washington C. H. Ohio, at 6:30 o'clock Friday morning July 20. He was the son of Jacob H. W. and Eliza Parrott, was born in Fayette Co. Ohio, and spent all his life there except about 3 or 4 years which he spent in the vicinity of Whiting, He was 55 years old and leaves a wife and one daughter, three sisters, five brothers ... The funeral was held from the old home church the "Sugar Creek Chapel" and interment was made in the chapel cemetery ... he had been in falling health for some time from a complication of diseases aggravated by Catarrhal fever. *Whiting Journal*, August 3, 1906.

5971. Mrs. Anna L. Marsh died at the home of her sister in Sterling Saturday, July 28. She had been ill for several months and a few days ago her sister took her to her home to assist in taking care of her. The remains were brought to Holton for burial Monday. Anna L. Carr was born June 28, 1849, in Decatur, Alabama. She was married to Chas. W. Marsh January 31, 1865. Three children were born to them. Mrs. Beulah McKean, of Esbon, Kansas, Merrill Marsh, of Wichita, and Mrs. Mattie Scullin, who died in Holton April 26, 1898. Mrs. Marsh had seven sisters and three brothers, of whom one sister and one brother now remain, Mrs. Laura Palmer, and Thos. Carr, both of Sterling ... laid to rest in the Holton cemetery ... affiliated with the Methodist church. Her son and her sister were present at the funeral. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 2, 1906.

... died of cancer ... son, Merrill Marsh, who is foreman of a printing house in Coffeyville. *The Holton Signal*, August 2, 1906.

5972. S. B. Osborn died at his home near Buck's Grove Saturday Mr. Osborn was 71 years old and had been a resident of Jackson county many years. He suffered a long time from dropsy which ailment cost him his life. Mr. Osborn leaves a widow and three grown daughters - Mrs. W. H. Cloverdale, Mrs. Al Barratt and Mrs. Eugene Van Duskerk, all of Buck's Grove. Mr. Osborn was a Mason and was buried with the honors of the order. *The Holton Signal*, August 2, 1906.

.. buried Monday at Bucks Grove *Soldier Clipper*, August 1, 1906.

5973. Parallel. Mr. Chester who used to live on the Parallel Road died in Hiawatha and will be buried this morning (Tuesday) at Netawaka. *Wikitlrrg Joun icd*, August 3, 1906.

5974. Local and Personal. Mr. Gordon was called to Bonner Springs last week by a message announcing the death of his mother. *Jackson County World*, August 5, 1906.

5975. Mrs. Susan Schoenecker died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Orren Taylor, at 10:40 a. m., last Friday. Bright's disease with a complication of other ailments caused her death. She was 65 years old, and a native of Switzerland. She had been a resident of Kansas for 30 years, most of the time having been spent in Atchison. She came to Holton last October. Mrs. Schoenecker leaves one daughter, Mrs. Orren Taylor, and three sons, Louis Schoenecker of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and H. A. and Albert Schoenecker of Atchison *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 9, 1906.

5976. Jake Fredricey, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fredricey, died at Latah, Wash., Wednesday, Aug. 1. No particulars of his death have been received. A letter came from him about a week before, from his home in Redding, Calif, in which he said he was well, and the next news was the telegram announcing his death. He left a wife and one child. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 9, 1906.

The death of Jake Fredricey occurred in Aberdeen, Wash., the latter part of July. He was afflicted with a complication of diseases including inflammatory rheumatism, and affection of the gall bladder. He was sick in the hospital about five days, and after his death the Workmen took charge of his body and shipped it to his wife at Redlands, Calif., where the burial took place. This information was furnished W. B. Fredricey by a brother Workman in Aberdeen, Wash. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 23, 1906.

5977. Miss Mary Malinda Foster was born in February 29, 1872, at Circleville, Jackson county, Kan., and lived there until she was married January 1.7, 1892, to Milton Leslie Spiker of Circleville, Kan. They moved to Holton where she lived until her death August 4 at 9 a.m. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, three children, father and mother, four sisters and five brothers *The RecorderTribune*, August 9, 1906.

Mrs. A. Meeks was called to Holton by the fatal illness of her sister, Mrs. Leslie Spiker, returned to her home in Elk Falls, Kan., today. *The Holton Signal*, August 9, 1906.

5978. Mayetta. The remains of Charlie Davis were brought in from Willard this Monday morning. He was found in a dying condition near the railroad track at Willard Sunday morning and died Sunday afternoon. Interment took place in the Brick cemetery Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tr'ibune*, August 9, 1906.

Mayetta. Charles E. Davis, son of A. W. and Martha J. Davis, was born in Jackson county, Kans., Feb. 7, 1865, and died at Willard, Kans., Aug. 5, 1906, aged 41 years, 5 months and 28_ days..... *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 16, 1906.

Birmingham He lived at Willard, Kan*The Recorder-Tribune*, August 9, 1906.

5979. Mrs. J. D Haughey, who moved with her family from Holton to Phillipsburg a few years ago, died at her home August 2. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 9, 1906.

5980. Mrs. Marjory White died near Roseberry July 26, 1906, of dropsy and complications, from which she had suffered for many years, the last year of her life rendering constant attendance necessary. Deceased was born in Canada May 9, 1848, and moved to the United States while very young. She leaves a husband., four sons and a daughter to mourn their loss. Two of the sons live in this valley in the vicinity of Roseberry - Lardo, Idaho, Advance. Mrs. Marjory White was a daughter of Mrs. Jane Anderson, and in the early days resided in this community. *Soldier Clipper*, August 15, 1906.

5981. Mayetta. Enid Ann, daughter of W. H. and H. A. McCarty, was born June 21, 1902, at Eskridge, Kansas, and died Aug. 7, at Onaga, Kansas, aged 4 years, 1 month and 16 days The remains were laid to rest in the Stanley cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 16, 1906.

5982. Charles E. Bateman was born in Canada, November 15, 1850, and died at his home in Laramie, Wyoming, August 8, 1906, aged 55 years and 8 months. He moved to Holton with his parents when a child, and was married in Holton November 23, 1875, to Margaret M. Moore, who survives him. To them were born three sons and two daughters, Edward W., John M., Robert A., Elizabeth and Ruth, who are all living except Elizabeth who died November 16, 1885. He also leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Elizabeth Andrews living in Boston and Mrs. J. J. Elliott and John Mills living in Edmund, Okla. With his family Mr. Bateman moved to Laramie, Wyo., last September where he made his home until his death. Mr. Bateman, during his residence here, worked at the carpenter trade. He belonged to the Masonic and K. O. P. lodges, and was insured for \$3000 in the fraternal Aid. Mrs. Bateman, accompanied by her daughter, brought the remains of her husband to Holton for burial ...

Dr. R. C. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore came up from Kansas City to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, C. E. Bateman. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 16, 1906.

.... stricken about six months ago with paralysis which was the cause of his death *The Holton Signal*, August 9, 1906.

.... Margaret Moore daughter of E. H. Moore of this city *The Holton Signal*, August 16, 1906.

5983. A. M. Steele, a brother of Mrs. M. J. Shaw, died in Pittsburg, Pa., last Friday. He was 68 years old. He lived in Jackson county several years, on a farm, northeast of Denison. He left here fifteen years ago. *The Holton Signal*, August 16, 1906.

5984. Mrs. King, living five miles south of town died suddenly Tuesday morning of heart trouble. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 17, 1906.

5985. Mrs. Taylor Pennington living near Ozawkie, died Wednesday morning. The funeral was held at Meriden Thursday afternoon. Robert Willis and family and Mrs. Pennington and family, of this place attended the funeral. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 17, 1906.

5986. Mrs. 1V1. M. Beck, the wife of the senior editor of the Recorder-Tribune, died at her home in this city Thursday evening, August 16, 1906, at 6:40 o'clock. Although it was known that she was in a critical condition, her death came as a surprise and shock to the community. Mary Hamilton Scott was born in Putnam county, Indiana, July 12, 1840, and at the time of her death Thursday, August 16, 1906, was aged sixty-six years, one month and four days. Her father, W. T. Scott, died some ten years ago and her mother eleven years earlier. She grew to womanhood in Bainbridge in her native state and was married to M. M. Beck Sept. 10, 1866. She joined the Presbyterian church in 1860, and remained a member until with her husband and one child, she came to Holton in 1869, where she united with the Methodist church During the civil war, when her three older brothers joined the army, she assisted her father, who was engaged in the mercantile business as well as in farming, in the store, and when he was called south by the sickness or wounds of his sons she took charge of the business and conducted it with exceptional ability. In addition to such duties, she was for a considerable time, the president and manager of the Soldier's Aid society of Northern Putman county ... Mrs. Beck was the mother of six children. The first born, Edwin, died in Indiana at the age of fourteen months. The others, Edward Scott, Martha Milton, William Thornton, Clara Mary (Mrs. John D. Myers) and Lillian Sarah, all grew to manhood and womanhood and were at her bedside when she died. Two grandchildren, Catherine Mary and John Edward Myers, also survive her. Two of her brothers died in Holton, Dr. J. T. Scott and W. W. Scott. Three brothers, Capt. J. A. Scott, S. H. Scott and Frank S. Scott, and one sister, Mrs. M. A. Hand, of Los Angeles, Calif., also survive her *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 23, 1906.

5987. Moses Milam, a former resident of Holton, died at his home in Fruitvale, California, August 14, aged 80 years, 2 months and 2 days. His death was sudden, he having been in good health up to the day previous, when he was stricken with paralysis. This information came in a letter to Mrs. John .Maul, Jr., who is a niece of Mrs. Milam. Mr. Milam was born in Kentucky and when a young man moved to Missouri, where he was married 50 years ago last October. His wife was a daughter of Thomas Stokes, and shortly after his marriage he and his father-in-law came to Jackson county, Kansas, settling on a farm east of Holton. A few years later they moved into town. About 17 years ago Mr. Milam and his wife moved to California, where his son, Dr. Thos. Milam, was located. While in Holton he followed the carpenter trade ... He leaves his wife, his life long companion to mourn his death. His son died some years ago ... Presbyterian church in Fruitvale, he having been a member of that organization. :*The Holton Signal*, August 23, 1906.

.. came to Kansas before the war *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 23, 1906.

5988. Circleville. An Indiana paper was received here today by relatives announcing the death of Mr. Lafayette Oursler, brother of Raft's Oursler, who was one of the early settlers of Kansas, and who died in Circleville several years ago. Mr. Oursler died Saturday morning after an illness of but a few hours. He was stricken with apoplexy while working in his garden Friday afternoon. Mr. Oursler was 76 years, 8 months and 13 days old. He was at one time a member of the Indiana legislature. For many years he was a successful merchant. He sold out, and for 8 years was a traveling salesman and then purchased a boot and shoe store in Martinsville and another in Noblesville He retired from active business in 1889 and moved into his elegant new home in Indianapolis. In 1898 he moved to

hlainfield where he spent his last years ham-. Oursler was a Methodist ... *The Recorder-Tribune*
August 23, 1906.

5989. Scraps of Local News. Fred Zimmerman, who is baker at the Ott bakery, was called to his home at Alma, Kansas, the first of the week by the death of his father. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5990. Little Geneva, the only daughter of Fred and Alma Keller, of Adrian, was born March 10, 1905, and died August 24, 1906, aged one year, five months and fourteen days ... She was the idol of her home, worshipped by her father, idolized by the mother, petted by two little elder brothers ...

Mrs. S. R. Purdum returned home Tuesday from Adrian where she had been attending the death bed of her little granddaughter, the child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keller. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5991. Circleville. Addie Anders, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Anders, died Monday evening ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

Addie, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anders, died Monday evening and was buried in the Soldier cemetery Tuesday. It is claimed that the child died of diphtheria but it had other afflictions which the probabilities caused his death *Jackson County World*, July 27, 1906.

5992. Daniel Oscar Woodward was born in Simpson Co., Canada, March 19, 1835, and died in Atchison, Kansas, Aug. 22, 1906, aged 71 years, 5 months and 3 days. At the age of 23 he was married to Aurilla Sutton. Their home was in Michigan until 1871. At this date he moved to Jackson county, Kansas, and settled on a farm four miles south of Whiting, which was his home for several years. Twenty-four years ago he moved to Whiting which was his home for several years. To Brother and Sister Woodward were born four sons and two daughters. Two sons, one at 1 I. months and one at 29 years preceded their father to the spirit land. Seventeen grandchildren survive him. Brother Woodward gave his heart to God in his 16th year. He united with the M. E. church and continued this relation until he came to Kansas, when he united with the United Brethren church. He lived an earnest and consistent Christian life and for a number of years he held a quarterly conference license to preach the Gospel ...

... a patient in a private hospital in Atchison ... interment was made in the country burying ground on the farm known as the old Medlock place. Mr. Woodward was one of the very early settlers in St. Creek township, where he lived many years, accumulating a comfortable fortune farming and stock raising ... failing health rendered it necessary that he have better attention than was possible here, he was taken to the institution at Atchison where he died. - Whiting Journal. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5993. Whiting. Grandma Benthin died at the home of her son, N. J. Benthin, Wednesday evening, Aug. 22, after a severe sickness. She was an old settler having lived on her farm northwest of Whiting for many years Interment in Spring Hill cemetery. [later in column] Andrew Benthin arrived the first of the week, from California, called here by the death of his mother.

Denison. Mrs. D. Lawson was called Wednesday to Whiting by the illness and death of her mother,

Mrs. Benthin ...

Whiting. Mrs. E. Benthin died on the night of the 22nd, who has lived on their farm northwest of town 35 years. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

Mrs. Benthin died Wednesday Aug. 23rd ... *Whiting Journal*, August 24, 1906.

Mary Sorrensen was born in Hjoring, Denmark, May 8th 1835. In 1855 she was married to Edward Benthin who died Sept, 1888. In 1875 they came to Jackson Co. Kansas where Mr. Benthin died, and where the deceased has since made her home. She was the mother of nine children, seven of whom are still living. Mrs. Benthin has lived a long and useful life, dying at the age of 71 years, three months and 14 days *Whiting Journal*, August 31, 1906.

5994. Denison. J. B. Porter left Monday and returned Thursday evening having gone to Eldorado where he was called by the sickness and death of his son's wife, Mrs. Chalmers Porter. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5995. The infant child of C. B. Fundis, buried at Arkansas City four years ago, was disinterred and brought to Holton for burial last week *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5996. Mr. J. T. Wesley died at his home Saturday night about midnight. Cause was third stroke of paralysis He returned Thursday night from the Soldier's home where he has been for more than a year. - Soldier Clipper. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

East Grant. J. W. Wesley, an old resident of this place, died at his home near Ontario on Saturday, and was buried yesterday at that place. *The Holton Signal*, August 30, 1906.

Joshua Wesley Dead. J. T. Wesley was born in Kentucky on the 30th day of October 1847 and died at his home near Ontario on the 26 day of August, 1906, aged 58 years, 9 months, 26 days. He was married to Martha Riguey in Kentucky, December 20, 1865. To this union were born Nine children, five boys and four girls, all of whom are living, save one daughter, Rose, who died July 6, 1886. He enlisted in the 1st Kentucky Cavalry in 1862 when a boy of 15, and served faithfully for the remainder of the war. He was an honored member of the G. A. R. Post and loved his comrades and their association *Jackson County World*, September 7, 1906.

5997. Wilbur, Neb., Aug. 22. - The badly decomposed body of a man was found by the side of the road north of the Sunnyside cemetery here. It was not identified and has been buried by the county. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death from some cause to them unknown. In a pocket was a piece of paper on which was written in pencil the name Grant Lundy; no address was given. A man believed to be the same called at a farm house last Saturday saying he had come from Cortland, leaving in the direction in which the body was found. It was in a frightful condition, but appeared to be that of a man about thirty-five, with high cheek bones as if half Indian. He had a bottle supposed to have contained morphine; some glass beads and fine wire, and a silver quarter of a dollar Cortland, Neb. Aug. 25, 1906. [Letter from H. E. Tweedy to Capt. J. A. Scott] I enclose clipping from State Journal Lincoln, Neb. I am confident that the man mentioned in the item is an Indian that was on the streets of Cortland, August 17, as the description tallies. He had the bottle which had contained morphine and it was that drug that he was trying to purchase when I noticed him. He also

had the fine wire and beads. He was in terrible condition from the use of the drug. He said he was a Pottawatomie and lived on the reservation in Jackson county, Kan. He told about Hoyt and Holton and said he had an allotment. Of course this may all be an Indian lie, but is thought I would send what information I had to you and if there was any occasion for further inquiry it could be traced. I also am enclosing a small picture of a man and lady which this Indian dropped in a doctor's office at this place ... *h e Recorder-Tribune*, August 30, 1906.

5998. Mr. J. Q. Brown went to Griggsville, Ill. Sunday called there by the fatal illness of his mother, who died Wednesday. *Whiting Journal*, August 31, 1906.

5999. Arrington. Mr. Jim Ruble of Holton visited his mother-in-law, Mrs. H. B. Kelly, here last week. H. B. Kelly was born in Estel county, Kans., in 1832, and died in Arrington, Kan., August 24, 1906, of heart failure. Mr. Kelly came to Kansas from Kentucky in 1857 and lived in Muscotah, Kan., for 7 years. He then came to Arrington where he lived at the time of his death. A wife and two daughters survive him. Mrs. Dave Martin, of Coffeyville, and Miss Nannie at home with her mother, Two children have preceded him to the "great beyond." ... laid to rest in the Estes grave yard on Straight Creek *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 6, 1906.

Arrington. Nisine Estes was born in Madison Co., Kan., Dec. 5, 1822 and died at her home in Arrington, Kan., Jan. 3, 1907, aged 85 years and 27 days. At the age of 22 years she was married to James Kelly. To this union were born 5 children all of whom have preceded her to the better world. After the death of her first husband, James Kelly, she was married to H. B. Kelly Sept. 28, 1857. To this union were born four children, of these two are living, Mrs. Davie Martin of Coffeyville, Kan., and Miss Nannie Kelly who lives with her mother, the father, H. B. Kelly, having died the 24th of August 1906. Mrs. Kelly has been an invalid for several years from rheumatism, but her death was caused by cancer of the head In the Estes cemetery the body was laid to rest ...

... born in Madison county, Kentucky, 1822. She was married to James Kelly in 1842. Mr. Kelly and five children died in Kentucky. She was remarried to H. B. Kelly in 1858. She moved with her family to Kansas in 1889. The deceased was a sister of Scott Estes who lives in the Carbon neighborhood. - Muscotah Record. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

Mrs. Nisina Kelly died at her home in Arrington, January 2. She was born in Matison county, Kentucky, 1822. She was married to James Kelley in 1842. Mr. Kelly and five children died in Kentucky. She was married to H. B. Kelly in 1858. She moved to Kansas with her family in 1879. She was the mother of nine children - seven children and both husbands preceded her in death ... Muscotah Record. *Whiting Journal*, January 18, 1907.

6000. Morgan Brownlee was born the 6th of March, 1825, in Richland county, Ohio, and died Sept. 2nd 1906, in Holton, Kan., at the advanced age of 81 years, 5 months and 26 days. In his youth he came to Ills., July 1st, 1847, and was married to Judith Butterfield, of this union six children were born: Oscar, who died in childhood, Franklin W., of Idaho, Wm. R., of Holton, Mrs. Martha Bailey, of Goffs, Mrs. Flora C. Walker of Sabetha, Ks., Mrs. Frances E. Killinger of Beliot. Mr. Brownlee was converted in 1861 and became a member of the church of God ... He came to Kansas in 1868 ... The interment was in the Holton cemetery.

Others from out of town .. Mrs. Butterfield of Red Oak, Iowa .*The Recorder- fr ibrne*, September 6, 1906.

... He came to Kansas in 1868 locating at Goffs The body was taken to Goffs for burial. *The Holton Signal*, September 6, 1906.

6001. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mort McCauley last Saturday and the infant died on Sunday . Mrs. McCauley has been seriously ill, and still in critical condition ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 6, 1906.

6002. Tribute to our beloved brother, neighbor, fellow citizen and honored friend, Peter Dickson ... life work, which began in the state of New York on the seventeenth day of July, 1834, and continued through 71 years of the most eventful history making period of the past, ending Sept. 5, 1906. He went with his parents from New York to Wisconsin in 1850 and in his nineteenth year. He came to this county in 1856 and took up a tract of land in Grant township of which he has since been a resident. He was the first Free Soil settler on Banner creek and an active participant in the trouble which then distressed the unhappy territory. He was strenuously opposed to slavery and enlisted under the banner of John Brown, being with him in many of the history making scenes which followed and prior to his detention at Harper's Ferry. In 1860 Mr. Dickson engaged as a wagon master for the government and was thus occupied until 1868. He engaged principally in freighting supplies across the plains from Ft. Leavenworth to Fort Riley, Kearney, now Denver, Colo., Ft. Laramie and Windgate and as far as Salt Lake City. At the expiration of this service he became a government surveyor and operated thus until 1874 when he was elected county surveyor of Jackson county and retained this office until 1884 when he was elected Representative in the Kansas Legislature for one term. In 1872 he was married to Miss Lizzie Granger of this county. Three children were born to this union, Robert P. Dickson, Flora L. Townsend and James F., who departed this life some years ago. He joined the M. E. church soon after his marriage and has been a faithful and efficient member and official in the Banner church ...

.... The interment was in the family plot at Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 6, 1906.

6003. On Sunday last, September 2, the Angel of Death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Schermerhorn and in its winged flight bore to the spirit world the soul of their little son Lorenzo. This life was brief - scarce nine months since he came into the home interment took place in the Steward cemetery *The Hoyt Sentinel*, September 7, 1906.

6004. Conrad Fisher was born in Switzerland, January 28, 1843, and died at the home of his son, John, near Soldier, September 9, 1906, after an illness of many months. Mr. Fisher came to this country when a mere boy, was one of our oldest settlers, and served in the Civil war. The funeral was preached at the M. E. church of which he as member, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery by the Masonic lodge

.... He was afflicted with cancer A member of the G. A. R. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 13, 1906. (cont'd)

6004. (cont'd) Conrad Fisher was born January 24, 1843, at Herblingen, Shaffhausen Canton, in the state of Switzerland, and died at Soldier, Kansas, September 9, 1906, aged 63 years, 7 months and 16 days. He came to the United States in 1852. On December 26, 1861, he enlisted in Company C, 18th Missouri Infantry, and served until the close of the war. Conrad Fisher and Sarah Jane Bowman were married Aprils, 1868. To the union were born eight children, four sons and four daughters, two dying in infancy. His companion, Sarah Jane Fisher died on July 17, 1885, and his daughter Mary died on February 13, 1900. He leaves five children John, Charley and Will Fisher, Mrs. Olen Heiselman and Mrs. Nick Ewing, and two sisters, Mrs. Christina Hess of Onaga and Miss Louisa Fisher of Topeka. Conrad Fisher moved with his family to this township in 1883 and spent most of his life on the Fisher farm near Rose Bud school house At the time of his death he was commander of the Jas. B. Kyle Post No. 166 G. A. R and chaplain of Soldier lodge No. 240 A. F. & A. M *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

from the effects of cancer on his ear *Soldier Clipper*, September 12, 1906.

6005. Miss Anna Ruetter died Tuesday night of heart trouble, from which she has been suffering for a long time *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 13, 1906.

The funeral services of Miss Anna Reutter were held Thursday ... Miss Reutter was born in Jackson county in 1877, and lived here nearly all her life. She was the last of her family as she was an only child and her father and mother both died a few years ago. She as a member of the Daughters of Rebecca and that order had charge of the funeral ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

Miss Anna Reutter died at her home in the east part of the city Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock of heart disease. Mrs. Laverstock of Netawaka was with her when she died *The Holton Signal*, September 13, 1906.

6006. Oliver L. Naylor was born in Morgan county, Ohio, May 1, 1830, and died in St. Paul, Minn., Saturday, Sept. 8. Mr. Naylor lived in Holton about 15 years, leaving here about 10 years ago. He lived for a time in Soldier with his daughter, Mrs. Starcher, after which he went to Minnesota with another daughter, Mrs. Olsen, and made his home there until his death. Four daughters and one son survive him, Mrs. Olsen, Mrs. Starcher and Mrs. Vernon, who both live in Boise, Idaho, and Mrs. McCulloh, of Washington county, Ks., and Tom P. Naylor, of Falls City, Nebr..... Interment was in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 13, 1906.

Oliver W. Naylor ... buried by the side of his wife who died here in 1886 He leaves 4 grown daughters and a son and 2 brothers, W. W. and Frank Naylor of Holton. The body was accompanied to Holton by J. W. Olsen, superintendent of public education of Minnesota. He is a relative of the Naylor. *The Holton Signal*, September 13, 1906.

6007. Word was received here last Wednesday that Chas. E. Dyke had fallen off a train into the Platte River and was drowned. He was ill at the time. Mt. Dyke was the son-in-law of L. V. Bryan *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 13, 1906.

6008. An Indian named Sullivan, living in the southern part of the reservation, was found dead on the Rock island track near Elmont last Friday. The body was badly mutilated, a train having passed over it. The authorities suspicion foul play, and several Indians have been held for investigation. *The Holton Signal*, September 13, 1906.

6009. Henry Rogold Moore was born in Tippecanoe county, Ind., Feb. 11, 1827, and died at his home in this city September 1, 1906, aged 79 years, 6 months and 20 days. He was united in marriage with Miss Phoebe J. Nelson, in Iowa, February 13, 1856. In the fall of the same year they came to this state and settled near Holton, where he took a claim, which he improved and made his home for several years. In 1863 he brought a farm near this city where he lived until the death of his wife, in May, 1903. The union of Mr. and Mrs. Moore was blessed by the birth of nine children, eight of whom are still living: J. Eph Moore, Mrs. W. R. Anderson and Mrs. W. E. Bailey, of this city; Mrs. Gillfillin, of Bakersfield, Calif ; Mrs. Frank Hall of Fairbury, Neb.; Mrs. H. C. Hinkle, of Selma, Ia.; Mrs. J. C. Nelson and Miss Hattie E. Moore of Eldon, Ia.....The remains were laid to rest by the side of his wife in the Circleville cemetery ... *Jackson County World*, September 14, 1906.

Circleville. Henry Moore, one of the old settlers of Kansas, died at his home in the east part of town last Friday *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 6, 1906.

6010. Mr. Al Sharp, whose illness was noted last week, died on Thursday afternoon. His death was not unexpected, as he had been in failing health for several years Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Murrell left on the night train with the remains for Richmond, Mo., where the remains were interred. Aldus Sharp was born September 5, 1845, in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, where he was raised as a boy by religious parents. He came to Jackson county, Kansas, in 1870. He married Mary S. Smith, of Richmond, Mo., Nov. 26, 1873, and with his wife came to Blue Rapids in March, 1874. To this union two children were born; Lucy M. (Murrell), with whom he was living when he died, and Geo. S., who was killed on the railroad, June 14, 1901, aged 23 years. For over 30 years Mr. Sharp was a resident of Blue Rapids. For a quarter of a century "Sharp's Livery" was one of the well known stopping places for drivers on northern Kansas, and for some 20 years Mr. Sharp made the Arlington Hotel one of the most popular hostleries in the county. - Times. *Jackson County World*, September 14, 1906.

6011. Circleville. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harper who were summoned to Kansas City on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Harper's mother, returned home Tuesday evening. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

6012. Circleville. The funeral services of Hiram Bronson were held Tuesday He suffered a second strike of paralysis from which he died Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George Cain, Frank Bronson and family of Havensville, Roy Bronson of Montana, and Mrs. Chas. Early of Wakeeny, arrived the first of the week in response to the summons. Bert Bronson, of Idaho, arrived one day to late to attend his father's funeral.

Hiram Bronson was born in Lake county, Ill., September 28, 1939, and departed this life September 10, 1906, at his home near Circleville, lacking only a few days of being 67 years in this world. He leaves a wife, 4 sons and 3 daughters with brothers and sister ... laid to rest in the cemetery south of town *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

6013. Lewis W., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindsey died Friday evening ... The interment was in the Larkin cemetery

Louis Lindsey, infant son of Thomas J. and Fannie Webb Lindsey, died last Friday evening at the age of five months. The funeral services were conducted at the residence four miles east of town *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

6014. Whiting. Mrs. Scudder, mother of Prof C. O. Scudder, of Chicago, died in that city and was brought here and buried in Spring Hill cemetery on the 17th. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

Emily H. Disbrow was born in the town of New Fairfield near Danbury, Conn., August 26, 1829. Her ancestors were of Puritan decent through the direct male line from General DesCorough of the Parliamentary army, who married Jane, the sister of Oliver Cromwell. Children of this issue settled in New England where their descendants are numerous. In 1845 she was happily married to Orlando B. Scudder of her native town. But one child was the issue of this union. Thirteen years of married life was followed by the death of the husband and father in 1856. For the ensuing fifty years she and her son have been members in the family of her sister and brother-in-law, T. Y. Frost. The family removed from New York city to Creston, Illinois, in 1859 where she became a member of the Methodist church of which her mother before her was also a member, though her husband was devoted Presbyterian. Upon removal to Whiting which occurred September 1887 and the organization of the M. E. church, she enrolled as a member. She has lived to mourn the losses of her husband, brother and sister, but at last fell quietly asleep in her chair at the home of her son in Chicago on the morning of September 13, 1906, aged 77 years and 18 days She lived to see four of her grandsons arrive at manhood's estate, and the birth of four great grandchildren ... *The Holton Signal*, September 20, 1906.

.... Her son and wife of Chicago and grand son Henry D. Scudder of Manhattan, Ks.... *Whiting Journal*, September 21, 1906.

6015. Denison. A telegram was received her Friday a.m. announcing the death of James N. Downie of Colyer, Trego county, Kan. The deceased lived here for a number of years where Mr. Loose now lives. The body was brought here for burial Saturday on the noon train accompanied by his wife and daughter and her husband of Waukinshaw, also his brother-in-law, a partner in the lumber and hardware business, Mr. Alex Barnes. James Downie was born September 24, 1858, in Lawrence county, Pa. At the age of 10 years he with father came to Kansas uniting with the Reformed Presbyterian church at this place. April 3, 1884, he married Elizabeth A. Barnes, to which union was born one daughter, Laura, who with his wife, father, step-mother, and a number of brothers and sisters mourn his death which took place on the morning of September 14. He was buried here ...

Circleville. Prof Downey received the sad news of the death of his brother on Friday. He was buried Sunday afternoon at Denison. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

Denison ...:Interment was made in the R. P. church cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, September 20, 1906.

6016. Denison. Minerva. G. Reynolds was born April 6, 1839, near Marietta, Ohio, and died September 10, 1906, aged 67 years, 5 months and 4 days. She was united in marriage to John Hogue January 26, 1870. To this union were born two children, John Hogue and Katie Hogue Douglas. Her husband died August 20, 1875, and her son November 15, 1898. In 1900 she came to Kansas and made her home with her daughter. She joined the U. P. church at Denison, the next year She leaves a daughter and six grand children to mourn her loss. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

6017. Miss Friday, a daughter of Chas. Friday who moved to Jackson county from Norton a few months ago, died at her home in Adrian township yesterday *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 20, 1906.

6018. Havensville. Philip Dale Heiner was born in Rural, Ohio, January 18, 1890 and died at his home in Havensville, September 10, aged 16 years, 7 months and 22 days. *The Holton Signal*, September 20, 1906.

6019. Parallel. Mrs. Ella Grannell received word Saturday that a cousin was dead and was buried Sunday. *Whiting Journal*, September 21, 1906.

6020. Dr. Wm. Dold, of Lynne, Kan., a cousin of Dr. Carver, was killed in a runaway last Sunday. Miss Carver and Mrs. Hoffa attended the funeral which was held at Onaga Tuesday. *Jackson County World*, September 21, 1906.

6021. At 9 o'clock on Monday, Sept. 17, the spirit of Mrs. M. J. Pennington departed from the scenes of home a resident of Hoyt for upwards a ten years Mary J. (Watson) Pennington was born in West Virginia in 1850. She was married to the late W. S. Pennington at Big Springs, Douglas County, Kansas, July 21, 1858. To this union were born twelve children - six sons and six daughters - nine of whom - four sons and five daughters - are still living. Father, mother, one sister and two brothers also survive her. Her death makes the third in three years almost to a day - her husband, W. S. Pennington, having died a year ago, and his father two years ago. She was a member of the Christian Church the remains were conveyed overland to Stull cemetery, near Big Springs, where she was laid to rest *The Hoyt Sentinel*, September 21, 1906.

6022. Mon. Miller was called to Highland Friday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Davidson. Our people will remember Davidson as the aged gentleman who lived with Mr. Miller the first two years he was in this neighborhood. *Soldier Clipper*, September 26, 1906.

6023. Louisiana Loughmiller was born in New Albany, Indiana, October 7, 1838, and died at her home near Bucks Grove September 15, 1906, at the age of 67 years, 11 months and 8 days. She was married to Henry Kroth September 4, 1856. Ten children were born to this union seven sons and three daughters, all of which survive her except one son who died in infancy. Those left to mourn her departure are: the husband, Henry broth, sons, Charles, Frank, George, John Arch and Harland; daughters, Mrs. Samuel Clements, Mrs. John Venneberg, and Miss Edna who lives at home. All the children live in the vicinity except George and John who reside in Oklahoma, but were present at the funeral. Besides these, Mrs. Orlena Beach of this city is a sister and Robert, Tillman and George F. Loughmiller, are brothers of the deceased. Mrs. Kroth united with the Methodist Episcopal church at

the age of 17 burial in the Bucks Grove cemetery. -1 hrvensville Review. *Soldier Clipper*, September 26, 1906.

Henry Kroth was born at Felsberg, Germany, Nov. 2, 1819 and died at his home near Avoca, Aug. 5, 1908. Mr. Kroth came to America in 1838 and located in Kentucky. Here he married Elizabeth Harford. One son was born to this union, he now lives in Arkansas. In 1855 the deceased moved to Leavenworth county Kansas and the following year was married to Louisiana Loughmiller who died about two years ago. To the second union ten children were born, one dying in infancy. Mr. Kroth was a member of the German Lutheran church, a highly respected citizen and a prosperous farmer. He has been connected with the First National Bank of Havensville since its organization. The funeral services were conducted at the Bucks Grove church by Rev. J. A. Rousey. *Soldier Clipper*, August 12, 1908.

John Kroth, of Foss, Okla., was in town Tuesday. He was on his way home after attending the funeral of his father, Henry Kroth. *The Holton Signal*, August 13, 1908.

6024. After a lingering illness, which for the past year had incapacitated him for business, James S. Walton died of consumption, at his home, just north of this city, Friday, September 20. He was born on a farm six miles east of Holton, February 15th 1869. His father was John W. Walton, one of the early settlers of Jackson county, and his mother, before her marriage, was Miss Anna Parrott, who taught the first public school in Holton. James grew to manhood on the farm receiving a liberal education in the public schools, after which he studied law and was a graduate from the law department of Campbell University. He became a member of the firm of Keller, Hursh & Walton, the two later continuing in partnership after the death of the senior member two years ago. On Thanksgiving Day, 1899, he was married to Miss Isabelle McDonald, who survives him. He was one of six children by his father's first wife, only one of whom, John Walton of Colorado, is now left. James leaves two half brothers, William and George Walton, of this county. While attending college and after his marriage he lived in this city, but about a year ago he moved to the home of his brother, George, one mile north of Holton. He was a member of the M. E. church, belonged to the A. O. U. W. lodge and the Knights and Ladies of Security ..

Soldier. Mrs. F. P. Ramey attended the funeral of her cousin, J. S. Walton, of Holton Saturday

Drake He was a resident of this district for a number of years ...interment took place Sunday in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 27, 1906.

6025. Denison. Alfred Carol Taylor was born in Buchanan county, Mo., September 22, 1848, and died at his home in Denison, September 22, at 10:15 p.m., 1906, on his 58th birthday. Mr. Taylor was one of the pioneer settlers of this country, having resided here since March 1866. July 30, 1872, he was married to Sarah Gardiner of this place He was in business here for 15 years, having been obliged to retire about six years ago on account of his health He leaves a wife, one son, Alfred Marion, and a daughter, Mrs. May Barnett, of Soldier, also an aged father past 89 years of age, three brothers, two sisters ... interment being made in the North Cedar cemetery south of Denison.

Soldier. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barnett went to Denison Sunday in response to a telegram informing them of the death of Mrs. Barnett's father. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 27, 1906. (cont'd)

6025. (cont'd) J. M. Taylor and family of Thayer, Mo` Jesse Taylor of Burlington, Kan., and Mrs. Liza Gardner of Wichita attended the funeral of their brother, Alfred Taylor, at Denison yesterday. *The Holton Signal*, September 27, 1906.

Denison The following relatives of Mr. Taylor From a distant were present at the funeral services: Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Gardiner of Wichita, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor of Thayer, M.o., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor of Burlington, Kans., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence }r[Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gardiner, Ora Taylor and family of Holton and J. M. Barnett and thmily of Soldier. *The Ho/ton Signal*, October 4, 1906.

6026. Mrs. J. D. Elliott received a telephone message this week announcing the death of her nephew in North Topeka. The deceased vvaovioLi000fthcmuch-dreaded disease consumption Mrs. Elliott and son Leonard attended the funeral on Wednesday *?he Hoyt Sentinel*, September 28, 1906.

6027. Harry Stewart, who used to run the "Checkered Front" grocery in Holton, died at his home in Pittsburg, Pa., Sunday, Sept. 23, and was buried Tuesday. His first wife, who was a daughter of R. R. Chrisman, died several years ago and he had married again,. He leaves a widow, five children by his first wife and two by the second, one ob»by six months old. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 4, 1906.

... died of cancer left Holton 12 years ago. *The Holton Signal*, October 4, 1906.

6028. Haveusvil]e. ML and Mrs. I. H. Flowers buried their girl baby last week. *The/follo/ SiglictI*, October 4, 1906.

6029. Jefferson Davis, colored, died at his home in Topeka last Thursday and was buried Friday. Mr. Davis lived in Holton for two or three years, moving to Topeka about four years ago. His son, E. J. Davis, and family went to Topeka attend the funeral. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 11, 1906.

6030. Laverne Huddle, the young child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huddle, died Tuesday morning from the effects of being scalded Sunday morning. Mrs. Huddle was preparing hot water for bathing and had 8{nрге pan of scalding water on the floor. In some accidental manner the child who was playing nearby fell into the water *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 11, 1906.

... the two year old son *The Holton Signal*, October 11, 1906.

6031. Clara Frandsen was born at Whiting, Kans., Nov. 24, 1886, and died Oct. 1, 1906, aged 19 years, 10 months and 7dnyo. From early childhood she was a faithful Sunday school worker, uniting with the Methodist Episcopal church at the age of 13 years. She received her education in the public schools of Whiting, graduating from the public school course in 1904, at which time she gave the class history with great honor After her graduation she became a very proficient photographer under the instruction of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ireland ... In the present year she was seized with an attack of\agcippe,fo\lovvud by ioflanzm810rycheuouo1ia000f the brain and body. In May there was great hopes of her recovery until she was suddenly seized with another attack of rheumatism of the heart She leaves to mourn her loss a father, mother, sister, brother *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 11, 1906. (co ed)

6031. (cont'd) Miss Clara Frandsen, of Whiting, who made her home with Mrs. W. B. Ireland in Holton for a long time, died about noon Monday. She had been in Excelsior Springs for her health and was being taken home, when she became worse and died on the train between Atchison and Whiting. Mrs. Ireland went up to Whiting Monday afternoon to remain until after the funeral.

Whiting.... died on the C. B. train near Farmington, on her way from a hospital in Kansas City. Her father, mother and sister were with her *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 4, 1906

.... Miss Frandsen made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ireland for almost four years. *The Holton Signal*, October 4, 1906.

6032. Leon E. Atwater died at his home in St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 3, 1906, of typhoid fever Leon Emerson Atwater was born in Huron, Erie co., Ohio, Oct. 10, 1875, and so lacked one week of being thirty-one years of age. He lived in Huron until he was eight years old, then moved with his parents to Netawaka, Kansas. His education was acquired in the public schools and Campbell College where he took a business course that fitted him for the business he was to follow. In 1899 he went to St. Joseph, where he has been employed by the firm of Bartlett Bros. Land & Loan co. He had recently been promoted to the position of Land Inspector and traveled throughout Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri. He was married Sept. 10, 1902, to Miss Lucile Dixon, of Netawaka. A little daughter, Dorothy, came to bless their home, March 6, 1905, both of whom survive him He is also survived by a loving father and mother and three brothers, Chas. and Maurice, of Netawaka, and John W., of this city The burial was at Netawaka ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 11, 1906.

Leon Atwater, brother of J. W. Atwater, of this city, and son of Capt. John Atwater, of Netawaka, died at his home in St. Joseph Wednesday of typhoid fever. He had been ill only a few days and had been delirious all the time of his sickness Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Atwater and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dixon, of Holton, went to St. Joseph ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 4, 1906.

6033. Mrs. Arthur Friel was called to Oskaloosa on Wednesday to attend the funeral of her father. *Soldier Clipper*, October 10, 1906.

6034. America City Items. Mr. E. M. Kepler, after a lingering illness, died at his home near America City Wednesday October 3, 1906. *Soldier Clipper*, October 10, 1906.

6035. Whiting. Jas. W. Young, who lived near and in Holton twenty years ago, lived in Alaska since then, until three years ago he took sick, went to Oakland, Calif, where he died and was buried, left three sons, Ralph, Loyal and Boyd Young, in Alaska, all doing well. Loyal had a store on the island of Howcan, and had an interest in a copper mine. About two years ago he brought a fine residence in Seattle for \$10,000 and invested \$5,000 in a tract of land in Seattle for which tract he is offered \$20,000. Everything he touches turns to cash. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October II, 1906.

6036. Denison. Samuel Riley McDonald was born in Decatur county, Ind., Jan. 28, 1830, and died of heart failure near his home in Denison Oct. 10, 1906, aged 76 years, 8 months, 12 days. In Boone county, Ind. on Oct. 15, 1857 he married Miss Eliza Warren. Only one of three children resulting from this marriage is living, Mrs. Caroline Record, of Colorado Springs. His first wife died in April 1864 and September 1865 he married Miss Mary J. Warren, a cousin of his first wife. Nine children

were born to this union four of whom are dead From 1870 to 1883 he lived in Lafayette county, Mo., and from there the family moved to Atchison county and from there to Denison in 1891. Nine years ago he united with the Adventist church from which he removed his letter to the Christian church two years ago He suffered little from illness and his death occurred as he was returning from his daughter's, Mrs. Bertha Braum, where he had gone for his wife who had been spending the afternoon there. They stopped at the home of the Misses Hopkins to leave some apples and Mrs. McDonald wondering why he did not come on in the house returned to find him breathing his last at the rear of the buggy. A wife and six children mourn his death, Mrs. Caroline Record, Wm. McDonald, Mrs. Pearl Grimes, Hugh McDonald, IVIrs. Bertha Braum and Miss Mattie *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 11, 1906.

6037. Campbell College Items. L. C. and Carl wise were called home about two weeks ago on account of the serious illness of their sister. The disease proved fatal and Thursday word was received of her death. Blanche Roush and Sidney Schlaegel, cousins of Miss Guise and Anna Morgan went to Oneida Friday to attend the funeral*The Holton Signal*, October 11 1906.

6038. Mrs. James Rule, beloved wife of James Rule, died Oct. 9th, at Soldier, Kans. Miss Loucinda N. Weekly was born in Washington Co., Ohio, July 31st., 1859, died Oct. 9th, 1906 Age 47 years 2 months and 9 days. The deceased moved to Illinois when quite small and grew to womanhood in Atkinson, Ill., and in 1883 came to Kansas, where she married Hiram Southworth who died soon afterwards, leaving his wife alone. She married J. Rule July, 15, 1885, to whom two children were born Dessie and Maybelle who still survive her she has been afflicted, for a number of years, with that terrible disease, rheumatism from which she never found relief. Two years ago the family moved to Montana thinking she might be benefited. They returned to Soldier this spring. The deceased leaves a mother and brother

Isaac Weekly, of Atkinson, Ill., brother of Mrs. Jas. Rule, deceased, has spent the last ten days at Soldier. *Soldier Clipper*, October 17, 1906.

6039. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Noble of Whiting was buried from the home of C. W. Noble of this city last Friday *The Hohon Signal*, October 18, 1906.

6040. Beatrice, Nebr. Oct 15. - Ezra M. Buswell, one of the leading Christian Science practitioners and teachers of the west, died suddenly at his home here today. He suffered from dropsy and heart failure, but declined the services of a physician. He was a close personal friend and student of Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the doctrine. - St. Joseph Gazette. The deceased is a brother of Mrs. George Vail. *Whiling Journal*, October 19, 1906.

6041. We regret to record the death of Mrs. Mary A. Cline, widow of William Cline, which sad event occurred at her home in this city at a quarter after 9 o'clock last night, from typhoid fever, after a sickness of fifteen days, at the age of 70 years. Mrs. Cline came to Kansas when it was still a territory and settled near Soldier, Jackson county. It was there she lived for a number of years and became the mother of a large family of sons and daughters. Her husband dying in that county in 1882, she removed in 1875 with her surviving family to Mitchell county and for some years lived on different farms south of the river. For the past twelve years of her life Mrs. Cline has made her home in Beloit. She was a native of McLin county, Ill., and was marred to the late William Cline in that

county and state. Six boys and five girls were born to the union, of which number four boys and one girl survive the mother. Two of the boys, H. B. and R. W., reside in Beloit, and two of them C. L. and J. B., in Woods county, Oklahoma. The surviving daughter is married to Mr. Gus Eberle and makes her home in Guthrie, Oklahoma Beloit Daily Gazette. *Jackson County World*, October 19, 1906.

6042. Mrs. Geo. Dayton was called to Topeka Monday to attend the funeral of her brother's child. *Soldier Clipper*, October 24, 1906.

6043. Denison. D. W. Clark was here last week disinterring his father's remains which were buried here many years ago, and removing them to IVlinneapolis, Kansas. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25. 1906.

Denison. D. A. Clark ... from the R. P. cemetery, where it was interred, to his home where his mother is buried. *The Holton Signal*, October 25, 1906.

6044. Mayetta. Rev. E. P. Jones died at his home north east of Mayetta, Saturday, Oct. 27, in his 79^x year last resting place in the Brick cemetery beside that of his wife, who died two years ago. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

Edward Perry Jones was born in Graydon county, Va., October 28, 1826, and departed this life Oct. 27, 1906. In 1834 his parents moved from Virginia to the state of Indiana, where they resided until the year 1839, when they removed to Clinton county, Mo. In the year 1850, he traveled from Clinton county, Mo., with an ox team to California in search of gold, and remained there for eighteen months. In 1851 he returned from San Francisco by way of the Isthmus of Panama, New York city, cross country by railroad to the Ohio river, by boat down the Ohio river to St. Louis and up the Missouri river to his home. After his return on November 25, 1851, he was married to Miss Mary A. Daniels to whom he was engaged before leaving for California. There were born to this union three children: Edward Minor, who lived to be about eight years old; Sarah Margaret Macklin, who resides in Cloud county, Kansas, and Luella J. Harwood, who resides on the old homestead in this county. In his search for gold he was unsuccessful and returned home a disappointed man. He was twice drafted to serve in the Confederate army but each time was rejected on account of his health. In 1861, he, being a union man, was notified to leave Missouri within a given time or suffer the penalty, so he put as such as his personal property in a wagon as he could, and with an ox-team, drove through to Jefferson county, Kansas. He left the balance of his property in Missouri and never saw or heard of it again. In 1863 he with his family removed to Jackson county, Kansas, and purchased a farm in Cedar township, where he made his home from that time, with the exception of a short time he spent in Colorado from 1874 to 1876 in search of health, until his death. The deceased was known in this county as the Rev. E. P. Jones. He was converted at the early age of 20, and became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and for more than forty years was a minister thereof *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 8, 1906.

6045. Mrs. W. C. Tallman was stricken with paralysis a few days ago and died at her home at the residence of Geo. H. Barker in this city Thursday Maria Polin^g was born in Barbour county, W. Va., October 14, 1831, and at the time of her death, October 1.8, 1906, was seventy-five years and four days old. She was married to William C. Tallman Nov. 19, 1849. To this union two children

were born, one of whom, Rachel, died in infancy at New Carlisle, Ind., where they were residing at the time. In 1858 she moved with her husband to Marshall county, Iowa, in 1864 to Pawnee county, Nebr., and in the fall of 1880 to Holton, Kansas. Her only living child, Mary E., was married to George H. Barker in 1869, and to this union six children were born, Roy T., Will A., Fred C., Carrie E., Maria L. and Fay E. In 1886 the mother of these children died and the grandmother, Mrs. Tallman, at once took charge of her son-in-law's home and has been a loving and true mother to the children who have hardly known any other mother. In 1891 her husband died and one granddaughter, Carrie, died in 1895 united with the Baptist church when eighteen years of age ...

Roy Barker was down from Horton Sunday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Tallman. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6046. Circleville. The sad news was received Saturday of the death of Mrs. Annie Pope Stirton on Thursday, the 18th at her home near Guthrie, Oklahoma, after a three week' illness of typhoid fever. Her husband is very low with the same disease. Mrs. Stirton is well remembered here having made her home around here for several years before moving to Oklahoma, seventeen years ago. She is a niece of Mrs. M. H. Roller and Granville and James Eaden. Several years ago she became a member of the Christian church She is survived by her husband, David Stilton and seven children, three girls and four boys *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6047. Circleville. Mrs. Lucy Bailey received the sad news of the death of her son, Oliver Taylor, last Monday. He formerly lived here, but of late of Wellington, Ks. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

I. O. Taylor, brother of S. J., Taylor, died Sunday night, at his home at Wellington, Kans. He was well acquainted here, as he lived near Circleville for many years. *Soldier Clipper*, October 31, 1906.

6048 Mrs. Carrie O'Meara Walker, daughter of Thos. O'Meara of this city, died at her home in Moline, Ill., Wednesday night, Oct. 17th and her remains were laid to rest in the beautiful Riverside cemetery at that place Saturday, Oct. 20. Mrs. Walker leaves, besides her husband, Frank B. Walker, three children, Lynd, aged 13, Elizabeth, age 5, and Louise, age 2 years. Her father, Thomas O'Meara, and two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Lynd, of Moline and Miss Annie O'Meara, of this city, and two brothers, C. A. and L. L. O'Meara also mourn ... Onaga Republican. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6049. Denison. Another pioneer has passed away in the person of Mrs. Julia A. Renfro who died Tuesday, Oct. 23, 1906, at the home farm where her son Milton now resides, at the mature age of 86 years, 26 days. Julia Ann Worley was born Sept. 27, 1820 in Fleming county, Ky. At the age of 16 she united with the Methodist church. Dec. 6, 1853 in Buchanan county, Mo., she was married to James Renfro, whose first wife died leaving him with a family of five children, Edmond, Sarah, Mack, John and Arthur. To this marriage were born five children, Susan who died in infancy, William, Mary, who died May 4th, 1884, Milton and James. Mr. and Mrs. James Renfro moved to Leavenworth county, Kans., in 1855 and from there in 1858 to the farm where they died. Funeral services were conducted at the Cedar Valley church *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6050. Denison. A telegram was received here Sabbath morning announcing the sudden death of Dr. Hedrick at his home in Illinois. His brothers, W. H. and J. M. Hedrick of this place left on the afternoon train for the purpose of attending the funeral. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6051, Denison. Elizabeth M. Tanner was born in Schuyler, Herkimer county, N. Y., June 13, 1834 and died at her home near Denison Oct. 20, 1906 aged 72 years, 4 mo. and 7 days. When less than a year old she moved with her parents near Chicago, Ill. Dec. 11, 1851 she was married to C. H. Jones who with 4 daughters and 3 sons mourn her death. She was converted and united with the M. E. church in her 20th year laid to rest in the Valley Falls cemetery by the side of her son, Frank, who died many years ago.

Denison. Mrs. C. R. Jones died Saturday evening after a long illness *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 25, 1906.

6052. Parallel. Mr. James O'Grady received word Monday morning that his brother who has been in the hospital at St. Joe. for some time died Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady left for St. Joe. on the noon train. *Whiting Journal*, October 26, 1906.

6053. Drake. Blanch Hudgings was born in Alton, Ill., in 1872 and died Oct. 23, 1906. She came with her parents when a young girl to reside near Holton. She was married to John T. Bradley, in 1894. To this union were born six children, one preceding her to that great beyond. She leaves to mourn their loss a husband and five small children, a father, mother and two brothers. Mrs. Bradley united with the Presbyterian church when a girl interment was in the Larkin cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 1, 1906.

... died at her home near Larkin Tuesday night ... *The Holton Signal*, October 25, 1906.

6054. Mrs. S. H. Newell, Jr., died at her home in this city Thursday, Nov. 1, after a protracted illness. Her death resulted from heart trouble and tuberculosis, and the last one a surprise to her friends. F. Ina Shumate was born at West Liberty, Ohio, Sept. 1, 1876. She was married to S. H. Newell, Jr., at McPherson, Kansas, May 19, 1894. Her husband, and three small sons survive her. Her parents and sister, of Topeka, attended the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Shumate came up from Topeka ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 1, 1906.

Mrs. Rigdon of Las Animas, Colo., came to attend the funeral of her brother's wife and to visit her parent's Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newell, sr.

.... her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shumate, one sister, Mrs. Hoover, who reside in Topeka *The Holton Signal*, November 8, 1906.

6055The many friends in Jackson county, will be grieved to learn that the Reaper has again visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie J. Wing, of Colorado City, Colo. This time it has taken the wife and mother. Vickey Sewells was born in Madison county, Ky., Jan. 26, 1873, and moved with her parents to Illinois when quite a small child. When about ten years of age her mother was called from her family, and a few months later the father with his little ones came to Kansas and settled on a farm near Larkin where he died a few years later. For a time she made her home with her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stone, near Denison, where on Sept. 8, 1889, she was married to Archie J. Wing, of Larkin, Kan., and together they took up the care of life, and settled down to housekeeping on Straight Creek. Seven children came to bless their home, two having passed on to the better land, in infancy, and are buried near Straight Creek. A few years ago they moved to Colorado City, Colo. On Oct. 13, it became necessary to take her to St. Francis' Hospital in Colorado Springs, where, on the following morning she underwent an operation for abscess in the side On the morning of Oct. 25, at 13 o'clock her spirit went back to God The children are: Nellie, Lydia, Lyle, Odessa and Lola. The oldest one fourteen years of age and the youngest five years. The burial occurred from the home in Colorado city ... she leaves to mourn for her, two sisters and one brother, Mrs. C. C. Neff, of Monroe, Iowa, Mrs. James Parker, of Portland, Oregon, and Wm. Sewell of Colorado City, Colo. Mrs. Wing was a member of VA11. Sewell of Holton and Jesse and Henry Sewell of Holton. She was also a member of G. P. Wing of Whiting *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 1, 1906.

6056. Mrs. Herminee Beauchamp died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Jarvis, in this city Saturday afternoon, Nov. 3. She has been in poor health for several months and on Monday morning of last week suffered from stroke of paralysis which affected her right side and paralyzed her tongue. Mrs. Beauchamp was born Berthier, Canada, April 26, 1823, and was in her eighty-fourth year at the time of her death. She was a resident of Illinois for over forty years. Since the death of her husband, twenty-three years ago, she has made her home with her daughters. Three children and twelve grandchildren survive her. Mrs. G. J. Rivard, of Assumption, IU., Mrs. J. H. Jarvis and G. A. Beauchamp, of Holton, and their families the remains were taken to Kankakee, Ill., for burial .. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 3, 1906.

6057. Stephen Palmer Barnes, who was born Jan. 6, 1895, at Axpell Marshall county, Mn., died at 1:00 p. m. Nov. 2, 1906 and was buried at 3:30 in the afternoon *Soldier Clipper*, November 7, 1906.

6058. Miss Elizabeth Herbert, of Hiawatha, died at noon Sunday and was buried Tuesday afternoon ... She was Al but a short time ... Twenty-five years of her life were spent as a teacher, while for the past seven years she has been her brother's assistant in the post office

Mrs. W. T. Beck was called to Hiawatha Sunday evening by the sudden death of her aunt, Miss Elizabeth Herbert *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 8, 1906.

6059. Huldah Jane Mechem was born in Belmont Co` Ohio, June 10, 1833, and was married to T. T. Wright, June 9, 1852. To this union were born seven children, three girls and four boys, Sina, John Lewis, C. Addison, Gilbert, Minnie, Lola and Arthur. Four of the children - John Lewis, Gilbert, Minnie and Arthur - were waiting for her on the other shore Mother Wright and husband moved to Illinois in 1855 where they lived until 1882 when they moved to Holton. Here the father, T. T. Wright and the son, Arthur, bade them farewell and went beyond the stars She leaves to mourn her departure, three children, Mrs. Allured, Mr. C. Addison, and Miss Lois, three brothers, John G. Mechem, of Clarion, Iowa, L. Clark Mechem, of Centerville, Iowa, and W. S. Mechem, of Washington, Pennsylvania, and three sisters, Mrs. E. Moore, of Beallsville, Ohio, Mrs. J. H. McFarland, of Belmont, Ohio, and Mrs. S. J. Boyer, of Bruce, Wis. In addition she leaves a number of grandchildren

The public schools were dismissed Tuesday afternoon on account of the funeral of Mrs. T. T. Wright. Miss Lois Wright has been a teacher in the school for fifteen years ...

Those from out of town who attended the funeral of Mrs. T. T. Wright were J. G. Mechem and daughter, Mrs. Irving Nagle, of Clarion, Iowa, Dr. S. A. Bright, of Manhattan, Rev. Melanethon Moore, of Garnett, John Mechem, of Centerville, Iowa, C. A. Wright and family, of Topeka, Lee Wright, of Herrington, Mrs. Dexter Carey, of Valley Falls, and Pearl and Clate Allard, of Soldier. *The Recorder-Tribune, November 8, 1906.*

Miss Lista Allard came from Havensville Monday where she had been visiting to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. T. T. Wright. *Me Holton Signal, November 8, 1906.*

6060. Jackson Baker died at his home in this city Saturday, Nov. 3 after a long illness, at the age of 80 years. He was born in Greensburg, Pa., June 27, 1826. In 1879 he removed to Holton and has made his home here ever since. He joined the Evangelical Lutheran church when a young man, but on coming to Holton united with the Reformed church *The Recorder-Tribune, November 8, 1906.*

... joined the Evangelical Lutheran church at Greensburg

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Craig of Blue Mound, Kans., were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Craig's father, Jackson Baker. Mrs. Geo. Metzker of Topeka was here to attend the funeral of her father, Jackson Baker. *The Holton Signal, November 8, 1906.*

6061. Mrs. E. E. Lunger received word a few days ago that her brother died in California very suddenly. He had been ill only a short time and at the time of his death none of his children were at home *The Recorder-Tribune, November 8, 1906.*

6062. Miss Anna Moseman received word the last of the week of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Mary Huffier, of Falls City, Nebr. *The Recorder-Tribune, November 8, 1906.*

6063. Leander Smith his wife having died some ten or twelve years ago *The Recorder-Tribune, November 8, 1906.*

6064. Verna Mae Coulter, daughter of Frank and Lou Coulter, was born at South Cedar, Jackson co., Kan., Dec. 3, 1903, and died of membranous croup, Nov. 2, 1906, at 113 W. Locust St., Topeka, Kan..... *The Recorder-Tribune, November 15, 1906.*

6065. Mrs. Harry Brown, formerly of this city, died very suddenly last Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maggie Ayers, of Dodge City, and was buried Saturday at Trinidad, Col., by the side of her husband. *The Recorder-Tribune, November 15, 1906.*

6066. Geo. H. Burton was killed in Utah a few days ago and his remains brought here for burial yesterday. Mr. Burton was a brakeman on a freight train in some way fell between the cars. He leaves a mother, who lived in Holton *The Recorder-Tribune, November 15, 1906.*

We desire to extend our thanks ... death and burial of our beloved son and brother. Mrs. F. E.

Burton, Grant Burton, Mrs. Millie Miller.

Ed Wilcox, of Leavenworth, Kans., and D. F. Wilcox of Princeton, Mo., spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. F. E. Burton ...

Grant Burton, of Freeport, Kans., being called here by the sad death of his brother, G. E. Burton ...

Mr. G. W. Wilcox of Princeton, Mo., who was called here by the sad death of his nephew, G. E. Burton ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 29, 1906.

6067. Jane E. Derr was born in Frederick county, Maryland, July 17, 1841, and died Nov. 15, 1906, aged 65 years, 3 months and 1 day. Her parents died when she was very young and she made her home with an aunt. She was married Aug. 26, 1862, to Isaac R. Johnson, in Washington county Maryland, and with him went at once to Illinois where they made their home until 1869 when they came to Kansas and for 37 years they have made this state their home. Six children were born to this union, two of which preceded their mother to the "Long home." Sister Johnson was deeply religious. Converted and united with the Methodist church at the age of 17 She leaves two brothers, one in Ohio and one in Maryland, four sons, a sad hearted husband *Soldier Clipper*, November 21, 1906.

6068. Raymond Williams, of Seneca, was found dead in the railroad yards at Hiawatha early Monday morning. He had been visiting there that evening and had evidently attempted to board the train while it was in motion. His mother and father were on the train which ran over him, on their way home from St. Joseph. Mr. Williams and his sisters have all visited in Holton ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 22, 1906.

6069. News By Telephone. Ernest Gelspie, formerly of Olive Hill, but now of Seneca, was kicked and killed by a horse one day last week. *Jackson County World*, November 23, 1906.

America City News. Mr. Gillaspies' son living near Centralia, was kicked by a horse Thursday, and died Saturday. Mr. Gillaspie went to Centralia to attend the funeral.

We are informed that Ellis Gillespie ... ,*S'oldier Clipper*, November 21, 1906.

6070. Fred Young was born in Pottawatomie county, Kans., Oct. 10, 1855. He lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, in Holton two years, from 1901 to 1903. In 1903 the family moved to California where Fred lived two years and a year ago he went to Salt Lake City where he has worked for the Oregon Short line railroad. He was taken sick with typhoid fever some six weeks ago, and was sent to the Latter Day Saints hospital where he died, Nov. 23" . His body was brought to this city Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young and Clarence Young came here with the remains and attended the funeral. Mrs. Young is a cousin of E. H. Moore, of this city. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 29, 1906.

.... His parents who now reside at King's River, Cal.....Mrs. George Young of Havensville was here to attend the funeral. *The Holton Signal*, November 29, 1906.

Mrs. George Young went to Holton Monday afternoon to attend the funeral of her nephew, Fred

Young, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, who died while working for Will Young in Utah. The body was accompanied to Holton by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young, of California, and Clarence Young who came home with his motherHavensville Review. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

6071. Mrs. J. W. Lamme and Mrs. C. J. Hardin were called to Hiawatha Sunday by the death of Mrs. Anderson. She is the mother of Mrs. C. D. Lamme *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 29, 1906.

... Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, who died Sunday night. Mrs. Anderson formerly lived in Holton and had many friends here. *The Holton Signal*, December 6, 1906.

6072. After a long illness of 13 weeks, Wm. C. Bernard passed away to a better life on Friday, Nov. 23. The deceased had contracted a severe case of typhoid fever He was born in Saginaw, Michigan, on February 13, 1856, and came to Kansas in 1900, and since 1901 has been a resident of Holton, Kas. In April 1903, he was married to Reba Harp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Harp, of Holton. He leaves a wife, three sisters, Mrs. J. S. McQuade, Mrs. John McPeak, both of Saginaw, Mich., Helen C. Bernard, of Detroit, Mich., and a twin brother, Jack F. Bernard, of Holton, Kas laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery two miles west of Holton *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 29, 1906.

6073. Robert N. Adamson, one of the early settlers of Holton, died in Los Angeles, Calif, Nov. 26, of neuralgia of the heart. Burial will be near his home in California *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 29, 1906.

... brother of Dr. V. V. Adamson of this city, died at his home, 2113 Central Ave., Los Angeles ... He was a native of Indiana and was 67 years of age. He resided here a number of years ago, moving from here to Topeka where he was employed by the Santa Fe Railway company as tin and copper smith. He moved from Topeka to Argentine and from there to California. He was a member of the First Kansas Infantry and fought through the war of rebellion. He leaves a widow and two sons. One son lives at Argentine. *The Holton Signal*, November 29, 1906.

6074. The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Norris, age 2-1/2 years, died of brain fever at their home in Everest, Kans., last Sunday. *The Holton Signal*, November 29, 1906.

Havensville. Jesse Norris, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Norris, died of spinal meningitis Sunday evening. *The Holton Signal*, December 6, 1906.

6075. Mrs. Shove was called to Everest Monday on account of the death of her daughter's child. *Soldier Clipper*, November 29, 1906.

6076. On Tuesday Grandma Weelands received the sad intelligence of the death of her son who lived in northern Canada. *Soldier Clipper*, November 28, 1906.

6077. Mrs. James Baker was called to Missouri Sunday, on account of the death of her mother which occurred on Sunday. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, November 30, 1906.

6078. Whiting. A child of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hovorks died Monday evening, after a short sickness. The remains were taken to Barnes Tuesday for interment *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

Walter Emanuel Hovorka infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hovorka, was born May 18, 1906 and died very suddenly Dec. third Barnes Kansas where interment was made. *Whiling Journal*, December 7, 1906.

6079. Henrietta Emilie Christine Linneman was born in Flensburg, Germany, April 2, 1833, and died in this country, Nov. 30, 1906, aged 72 years, 7 months and 28 days. She with her husband and five children came to this country in 1881 and made her home in Kansas ever since. The five older children remained in Germany for a year after their parents and then joined them in America. In 1882 her husband died and since that time she has made her home with her children. Three of them have died, but seven children and many grandchildren remain ... the children are: Mrs. Helen Olsen, Irving, Oregon, Andrew Linneman, Trenton, Nebr., Mrs. N. P. Nissen and Mrs. Hans Olsen, Whiting, Kan., Mrs. Hans Janson, Netawaka, Christian Linneman, Los Angeles, Calif, and Charlie Linneman, Whiting ... interment was in the Netawaka cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

6080. Benton Clay Brown died in this city Saturday morning, December 1, 1906, of cancer of the bowels Benton Clay Brown was the third son of Zara and Nancy Brown, and was born in Iroquois county, Ill., Feb. 24, 1857, being 49 years, 10 months and 6 days of age at the time of his death. At the age of two years, he came with his parents to Jefferson township, Jackson county, Kansas, where he has since resided. His parents settled on the farm just east of Ontario, upon their arrival, and there the largest part of his life was spent. He was united in marriage with Miss Myrtle G. Hill, February 24, 1884. To this union six children were born, four of which have preceded him to the better land. Oral and Harry with the mother survive him. He also leaves his mother, four brothers, three sisters and an uncle to mourn his death ... the remains were taken to Pleasant Grove cemetery for interment, which ceremony was conducted by the Woodman of this city, of which he was a member. *Jackson County World*, December 7, 1906.

.... left a wife and two children; also his mother, four brothers and three sisters - Z. E. and C. L. Brown of Holton, M. A. Brown of Ontario, E. L. Brown of Guthrie, Okla., Mrs. Carrie Lowe of Council, Idaho, Mrs. Joseph McDonald of Netawaka, and Mrs. Bert Wolverton of Guthrie, *The Holton Signal*, December 6, 1906.

... last spring moved with his family the western part of the state with hopes that his health would be benefited, but he grew worse, so this fall he and his family returned to Circleville. He has lived near Ontario and on farms adjoining Circleville most of his life *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

Circleville. Oral Brown who was called here by the death of his father, will return to Winona, Kan., after Christmas. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

Circleville. Mr. Rounsiville of Colorado was called here last week by the death of his relative, Benton Brown. *The Holton Signal*, December 6, 1906.

6081 . Mayetta. Kitchcummewalka., an Indian who lived on the Reservation, was found dead in the street Thursday evening, Nov. 29. His sudden death was said to have been caused by heart failure. His relatives took charge of the remains and after the funeral, which occurred the next clay, he was buried in the Indian cemetery near Nadeau. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

Kilch comic waka, an Indian, fell dead in front of Coheen's hardware store in Mayetta Thanksgiving day. It is said that he had been drinking lemon extract. County Attorney M. A. Bender says he will make an investigation. A good many Indians drink lemon extract as a beverage, getting blind drunk on it. Mr. Bender says he will make it hot for people who sell lemon extract on which users can get drunk. *The Holton Signal*, December 6, 1906.

6082. Mayetta. We have written of the sad news of Andrew Salts. He was born at Chatham, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1833, there he spent his boyhood days. When a young man he went to White Creek, Wis., where later, he married Miss Mary J. Twist. They resided at this place thirteen years and while there three children were born to them, Mrs. John A. Harris, Mrs. James Morris, Jr., and Ben. F. Salts. In 1870 they came to Kansas and settled on a farm southeast of Mayetta, where he still resided at the time of his death, Nov. 26, 1906 ... remains were laid to rest near Hoyt ... He was a member of the Masonic lodge at Hoyt ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

Mayetta. The community was shocked and saddened by the sudden death of Mrs. A. J. Salts ... Mr. Salts died Nov. 26, 1906, and his beloved wife joined him March 15, 1907. Miss Jennie W. Twist was born at White Creek, Wis., March 19, 1831, and died at her home three and a half miles southeast of town, March 15, 1907. On Nov. 2, 1858, she was married to Andrew Salts. They came to Kansas and settled on a farm where she passed away, living there 37 years She leaves three children, Mrs. James Harris, Jr., Mrs. John Harris and B. F. Salts to mourn laid to rest in the Hoyt cemetery beside her late husband. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 21, 1907.

6083. Denison. Max Francis, son of George O'Neill, and wife, Valley Falls, aged 3 mo., who died Tuesday morning Nov. 27, was buried here in the R. P. cemetery. He was a grandson of John O'Neill. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

6084. Mr. James Miller received a telegraph yesterday morning, announcing the death of Mrs. S. A. Jones, of Topeka. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

6085. Ed. Armstrong a stepson of Mrs. C. H. Williams, was found dead in the rail'oad yards at Kansas City Sunday morning. He was a foreman in the switch yards and met death in some way which will never be explained ... The remains were taken to Chillicothe, Mo., for burial and the funeral was held Tuesday. Mrs. Williams and her son, Harmon Armstrong, of Holton, attended. A wife and two children survive ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.

High School Notes ... extend to our fellow classmate, Oliver Armstrong, our sympathy in his sorrow at the death of his brother, E. R. Armstrong. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

6086. Frank Fleming, son of W. J. Fleming died at his sister, Bessie Everett's at Wakeeney, Dec. 6th and was buried at Whiting, Dec. His acute sickness was short. He was buried by the side of his mother. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906. (cont'd)

6086. (eonrd) Frank C. Fleming, nephew of Mrs. W. E. Brown of this city of bronchial pneumonia. He was born at Whiting in April 1879. In 1900 he moved with his parents to Pueblo. Last winter he made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Brown. The remains were brought to Holton by his brother-in-law, Rev. J. C. Everett last Saturday and taken to Whiting ... His mother died almost a year ago. His father resides in Pennsylvania but owing to his health was unable to be present at the funeral *The Holton Signal*, December 13, 1907.

Frank F. Flemming was born at Whiting, Ks. April 15, 1879 died at Wakeena, Ks. December 6, 1906 Interred in the Springhill cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, December 14, 1906.

6087. On Friday noon J. T. Holston received word that his sister, Mrs. Hooper who lived at Odessa, Mo., died that morning. Mrs. Holston and daughter, Mrs. Friend ... *Soldier Clipper*, December 12, 1906.

6088. Benj. Ringo, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. David Jessee died at his home in Oklahoma Friday. *Soldier Clipper*, December 12, 1906.

6089. Denison. The infant child of W. J. and Mary Robb died Thursday at the home of its grandmother, Mrs. Wright *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

6090. Denison. Mrs. Sadie Greenlee was here attending the funeral of her sister's little boy. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

6091. Mayetta. Word came from Ireland telling of the death of James Flynn, father of Mary and Kate Flynn, who came to this country a few years ago and made their home at Will Cooney's. Six sons and three daughters are left without father or mother, as Mrs. Flynn died several years ago. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

6092. Michael Walsh, one of the oldest settlers of Jackson county was born at Waterford county, Ireland, in 1846, and died at his home two miles north of Mayetta on Thursday, Dec. 13 He came to America when a young boy and settled in Connecticut where he was married to Mary Donnelly in 1872 who still survives him. He came to Kansas in 1877 and to Jackson county in 1882. All the children were present at his death-bed with the exception of Walter who was on his way from Jamestown, N. D. arriving here Friday night ... his remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 13, 1906.

.... leaves a wife and nine children*The Holton Signal*, December 20, 1906.

6093. Hoyt. H. G. Lyon, an old and highly respected citizen, died Wednesday of last week at the home of his son, E. C. Lyon. The funeral was held Friday, conducted by the Masons. *The Holton Signal*, December 13, 1906.

6094. Mrs. E. E. Oldham received a telegram last week from Fresno, California stating that her father, W. G. Carter of that place had died on the 11th inst. Mr. Carter was an early settler near Lancaster, where he settled in the 50s and lived there until four years ago when he moved to Fresno, Cal. *Whiting Journal*, December 14, 1906.

6095. Ross, the nine months old son of Mr, and Mrs. Ross May, of Clay Center, died Monday night. The parents had their child at Concordia receiving hospital treatment when death occurred *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 20, 1906.

6096. Whiting. Mrs. Jake May, of Cream ridge, died on the 12th, at the home where she had lived for 35 years. She was a faithful member of the U. B. church. She leaves a husband, 6 grown up children and 3 brothers to mourn laid to rest in the Muscotah cemetery ... *The RecorderTribune*, December 20, 1906.

Jane Philipi was born in Kingwood, Pa. March 11, 1847, was married to Jacob May. To them was born eight children four boys and four daughters seven of them were present at the funeral services, one having died in infancy. About twenty years ago she joined the Weslian Methodist church, after coming to Kansas she united with the U. B. church ... *Whiting Journal*, December 21, 1906.

6097. Shepard Kean Linscott was born of Puritan parents, March 6, 1837, on a farm at Chesterville, Maine, and grew to young manhood in the New England home. When a boy of sixteen he went to the then frontier - Illinois, beyond the railroads - and made a home in Henry Co. When 13 years old by a remarkable coincidence, his father and mother both died on the same day - the father while visiting his only daughter in Bath, Maine, and the mother at home with him in Illinois. At 19, desiring all the education he could obtain, her entered Hamilton College, a Baptist institution at Clinton, N. Y., where he made the acquaintance of Miss Myra Simmons, to whom he was afterward married, March 8, 1858, and together they went to a farm near Washington, Iowa, still on the frontier. To this union were born a son and a daughter. The son died at the age of three, and the mother's death followed soon, leaving the little daughter, Ester, now Mrs. Theodore Saxon. Mr. Linscott enlisted in the 9th Illinois Cavalry and served until after the close of the Civil war. He then returned to Washington county, Iowa, and in the fall of 1865 entered into the mercantile business at Daytonville. April 19, 1866, S. K. Linscott and Josephine Mallett were married at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. P. Moore, in Washington, Iowa. To this union were born seven sons, the oldest of whom died in infancy, and six boys, now grown to manhood ... In December 1868, Mr. Linscott entered into partnership with T. P. Moore in the grocery business and moved to Washington, Iowa, where the family resided nearly four years. In the spring of 1872, Mr. Linscott conducted a lumber business at Seymore, Iowa, and in July 1872, he came to Kansas still the frontier - coming to Holton by stage, and decided to locate here, bringing his family Sept. 1, on the first passenger train that entered the town. Mr. Linscott entered the banking business as cashier of the Holton Exchange Bank, and in 1874 sold his interest to T. P. Moore, and established the Banking House of S. K. Linscott, which he has successfully conducted for nearly a third of a century, and which he now leaves to his sons, whom he has educated to that business. Before the Civil War, Mr. Linscott was a Mason He was the first to bring the tame grass and improved breeds of hogs, cattle, horses and sheep into Jackson County. For Campbell University, Mr. Linscott has done more than any other man except A. G. Campbell *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 20, 1906.

.... The children are: Mrs. Theodore Saxon, of Topeka, Frank M., of Atchison county, Walter and Clare, of Mobile, Ala., and George S., Sidney and Ralph J., of Holton. Mrs. Linscott and Clare and Sidney are expected at noon today with the body *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 6, 1906.
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6097. (eons d) His ailment was pernicious anemia *The Dolton Signal*, December 13, 1907.

6098. Father Fryberger received word last week that his son Frank died on Monday of that week. *Soldier Clipper*, December 26, 1906.

6099. Died on Sunday, Dec. 22, 1906, at 10:30 a. m., Clarence Bair, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bair ... incurable disease - cancer of the bone ... was born near Holton on August 30, 1889 ... He was baptized in infancy and united with the M. E. church at Soldier, May 20, 1906 The remains were taken to Holton for burial *Soldier Clipper*, December 26, 1906.

East Grant. Mr. Bair received the sad intelligence that his grandson, Clarence, son of Sam Bair of Soldier died Sunday morning. *The Holton Signal*, December 27, 1906.

6100. Emmett. [St. Marys Eagle.] Mrs. Franklin's sister was reported very sick last week, died Monday at her home in Topeka. Remains were buried Wednesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 27, 1906.

6101. Denison. Died, Dec. 23, George E. Miller at his home 1-1/2 miles southwest of Denison interment being made in the Elliott cemetery.

Mayetta. We learn just as we are writing our letter of the death of Geo. Miller of South Cedar, who has been lingering between life and death for a good many days. Uncle George, as he was called by all, was an old pioneer citizen of Jackson county, having come here in an early day He leaves an aged wife ... and two children, Wm. Miller, of Mayetta, and Mrs. _____ Shingleton, of South Cedar ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 27, 1906.

6102. We received a copy of "The Daily Times" (Van Wert, Ohio) giving the details of the terrible death at Sherwood, Ohio, of William A. Butters (a nephew of the writer} and an other man C. H. Fleck, car inspector. Brakeman Butters was switching when both men were struck and instantly killed, the bodies were badly mangled being run over by one car and the engine. The Times Says: "Brakeman Butters lived in this city all his life and was living on George street in the Tuttle property. He was married a little over a year ago to Miss Ethel Walcutt, a daughter of Erastus Waleutt, who lives in the Oak Grove addition. Mr. Butters has been in the employ of the C. N. as brakeman for about four years and was considered one of the best men in the train service, always reliable and trustworthy. He was about twenty-four years of age. The body being prepared by an undertaker, will be removed to the home of his father, J. A. Butters, on West Main street. The father, who is an engineer on the Detroit Southern with headquarters at Tecumseh, Michigan, just came home for a visit with his family. The home ties are his mother and one sister. *Whiling Journal*, December 28, 1906.

6103. Hoyt. From the Sentinel. Frances E. Ridings Pettijohn was born March 12, 1832, at Middletown, Virginia, and died Wednesday, December 19, 1906, at her home near Hoyt, Kansas. She was the daughter of J. T. and Rebecca Ridings, and was one of a family of six children, three sons and three daughters. The brothers are dead, while she is the first of the sisters to pass away. When about three years of age her parent's emigrated to Ohio and settled at Hillsborough, where she spent her girlhood days and grew to womanhood. On November 2nd, 1860, she was united in

marriage with Dr J. N. Pettijohn, and at the breaking out of the Rebellion, she went to the front with her husband and shared with him the hardships and privations of an army surgeon's life for a period of about eighteen months. At the close of the war Dr. and Mrs. Pettijohn settled at Lynchburg, Ohio, where they resided for several years, or until they came to Kansas in 1879 and settled on their present home farm in Jackson county, near Hoyt. Mrs. Pettijohn was converted to God,, embraced the Christian religion and united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Hillsborough, Ohio, when a girl in her teens ... for many years she was the church and Sunday School organist, President of the Ladies Aid Society and leading spirit in the little society of Hoyt Methodism ... Survived by her husband, Dr. J. W. Pettijohn, her son, W. R. Pettijohn, besides her two sisters, Mrs. G. W. Thayer and Mrs. C. Elerding, of Morris, IllinoisThe interment was in the Hoyt cemetery. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, December 28, 1906.

Hoyt ... died December 19 from an injury received early in the fallfell while moving a house plant and broke her thigh *The Holton Signal*, December 27, 1906

6104. Amy Vetterbach died Thursday afternoon after a short illness and was buried from the Banner church Friday afternoon.....*The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

6105. Denison. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cline was born Christmas day and died Dec. 30 at the home of Mrs. Cline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott. Interment was made Monday on the Holton cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

6106. Circleville. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Pyne received the sad news on Dec. 20, of the death of their daughter, Mrs. Minnie Jones, of St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Pyne and daughter, Mrs. Chewing ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

Circleville ... Mrs. Chewing ... *The Holton Signal*, January 3, 1906.

(From a St. Joseph paper) ... Mrs. Wilke Jones who was placed in a vault at Mt. Mora Cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, January 2, 1907.

6107. Scraps of .. Local News. Commandeer Canaga, of the United States Navy, died at Boston Dec. 24. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. A. D. Walker and Mrs. C. H. Reppeth *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

6108. Scraps of .. Local News. W. T. Miller, of Soldier, was killed in the Rock Island wreck yesterday morning. He was riding on the tender and was the only one killed on that train. Mr. Miller's father lives a mile east of Soldier on the Tolin farm *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

The Rock Island had the worst wreck in its history at Volland, 40 miles west of Topeka, at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Two passenger trains met head on killing 32 and wounding 40 The Topeka papers give the name of William Thomas Miller of Soldier in the list of dead. There are several Millers near Soldier, and it is believed that he is the son of John R. Miller, a farmer in that neighborhood *The Holton Signal*, January 3, 1907.

.... son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Miller was born near Centralia Kans. on June 29, 1866, and died on Jan. 2d, 1907, aged 20 years, 6 months and 3 days *Soldier Clipper*, January 2, 1907.

6109. Whiting. Mrs. W. H. Beaman was taken suddenly and seriously sick a few days ago ... She died Monday afternoon Dec. 31. She was an old resident of this vicinity and had lived on the old home where she died for a long time. She leaves a husband, several daughters and sons *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

6110. The youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. Atwell Benton, of Garnet, Kans., died Monday December 24. The little fellow had been in failing health for several months*The Recorder-Tribune*, January 3, 1907.

6111. Soldier. John Riley, an old resident of this section, died last week at Wakeeney, and was buried there. *The Holton Signal*, January 3, 1907.

6112. Mrs. Mary Jensen was born in Denmark, April 11, 1846, and died Friday morning, Dec. 28, 1906, at the age of 60 years, 8 months and 17 days. She came to America about 18 years ago with her husband and children, and has lived in the neighborhood of Netawaka since. Mrs. Jensen had been in failing health for the past nine months. She died of consumption. She leaves a husband and nine children, three daughters and six sons interment was made in the Netawaka cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, January 4, 1907.

6113. Erastus Heathman received a telegram yesterday that his grand-daughter had died at Osawkie. *Jackson County World*, January 4, 1907

6114. Word was received in Holton Monday that Mrs. Clarence Smith, formerly Miss Bessie Van Amburg, had died at her home in Topeka that afternoon. Mrs. Smith spent her girlhood in Holton, but went to Topeka several years ago and has lived there since. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

... wife of Clarence Smith, the auditor of disbursements department of the Santa Fe, died at her home in Topeka early last Monday morning after an illness lasting only a few months She with her sisters lived here for several years. Mrs. Smith was 34 years old and leaves a husband and one son, Rollin, age six. *The Holton Signal*, January 10, 1907.

6115. Circleville. John Deardorf was born in Green Co., Ohio, May 20, 1827, and died Dec. 30, 1907, after a short illness, aged 80 years, 7 months and 10 days. He first moved from Ohio to Indiana and then to Iowa, when on Jan, 23, 1851, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Gorsuch. In 1856, Mr. and Mrs. Deardorf moved to Kansas where they have since lived and they are among the earliest settlers near Circleville. To them were born thirteen children, eight boys and five girls, of whom seven are living and were present at their father's funeral: Mrs. Geo. Helm, of Bellvue, Kan., Mrs. Laura Fairbanks, of Soldier, Mrs. H. T. Biggart, of Circleville, and Wm. and Josh Deardorf, of El Reno, Oklahoma. While Mr. Deardorf has not been very feeble his health has been failing the past two years and for the last year H. T. Biggart and family have made their home with him and his wife The relatives besides the children who came to the funeral were Wm. Deardorf, a brother from Peru, Iowa, Daniel Gorsuch, brother-in-law from Montezuma, Iowa, Geo. Helm and sons and Goldie Deardorf, of Bellvue, Kan.....

John and Ethel Stephensen and little son, of Topeka, visited at W. J. Fairbanks the former part of

last week and attended the funeral of Grandpa Deardorf, at Circleville., Tuesday. 'l he ?ecot der•T
r•ibune, January 10, 1907.

... Miss Mary Gorshuch, a native of Maryland. The newly wedded pair commenced the journey of life together on a rented farm, and Mr. Deardorff thus followed agricultural pursuits until 1856, when he determined to seek his fortune elsewhere. Coming then to Kansas he located in Jefferson township, pre-empting 160 acres of land on section 20. He put up a log house and lived in frontier style for nine years when he purchased the farm which was his home. This comprises of 182 acres of prime land whereon he erected a handsome residence and other buildings ... The following is a record of the children born to Mr. and Mrs. Deardorff: Joshua B., is a prosperous farmer near El Reno, Ok.; Mary E, is the wife of George Helm, of Oakley, Kan.; William is a large land owner and merchant, of El Reno, Ok.; Laura is the wife of Wm. Fairbanks, of Olive Hill; Effie is the wife of H. T. Biggart and they reside on the old homestead. The deceased are Hugh, who died two years ago leaving a wife and son; Nancy, who died at the age of eleven years; John, who was killed by lightning when four years old; Charles, who died at the age of eight; Jesse and Frank who were taken from the home circle in infancy. Mr. Deardorff was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He took an interest in politics, keeping himself posted on the current events of the day He served as Justice of the Peace, also as Township Trustee and Treasurer, and at one time was County Commissioner. He died at his home west of town, Sunday, morning, December 30, 1906 ... laid to rest in the Circleville Cemetery ... *Jackson CountyWor l d* , January 11 , 1907

6116. Jacob Morrow was born in Ohio, October 17, 1836, and died at his home in Eskridge, Kans., Wednesday morning, January 2, 1907, aged 70 years, 2 months 16 days. His parents first moved to Missouri and after a short residence in that state removed to Kansas about 1850 when Jacob as 14 years old. He was married to Louisa Wynant, March 1859, and with her lived on a farm about 7 miles east of Holton until her death, April 21, 1905, since which time he has visited with his children on the Pacific coast, and with relatives in Kansas, having no settled home until last September, when he was married to Mrs. L. C. Montgomery of Eskridge, Kans. He died very suddenly, falling dead to the floor as he was preparing for breakfast. By his first marriage he had 4 children, two of whom are still living, Jacob, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Samantha Cozad of Santa Rosa, Calif Mr. Morrow was a family of 8, only one brother still living. Mr. Morrow served 3 years and 13 days in the war of the Rebellion, enlisting in Co. B. 11th Kas. Cavalry, on the public square of Holton, August 18, 1862. He was discharged August 31, 1865. He united with the Baptist church at Holton 30 years ago The burial was in the Holton cemetery. The funeral was in charge of the G. A. R..... *The Holton Signal*, January 10, 1907.

Drake. Uncle Jake Morrow died at his home on Waubunsee county, of heart failure this winter, Jan. 3, 1907. He was an old resident of this place. His first wife died two years ago this coming spring. The following winter he made his home with his daughter in California, returning in the following spring. In the late summer he was married to Mrs. Montgomery of Wabaunsee county *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

... he brought a farm in Wabaunsee county where he resided at the time of his death *The Holton Signal*, January 3, 1907.

6117. M. F. Gabel and Mrs. J. IF. Meek are in Valley Falls today attending the burial of their aunt, Mrs. Wm. Bechtle. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

6118. Col. Thos. M. Bowen, of the 13th Kansas, died December 30th at Pueblo, Col. Bowen was the father of Luke Bowen, who ran a paper for a short time in this city some twenty-five or thirty years ago. Col. Bowen at one time represented Colorado in the United States Senate. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

6119. John Frederick Terhune, son of R. H. and Delia Terhune, of Soldier, was born in Ottawa Co., Kansas, Aug. 13, 1886, died in Emporia, Kansas, Jan. 5, 1907, aged 20 years, 4 months and 22 days. He joined the Methodist church at Soldier, Kansas, at the age of eleven and remained an active member until his death. For the past few years he had not been at home most of the time. He has spent the most of two years at Campbell College during which time he belonged to the Young Men's Christian Association there. Last winter he taught a seven months school in Washington Co. He spent the most of last summer in Colorado and on the 2nd of last September he started to school at the State Normal, Emporia, at which place he remained until his death Soldier Clipper. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 10, 1907.

Personal and Local. W. E. Emick, of Miltonvale, Kans. was here this week, having arrived here Sunday to attend the funeral of his nephew, J. F. Terhune ... *Jackson County World*, January 11, 1907.

... that Fred Terhune had died that afternoon from an accidental revolver shot ...*Soldier Clipper*, January 2, 1907.

6120. East Grant. Amy Vashti Utterback was born on Banner Aug. 17, 1891 and died at her home Dec. 27, 1906 aged 15 years and 4 months. About seven years ago she had a severe sick spell which left her a cripple for life ... She joined the M. E. church at this place just three years ago laid to rest in the Haas cemetery. Her parents and relatives ... *The Holton Signal*, January 10, 1907.

6121. Columbia. Mark and Henry Segrist and Mrs. Clara Hancuff were called to Wakefield, Kansas, by the death of their aunt, Mrs. Fred Segrist, who died Friday night. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 17, 1907.

6122. Rev. Jeremiah Biddison died at his home last Saturday, after an illness dating back to last Thanksgiving. He was, in both years and service, one of the oldest ministers of the Kansas Conference of the Methodist church. He was born in Perry Co., Ohio, January 14, 1825, and in 1844 united with the Protestant Methodist church. He then taught school, and later spent some time in college at Athens and Delaware, Ohio. In 1849, he entered the ministry, and was stationed at Fredrick, Newark, Cashodon, Zanesville, Circleville, Ironton, Gilmore, Portsmouth, and Piszall at different times. In 1866 he came to Kansas and took charge of the mission work here, but in 1868 he united with the Kansas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church and has served the following appointments: Peoria, La Cygne, Spring Hill, Olathe, Centralia, Sabetha, Troy, Clifton, Waterville, Havensville, Eskridge, Louisville and Netawaka. He retired from active work ten years ago, and has resided in this city ever since. He was married in 1853, to Miss Drusilla Hull, of Brownsville, Ohio, who died over forty years ago. By this marriage there are two sons living, V. H. Biddison, of

Manhattan, and A. J. Biddison of Pawnee, Oklahoma. In 1867 he married Sarah A. Nelson, of Anderson county, this state, who, with her daughter, Mrs. Maude Moorhead, survive him

.. Rev. J. Biddison, who was to us husband, father and grandfather, S. E. Biddison, V. H. Biddison, Mrs. Maude Moorhead, Ivan Moorhead, Winifred Moorhead. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 17, 1907,

6123. John Stous received a telegram last week from Campbellsport, Wisc., announcing the death of his brother-in-law, Wm. Shide. His son, Will, left Saturday for that place to attend the funeral. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 17, 1907.

Will Stous is in Michigan where he went to attend the funeral of his cousin. *The Holton Signal*, January 24, 1907.

6124. Mrs. Julia Taber died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. Hunter, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the age of 85 years Mrs. Taber has made her home with Mrs. Hunter for about 20 years. Mrs. Taber leaves three sons, Horace, Ernest and Carl Taber, of Michigan, Mrs. Ida Sharia, of Michigan, Mrs. E. Friend, of Holton, and Mrs. Hunter ... the body was shipped to Michigan for burial. Hiawatha World. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 17, 1907.

... mother of Mrs. Wm. Friend *The Holton Signal*, January 24, 1907.

6125. Mrs. Sarah Stark Williams was born of Mayflower, Colonial and Revolutionary ancestry in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 25, 1825. Orphaned at the age of twelve she lived with an older brother until her marriage to David Donald Harrison, August 24, 1843, when she moved with her husband to Cheboygan, Michigan. One child was born to this union, which died in infancy. She was widowed on November 7, 1851, following which she returned to Cincinnati. She was married, March 26, 1854 to Newton H. Williams, then of Aurora, Ind., and in 1856 removed with him to Hannibal, Mo. During the unsettled days preceding the opening of the Civil war, she showed the determination inherited from pioneer ancestors in her adherence to the cause which she espoused, the Union cause, unwaveringly. "Tis said that when her husband asked her which side they would take she first hung out in front of the house a Union flag, then said to him, "The union, you goose, of course." To Mr. and Mrs. Williams were born four children, two of whom died in infancy, the others, Mrs. Flora Rinehard and L. S. Williams, have been well known in Holton. In 1862 Mr. Williams came to Holton, Kans., and the next year brought his wife and children. They lived here then about ten years, and have had homes since in various cities, as the calls of his business required. Mrs. Williams was frequently in Holton. Her last residence here terminated about two years ago, when, with her husband, she went to their daughter, Mrs. Rinehard, of Ottawa, Kan., where she died after a short and painful illness, of heart disease, Friday, January 18, 1907.... Her husband, who has but lately passed his eightieth milestone, remains to mourn interment in the Holton cemetery *The Holton Signal*, January 24, 1907.

Mrs. N. H. Williams died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. K. Rinehard, in Ottawa Friday afternoon at six o'clock, of heart failure She was left an orphan at the age of twelve and lived with her brother, Washington Stark, in Findley, Ohio. She was married to Donald Upson Harrington, August 24, 1843. To this union one child was born, who died in infancy. Her husband died in 1851,

in Sheboygan, Mich., where they were living Mr. and Mrs. Williams moved to Hamilton Mo., in 1856, to Kansas in 1862 and to Holton in 1872. Since that time they have made this their home at intervals. About two years ago they went with Mr. and Mrs. Rinehard to Ottawa. Mrs. Williams united with the Baptist church in her youth, but in early womanhood joined the Methodist church *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 17, 1907.

6126. Arrington. Mrs. John James who many of ____ older residents of this place will remember as having lived here, ____ Sunday morning, Jan. 13, at her home in Olathe, of cancer. Mrs. Ja _ and Mrs. Triplett of this place _____ sisters. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 24, 1907.

Arrington Items. Mrs. John James, formerly Mrs. Foggy, who lived in Arrington a good many years ago, died recently of cancer of the stomach, at her home in Olathe. She was a sister Mrs. Delia Triplett of this place. *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

6127. Mrs. Hollenback died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. White, in Orchard Grove Tuesday morning, at the age of 85 years *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 24, 1907.

6128. John McAllister died Monday and the funeral services were held at the Liberty M. E. church Tuesday afternoon. His death resulted from an attack of pneumonia from which he was sick less than two weeks. He lived north of Holton and was one of the well known McAllister brothers. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 24, 1907.

John McAllister, Jr., died at this home west of Holton ... died of pneumonia. He was 50 years old and a bachelor. *The Holton Signal*, January 31, 1907.

Jefferson and Liberty Coming with his parents from Philadelphia in 1870, as a boy fifteen, he has for 36 years been closely identified with the progress of Liberty and Jefferson townships *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

6129. Death Robs Hoyt of a Highly Respected Business man and a Good Citizen. William McGovran Bigelow In round numbers he had been a resident of Hoyt for more than twelve years ... the deceased was born January 4, 1854, in Pre-Emption Township, Mercer County, Illinois. As a child and merging into his teens he accompanied his parents when they moved to Iowa and subsequently moved to Woodson County, Kansas, in February, 1882. He attended school when living in the former state, and acquired a business and commerce education at the Des Moines Business College. After finishing his college courses, he taught school several years, and later entered the railroad office, and soon became a trusted and faithful employee, but subsequently he resigned his position. He was married September 12, 1894, and moved to Hoyt, Kansas, in December of the same year. Since that time he has been actively engaged in the mercantile business in our town, first as the partner of his brother-in-law, H. W. Simpson and later alone. He died January 21, 1907, aged 43 years and 14 days member of the Masonic Lodge In addition to his wife and aged mother he leaves three sisters and four brothers, as follows: Mrs. Rachel B. Bigelow, Hoyt, Kansas; Mrs. M. A. Bigelow, (mother) Yates Center, Kansas; Edwin T. Bigelow, Smithfield, Nebr.; Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Council Grove, Kansas; Lorais C. Bigelow, Fresno, California; Charles L. Bigelow, Lincoln, Nebraska; Mrs. W. J. Agnew, Yates Center, Kansas; Nelson L. Bigelow, Buffalo, Kansas; Margaret E. Bigelow, Yates Center, Kansas *The Hoyt Sentinel*, January 25, 1907.

6130. Mrs. J. S. Wells died at the home of her son, D. H. Wells, at Lansing, Kansas, last Sunday evening from an attack of diabetes. She had been sick about three weeks. At her request she was buried at her old home near Troy, Kansas Rossville Reporter. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 31, 1907.

6131. At her home five miles east of Delta on Tuesday, January 30, Mrs. Ada Elizabeth Parkhurst passed from this life to the better world. Mrs. Parkhurst was 75 years old, having been born Dec. 12, 1831, in the state of New York. She has been a resident of this valley for twenty years ... She leaves an aged husband, one daughter, Mrs. J. O. Ferrin and one son, V. O. Parkhurst. Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst had enjoyed the rare blessing of a married period extending over 50 years ... remains were interred in the Delta cemetery ... Delta, Colo., Independent. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 31, 1907.

6132. Mayetta. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jones, Sr., received a telegram Thursday of the death of their niece, Miss Ida Johnson, of Meriden young lady *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 31, 1907.

6133. Wm. H. Myers, brother of Mrs. E.A. Osborn of this city, died in St. Joe at Fister's hospital Monday. He was born in Carrell county, Ill., July 9, 1853. In 1873 he moved to Kansas and settled in this county. About 15 years ago he moved to Oklahoma where he lived for thirteen years, moving back to this county a couple of years ago burial was in the Olive Hill cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, January 31, 1907.

Olive Hill ... died in a hospital in St. Joseph, Missouri, from the effects of an operation for stomach trouble, January 28, 1907 ... family burying place is in the cemetery here Buck's Grove where the deceased resided several years ago. A sister, Mrs. Fannie Fields, of Onaga, a brother from Illinois, Mrs. E. A. Osborn of Holton and her children, with their families were nearly all present. Mrs. Dora Kirby and husband and Fred Osborn from near Adrian, Don and Marie Osborn from Holton and David Osborn and wife residing on the Osborn farm near L. D. Stevenson, Mrs. Custer and her daughter, Fay, Mrs. J. Ott and Miss White from Holton, and Dudley Faidley, his wife and mother from Circleville were in attendance at the funeral.

Fred Myers, of Marshall Town, Iowa, who came here to attend the funeral of his brother, has returned home. *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

W. H. Meyers died at a hospital in St. Joseph, where he had been taken for treatment, Monday night. The remains were brought to the home of his sister, Mrs. D. R. Osborn, and from there taken to Olive Hill church for burial yesterday. Mr. Meyers owned a farm about five miles east of Holton. *The Recorder-Tribune*, January 24, 1907.

6134. Mrs. Lawson, insane, who passed through here a few weeks ago to the asylum, died there and was brought back here and transferred to her home Saturday. *The Holton Signal*, January 31, 1907.

6135. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Price formerly of Netawaka, now of Owensborough, Ky. will be surprised to hear of the death of their son Hurbert, seventeen years of age. He accidentally shot him-self through the brain with a 22 cal. W. rifle. He only lived a few seconds after the shooting occurred. He fell to the floor with a groan of agony and a brother and several others rushed to his

side, heard him faintly say "I didn't know it was loaded." He had been employed at Reinherdt grocery for the past two years and was well liked by his many friends and associates. The mother was at church at the time and was sent for, she swooned and some time was required to revive her. *Whiling Journal*, February 1, 1907.

6136. Winding Vale. On Monday morning Mrs. Will Pruett received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, B. M. Kingman, of Columbus, Kans. Mrs. Kingman will be remembered here as Miss Minnie Williamson *Jackson County World*, February 1, 1907.

Birdsey M. Kingman, the young business man taken to Joplin hospital for an operation for appendicitis, died at 6:20 Sunday morning. His death is an unusually sad one. He was a harness maker by trade, and two years ago came here and went into business with his brother-in-law, Albert Thompson, in the shop formerly owned by Jack Tompkins. Mr. Kingman was only twenty eight years old; yet he was of mature, sedate character, married, and with four bright children at home His wife had accompanied him to the hospital and Saturday came home to the babies happy at what she thought his good chances for recovery. His mother arrived from Beatly, Kansas. Late Saturday night came the message by phone, that he was sinking and they must come at once. They went to the Frisco station and waited four hours for the belated train, and finally got to the dying man's bedside only a few minutes before his death Mr. Kingman had recently been elected Master Workman of the Columbus lodge No. 14, A. O. U. W., but by reason of his sickness had never been installed the funeral was held at 2:30 Monday afternoon at the home two blocks north of the High School ... The interment will be at Olathe, where their former home had been. Both his people and hers came at once on hearing the sad news. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Kingman, with their daughter Bessie and son R. T. Kingman, came from Beatly, Marshall county, Kansas, Messrs. L. H. and Ed Kingman and Mrs. Howard Kingman, from Kansas City, Mo., Miss Alice Hammond, Miss Lydia Ewing, and Miss Nettie Thompson, from Olathe. Other relatives were to join them at Olathe. The deceased leaves \$2,000 insurance in the Workman and \$2,000 in an order at Olathe.- Columbus Advocate. R. M. Kingman and Miss Minnie Williamson (a sister of Mr-s. Wm. Pruett) were married at Olathe, Nov. 21, 1899. To this union was born four children, two sons Millard and Kennetti and two daughters Dorthey and Francis ... *Jackson County World*, February 22, 1907.

6137. America City Items. Mr. Jeff Runyan died at his home in Tacoma, Washington Jan. 17, 1907. Mr. Runyan will be remembered as one of Jackson county's earliest settlers ... *Soldier Clipper*, February 6, 1907.

6138. William Franklin Carey was born in Binghamton, N. Y., January 3, 1820, and died in Holton, Kansas, Jan. 29, '06 ['07], age 78 years and 27 days. He married to Miss Helen Mar Brooks September 13, '64. To this union were born six children, two sons and four daughters. One son died in infancy. Those remaining are: Archie J. Carey, Kansas City; Mrs. F.F. Glenn, Mrs. W. J. Glenn and Mrs. C. H. Nuzman of Soldier. For 27 years Mr. Cary was a resident of Soldier ... charter member of the Christian church at this place ... member of the G. A. R..... :LIFE SKETCH OF WM. CAREY. Born of farmer parents at Binghamton, Y., in 1829 his early life was spent on a farm, at the age of 15 we find him working on a boat on the Erie Canal. Tiring of canal life he shipped in 1848 for a sealing voyage to the Patagonian coast and Faulkland :islands; here they celebrated July 4, 1849 by going ashore and killing large number of geese, on which they feasted as long as they

remained in that vicinity. Many and strange are the stories which Mr. Cary could tell of wonderful sights in these far southern seas. They cruised around Cape Horn and back the Patagonian coast unto April 1850 when they set sail for New York where they arrived with but little to show for there voyage, except their experience. Mr. Carey then went into the merchant service and sailed in various ships to London, Liverpool, Havre, Antwerp, Marseilles, and Trieste, and to most of the West Indies also. In 1855 Mr. Carey enlisted in the United States Navy and volunteered to go in the Hartstine expedition to the Artic region in search of E. K. Kane, who had sailed in 1853 in search of Sir John Franklin who had been gone for five years. The expedition was composed of two ships, the barque Release and brig Artic with 46 men in command of H. J. Hartstine in the Release and Capt. Chas. C. Sim on the Artic. The sailors purchased their own clothes for the voyage and when they went to put on their heavier garments they found that they were utterly worthless, completely rotten. They were obliged to buy blankets and make clothes out of them. They went up the Greenland side until they could go no farther then crossed over to the American side, they were icebound for several days and began to think that they would have to stay there all winter, when suddenly the ice cleared and they got away. They then crossed back to the Greenland side and landed at Leavery, a Swedish trading post, here they were surprised and delighted to find the man for whom they had been searching, who, with his party, had been obliged to abandon their ships and had found there way to Leavery, where they expected to sail for Sweden when the yearly trip was made by the Swedes to the trading post. There was a brother of Dr. E. K. Kane on the searching party and Mr. Cary describes the meeting of the brothers in that far northern port as touching in the extreme, the party was taken on board and set sail for home. Arriving at New York the sailors were made much of, as they were also, at Philadelphia where the father of the brothers lived. An effort was made to have Congress do something for the sailors who had volunteered on that perilous trip or at least reimburse them for the useless clothes that they had purchased, but in vain. The Queen of England seems to have appreciated their heroism for when on a subsequent voyage to England, Mr. Cary, with the other sailors on the Kane expedition, was presented with a medal by her, this he still cherishes as among his proudest possessions. The next move of importance in Mr. Carey's life was when he was put aboard the U. S. Ship Niagara which made the first attempt to lay the Atlantic cable; they were about boo miles from Ireland on their way across the cable broke and all their work went for naught. He says the sailors were disgusted at the failure that they wanted to do something desperate and tried to fix the blame on the brakeman at the reel, they run him around the boat and he took refuge in the Captains cabin and did not show himself again during the voyage. On reaching home he was paid off but immediately enlisted again and was sent on a U. S. Training Ship, Preble, on a three months cruise with the young midshipmen, here, Mr. Cary was boatswain mate and his duties consisted in teaching 30 boys for about four hours a day the art of splicing and tying knots, etc. He says some of the boys whom he helped instruct are now commanders in the navy. After this cruise, the midshipmen were sent back to school and the Preble with three other ships were sent to Paraguay, South America to bring that government to time for firing on a U. S. Revenue cutter, terms of settlement were reached without any bloodshed. The U. S. ships stopped for two weeks at Monte Video, on the homeward trip and the sailors were allowed shore leave. Mr. Cary tells some very amusing incidents of this part of the voyage, of their attending a bullfight, etc. After this he was on ships that were cruising in Gulf of Mexico and taking a hand in Central America troubles; several ships were captured and taken to New Orleans as prizes, where they eventually fell into the hands of the Confederates. The winter of 1860 Mr. Carey spent in Ohio with a brother and sisters but in the

spring the call of the deep reached him and he went back to the water, shipped for a voyage to California, but the ship sprung a leak and they were obliged to go back to New York. In May 1861 Mr. Cary again enlisted in the Navy and was immediately sent to Norfolk where an effort was made to save the Navy yard but failed, sailing on to Hampton Roads Mr. Carey was assigned to duty on board the Roanoke of the North Atlantic Squadron and saw many hot fights during the bloody struggle which was then just commencing, his time expiring in 1864, he was honorably discharged. After this Mr. Cary seems to have had enough of life on the ocean wave and has never been on the water since. He learned the trade of stone mason married and settled down. For twenty five years he lived in Kansas, rearing a fine family and living a simple life of honest toil. *Soldier Clipper*, February 6, 1907.

Wm. Carey of Soldier died Tuesday morning at 6: 30 of Bright's disease at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Glenn in this city *The Holton Signal*, January 31, 1907.

.... Mrs. Will Glenn was also a daughter of Mr. Carey, and he has made his home with his two daughters here for some time. *The Recorder-Mbune*, January 24, 1907.

Mrs. W. F. Carey died at her home in Soldier Thursday night. Mrs. Carey's husband died at the home of his daughter in Holton about two weeks ago, and she was making arrangements to come to Holton to live with her daughters, when she herself was stricken *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

Helen May Brooks was born in Cormeant, Ohio, August 26, 1833, and died at Soldier, Kansas, February 8, 1907, of pneumonia, after an illness of only eight days. She was 73 years, 6 months and 20 days old. She was married to William Carey September 13, 1864. To this union was born six children, four girls and two boys, one son having died in infancy. She was a charter member of the Christian church at Soldier, and served that church as Deaconess for several years *The Holton Signal*, February 14, 1907.

6139. Denison. Levi Hedges died Monday of last week at his daughter's home at 1141 Woodward avenue, Topeka, and was buried Tuesday in the Topeka cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 7, 1907.

6140. Mrs. Celia Frances died at her home in Holton Tuesday She purchased property here and moved from Soldier several months ago. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 7, 1907.

Celia Fairbank Francis was born March 28, 1852, in Muskingum county, Ohio, and died Feb. 5, 1907, aged 54 years, 10 months and 8 days. She with her parents moved to Jackson county, Kans., in the fall of 1859, where she has since resided. She was married to David Francis in 1879, by his death she was widowed in 1896. To this union were born two children, one a son, dying in infancy, the other Mrs. K. C. Green who survives her parents. She had two sisters and four brothers, one sister and one brother still live as does her mother Mrs. Elizabeth Fairbank. She with her husband united with the Soldier M. E. church in 1887 ... laid to rest Thursday morning in the Soldier Cemetery by the side of her husband. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

6141. Whiting. On account of misunderstanding of a telegram., a three year old girl that died at St. Joe, was buried here Monday night at 10 o'clock. Could not get names. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 7, 1907.

6142. J. B. Strawn was born in Green county, Pennsylvania, August 1, 1848, and died at his home near North Cedar, Kansas, January 16, 1907, aged 58 years 5 months and 16 days, after only a few days illness of typhoid fever, although he had been in failing health for sometime. He had rented his large farm and made arrangements to leave, with his family, for an extended trip in hopes that rest and change of climate would bring back his health once more. Bense, as he was familiarly known among his numerous friends in Jackson and Jefferson counties had been a resident of this community for 50 years. Moving with his parents from Illinois and settled near Valley Falls, Kansas, when only 12 years of age. When only 14 years of age he accompanied his two brothers and others in a wagon train across the country, and later made several trips meeting the many hardships of those frontier days. In the year 1875 he was married to Jane Copas. To this union were born 7 children, 2 sons and 5 daughters, of whom 6 besides the grief stricken wife remain to mourn ... One son, Arthur, preceded his father to the better world about five years ago. He also leaves three brothers and two sisters and other relatives interred in the R. P. cemetery at Denison by the side of his son. The A. O. U. W. lodge of Valley Falls conducted the services *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

6143. News at Soldier. On Friday S. Cockerell received a telegram stating that his mother who lived at Eagle Spring, Kentucky was that day burned to death *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

6144. Whiting Neighborhood. There was no school in the High School room Wednesday on account of the death of a relative of Prof. Short. *The Holton Signal*, February 7, 1907.

Prof. Short went to Corning Tuesday evening to attend the funeral of his father-in-law returning Wednesday afternoon. There being no school in that room the girls and boys all went skating. *Whiting Journal*, February 1, 1907.

6145. Mrs. J. J. Cook of America City neighborhood died Thursday. *Soldier Clipper*, February 1907.

6146. Mrs. A. G. Fink died yesterday morning at her home near the Brick school house, southeast of town *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

Mrs. Augustus Fink died at her home near Holton last Wednesday at the age of 39 years. Her ailment was cancer of the stomach from which she has suffered since last October She leaves a husband and one daughter *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6147. Mrs. Minnie Stansbury, daughter of Mrs. Charles Chase, died in Kansas City last week after a protracted illness. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

6148. Christof Gottlieb Haag was born November 19, 1847 in Kleinbottwar, Wuerttemberg, Germany. At the age of five years he came to this country with his parents, who located in the State of Wisconsin. After residing in that state for seven years they came to Dolton, Ks., in 1859. Here the young son, Christof, experienced the hardships and deprivations of the pioneer life which he never forgot, and often spoke of In 1872 he was united in marriage to Louisa Wehmier. In the same

year they moved to Osborn county this state. His early training inclined his heart to be active in the church, and so he found ample opportunity to make himself useful in his new home, in the church, superintending a Sunday school for several years. In 1876 he again decided to return to Holton, where he secured his beautiful home for himself and family just north of town. And here, too, he has in a very practical way demonstrated his interest in church and Sunday school. He was the father of five sons and one daughter, the latter died in infancy. While the five sons, and his faithful companion, besides 4 brothers and 3 sisters February 7th, his spirit quit its tenement of clay, having obtained the age of 59 years, 2 months and 18 days *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

6149. Mayetta. Mrs. Permelia Jones Jennings was born Jan. 20, 1865, in Cedar township, Jackson county, Kansas, and departed this life February 5, 1907, at Salt Lake City, Utah. Permelia was the oldest daughter of Samuel R. Jones and Sarah J. Jones, of Mayetta. She left surviving her husband, Frank Jennings, of Salt Lake City, and two daughters, Miss Addie, aged 17 years; one son, Edward, died in infancy. Her father and mother, two brothers, S. R. Jones, Jr., and A. J. Jones, and four sisters, Mrs. Lucy Hunter, of McComb, Okla., Mrs. Nora Green, of Larkin, Kansas, Mrs. Ruth Jacobs, of Mayetta, and Mrs. Edith Bilderback, of Cummings, also survive her. One sister, Mrs. Adaline Oldwiler, died about eleven years ago On Sept. 22, 1886, she was united in marriage to Mr. Frank Jennings. They made their home near this place until about five years ago when they moved to Salt Lake City, Utah, where they resided until her death. The body was brought here from her home laid to rest by the side of her baby boy and her dead sister, at the cemetery near the Brick school house *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 14, 1907.

6150. Word was received in Holton, Monday, of the death of Oscar Davis, at his home in California. He was for many years a resident of this city, moving a few years ago to California for the benefit of his health. He was about 50 years old and a member of the Woodman Lodge. He leaves a wife and one child. *The Holton Signal*, February 14, 1907.

6151. Holton News Notes. Samuel Eddy, a resident of Holton fifteen or twenty years ago, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Hoaglin, in Western Kansas, last week and was brought to Topeka where the interment took place in the Lowman Hill cemetery. Mrs. Hoaglin was Miss Clara Eddy and was a teacher in the public schools of this place. *The Holton Signal*, February 14, 1907.

6152. Alexander W. Glenn, an aged resident of Holton died at his home in this city on Monday, February 11, after a brief illness, aged 79 years. Mr. Glenn was born in Armstrong county, Pa., Nov. 13, 1827, and grew to manhood in that state. March 6, 1859, he was married to Margaret Murray, and the same year moved to Vandalla, Iowa, where he resided until 1861, when he returned to Pennsylvania. In 1871 he moved to Kansas, settling near Lancaster in Atchison county, where he remained until 1890, when he moved to Holton. November 10, 1904, his companion for 48 years died, and he has since lived with his son Will, who moved into the home place. Left an orphan at a early age, he was thrown upon his own resources, with no capital but his head and hands. These, however, proved sufficient to bring him competence in later life and also to enable him to supply the needs of two aged sisters and a brother. He was the father of six children, five sons and one daughter. Two of the sons have passed on before. Those living are Mrs. McLennon, of Lancaster, Frank and Will, of Holton, and Pressley, of Highland. He has 14 living grandchildren, and also leaves a half sister who is 96 years of age. In 1852 he united with the Presbyterian church. He was a charter

member of the Lancaster church of that denomination, and was for years a ruling elder. On his removal to Holton he transferred his connection to the Presbyterian church here, and was for several years church treasurer The remains were taken to Lancaster to be buried by the side of his wife. *The Holton Signal*, February 14, 1907.

Alex McLennon came from Manhattan where he is a student at the Agricultural college, to attend the funeral of his grand-father, A. W. Glenn. *The Holton Signal*, February 14, 1907.

6153. Mon. Miller was called to Highland Friday to attend the funeral of Henry Dillon who was killed by falling from a freight car while braking. Mr. Dillon, made his home with Mr. Miller when a boy. *Soldier Clipper*, February 20, 1907.

6154. Elizabeth Ann Freel was born Nov. 15, 1906, and departed this life Feb. 13, 1907, at the age of 2 months 3 weeks and 5 days. She has left to mourn her loss mother, father ... laid to rest in the Soldier Cemetery Card of Thanks ... Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fred. *Soldier Clipper*, February 20, 1907.

6155. From the Sunday's Topeka Capital.] Kack-Kack, one of the oldest and most famous of the Pottawatomie Indian tribe, died at the advanced age of 86 years yesterday at his home near the Pottawatomie Agency Mission, five miles west of Vlayetta. Death was due to old age complicated with stomach trouble, from which Kack-Kack had suffered ever since last summer. Much of the time since then he has been unable to leave his house. Kack-Kack was chieftain of the Pottawatomies until he was superseded by a younger man a few years ago, and his father was a chief of the tribe before him, making almost a century that father and son had ruled. Although superseded as chief, KackKack was a "drum" or judge, of the tribe up to the time of his death. Most of his duties in this capacity consisted of giving advice on different matters and regulating the morals of the tribe. He was respected by both Indians and white men. "He was as good an Indian as there was on the reservation," said I. Steves, head of the mission, last night. "Whatever he said you could depend on and his word was as good as any man's note. He was a nice, agreeable old man." The body will probably be buried tomorrow. The funeral which will begin tonight, will be the greatest ever held by the Pottawatomies in recent years, as is fitting on account of the prominence of the dead chief Indian ceremonies disused for years will be resurrected for perhaps the last time to enable the survivors of the tribe to pay due respect to the memory of the great chief The funeral ceremonies will begin at sundown tonight with a public feast, which will be open to all of the 600 Pottawatomies on the reservation. After the feast the tomtom will beat incessantly till two or three o'clock tomorrow morning, while the Indians will sing the deeds and glories of the dead chief At sunrise tomorrow the tomtoms will resume their dissonant mourning, which will be continued until the burial is completed. No coffin will be used in Kack-Kack's burial. He will be laid away in the full glory of a noble Indian, decked with ornaments and trophies. In his youth Kack-Kack was a noted warrior and he carefully preserved the scalps he had taken in battle till the time of his death. He was a veteran of three wars against rival tribes, but told Mr. Steves one day that he had never killed a white man. "Scalp'um Injuns, no white man," said the old chief to Mr. Steves on the occasion of one of the latter's visits some time ago. He accompanied his barely intelligible remarks with signs, seizing a huge scalping knife in one hand and Mr. Steve's hair in the other. He then described a circle with the knife on Mr. Steve's head. There was no doubt as to what he was talking about, although his English was

unintelligible to any but persons accustomed to the way Pottawatomies talk English. Besides being probably the oldest Indian on the reservation, Kack-Kack was also about the homeliest. In spite of his noticeable lack of good looks he liked to have his picture taken and was snapped hundreds of times. His age, station, and reputation made him a mark for all camera fiends who visited the reservation. On his last trip to Holton a short time ago, he left orders to have one of his pictures, showing him with all his ornaments, copied and enlarged. He was a tall man of broad frame and in his younger days had been a man of powerful physique. Kack-Kack was one of the most liberal minded Indians of his tribe. He realized the advantages of a good education and urged all his relatives to attend school. Mrs. Lack-Mick, who survives her husband, is almost as old as he was. A granddaughter and grandson lived with them. A daughter died on the reservation about a year ago. Kack-Kack is the second aged Pottawatomie to die within a week. "Big-Foot" Joe, who was almost as old as Kack-Kack, but not so famous, died Thursday from dropsy and was buried yesterday morning. He was buried with the usual Pottawatomie ceremonies, but his burial was insignificant compared to the one which will be given Kack-Kack. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6156. Drake. Word was received this morning of the death of Mrs. McGrath's mother of Atchison *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6157. Banner. Mrs. W. A. Nease received a telegram the evening of the 5th that her stepfather, Mr. Williamson, of Aurora, Nebr., was dead, and her mother died on Saturday afternoon ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6158. Denison. The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Douglass died Tuesday, Feb. 12, and was buried Wednesday afternoon in the R. P. cemetery aged 5 months. It has never been strong and a cold settled on its lungs which with other complications caused its death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6159. Denison. Mr. Wilkey was called away Thursday by a message announcing the death of a brother-in-law in Nebraska ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6160. Mrs. Dr. Bell, a sister of J. C. and W. H. Chase, died at her home in Sparta, New Jersey, Friday, February 22, at the age of 82 years. This leaves J. C. and W. H. Chase the only members of this family left *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6161. Madison Woods died in this city last Thursday, Feb. 14, after a lingering illness He was born in Clay county, Mo., September 3, 1830. In 1855 he was married to Anna Hammond. Of this union six children were born, one of whom died in infancy. He united with the Christian church in 1856, and in 1857 he moved to Kansas, where he has lived since. He is survived by five children, S. H. Woods of this city, William Woods and Mrs. Merriott of Denison, Emma Coombs of St. Joe and John Woods of Oklahoma ...

.... lived for many years within five miles of Denison, having come here from Missouri in 1857... . Married to Miss Anna Harron in 1855. His wife died six years ago last June ... Mary J. Marriott *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

John Woods of I'vlinca. I. T. ... *The Holton Signal*, February 28, 1907. (cont'd)

6161. (coned) John Woods of El Reno, Okla.....*the Holton Signal*, March 7, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Macklin Hammond of Half Mound attended the Funeral of M. Woods ... *The Holton Signal*, February 21, 1907.

6162. Arrington Items. Mrs. H. E. Jewell received the sad and unexpected news of the death of her mother at Potter Sunday morning *The Holton Signal*, February 21, 1907.

6163. Lollie Banks was born in Jackson county, Kan., Jan. 10, 1872. She was married to T. S. Fees Sept. 3, 1894. To them were born four children, Ona, aged 11, Russell, 10 and Lorance, 7. Simeon T. died in infancy. Mrs. Fees was converted and joined the U. B. church in her girlhood She leaves besides her husband and children, an aged father and mother, several brothers and sister ... laid to rest in the Whiting cemetery ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

Whiting ... daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Banks, died at a sanitarium at Leavenworth, on Monday morning, the 24^h and was sent here on the 25th, for burial. She was of a family of 8 girls and 8 boys, all grown, but she is the second of the girls to die *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

... Four children, Oma, Russell, Lorane and Simeon She was afflicted with nervous trouble for several years. Her husband took her to the Evergreen hospital in Leavenworth about six weeks ago for treatment ... she leaves ... six sisters and eight brothers Among those from a distance attending the funeral were, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Snyder and Minnie, Mr. and Mrs. John Banks of Topeka, Mr. and Mrs. L. Banks and Paul Banks of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hedge of Perry, Rev. and Mrs. Fees of Robinson, Mr. Thos. Banks, of Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson of Netawaka, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Banks and family of Holton. *The Holton Signal*, March 14, 1907.

6164. Robert Henry Fernkopf was born near Holton, Kansas, November 20, 1889, and died of pneumonia at the home of his parents, February 16, 1907, aged 17 years, 2 months and 16 days. Robert was the only son of Harmon and Mary Fernkopf At the age of fourteen he united with the Evangelical church the remains were taken to the Holton cemetery for burial He leaves a father, mother, two sisters Laura and Ester, a number of other relatives *Jackson County World*, February 22, 1907.

... died February 16, of pneumonia, at the home of his parents, west of Holton. He was ill only a week*he Holton Signal*, February 21, 1907.

6165. Corner. Uncle Jacob Chubb, an old resident here, died last Saturday morning lived here over thirty-five years. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

6166. Mrs. Margaret Sawhill received a telegram Monday conveying the sad intelligence of the death of her aged mother, Mrs. Mary Bruner, of Senecaville, Ohio. She had passed her ninety-second year, and when Mrs. Sawhill visited her last summer was well and active and could read without the aid of glasses. Five generations mourn her loss, she having had two great grandchildren, the oldest eight years of age. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

Mary McQuaid Bruner, wife of John Bruner, was born January 5, 1815, and died Saturday evening Feb. 23, 1907, at the home of her son, Joseph Bruner near Robins, Ohio, aged 92 years, one month

and eighteen days. The deceased with her husband came to Guernsey county, Ohio, in November 1836 ... there were ten children born to the union, five of whom survive. They are Mrs. Margaret Sawhill, John L., Valentine, and J. F. Bruner and Mrs. Martha A. Rodgers. There are twenty-five grandchildren, thirty great-grandchildren and eight great great-grandchildren. Mrs. Bruner was a member of the Presbyterian church for sixty-five years *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

6167. Mrs. A. L. Williams, mother of Mrs. J. F. Jarrell of this city, died at her home in Topeka Monday afternoon at 1:15 after having suffered over a year from Bright's disease ... Mrs. Williams, who was formerly Miss Ferguson, was born in 1842 in Mount Vernon, Indiana, where the early years of her life were spent. She was married August 28, 1862, to Archie L. Williams and immediately moved to Topeka where she had lived for forty-five years. Mrs. Williams leaves besides her husband four children, two sons and two daughters: Mrs. W. L. Dickie of Tulsa, I. T., Mrs. Frank Jarrell of Holton, Kan.; Mr. Archie F. Williams and Mr. Burns L. Williams of Topeka. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

.... Her husband was twice attorney general of Kansas, and for thirty years was general attorney of the Union Pacific railroad company *The Holton Signal*, February 28, 1907.

6168. Sidney Hayden's Career Ended. For thirty years Mr. Hayden has been intimately associated with the public and professional life of Holton. He was born in Sayre, Pa., February 15, 1857, and after completing the course in the common schools of that village, finished his education at the academies in Athens, Pa., and Waverly, N. Y. In 1879, after one year's study in a law office in Waverly, 1\Ir. Hayden came to Holton where his brother, Charles Hayden, was engaged already in active practice. A year later he was admitted to the bar and immediately went into partnership with his brother. In 1879 Mr. Hayden was married to Miss Mary Walker, of Platte City, Mo., and is survived by her and two children, Charles, a newspaper reporter now located in Chicago, and Helen. Besides these he leaves two brothers, Charles, his law partner for thirty years, and Bert Hayden, division freight agent for the Lehigh Valley railroad at Sayre, Pa. There were a number of political offices which Mr. Hayden aspired and some which he gained In 1882 he was the Democratic candidate for state senator from this district when it was joined with Pottawatomie county. The following year he was the candidate for the same party for attorney general of the state, but realizing the overwhelming majority of the Republican party, made no campaign. In 1896, when Kansas was carried for Bryan, Mr. Hayden was one of the Democratic presidential electors and was chosen as messenger to carry the returns to Washington. He was for many years a member of the state Democratic State Central committee and was for a long time a member of the county central committee and chairman of that body. Mr. Hayden was also the Democratic candidate for county attorney at the election last fall. The chief thing of a public nature in which Mr. Hayden took pride was that, although a temperance advocate in no sense of the word, he succeeded in closing the joints in Holton during the several terms he served as city attorney. He was first elected to this office by the city council, largely Republican, because of the demand the "joints" be closed and his legal attainments gave promise of success. The law went into effect at once, so far as Holton was concerned, and infractions of it were followed by arrests, and convictions generally succeeded these. It was during this period also that he re-compiled the city ordinances of Holton. Mr. Hayden was a lawyer of more than ordinary ability and was retained by one side or the other in the major portions of the important lawsuits in Jackson county for many years. He also practiced extensively before the

state Supreme court, the federal Circuit, District and Court of Appeals, and has been admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States. He was a member of the State Bar for nearly thirty years and in that time served in various capacities. He read a number of papers before that body and was one of the lecturers connected with the Campbell University law school during its existence as well as a member and attorney for the school board. Mr. Hayden came from a family of Masons. His father, for whom he was named, took the thirty-third degree and wrote extensively on the subject of Masonry. Mr. Hayden was a Knights Templar and a Shriner. He was also a member of the A. O. U. W. and a non-resident member of the Topeka club ... His last illness, pleuro-pneumonia was short, lasting but five days ...

Scraps of .. Local News. Miss Ruth Hayden was called home from Arkansas, where she was visiting by the death of her uncle, Sidney Hayden

Scraps of .. Local News. Dr. John Cr. Hayden and Charles S. Hayden were called home from Chicago last week by the death of Sidney Hayden.

Scraps of .. Local News. Chas. S. Hayden returned to Chicago Friday having assisted in partially settling up his father's business. Miss Helen will remain in Holton with her uncle Chas. Hayden and family for the present. *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 21, 1907.

6169. Mayetta. Wm. Dittmore received a message from Colorado Thursday that his father dropped dead, it is supposed from heart failure *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

Mayetta Notes. Mr. Dittmore received a telegram Tuesday morning from Colorado Springs ... *The Holton Signal*, February 28, 1907.

6170. Ida Catherine Tindall was born in Ford county, Illinois, Jan. 22, 1867, and departed this life at her home in Port Orchard, Wash., Jan. 31, 1907. When ten years of age she came with her father's family to Jackson county, Kansas. In 1889, she went to Boulder, Mont., where she lived with her older sister, Mrs. A. C. Quaintance. While there she met and married Wesley E. Walker, Dec. 23, 1890. In April of the next year the young couple came to Washington on account of Mr. Walker's poor health. In September, 1894, they came to Port Orchard, where they have since lived. A little less than twelve years ago their only child, May was born; she, with her father, survives ... Port Orchard, Wash. Independent.

Olive Hill Twelve of her early years were spent here ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

6171. Ozarina Blossom Fink was born in Jackson county, Kansas, on February 16, 1867, and died at her home four and one-half miles south of this city, February 13, 1907. Had she lived three days longer, she would have been forty years old laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. On September 13th, 1885, she was married to Augustus Fink who survives her. She was the mother of one child, Miss Edna Fink, who is about fifteen years old. Mrs. Fink at the time of her death was the oldest living daughter of W. A. and Sallie Blossom. Those of her father's family, who survive her are her father and mother, two brothers, W. A. Blossom, Jr., and Fred O. Blossom, and also two sisters, Mrs. Laura Fees and Mrs. Maud Tipps. Two brothers and one sister, Oscar, Robert and Della died in

infancy. In 1888 she united with the M. E. church at old South Cedar in this county, and on removing in 1892 to home she occupied at the time of her death, she transferred her membership to the New Harmony M. E. church South . known by the name of "Rena". Her whole life was spent in this county and within a few miles of where her home was when she died Rena was a descendant of the Pilgrim Fathers. Her grandfather was an old-fashioned New England Squire. Every one living near Pittsfield, Vt., knew him in his lifetime as "Squire" Blossom She bore her awful affliction patiently and without complaint, only saying, she could not understand why it should be so, when she had so much to live for *The Recorder-Tribune*, February 28, 1907.

6172. Mrs. E. A. Eby, a former resident here, died at her home in Kremlin, Oklahoma, recently. The family moved from here about twelve years ago to Oklahoma where they have since resided. *The Holton Signal*, February 28, 1907.

.... died Feb. 8 *Jackson County World*, February 22, 1907.

6173. J. W. Vernon father of Rev. L. F. Vernon dropped dead at his home in Corning Monday morning while lighting a fire. Mr. Vernon was about 70 years of age and was one of the early settlers in the Corning neighborhood. *Whiling Journal*, March 1, 1907.

6174. J. B. Hastings was born in Kanawa Co., W. Va. March 3 1830, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. Medlock near Soldier, Kans. Feb. 28, 1907. For the past four years he has lived with his daughter. He united with the Baptist church at the age of 21 years and lived in that faith until 18 years before his death when he united with the Church of Christ. J. B. Hastings first landed at Leavenworth. He was one of the thousands of young men of great brains and strong bodies who sought in Kansas a larger field for their activities. But Mr. Hastings tarried not on the "Old Muddy" but wended his solitary way on into the new country and became one of the first settlers of Straight Creek township, Jackson county. In the fall of `58 his first wife died and left him to labor and bear the rewards and disappointments of his toil alone. At one time he organized his own school district and taught school in it two years. Such a pioneer was certainly valuable. In Oct. of 1860 he married again and this wedding was the first of its kind in the township. Again his hopes of a happy wedded life were blasted by the icy breath of the destroyer. It was in June that she died and in August Mr. Hastings enlisted in the Federal Army. For over three years he did valiant service for his country, serving in the thickest of the fight. In `64 he was married for the third time and this wife made his home happy for twenty-eight years. He leaves a son and four daughters to mourn his departure. The son lives at Atchison Kans. The four daughters living at St. Joseph, Mo. Little Rock, Ark., North Cedar, Kans. and Soldier, Kans.... the remains were placed in rest at the Soldier cemetery member of the 11 lth Kansas ... *Soldier Clipper*, March 6, 1907.

.... James Hastings *Jackson Collin)' World*, March 1, 1907.

6175. Beauty Heights. Dorothy Marie, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shaffer, was born August 12, 1906 and died March 1907, aged 7 months and 18 days. She was taken sick about three seeks ago with the grip *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

6176. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] Peter Bourdou died at his home north west of town last Sunday. He has been in poor health for months, but held on to life with tenacity. He was born and died in the

neighborhood where he died. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

Peter Bourdou died at the family residence, on Sunday, February 24, 1907 and was buried on Tuesday, the 26th ult. His remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery, near Hoyt. Deceased leaves a wife, a step-son, aged 7 years and a daughter 3 years old. He also leaves an older son, Cecil by his first wife, who is now 17 years old ... *Idle Holton Signal*, March 14, 1907.

6177. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] Death claimed a highly respected person this week in the person of Sylvester Snyder. The deceased had made his home for several years with his son-in-law, J. E. Kent, who resides northwest of town . . Deceased was 70 years of age. *The Recorder-Hibune*, March 7, 1907.

6178. Frederick Mell was born September 12, 1826, in Doberphul, Germany, and died February 18, 1907, aged 80 years, 5 months and 6 days. He was left an orphan at the age of 8 years and was reared to manhood in his native country. He was married to Louisa Lueck in 1856 and came to America the same year settling on a farm near Netawaka, Kansas. To this union were born six children, four having died in infancy. His wife preceded him to the better world, and he leaves one son, Henry of Wetmore, and one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Myer, of Norman, Okla., besides four grandchildren and other relatives. He was confirmed to the Lutheran church in his youth, and united with the Evangelical Association in 1863 He was one of the early settlers of Jackson county and lived on the farm where he homesteaded, until a few months prior to his death, when he moved with his son to Wetmore, where he died ... the body was taken to Netawaka *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

6179. Arrington. Mrs. Lizzie Dale and children were called to Nortonville Sunday by the death of her aged mother, Mrs. Hazlett. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

6180. Arrington. Mr. Hockins, who went to Wyoming to see his brother and sister-in-law who were ill, will return today, bringing their two little ones with him, the parents having both died. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 7, 1907.

6181. H. Petit received word Sunday of the death of his oldest brother, Alexander Petit, at Battle Creek, Iowa. Alexander Petit was born in New York, in 1827, and at the time of his death was nearly 80 years old. He leaves five children, twenty-seven grandchildren, two brothers, one in Massachusetts and the other in Kansas, and one sister in Illinois. Three weeks ago his oldest sister who is past 80 years of age died in Illinois. *The Holton Signal*, March 7, 1907.

6182. Personal and Local. J. L. Diehl left yesterday for Astoria, Illinois, in answer to a telegram stating that his mother had died at her home in that place *Jackson County World*, March 8, 1907.

6183. Francis M. Salisbury was born in Michigan City Ind. March 19, 1837 and died at Avoca, Kans. March 1 1906. He was married to Miss Annie Henton about 45 years ago and to them were born four sons and three daughters. Three sons and one daughter survive him, with their mother to mourn his departure. Mr. Salisbury has been a resident of Kansas for 35 years and has resided in the Avoca vicinity for 15 years. He was a veteran of the Civil War, a man of a pleasant disposition, making

many friends. He was a lover of music and used to give instructions in band music and will be remembered by many for services rendered on various occasions with bands. He has been in very poor health for some months .

Avoca. ... buried Saturday in Bucks Grove cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, March 10, 1906.

Avoca. Word was received Saturday that Mrs. F. M. Salisbury, who was in the insane asylum at Osawatomie, died that morning. Her remains will be brought here and buried at Buck's Grove. *The Recorder-tribune*, July 19, 1906.

6184. One of the saddest accidents that has happened in Columbus in a decade occurred on Monday at 11; 53 a. m. when County Superintendent A. W. Mulliken lost his life. He had gone to the train with Mr. Josephus Reed and bride of Soldier, Kans., who had been visiting the family, Mr. Reed being a brother of Mrs. Mulligan. He went into the car with them and the train started out at a rapid speed, as is usually the case. When it reached the second street crossing north of the depot Mr. Mulligan went to the front platform of the rear coach to swing off. James Gillespie was sitting in his window reading and was the only person that saw it. Mr. Gillespie says that he saw a man, who for the moment he did not recognize swing off the east side of the train. When his feet struck the gravel he slipped and hung on to the hand rail. He made several efforts, still holding on, to regain his equilibrium, but was thrown under the car, the last trucks of the car passing over his body at the lower part of his stomach The body was removed at 12:30 to the undertaking parlors of G. C. Langford Mr. Mulligan was 29 years of age and had accomplished much He was born on the old homestead south of Columbia December 17, 1877, and graduated from the Columbus City High School at the age of 16, being up to that time the youngest graduate of that school. He taught at Mt. Hope near Baxter one term at Stippville, going to Emporia, where he graduated from the state normal. There he won the inter-state gold medal of Lincoln, Neb. in the oratorical contest, and also the Hood annual gold prize of \$39 at Emporia for the best oration, and was president of one of the literary societies. He was at the time of his death a member of the State Text Book Commission, and last year was president of the Southeast Kansas Teachers Association, which comprises 18 counties, and delivered one of the notable addresses at their meeting at Parsons. On graduating from Emporia he was elected to fill the chair of mathematics in the Cherokee County High School, which he held for three years. While still a member of the faculty he was elected county superintendent in the fall of 1904 and reelected in 1906. His first term in this office expiring next May. He was married to Miss Emma Reed, of Bancroft, Kans., Dec. 25, 1901, who was one of his schoolmates at Emporia, and his wife and two beautiful little children survive him and they with the father and mother and brother form a heartbroken family ... member of the Masonic lodge. The following persons from Soldier attended the funeral ... Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Reed, and daughter Nannie and Mrs. Wesley, J. M. Reed and wife. We also note that Dr. and Mrs. Reed of Williamsburg and Wm. Reed of Fall City were in attendance. *Soldier Clipper*, March 13, 1907.

... son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Reed *Soldier Clipper*, March 6, 1907.

6185. Mable Johnson Died of Organic Heart Trouble. Mable Pearl Johnson, the second child of Alfred and Rachel Johnson, was born April 17, 1895. She died at the home of her parents in Soldier, Kans. Saturday night, March 9, 1901, at the age of 11 years, 10 months and 22 days. She was been a

sufferer all her life ... she leaves to mourn her early departure a father and mother, a brother and sister *Soldier Clipper*, March 13, 1907.

6186. Whiting. Mrs. May McVey died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, one mile east of town, Friday, March 8, after a long sickness. A few months ago her husband took her to New Mexico in hopes it would benefit her interred in Spring Hill cemetery.

Whiting. Mrs. Mary McNeigh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, died on the 8th *The Recorder-Mbrne*, March 14, 1907.

Whiting Neighborhood. Mrs. Ida Hawkins came up from Caney, Kans., to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. McVeigh. [Later in column.] ... died March 7 ... She had been sick for sometime with that dread disease consumption. She leaves a husband and one child, father, mother, two sisters and four brothers ... *77re Holton Signal*, March 14, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hawkins ... *Whiting Journal*, March 15, 1907.

6187. Rev. L. M. Brummett, who was formerly pastor of the Methodist Church, South here and lived in Holton, died last week at his home in Craig, Mo., and was buried at Skidmore *The Recorder-Tribune*, IVlarch 14, 1907.

6188. Circleville. The funeral services of Mr. John Luscomb were held at the Methodist church Some handsome floral designs were sent out from Topeka by the fire department of which Mr. Luscomb's son is a member The interment was in the Circleville cemetery. John Willing Luscomb was born in Lodswell parish, Dovenshire, England, April the 7th, 1843 and departed this life, March 8th, 1907 being 63 years, 11 months, 1 day old. He moved with his parents to Illinois when 8 years of age and lived there until the spring of 1865, then moved to Iowa and on the 311 day of July 1875 was married to Louisa R. Dubois and to this union were born 11 children 5 sons and 6 daughters and all living. Laura Reynolds, Nellie Taylor, Louise, Ethel, Etta, Myrtle Shaffer, Duncan, George, Rollo, Earl, Harry. His widow and one brother also survive him. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 14, 1907.

Beauty Heights..... Illinois where he lived until 1863 when he moved to Iowa ... In the spring of 1879 he moved with his family to Jackson county and located on the farm west of Circleville where he resided until his death. He has been in ill health for some time having gone to several health resorts in hopes of benefiting his health, but to no avail. On Friday morning while out feeding his hogs he took with a sinking spell but rallied and walked to the house, but in about two hours he took the second from which he died He has held the position of school director for a number of years and the vacancy will be hard to fill He leaves a wife, six daughters, Mrs. Etha Allard of Soldier, Mrs. Myrtle Shaffer of Circleville, Mrs. Neil Taylor of Adrian, Mrs. Laura Reynolds of Oklahoma, Mrs. Louisa Cox of California, and Ella, and five sons, George of Topeka, Rollo of Oklahoma, Duncan, Earl and Harvey of Circleville, one brother, William and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Wescot and Mrs. Mary Waistfall, of Iowa laid to rest in the Circleville cemetery *The Recorder-T ibune*, March 28, 1907.

.... served during the late war in the Co. I, 34 Ill. Inf *Soldier Clipper*, March 20, 1907.

6189. Mrs. Soilott was called to Fort Leavenworth this week by the death of her brother. He was a guard at the penitentiary and leaves wife and three children. *Me Holton Signal*, March 14, 1907,

6190. Pea Ridge. Mrs. C. T. Estee received word Wednesday from Wisconsin, that her brother, Peter Crocker, waadead. The Reorder-Thbune, March 21, 1907.

6191 . Circleville. Richard Linville recently died at his home at Lamar, Colo. Richard was a resident and student here several years ago .. The *Recorder-D-ihime*, March 21, 1907.

Richard I. Linville, son of W. J. Linville and wife, was born in Leavenworth county, Kansas, on April 12, 1880, and died at Denver, Colo., on March 10, 1907. He left behind him besides his mother and father, eleven brothers and sisters: Robert and Charles, who reside at Brazil, Indiana, Mrs. Anna Stewart of Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Maggie Acker, of Plainsville, Kans.; and Barnett, Sadie, Etta, Scott, Edward, John and Willie, who reside with their parents at Lamar, Colo. Several years ago he attended Campbell College at Holton, Kans., and was in attendance at Denver University for about four years. It was his intention to take up the study of law with the beginning of the next school year. About one year ago he was elected secretary of the Y. M. C. A., to which he gave all his time apart fiozuhis university work, and at the time of his death was engaged in raising a large sum for a new building
1ho/Yoco/de/-Y>ibxxo, March 28, 1907.

6192. Valentine Snider died suddenly at his home near Topeka last Friday. It was not known he was ill till atelegronzcame announcing his death. He was 65 years old, and had been a resident of Shawnee county since 1866. Mrs. Snider is a daughter of Mrs. Katherine Lutz. Mrs. Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. Theoh8}dl.uiz, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz, Mrs. David Smith, Mike Lutz and Martin Meyer attended the funeral, which was held Sunday. *7huHollon Signal*, March 21" 1907.

6193. J. L. White this week received a copy of the Edmonds, Wash., Review, containing a four column article about the swamping of a boat in Brovro/aBay. Herolao]Lo^p/n,aged 15, saved the lives of four ~~indigden~~ Martha and Dorothy White, nieces of Mr. White, whose family Mr. and Mrs. White visited last summer. Two boys, one 8brOther of Herman Lown, were drowned. At the time of the swamping ubcuvy tide was running out, and it was with the greatest difficulty that Lown accomplished the rescue. He will be given nnodal for his heroism. *The Hohon Signal*, March 21, 1907.

6194. Henry Haub was born in the Duchy of Nassau, Germany, October 8, 1829, and was reared in Wiesbaden. At the age of fourteen he began to acquire the trade of silversmith which he finished five years later. At the age of nineteen he came to America working about a year after his landing in New York City. He then went to Massachusetts and took up a line of work in boot and shoe manufacturing, continuing this employed about four years. He then went to Cincinnati only staying there a short time. Under the Graduation Law he then entered some land in Monroe county, Indiana. There he lived for twelve years opening up a farm of 220 acres and bringing it to a fine state of cultivation. On December 9, 1855 he was united in marriage to Sarah Combs of Jackson county, Indiana, who only preceded him in death about fifteen months. In 1866 he came to Kansas buying 200 acres of land, a quarter section being prairie which he made his home for forty years only leaving it Ofevvdays before his death. Mr. Haub was the first settler in Whiting township and his dwelling 14

by 18 feet: was the first one built in the township. His first neighbor was Mr. Hendricks, now known as the Grubbs farm. The family was moving to Holton at the time of his death which occurred in Holton, March 13, 1907 The remains were taken to Whiting ... *Ilre Holton Signal*, March 21, 1907.

Whiting His and William Gray's family moved from Indiana here in 1869. He left eleven children, who are a good deal scattered *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 21, 1907.

Death was due to old age and dropsy ... Mrs. Haub died in 1905 *The Holton Signal*, March 14, 1907.

Uncle Henry Haub, father of Mrs. S. N. Hayes and Mrs. N. P. Ball died on Thursday and was buried Saturday evening. *Soldier Clipper*, March 20, 1907.

6195. Clover Hill. Grandma Lapin is very low at this writing, she is with her daughter Mrs. Peter Smith. [Later in column.] Grandma Lapien died Monday night about 10 o'clock. *Whiting Journal*, March 22, 1907.

6196. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flower died on Saturday night and was buried Saturday. *Soldier Clipper*, March 27, 1907.

6197. Will Low passed through Denison the first of the week with the corpse of his wife who died in a hospital in Kansas City Saturday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 28, 1907.

6198. James McAferty was born, October 28, 1829, and died March 27, 1907 aged 77 years, 5 months. He was married August 21, 1851 to Miss Elma J. Wilcox, in Iowa. To this union were born seven children, four sons and three daughters. This union was severed by the death of the wife October 17, 1883, and the funeral was held in the M. E. church at Soldier conducted by Rev. A. B. Channel of America City. Mr. McAferty was married a second time about fourteen years ago to Mrs. Margret Ryan who also preceded him to the home beyond Jan. 22, '99 ... united with the United Brethren in Christ church at Oak Grove thirteen years ago ... Since the death of his last companion Bro. McAferty has made his home most of the time with his daughter Mrs. A. P. Biggart, but at the time of his death was with his son, Rev. E. McAferty, of McLouth, Kans. James McAferty moved to Kansas in 1877 and settled on a farm about four miles west of Solder, and he has resided in this vicinity practically all the time since that early date He leaves five children to mourn his departure, being Orrin McAferty and Mrs. A. P. Biggart, of Downs, Kans. Rev. N. McAferty of May Day Kansas Rev. E. McAferty, of McLouth, Kans. and Mrs. John Minnick, of Montana ... remains were placed to rest by the side of the wife of his youth in the Soldier cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, April 3, 1907.

6199. Circleville. G. W. Shaffer was born June 19, 1837 in Preston county, W. Virginia, and died March 21, 1907 at the home of his daughter at Muscotah, Kans., at the age of 69 yrs., 8 mo., and 2 days. He was married in 1868 to Mrs. Mary A. Knotts who preceded him 1 year, 4 months and 11 days. To this union were born one daughter and five sons. The children left to mourn the loss of a kind and loving father are: Louis of Emporia, Kans.; George of Denver, Colo.; Ella Cleaveland of Muscotah and Charles of Circleville. Mr. Shaffer came to Kansas 25 years ago and made his home in

Circleville and community for 16 years and was a member of the Methodist church, He enlisted in Company H, 10th Virginia Volunteers, August 17, 1862, was discharged June 17, 1865, was mustered into the Grand Army December 10, 1893 and was a member in good standing in Circleville post No. 146 Department of Kansas G. A. R. *The Recorder-Tribune*, March 28, 1907.

6200. Mrs. R. H. Hamm died Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Norris, in Holton Friday Mrs. Hamm was at the State Hospital for treatment until about two weeks ago, when she was brought home as it was known she was fatally ill. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

.... For a number of years she has been an invalid. She was born in Athens county, Ohio, October 25, 1873. March 31, 1897, she was married to Robert H. Hamm. To this union was born one daughter, whom they called Irene ...

Elmer Norris, of Kansas City came here to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Robert H. Hamm ... Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Norris of Everest were called here by the death of his sister, Mrs. Elvira Norris. *The Holton Signal*, April 4, 1907.

6201. Scraps of .. Local News. Abraham Ash, one of the oldest settlers of Jackson county, died at his home on the Parallel Sunday and was buried Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

... had he lived until today he would have been 74 years old. He came to Kansas from the east in 1858. *The Holton Signal*, April 4, 1907.

6202. Denison. John Milton Hedges was born May 23, 1870, in Rowan county, Kentucky. He came to Kansas about 16 years ago. November 28, 1896 he was married to Miss Effie A. Saunders who survives him with four children. He left Denison over a year ago and made his home for some months in Topeka from whence he went to Denver, Colo., and later to Las Animas, Colo., where he was shot and instantly killed Tuesday March 26. The body was brought here for burial His parents, one brother and four sisters are dead, leaving one sister, Mrs. J. S. Gill and five brothers A. V., L. N., W. G., and C. E. The deceased was a member of the I. O. O. F. who had charge of the funeral. Interment being made in the R. P. cemetery Easter afternoon. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

6203. Mayetta. A dispatch was received here Tuesday from Yale, Okla., announcing that Milton Jones had been killed by accident. His brother, Rufus, left at once for that place to bring the remains home but after he arrived there he concluded that under the circumstances it would be best to bury the body there. The cause of the sad accident we learned from Rufus was as follows: Milt, as he was familiarly called, accompanied by two other boys, was returning from the post office at Yale to their camp up the railroad track about a mile north of town. They were walking the track and had gotten about half way across a bridge when a Santa Fe train came around the hill and they did not have time to get off before it struck them. Two of the boys were killed, one of them being Milton, while the other escaped almost miraculously without serious injury. Milton D. Jones was born in Jackson county, Kansas, just east of Mayetta, March 16, 1884, and died March 25, 1907, aged 23 years and 9 days. Milt has lived here all his life except for about two years He leaves a father and mother,

three sisters, a ld live brothers *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

Local and Personal. Word was received Tuesday night of the death of Milton Jones, son of A D. Jones, of Mayetta, at Dale, Okla *The Recorder- Iriburre*, March 28, 1907.

6204. Arrington. The friends of Mrs. Hugh Maloney will be grieved to learn of her death in Havensville last week, of diphtheria. Her mother Mrs. Jinks of this place was with her. She leaves a husband and three small children. *The Recorder-T ribune*, April 4, 1907.

6205. Thomas Fennell one of the old and respected citizens of Holy Cross died at his home near there Thursday of a complication of diseases. Funeral services were held at Holy Cross today, Father Meehan officiating and the remains interred in the cemetery there. Thomas Fennell was seventy-five years old and was born in County Kildare, Ireland, coining to this country fifty-five years ago. He was married to Miss Anna Rooney at Leavenworth, Kansas. Seven children survive their father ... those present from abroad for the burial were Jos. Fennell of St. Joe, Mo., Ennis Fennell of Leadville, Colo., and Mrs. Ed. McNeive of Oakly, Kans., Ed Fennell of this place and John Fennell of Holy Cross are sons and Mrs. B. McAnery and Mrs. M. Grace are daughters of the deceased ... St. Marys Eagle. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

6206. Delaware Frances Newberry was born June 8, 1849, in Liberty, Barron county, Kentucky, and died in Sumner county, Kansas, March 28, 1907. She united with the Baptist church when quite young. She was married to Joseph K. Overly Jan. 22, 1890, at Muscotah, Atchison county, Kansas Besides her husband she leaves two sisters and one brother. One sister was with her when she died. Her brother and other sister live in Washington state. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 4, 1907.

6207. George W. Bateman was born in Canada March 25, 1832 and departed this life in St. Clere, Kansas, April 2, 1907, aged 65 years and 3 days. Mr. Bateman came to Kansas when a young man, and remained a citizen of the commonwealth until the day of his death, the last several years having been spent in the vicinity of St. Clere The last few years have been years of severe affliction and great suffering. He was married to Miss Margaret J. Williamson Oct. 15, 1886 ... the deceased leaves a wife, one sister and five brothers, besides a host of other relatives ... Their home never having any children to give cheer and comfort in their hours of gloom and trial. His funeral was conducted from the Baptist church in St. Clere April 4 and his remains were laid to rest in the cemetery just south of town. *Soldier Cliiper*, April 10, 1907.

Mayetta. R. Bateman received word Tuesday that his brother at St. Clere died very suddenly *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

6208. Whiting. Mrs. A. G. Conklin, mother of Charlie and George, died Sunday morning, aged 70 years. She had been an invalid for many years, had lived here a long time and was a member of the M. E. church. Charlie and George have been agents of the Central Branch depot for over 30 years. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

Whiting. Mrs. A. C. Conklin was born at Cambridge City, Ind., Oct. 29, 1836, and died at their home in Whiting, Ks., Sunday, April 7, 1907, at the age of 70 years, 5 months and 8 days. She came with her family to Kansas in 1876. The family located on a farm near Mount Pleasant, Brown county,

living there until February 1880, when she with her sons came to Whiting, which has since been her home. Her husband died a short time before their coming to Whiting. This and his long sickness and nervous strain in caring for him broke her down in health and for twenty years she has been a sufferer. She was a faithful member of the Methodist church ... She leaves two sons, George B., of Whiting, Ks., Charlie of California ... Interment was in Spring Hill cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

Mrs. Aurelia Crane Conklin In 1856 she was married to James H. Conklin a play-mate of her early childhood and April 26 1856 they removed to the Mount Pleasant neighborhood in Brown county Kansas ... Four years later they moved to Whiting and here Mr. Conklin died. At the age of sixteen Mrs. Conklin joined the Methodist church in her native town ...

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Conklin, who was called here by the death of the formers mother, returned Wednesday evening to their home at Oakland, Cal. *Whiting Journal*, April 19, 1907.

6209. Drake. Grandma Bernard died her home three miles east of Holton Thursday, April 4, at the age of 84 years. She had been sick for several weeks four children are left to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother, Mrs. Sinning, of Holton, Peter, Jeff and John

Elizabeth Bernard was born in Tenins, Manton Goranbuenden, Switzerland on July 16, 1822 and died near Holton, Kansas on April 3, 1907, aged 84 years, 8 months and 18 days. In 1847 the deceased was united in marriage to John Bernard, who preceded her to the better land something over two years ago. In 1867 the family left Switzerland and immigrated to this country where they first settled in Sank City, Wis. Leaving that place in the spring of 1869 they came to Kansas and located three and one half miles east of Holton where the departed has lived ever since. In the old country and during the brief residence of the family in Wisconsin the deceased was a member of the Reformed church. As there was no German church of that denomination at or near Holton she later became a member of the German Presbyterian church but did not join any other after the disbandment of the latter. Very frequently however since then, she worshipped at the German Evangelical church also three grandsons and three granddaughters are left ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

6210. The little spirit of Lawrence Edward, the six weeks old baby of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pool, was borne to the fairer land Friday morning, April 15, 1907.... laid away in the Circleville cemetery ...

Circleville ... Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pool *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

6211. Maurice O. Bailey, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bailey, died of bronchial pneumonia Saturday, April 6, age one year, four months and twenty days *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shirey of Goffs attended the funeral of their little grandson, Maurice Bailey, Sunday.

Campbell College items youngest son of Prof Bailey *The Holton Signal*, April 11, 1907.

The friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bailey of Holton ... *Soldier Clipper*, April 10, 1907.
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6211. (coned) -Prof W. M. Bailey was called to Agra, Kans., last week to attend the funeral of his grandfather.

... called to Phillips county ... *The Holton Signal*, June 20, 1907.

6212. Clara Della (Isnogie) Miller was born Oct. 27, 1886, and departed this life April 9, 1907, aged 20 years, 5 months and 9 days. She was married to Herman Richard Miller, March 28, 1907 . a n d it seemed very sad to have this union severed so quickly by death The funeral took place at the U. B. church ... She leaves to mourn her departure a husband, father, mother, two sisters, and many other near relatives ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

.... Richard Miller of Delia Interment took place in the Adrian cemetery. *Delia Paper*, April 11, 1907.

6213. Word was received yesterday of the death of Dr. Anderson, of Seneca, as the result of an operation. Dr. Anderson lived in Holton several years ago and was in partnership with Dr. M. B. Smythe *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

6214. Agnes Faulkender was born in Huntington, Penn., October 26, 1840 and died at her home in Bancroft, Ks., April 2, 1907, at 10:30 a. in. Was married to Hemy Swarm Dec. 25th 1862. To this union was born seven children, two of whom preceded her to the other world. The remaining five, J. C. Swarm employed as Yard Master by the Mo. Pac. Ry., at Kansas City, John C. Swarm with his father at Bancroft, Emma J. Campbell residing at Arden, Washington, C. F. Swarm employed as Billing Clerk by the St. J. & G. I. Ry., at Kansas City, W. H. Swarm, who resides on the old home farm at Bancroft. One brother, G. K. Faulkender, residing in Holton, Ks ... the deceased with her husband came to Kansas in 1878 and settled on a farm two miles east of where Bancroft now is, where they built up a comfortable and happy home and remained until March 1900 when they settled in Bancroft laid to rest in the Wetmore cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 11, 1907.

6215. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Tobin died Monday from bowel trouble. The body was taken to St. Marys for burial in the Catholic cemetery. *Delia Paper*, April 11, 1907.

Delia. The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Tobin died of bowel trouble last week. The body was buried in the Catholic cemetery at St. Marys. *The Holton Signal*, April 18, 1907.

6216. J. C. Stauffer's brother, B. W. Stauffer, died at his home in Pittsburg, Pa., last Tuesday. *Jackson County World*, April 12, 1907.

received the sad news Tuesday of the death of his brother, B. W. Shauffer, who was very prominent in the steel works at Pittsburg, Pa. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

6217. Mrs. J. T. Johnson received word last week of the death of her grandmother who died in Ohio at the advanced age of 99 years. *Soldier Clipper*, April 17, 1907.

6218. Our people were shocked last week to learn of the serious sickness of Grandma Swartz, and when her death was announced a profound feeling of sadness spread over the community. About eight days before her death she came to town and as she was feeling badly she called a physician. But

her condition grew gradually worse and on Monday before her death she was paralyzed She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Lynn For over 40 years she lived with her bereaved husband on the Swartz farm 3-1/2 miles north of Soldier. There they raised their family, and by labor and frugality they accumulated their wealth Relatives from abroad who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Minnie Peters, and daughter, of Michigan City, Ind., Mrs. Anna Brenner, of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Worrel of Idana, and Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Swartz of Valley Falls. Mary Marie Schumaker was born in Mecklinberg Scherwin, Germany, Oct. 24, 1830 and died April 22, 1907, aged 76 and some months. She came to America in 1856 and in the same year she was married to Henry Swartz at Buffalo, New York. To this union eight children were born, three of whom are dead, two dying in infancy. From Buffalo they came to Indiana and 41 years ago they came to Kansas and here have made their home ever since.....a member of the German Lutheran church leaves behind her a husband, one brother and one sister, five children, fifteen grand children and 3 great grand children *Soldier Clipper*, April 17, 1907.

Henry Swartz was born in IVecklinburg, Germany, Aril 16, 1835, and died at Soldier, Kansas, March 7, 1908, of organic heart trouble, aged 72 years, 10 months and 22 days. In 1856 he came to America, and in the same year was married to Miss Mary Shoemaker, at Buffalo, New York. From there they moved to Indiana and Mr. Swartz was there engaged as a railroad construction contractor until forty two years ago when he moved with his family to Kansas. At that time he purchased the Henry Swartz farm three miles north of Soldier, and on that place made his home until the death of his companion which occurred on April 12, 1907, since which time he has made his home with his children. Mr. and Mrs. Swartz were among the early settlers of Kansas. There home was the home of many more than the six children who grew to manhood and womanhood under their roof He was a busy man, and very successful in business affairs and in accumulating wealth. He owned large farm interests, much stock and at various times interested in banking and mercantile pursuits. Several years ago he was injured while handling a vicious horses and since that time has failed quite rapidly. He leaves behind five children, Mrs. Anna Brenner of Colorado Springs, Mrs. Geo. Smith of Soldier, Al. Swartz of Soldier, Henry Swartz of Valley Falls and Mrs. J. H. Lynn of Soldier The deceased was a member of the German Lutheran church *Soldier Clipper*, March 18, 1908.

SoldierAlbert Swartz was quite badly injured on Friday by being hit by a stump puller sweep. He was able to attend his father's funeral Tuesday. *The Holton Signal*, March 19, 1908.

6219. Rev. W. C. Miles was called to Peabody, Kan., last week to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Sarah Miles Hanna. She died in Kansas City the last of the week *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

6220. John Mills, a resident of Jackson C., Kan., for forty-five years, and a subscriber to the Recorder for upward of thirty-two years, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. J. Elliott, in Edmund, Okla., where he has been making his home for the last eighteen months. Interment was made in the Edmund cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

... died April 11 *The Holton Signal*, April 25, 1907.

6221. Mayetta. Mrs. A. D. Winters received word a few days ago that her brother had died in California after some two or three weeks illness. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

6222. Cross Creek From the Delia Paper.] Mrs. R. D. James received the sad news of the death of her uncle, George Stratton, of Bangor, Maine Saturday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

6223. Edna Anne Conner, daughter of Mrs. Sophia Conner, was born October 17, 1886; died April 2, 1907, aged 20 years, 5 months and 16 days. She was graduated from Holton High School two years ago with first honor. This gave her a scholarship in Baker University, where she spent the following year. During the year just past she taught successfully at Plainville, Kan. At the close of her school year, about one-month before her death, she returned to Kansas City where is now the home of her mother and sister. She came back from her years work worn out ... On the 28th of March she was taken suddenly ill in a store in Kansas City. She was removed to the hospital where in the early morning of April 2 she fell asleep *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 18, 1907.

... from the effects of an operation performed for peritonitis *The Holton Signal*, April 4, 1907.

6224. Jefferson and Liberty. Word was received Saturday morning by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pope, that their daughter, Mrs. Minnie Phillips of Pomona, Calif was dead. She was forty-five years of age and for a long time had been in very poor health She leaves a husband and son, five sisters, and parents ...

Mrs. C. O. Kidney received a telegram Saturday from Pomona, Cal., announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. A. E. *Phillips*. *The Holton Signal*, April 18, 1907.

6225. Denison. Mrs. M. L. Kenton, formerly of this place, was buried last week in Oklahoma where they had moved from Valley Falls. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 25, 1907.

6226. Denison. Lydia Jane Purcell was born in Madison county, Kentucky, June 7, 1839 where she grew to womanhood and married Wm. Stivers. They moved to Indiana where on July 16, 1862 was born a son and two years later June 9, 1864, a daughter. The family moved to old Tippenville this county Oct. 11, 1865 where Mr. Stivers ran a blacksmith shop. Nov. 4, 1870 Wm. Stivers died and the wife and children moved to Greensburg, Ind., where by hard work she supported herself, and the children, and the boy, John Thomas Stivers, learned the tinner's trade. Sickness left him hard of hearing and he was struck by a train and injured so that the died Sep. 15, 1884 and the daughter, Lottie Ann Stivers, married a Mr. 'tilting and died two days after her brother. The mother left alone, came back to Kansas where she married George Ferrell. She united with the church in girlhood and later joined the M. E. church south at Gragg's chapel She died suddenly at Denison April 16, 1907 remains laid to rest in the chapel cemetery ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 25, 1907.

Arrington Items died very suddenly of heart failure. *The Holton Signal*, May 2, 1907.

6227. Circleville. The following is from an Indianapolis paper dated Monday April 15: Alexander Johnson shot and killed himself at the Claypool Hotel about 11 o'clock today. He entered the hotel and calmly walking to the buffet stopped there a moment, then passed into the lavatory in the rear of the office and a second later the pistol shot was heard John was fifty-two years old. His wife died about six months ago. Johnson, or "Voss" as he was affectionately called by his friends, owned much property. He owned several pieces of property in addition to 150 lots in McLain street, a number of lots near Morris and other streets and he was interested financially in a new addition in West

Indianapolis known as the Johnson-Stein addition. He was a member of the Y. M. C. A. and in his pocket was a receipt for dues in the association. Brooding over ill health and partial paralysis is thought to be the cause of his suicide. He leaves one son. - Indianapolis News. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 25, 1907.

6228. Captain Wm. A. Myers, of Anderson, Indiana, died of apoplexy last Thursday. Captain Myers was one of the prominent politicians of Indiana, and represented his district in congress and was secretary of state two terms a few years ago. Mrs. Myers, who was formerly Miss Florence Stewart and at one time a teacher in the Holton public schools, has the sympathy of her friends and acquaintances in Holton. Captain Myers has two brother-in-laws in Holton, Dr. V. V. Adamson and Captain J. A. Scott. Captain Myers was a veteran of the war for the union. He served from the first to the last of the contest. *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 25, 1907.

.... At the time of his death he was commander of the Loyal Legion of Indiana, and was president of Carnegie Library Board and a member of the G. A. R. *The Holton Signal*, April 25, 1907.

6229. Jacob Simpson was born in Prebel county, Ohio A. D. 1851. He was the second of a family of six children and the first to be called away by death. He came with his parents to Kansas in 79. Jacob Joined the U. B. church about two years ago. He died April 21st, 1907, after an illness of only 9 days. He leaves an aged father and mother and five brothers and sisters, all whom were present at the funeral except one sister. Funeral services were held from the home of his parents by Rev. J. H. Frazer. Laid to rest in Spring Hill Cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, April 26, 1907.

Whiting. Jake Simpson died Sunday night of pneumonia, he was a bachelor, 50 years old *The Recorder-Tribune*, April 25, 1907.

Whiting Neighborhood. Jake Simpson died at the home of his father ... leaves a father, mother, two brothers and a sister *The Holton Signal*, April 25, 1907.

6230. Olive Hill Items. Rev. Mousey received word Saturday of the death of his sister whose home was at Edgar, Nebr.... *Soldier Clipper*, May 1, 1907.

6231. The Local News. Mrs. Jas. Drenning, mother of Mrs. Ed. Reser, died in Chicago, Ill. last Tuesday *Delia Paper*, May 1, 1907.

6232. Mrs. J. T. Davidson was called to Chicago Tuesday by a telegram announcing the death of her daughter's baby. She had been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. McCorkle, for the past two weeks. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 2, 1907.

6233. A. son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Klupp April 25, and died the next clay. He was buried Saturday in the Mayetta cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 2, 1907.

6234. Beauty Heights. Mrs. Jeff Hickman was called to Leavenworth Saturday by the death of her brother. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 2, 1907.

6235. Leavenworth, Kan., April 29. - The will of Mrs. Helen Smith, wife of Len T. Smith, who died in Mexico sixteen years ago, was filed for probate Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Smith leaves an estate

valued at \$400,000. The following bequeaths are made in cash: Mrs. M. J . Lambert, \$10,000; Mrs. Maria C Rice, \$10,000; Miss Ida Smith, Topeka, \$5,000; Joseph Smith, Holton, Kan., \$5,000, St. Paul's Episcopal church, \$20,000 W. T. Hewitt, a son-in-law, gets 160 acres of valuable land situated between Leavenworth and Lansing; Mrs. W. T. Hewitt, a daughter, the Smith residence on North Broadway, and the remainder of the estate, said to be about \$300,000. *Me*

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6236.....Geneva M. Hoenshell was born in Ohio, Feb. 9, 1872, and fell asleep at her home in Larkin, Kan., April 19, 1907. The greater part of her life has been spent in Larkin and immediate vicinity. On March 22, 1893, she was married to John W. Bowser. To this union were born eight children, three boys and five girls, all of whom survive the mother. The deceased leaves a father, two brothers, husband and children interment was in the cemetery north of Larkin *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 2, 1907

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Arrington Items eight children - the oldest is 113 years and the youngest is two months old *The Holton Sigrrcal*, May 2, 1907.

6237. Havensville. Died, April 20, 1907, in Washington, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Lou M. Jones, oldest sister of Samuel Grimshaw of this city. She was the second oldest of the family, being 65 years old. *The Holton Signal*, May 2, 1907.

6238. Havensville Notes. Mrs. Mary Armstrong received word Saturday that her mother had died that day, just one month and eighteen days after her father died. She was unable to attend the funeral. *The Holton Signal*, May 2, 1907.

6239. Ontario. We heard the sad news of the death of our former minister, Mr. Webb. His wife and children have our sympathy. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 9, 1907.

Rev. B. F. Webb, pastor of the Rossville and Silver Lake M. E. churches last year, and well known in Pottawatomie and Shawnee counties, died suddenly of heart disease at the old John Bell farm about six miles north of Topeka, about 11 p. m. last Friday. He was 56 years old Rev. Mr. Webb had been a member of the Methodist conference for twenty-six years. During that time he had never missed an appointment. His charges included St. Marys, Rossville, Silver Lake and Meriden. He was pastor of the latter place at the time of his death. He was born in Galena, Ill., September 6, 1841. In 1870 he moved to Lawrence. Some time after that he entered the ministry and had been active in church work from that time to the day of his death. Besides his wife he leaves two sons, Floyd Webb, a Washburn college student and Glen Webb. - Delia Paper. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

6240. Death of N. F. Carpenter. We received a postal card Monday with an Omaha date from Mrs. Mary Walker announcing that her father died last Friday. She had received a telegram Friday evening at 7 o'clock and had started to Menomonee, Wis., on the local train. She had heard no particulars *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 9, 1907.

Mrs. Mary Walker has been visiting her son Charley and family and with friends in Holton. She is enroute to her home in Denversin where she was called by the death of her father ...

The Holton Signal, May 23, 1907.

6241. Denison. Mary Ann Law was born May 15, 1836, in Guernsey county, Ohio. At an early age she united with the Reformed Presbyterian church at New Concord, Ohio. In 1856 she married Davis Smiley Atcheson, of New Concord, where they lived until 1871 when they came to Jackson county, Kans. During this year Mr. Atcheson received burns in a prairie fire from which he died in early winter. Six children, three boys and three girls came to their home, only two survive her, James L., of Denison, and Samuel M., of Topeka. In 1879 she married Thos. Chestnut, of Clay county, Kas., where she lived with her husband until his death, when she returned to Denison where she resided until her death which occurred May 2, 1907, at the age of 70 years, 11 months and 15 days ... burial was made in the R. P. cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 9, 1907.

6242. Whiting. F. M. Green received a letter from Benedict, Nebr., written April 28th, from his brother, David, stating that all was well as usual, and on the 30th he received a telegram that he died on that morning. June 29th he would have been 69 years old. Three brothers older than he, one brother and one sister younger than he are left to mourn ... He and his wife were visiting a daughter, and he was taken to his home at Auburn, 120 miles east of where they were visiting, for burial. He served over three years in the Civil war, was in the Southern prisons five months, nearly starved to death, which no doubt shortened his life. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 9, 1907.

6243. Rev. William Scott was born at Charleston, South Carolina, July 25, 1825, and died at the Soldier's Military Home at Leavenworth, April 25, 1907, aged 81 years and seven months. When 18 years of age he went to learn the blacksmith trade which occupation he followed until about ten years ago when his age and health would not allow him to work longer. He united with the M. E. church when quite young. When 24 years of age he was ordained a preacher and some years later ordained elder. He was married to Miss Pamela Anna Esnard, Jan. 10, 1849. To this union were born nine children, three still survive here, six with their mother have preceded him to the great beyond. He moved with his family to Indiana, living there only a short time then moving to Bloomfield, Mo., where May 1, 1873, he was married to Mrs. Missouri C. Poe. To this union were born seven children, five with their mother were waiting to welcome him home with them in the haven of rest where parting will be no more. In 1881 he came to Kansas having had lived in several different localities. In 1898 he moved to Soldier, Kan., where he lived until last January, going then to Kansas City with his daughter, Laura, staying there until Feb. 15, when he was admitted to the Soldier's Military Home where he has desired to go for the past year, but could not get admission until that time. He enlisted in the 58 Indiana Inf In 1861 and served three years He leaves to mourn his loss, Mrs. Eliza Trimble and Miss Lena Scott, of Evansville, Ind., Mrs. Lillie Brent, of Farmington, Mo., Miss Laura Scott, of Kansas City, Kansas, Mrs. Maggie Hickman, of Circleville, Kan., 17 grandchildren and one great grandchild The funeral was held at the Soldier's Military Home ... and the remains were laid to rest ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 9, 1907.

.... He enlisted in the Union army in November 61 Co. I, 58 Ind. Vol. Inf, and was discharged Dec. 30 62 on account of disability *Soldier Clipper*, May 1, 1907.

.... united in marriage to Missouri C. Shultz ... four children dying in infancy; one son, 15 years of age, died in 1892 ... death of a most devoted wife and mother May 2, 1900 Mrs. Lillian Brent of Desloge, Mo *Soldier Clipper*, May 8, 1907.

6244. America City Items. Liddie Mae Myers nee Melton was born at Parkville Platte county Mo. 1883, and died at her home in America City, Kans., May 3, 1907; age 23 years 8 months and 7 days. She came with her parents to Nemaha county in 1887, and was united in marriage to Mr. Clarence E. Myers at America City, Mar. 28, 1902. A loving husband and two children, her parents two brothers and four sisters survive her. She united with the M. E. church in the year 1900laid to rest in the America City cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, May 15, 1907.

6245. Mr. William Wallace Bohannon was born in Buchanan county, Missouri, on March 28, 1849 and died at Mayetta, Kansas, May 8, 1907, aged 58 years, one month and 9 days. He was married on September 8, 1880 to Miss Levitha I. Caree. To this union there were three children born, Geo. C., Wm. A., and Annie M., all of whom with their mother survive him. Mr. Bohannon united with the Church of Christ at Bethel, Buchanan county, Missouri, in 1881 ... Besides his wife and children he leaves two brothers and four sisters and many other relatives

Denison. Wm. Bohannon, who at one time lived on the farm now occupied by Mr. E. Caldwell, died last week from the effects of blood poisoning at his home a mile south of Mayetta. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

Mayetta Notes. Mr. Bohannon who had his leg taken off on the fourth, was buried on the ninth *m* He suffered intensely, was ready and willing to go *The Holton Signal*, May 16, 1907.

6246. Mrs. W. A. McKeever, Mrs. B. Tucker, Mrs. C. E. Rose, H. C. Tucker and A. H. Williams will go to Valley Falls today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Arch McKeever, who died at Topeka Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

Elvira Means McKeever, wife of Arch McKeever, was born in Andrew county, Missouri, June 29, 1842 and died May 14, 1907 at her home in Topeka. Mrs. McKeever was one of the early settlers of Jackson county coming in the spring of 1859 to live with her sister Mrs. James Raney on North Cedar Creek. June 3, 1861 she was married to Arch McKeever who had taken up a homestead here in 1857. The marriage occurred in Buchanan county, Missouri, and the wedding trip consisted of a drive across the country to the McKeever homestead in a covered wagon drawn by oxen. Here they lived till 1876 during which time seven sons were born. In the spring of the latter year they removed to Jefferson county near Valley Falls and remained to the summer of 1904 since which time their home has been in Topeka. Two months ago Mrs. McKeever fell and fractured her hip Joseph L., the oldest son died in 1896, and Guy, the youngest son in 1882, Nellie, the ninth child and only daughter died in 1885. Besides her husband there remain four sisters, two brothers and six sons. The funeral services were held at Valley Falls. The sons, who acted as pall bearers are James R. McKeever, Oklahoma City, Okla., E. D. McKeever, Topeka, Wm. A. McKeever, Manhattan, Geo. V. McKeever, Valley Falls, H. G. McKeever, Enid, Okla., Harry S. McKeever, Oklahoma City. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

.... the family moved to the old home place, five miles southwest of Valley Falls, where they remained until the summer of 1905, when they removed to Topeka *The Hoyt Sentinel*, May 30, 1907.

6247. Circleville. Word was received Thursday of the death of Al Richardson at his home at Woodland Park, Colo. Mr. Richardson was a son in law of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilkerson ...

Soldier Valley. Mr. Moberly's received the sad news last Thursday of the death of their brother-in-law, Al Ritcheson, of Colorado. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

6248. Sarah Elizabeth Shaw was born in Griggsville, Ill. April 26, 1867. She was married to William Crawford, of the same place at the age of nineteen years, and together they came to Whiting, Kansas, in 1892. Here Mr. Crawford died, ten years later, and here Mrs. Crawford died May 11 1907 aged 40 years and 15 days, of their six children, five-three sons and two daughters survive them and they were with their aged grandmother were with their mother during her sickness and death *Whiting Journal*, May 17, 1907.

Whiting.....had lived in Whiting and vicinity for a long time. Several years ago the family moved from the country to town and Mr. Crawford died here. She leaves three sons and two daughters to mourn her death, Mrs. Alice Bender, of Salina, and May, Russel, Hartle and Jessie and aged mother, Mrs. Shaul ... Interment was in Spring Hill cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 16, 1907.

Russel Crawford who was called from K. C. by the fatal illness of his mother, has returned to his school work. *Whiting Journal*, May 24, 1907.

6249. Mayetta. A good many white folks went out to the burial of a young Indian by the name of Walker who died of consumption. *The Holton Signal*, May 23, 1907.

6250. Mrs. Rev. Wm. Kuips died at her home in Garrison Tuesday, May 21. The funeral services will be held at Manhattan this afternoon. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

6251. Mayetta. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Evans were called to Summerfield, Kansas, last week on account of the death of the latter's mother who was 85 years old *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

6252. Corner. Mr. Henry Barry of the Bloomfield neighborhood passed away one day last week and was buried in the Meriden cemetery on Sunday. He had lived there about twenty years ... he served our country during the civil war, in a Pennsylvania regiment *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

6253. Dr. A. B. McCandless was born near Pittsburg, Pa., July 27, 1823, being one of a family of 13 children who were born and raised on a farm. When quite a young man he began the study of medicine in the office of his brother, Dr. A. Cl. McCandless, of Pittsburg. Here he remained some time, taking one course of lectures in Cleveland, Ohio. He studied in Jefferson College in Philadelphia and took a full course in the Chicago Medical College from which he was graduated. In 1852, he went to Bloomfield, Ohio, to begin the practice of his profession. In December, 1853, he was married to Elizabeth Lee. To them were born thirteen children, seven of whom are still living. In 1869 the family moved to Columbus City, Iowa. Here the mother of these sons and daughters and the oldest son lie buried. In 1882 the doctor and Mrs. Belle Moore were married. With her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Allison, this has been a loving a devoted family through these years. In September, 1887, they came to Holton and have resided here ever since. Dr. McCandless' health began to fall early in the winter ... Three weeks ago he and Mrs. McCandless went to Perry, Okla., hoping the change

might prove beneficial The spirit left the body Wednesday evening, May 22, just at sunset ... Columbus City, Iowa, where the body was laid to rest Saturday, May 25. The surviving members of the family are Mrs. McCandless, Dr. A. W. McCandless, of Chicago, Dr. A. H. McCandless, of Rock Island, Ill., Dr. C. R. McCandless, of Davenport, Iowa, H. A. McCandless, of Perry, Okla., Mrs. O. J. Allison, of Holton, Mrs. F. G. Moore, of Perry, Okla., Mrs. J. F. Reynolds, of Fullerton, Calif, and G. T. McCandless, of Kansas City, Mo.....He has been a ruling elder in the Presbyterian church for many years *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

6254. The Kansas City Times Monday morning contained the following: Erwin E. Heath of 1403 Garfield avenue, Kansas city, principal of the Linwood, Kas., public school, died yesterday morning at the Union depot. His school closed Friday and last night he addressed a meeting of the Knights of Pythias in Linwood. He became ill soon after arriving in Kansas City while waiting for his son, Arthur A. Heath, and died in a few minutes. Dr. George B. Thompson, coroner, said after an autopsy, that heart disease has caused death. Mr. Heath had been principal of the Linwood, Kas., school two years. He was superintendent of the Holton, Kas., schools for nine years. He leaves a widow and two children, Arthur A. Heath and Marguerite Heath. The body is to be taken to Valley Falls, Kas., for burial *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

Erwin Eugene Heath was born at Corinth, Vermont, November 7, 1847, and died at Kansas City, Mo., May 26, 1907. His early life was spent in Vermont, but his parents moved to California when he was still a small boy. Here he spent the next thirteen years, and here he received most of his education. He began teaching at the age of fifteen and later engaged in surveying for a number of years. He served for five years in the regular army. In 1873 he came to Kansas and settled in Junction City; here he met Miss Jane Miller, and the friendship ripened into a strong and lasting attachment consummated by marriage in 1876. To them were born four children: Eugene, who died in infancy; Ruth, who died at the age of fifteen at Valley Falls; Harvey, employed as claim clerk in the office of the Kansas Mercantile Company of Kansas City and Marguerite, a girl in school ... a member of the Congregational church since 1874 Mr. Heath was a veteran teacher. He began teaching in California and carried on his work in Junction City, at Solomon, at Topeka, where he was principal of the Harrison Street school for five years; at Valley Falls, where he remained for nine years; At Holton, where he was superintendent for eleven years; and at Linwood, where his second year was finished only last Friday *The Holton Signal*, May 30, 1907.

6255. Cross Creek News. The following notice of the death of Mrs. Kellog, who is a cousin of Mrs. R. D. James, and niece of J. E. Taylor and, formerly lived with her parents on Soldier Creek, is taken from the Logan County Oklahoma News. Carrie Ostrander Kellog was born in Sabetha, Kans., March 28, 1885 and died in Crescent, Okla., May 16, 1907. Mrs. Kellog moved with her mother to this locality five years ago and was married to Rollo Kellog on Apr. 16, 1907 living in Crescent since that time. She is survived by her husband, mother and brothers - three half brothers and three half sisters the K. and L. of S. lodge of which she was a member. Mr. and Mrs. Kellog had just moved into a nice new cottage in the south part of town *Delia Paper*, May 28, 1907.

6256. F. E. Beeson received a telegram last Wednesday stating that his father who lived in Washington county had died very suddenly. Mr. and Mrs. Beeson and daughter Marie started at once to attend the funeral. *Soldier Clipper*, May 29, 1907.

6257. Beloit Call.) Austin Doty, uyouug man probably about 21 or 22 years of age, a member of Col. Fisher's Big City Shows, which arrived in Beloit at noon, today, was the victim of an accident, shortly after its arrival, which resulted in his death but a short time afterward. It seems the mixed train which pulled the show into Beloit over the Union Pacific did not put the show cars in a desirable position upon transferring them to the Missouri Pacific tracks and so the show people were shoving them by hand, into place. Young Doty was assisting and was between two of the cars when one was being pushed up to the other. For some unexplainable reason he failed to step out of the way in time and was caught between the cars which crushed together with the awful result that his young man, so active, so full of life but afen/r000unni before, soon lay upon the ground, a crushed and helpless piece of humanity Little was known ofyoung Doty by his fellow workmen, but Co}. Fisher, proprietor of the show, had known him for the past fifteen years ... His parents reside in Kansas City, while ubrnther Frank Doty, is engaged in the furniture business at Hill City. It was while the show was at Hill city, but a few days ago, that Austin Doty decided to join it ... Messages were at once sent to the dead man's relatives and the corpse awaits instructions from them *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 30, 1907.

Austin Doty. A son of Jesse Doty, formerly of Holton *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 25, 1907.

The body of Austin Doty was brought to Holton for burial ****He was born in Holton August 8, 1885 and had lived here all his life until he moved with his parents to Kansas City. He leaves a father, mother, two brothers and one sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Doty and son Lloyd of Kansas City *The Ho/ton Signal*, Mov30, 1907.

6258. Arrington. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wagner of St. Louis who were called to Atchison to the death bed of Mr. Wagner's father, came out here Thursday to visit Mrs. Wagner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. HenrySchiffbauer, Sr., but a telegram had preceded them calling them back to Atchison to attend the funeral of Mr. Wagner's who had died in Mississippi *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 30, 1907.

6259. The funeral of Mrs. Maggie Wilson, wife of IVlr. Resin Wilson interment was in the Hoyt cemetery. Mrs. Wilson, whose maiden name ofGvim, was born at Urbanna, Ohio January 17, 1848. She was united in marriage with Resin Wilson Jan. 25,1072. Two children were born in union - one of whom, Otis Wilson, survives the mother; the other having been accidentally killed three years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson moved from Ohio to Albany, Missouri, in 1880, then to Valentine, Nebraska, in 1886, and in 1897, came to Kansas, first settling in Shawnee County, and later coming to Jackson County, and until this spring, lived on their farm northeast of town, when they moved to a farm sixteen miles west of Hoyt near Delia, where Mrs. Wilson died Sunday May, 19. Mrs. Wilson had an attack of the * about two weeks butwasnotthoughttobedangerousago, 8ogornuo condition until Sunday, when death came suddenly Hoyt Sentinel. *Delia Paper*, May 28, 1907.

6260. Netawaka. Another home is dark and dreary. Charles Pebble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pebble, was born Oct. 18, 1892 and died May 22, 1907. Charles was 14 years, 6 mo., and 21 days old May 5u` licv/us sent over to their neighbors to see if his father could borrow a corn drill. Charles started to push it home, and while coming down a hill, the rod dropped down throwing the drill upward, one of the knives running into his limb just above the knee. Charles went home and a doctor was immediately sent fbr Blood poisoning immediately set in which was uncontrollable.

Charles leaves a loving father and mother, sisters, brothers ... the funeral services were held in the Congregational church, after which the remains were carefully laid away. *The Recorder-Tribune*, May 30, 1907.

6261. George A. Gordon, on route 5, is home from Xenia, Ohio, where he attended the funeral of his uncle. *The Holton Signal*, May 30, 1907.

6262. Mrs. Sam Taylor, of Soldier, died at her home, with the dropsy, Thursday of last week. *Jackson County Work!*, May 31, 1907

Meada Alice Rule was born Dec. 13, 1863 in Oregon, Ogle Co. Ill. In early childhood she moved with her parents to Iowa and from there to Jackson Co. Kansas in 1867, where she lived for a number of years with her parents on what is now known as the James Rule homestead, three miles south of Soldier. On October 5, 1883 she was united in marriage to S. J. Taylor. To this union one son was born who remains to bear the loss with his father. On Dec. 31, 1897 Mrs.. Taylor was baptized into Christ ... she departed this life May 24, 1907 at the age of 43 years, 5 months and 11 days. She leaves to mourn her departure a husband, one son, and her father, Mr. Jas. Rule, two sisters, Mrs. H. C. Starr and Mrs. Ed. Godfrey *Soldier Clipper*, June 5, 1907.

6263. Mrs. Fred Buehler was in Hiawatha the last week to attend the funeral of her father, Fred Kinsey who died there. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 6, 1907.

6264. Mayetta. Mrs. S. R. Jones, Sr., received word Friday that her mother, Mrs. Johnson had died very suddenly at the home of her son, Albert Grandma Johnson was 84 years of age at the time of her death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 6, 1907.

6265. A son of Jack Williams died at his home in Muscotah and was buried yesterday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 6, 1907.

6266. Jefferson and Liberty. Thomas Swain was called to Carlinville, Ill., Friday evening by a telegram announcing the death of his father. *The Holton Signal*, June 6, 1907.

Thos. Swain left last Friday for Corltonville, Ill., in answer to a telegram stating that his father died there May 30. Darius Swain was born at Plymouth, N. C., May 9, 1810 and died at his home in Ill. May 30, 1907. *Jackson County World*, June 7, 1907.

6267. Mrs. J. P. Blackledge went to Kansas City the first of the week called there by the death of Mr. Blackledge's brother, who has been ill for sometime. *The Holton Signal*, June 6, 1907.

6268. Last Friday evening about 8 o'clock the engine and the loaded freight cars on the Rock Island went into the ditch about three miles north of here, the fireman, Guys Kennedy, of Herrington, was taken out of the wreck dead, and head brakeman of the same place was caught under a box car and crushed to death. The engineer D. P. Smith of Horton, crawled out of the wreck without assistance but was badly scalded and it was thought he could not live, but last accounts say that he is getting along very nicely and soon will be well again. A Messenger boy in charge of a dead engine was injured, but not critically. The cause of the wreck is not known, but the supposition is that the rails spread under the strain of the heavy train and the fact that the wreck occurred on a curve seems to

strengthen this theory. The train was in charge of conductor S. S. Gushe, who was riding in the caboose at the time the wreck occurred, was not injured. The killed and injured were taken to Horton where they were cared for. In the way of merchandize there was almost every thing from a cake of soap to a threshing outfit, among which there was a car loaded with soap, one with beans, two with buggies one or two with farm implements, one with oilcloth, there was one separator and two traction engines in the wreckage which was piled three cars deep on the road bed. Trains began running again about three o'clock Saturday afternoon. *Whiting .Iorrrrral*, June 7, 1907

6269. Hattie Weister was born in this county near Whiting on the 10th day of October 1883. She was the daughter of George and Mary Weister, the mother having departed this life when an infant, one year old. She was raised to womanhood by her grandparents, 1st fr Newton Heaton and wife, of this community. She spent her youth and school days here She was united in marriage to her husband, Elsworth Dick, on the 17th of January 1906. Of this union was born one child, Eva

Luella. She died at her home 3-1/2 miles from Circleville, 7th day of June,

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has filled the double duty of mother and grandmother to her, a father, a living _____ and a baby to mourn her loss She was an invalid the most of her married life remains to the Circleville cemetery ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 13, 1907.

Circleville Mrs. Ellsworth Glick, who has been very low with consumption died this morning .. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 6, 1907.

6270. E. D. Dibbern was called to St. Joe Monday on account of a death in his brother's family. *Soldier Clipper*, June 12, 1907.

6271. Mrs. D. W. Ellis, the wife of the photographer, died at her home early Tuesday morning of hemorrhage following the birth of a child. Mrs. Ellis had been well until Monday about noon when she became alarmingly ill and all efforts to save her life proved unavailing, Relatives from Iowa and from the east are expected and the funeral will probably be held tomorrow. Her husband and four little children including the new born baby, remain to mourn the loss of a wife and mother, Mrs. Ellis has lived in Holton but a comparatively short time Mrs. J. F. Shrontz has taken the little baby to her home and is giving it all the care possible and it is thought it will live, although its life hangs almost by a thread. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 20, 1907.

Bertha Louise Peck was born Sept, 18, 1873, at Anamosa, Iowa.. Her girlhood days were passed in her native city where she graduated from High School. On Feb. 6, 1895, she was married to Dana W. Ellis at Anamosa, Iowa, and after a few years moved to Boulder, Colorado. In September 1904, the family came to Holton from Boulder. She died June 18, 1907, aged 33 years and 9 months. She was a consistent member of the Methodist church with which she united with when a young girl. She is survived by her husband and four children, two boys and two girls, also by one sister and three brothers ... laid to rest in the Holton cemetery.

Scraps of .. Local News. John and Tyres Peck, of Perth Amboy, N. J., and Henry L. Peck and Alfred Peck, of Randolph, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wildey, of Peoria, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm.:J. Cappoch, of Marion, Iowa, who were called to Holton by the death of Mrs. D. W. Ellis, have returned

to their homes, *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 27, 1907, (coned)

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peck or New Jersey, H. L. Peck of, Randolph Ncb. and At. and Mrs. William, Cappock of Mari-on,
 Iowa, parents of Mz. Ellis . . *The Hoion* June 27, 1907.

.... An only sister and her husband have arrived from Peoria. Ill Two brothers of New Jersey
The Yofto.aSiglial, June 20, 1907,

Scraps of - Local News D. W. Ellis has found it impossible to find anyone to take care of his children at home and for the present they will be taken in charge of by relatives. His mother will take the little boy and an aunt will care for the little baby. Mrs. Ellis' sister will take Marjorie, the little girl -HOTwardwill remain with his father, It is at the best a sad ssibz8d0n.but his neighbors, friends and relatives have done all in their powers to help Mr. Ellis. *The Recorder-Tribune_ July 4.. 1907.* Trouble never comes singly it seems. D. W. Ellis received a message of the death of Mrs. C. A. Wilder in Denver, Colo._ the only sister of the late Mrs . D. W. Ellis. It seems she never recovered from the shock of the death of her sister_ Mrs. ElliX,who died three nn0Dths8gD.aDd Utde }Warm'e Ellis is just recovering frozoa severe attack of cholera morbus which makes it impossible for Mr. Ellis to leave to attend the funeral *The Recorder-Tribune.* September 19. 1907.

6272 Denison- Geo, W. Myers was born in Jefferson county, O i n 1831 , He worked some years at the carpenter trade at Steubenville, O,, and in 1856 he came to Leavenworth. In 1868 he located on the _farm now owned by his son-in-law, James Cops His first wifeVMi's Elliott to whom he was married in 1866, having died in 1867. In 1870 he married Miss Eliza Cody- a sister of Wm. Cody, and by this marriage had five children: ^{Nellie} 11° Harry C', Chas. L_ Roy Gand Frank-- He recently went on a visit to Cody, Wyo., to visit his two younger sons and while there on June 15, he died of old age and general debility
The Recoidei-Tribiuiie, June 20, J907

Denison The body was brought here for burial -- *The Holton Signal*, June 27, 1907

6273 Olive Hill Columbus Water Dicks was born near Covington, Ky, Aug 16, 1853, died at his Kans_ June 9, 1907, aged 53 years, 9 months and 23 days home near Olive Hill in Jackson county.,
 His childhood was spent inland near the city of Cincinnati, O. At the age of fifteen years, he and another brother decided to earn livelihood for themselves, their father having been a victim of war and their widowed ruotheruuob |et0supportdle large family. In conupauywith some other boys they landed at. Bloomingdale, Park county, Ind. found uhome with some strangers there, for two years. At t o age of seventeen years he came with the family of Martin Fickel to Jackson county, Kans., remaining with them for four years, he then spent a year in Indiana and returning to Kansas made his home with Mr. Fickel three years longer, who says of him, "He was a boy who could be trusted on all occasions," He was married to Miss Lizzie Shaklee, Jan. 1, 1X83,tothem were born four children, Bessie, now Mrs. Roy Giliaspe, John, who for the past four years has been the sole companion of and 8gren1 comfort to his father, mentally and physically. Harry and Aury, now residents DfGarfield, Okla "Their mother died March 29, 1891 ..-.The remains were laid beside

his wife, where they were placed more than sixteen years ago. *The* June 20, — died at his home southwest of Circleville Sunday and was buried Monday at Olive Hill cemete¹⁹⁰⁷

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Olive Hill ... At the age of fifteen years he was brought with a company of boys to Bloomingdale, Park county, Indiana, all of whom found homes with families in that vicinity *The Hollon Signal*, June 20, 1907.

6274. Wiley Pruett, Sc, Was born near Milton, Carroll county, Ky., Sept. 21, 1836. When a small boy his parents moved to Warren county, where he grew to manhood. At the age of 20 years he came into the Church of Christ under the preaching of the famous Jesse Smith. In 1867 he came west, settling near Beatrice, Neb., the same year coming on to Circleville, Kati., where but for 8very few years he has since made his home. On the 2nd day of February, 1868 he was married to Miss Melinda J. McCall. to this union was born one child, John William, whom with his mother, two sisters, three brothers, one grandchild and many other relatives mourn his loss He passed from this life June 14, 1907; age 70 years, 8 months and 24 days laid to rest in the Circleville cemetery. *Jackson Couniy World*, June 21, 1907.

Circleville ... died at his home near Winding Vale, June 14 *2hof/oll(x/ Signal*, June 20, 1907.

Wyley Pruet, who lived six miles south of Circleville —. *Soldier Clipper*, June 19, 1907.

6275. Albert Beland was born 8IIWoJlio C. T. Glaurns, Switzerland, February 27, 1355, and died at Holton after eshort illness Wednesday evening, June 19, 1907. Be came to America in 1871 and settled at Valley Falls. He was in the drug business there and at Atchison until nine years ago when he moved with his family to Holton, he has since made his home. Twice since coming to this country he had visited the fatherland, the last time being the occasion of his father's death two years ago. He had been in his usual place of business at the C. E. Rose drug store until a few days before his death. The end came very suddenly while he was sitting on his porch Wednesday evening about half past eight. Two children, a son Reuben and a daughter, Mrs. Chas. Wylie with his loving wife are left to mourn his death. Two half brothers and ohalf sister in Switzerland and a sister in Valley Falls, also survive him ... remains taken to Valley Falls for burial, accompanied by his family and number of Masons who had charge of the services there.

Mrs. L. A. Myers, Albert Myers and Earl Shaffer went to Holton Thursday on account of the death of Alfred Beland. Mrs. Myers is a sister of Mrs. Deland. - Valley Falls Vindicator. *771oRecorder-Tribune*, Junn27,1907.

.... His death was caused by sudden heart trouble *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 20, 1907.

Mr. Deland vvaoa nephew of the late John Beland, in his lifetime a prominent citizen of Valley Falls. He came to America to work in his uncle's drug store * * * e of sixteen. He soon became an expert pharmacist and for years was a member of the firm. During his residence of more than twenty years in Valley Falls he met and married MisaAdah Hillyer, who with their two children survive him. The daughter, Marie, now Mrs. Will Wylie, and the son, Reuben, are both residents of Holton *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

.... leaves two half sisters in Switzerland *The Hollon Signal* , June 27, 1907.

6276. Death came suddenly into the home of W. R. Weeks in this city last Saturday night and took from it the husband and father. Mr. Weeks had been ailing for the past two years with Bright's disease . On Saturday, June 22, he suffered a stroke of apoplexy and lived only a few hours afterward. William Robert Weeks was born in Madison county, Ill., Nov. 25, 1840, and was at the time of his death 66 years, 6 months and 27 days old. He grew to manhood in his native county and lived in that state until 1880, when he came to Kansas, settling in Jackson, on a farm in Liberty township. On January 8, 1862, he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza A. Butler. To them were born seven daughters, six of whom are now living. The eldest became the wife of James Lyon, and died at her home in Jefferson township, Feb. 14, 1887. The remaining daughters are, Carrie M. Whitcraft, Emma F. Stine, and Stella M. Johnson, who live in Liberty township; Cora G. Bateman of Ft. Custer, Mont., Lulu J. Boomer, of this city, and Bessie Stunz of Hiawatha In the fall of 1903 Mr. Weeks retired from active life as a farmer and moved into Holton, where he resided up to his death. He was a member of the M. E. church, of this city, and had been a member of the Masonic order for 43 years He leaves two brothers and one sister of Kingsville, Mo., one of whom, Henry Weeks, was in attendance at the funeral *The Holton Signal*, June 27, 1907.

... purchased a farm in Liberty township three miles north of Holton on which with his family he lived a number of years two brothers and a sister live in Holden, Mo

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stunz *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 27, 1907.

6277. Circleville. Mrs. Nan Thompson received the sad news of the death of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Brown, in California, Saturday evening *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 27, 1907.

Circleville. Mrs. N. C. Thompson received sad news Monday of the death of her daughter Mrs. Maisie Brown of Los Angeles, California *The Holton Signal*, July 4, 1907.

The news of the death of Mrs. Chas. Brown, in California, was received by her mother Mrs. S. M. Thompson, this week. Mrs. Brown formerly lived here and will be well remembered as Miss Daisy Stingley. *Jackson County World*, June 28, 1907.

6278. Soldier Valley. Died, the infant son of Rev. and Mrs. Wykert departed this life on Thursday afternoon, June 18, 1907, aged 9 days ... parents, brothers and sister *The Recorder-Mbune*, June 27, 1907.

6279. Denison. Mr. and Mrs. David Akright left the first of the week to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. O'Meara, of Effingham. *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 27, 1907.

Mrs. P. T. O'Meara died at Effingham Saturday. She was 81 years old, and had lived in Effingham since 1865. *The Holton Signal*, June 27, 1907.

6280. Netawaka. Jack Masquat and wife were killed by lightning Saturday night. They were not discovered until Sunday noon. The former's mother was stunned by the lightning and was unconscious when discovery was made. Mr. Masquat was noted as one of the best Kickapoo Indians *The Recorder-Tribune*, June 27, 1907.

Whiting. ... struck by lightning at their home, on the reserve, on the 27th and when found on the 28th

. They traded with me at old Muscotah in 1863-64.

Scraps of .. Local NewsThey were driving to Horton at the time %13e Recorder-M bvrre,
July 4, 1907.

6281. Whiting Neighborhood. Died, Charley, the 8 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Maulendore, at their home in Kansas City. The body was brought to Whiting for interment Saturday. *The Holton Signal*, June 27, 1907.

Charles Francis Mullendore, the second son of J. C. and Agnes Mullendore was born in Whiting, December 8, 1907 in Kansas City, after nine weeks pf typhoid fever. Accompanied by parents and relatives the body was brought to Whiting Saturday afternoon and interred in Spring Hill cemetery *Whiting Journal*, June 28, 1907.

6282. Frances Ehrhart ...while apparently in the enjoyment of health she greeted her son, B. V., on his return home last Saturday evening, and who went up to town later little knowing that his mother was so near the close of her life journey. On his return he found her in the throes of death Frances (Mersinger) Ehrhart was born in Franceheim, Germany, May 8, 1826. At the age of seven years, she with her parents, emigrated to this country, and settled at Belleville, Illinois. In 1846 she was married to John Ehrhart, and who died in 1870. She was the mother of eleven children - nine boys and two girls - eight of whom, six sons and the two daughters, survive her Six grandsons acted as pallbearers and followed the hearse to the church and subsequently to the cemetery north of town, where she was laid to rest.

Fred. Ehrhart and family, of North Topeka, Scott Myers and family, of North Topeka, August Ehrhart and family of North Topeka, Frank Ehrhart; of Kansas City, Kansas, Mrs.. Maggie Taggart, of Rock Creek, E. A. Coleman, of Meriden, Mrs. Mary Van Spraybrook, of Tecumseh, Mrs. Lizzie Hoanbeoum, Forth Topeka, and Mrs. Bert. Bradley, of Rock Creek, were among the relatives who attended the funeral of the late Ms. Frances Ehrhart on last Monday afternoon. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, June 28, 1907.

6283. Leah Dora Cordon was born Aug. 12, 1881 at the old Cordon home near Ontario, Kansas. Her school days were all spent here, graduating from the common schools of Jackson County. On Feb. 19, 1905, she was married to Bradley Brown at Bancroft, Kansas. Because of failing health last August her husband took her to Western Kansas and Colorado in hopes of recovery. She, with her father and mother spent the winter in Trinidad, Colo. They returned home about the first of April, she seemingly some improved in health. A baby daughter came to bless their home and cheer their hearts on May 30, 1907. She passed away Saturday June 29, 1907 aged 25 years 10 months and 17 days laid to rest in the Ontario cemetery near the graves of her two sisters. *Soldier Clipper*, July 3, 1907.

Ontario. Leah Cordon was born August 12, 1881, near Ontario and died June 29, 1907 at the home of her brother, Arthur Cordon, aged 25 years, 10 months, and 17 days To this union was born one little girl, Geraldine, aged one month. She leaves to mourn her loss, a husband, daughter, father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cordon, of Bancroft, two sisters, Mrs. John Gruver and Mrs. Charles Ash, of Holton, four brothers, George, Arthur, Fred and Frank, of Ontario ...

Scraps of . Local News..... The deceased was afflicted with consumption. She leaves an only child four months old, and a husband. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Brown were in Ontario Sunday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Leah Cordon Brown She formerly lived in Holton. *The Holton Signal*, July 4, 1907.

6284. John Larison died at his home in McLouth last Saturday June 22, at 7 p. m., of consumption, at the age of 24 years and nine months and 16 days. Johnnie, as he was known by everybody was a station agent here for about three years he was married to Miss Bessie Digman about two months ago ... was a member of the I. O. O. F. order of Bancroft Bancroft con. in Wetmore Spectator. - *Soldier Clipper*, July 3, 1907.

6285. Whiting. John Symns had a uncle die by the name of Tiffany, in Atchison, last week *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

6286. Paola, Kas., June 25. - Mrs. Serena Parrott, 86 years old, wife of Captain J. B. Parrott, died at her home here last night. Mrs. Parrott was better known in early Kansas times as Mrs. Samuel Gilman. Mr. Gilman carried the mail by stage between Kansas City and Fort Scott, Kans., before the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad was built. Mrs. Gilman was one of the first women to brave the danger of guarding the mails in those days and was seen many times in the high seat beside her husband with an old Sharp's rifle in her lap. She was married in 1903 to Captain Parrott. The day of their wedding both had just passed their eighty-second birthday anniversaries. A few of the pioneers of this county [Jackson] will remember when before the war Captain Parrott lived in this county. Mrs. Drake and Mrs. Wheeler are his sisters. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

Capt. J. B. Parrott, well known in Paola and Miami Co., from the early settlement, died Thursday, September 10, at the Leavenworth Soldier's home the result of old age and general breaking down. Capt. John Parrott was born at St. Johns, New Brunswick, in 1821. When a young man he went with his parents to Coshocton, Ohio, where he was raised and received a common school education. At the age of 21 years he returned to the place of his birth and took a course in civil engineering, and after leaving college he took a contract to build a railroad from Akron to Coshocton, Ohio, which he completed in two years. It did not prove a financial success for him. In 1844 he was married to Miss Eliza Boggs and in 1856 they went to Des Moines, Iowa. A year later he enlisted in the government service as a civil engineer. He laid out the lands for the Russian colony at Holton, Kans., remaining in that locality until the breaking out of the civil war, when he enlisted at Holton and helped raise a company for Capt. Lewis F. Green, a Methodist minister. He served in company B, 11th Kansas, and afterward became captain of the company. At the close of the war he settled in Paola and for several years engaged in the mercantile business with T. S. McLachlin. He afterwards filled the offices of U. S. Marshal, U. S. revenue collector and county surveyor. He was the father of eight children, all of whom are dead except one son, Richard Parrott, residing in one of the western states. His wife died in Paola many years ago, and in 1903 he was married to Mrs. Samuel Gillman when each of them were in their 82nd year. Capt. Parrott in his younger days possessed considerable ability and took an active interest in politics He was given a soldier burial at the Soldier's home. - *Miami Republican*. *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

Local and Personal. Mrs. M. M. Drake, Mrs. A. B. Conner, of Topeka, and Miss Elizabeth Parrott

attended the funeral of}, B. Parrott in Leavenworth Friday.

Capt. T. B. Parrott, brother of Mrs. M. M. Drake, died at the Soldier's Home at Leavenworth the last of the week. He had lived in Holton with his sister until a few weeks ago when he was taken to the home. *777oHolton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

6287. Cross Creek. From the Delia Paper.] &N and Mrs. Jim Lyons received the sad notice of the death of their grandson, Tommy Lyons, of California. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

6288. Robert A. McDowell, a pioneer settler of Jackson county, died in Colorado City Colorado, last Tuesday, June 18, 1907. Robert A. McDowell was born at Indianapolis, Ind, A. D. 1832, and at the time of his death was in his 74th year. Mr. McDowell recognizing the possibilities of the growing west moved in 1849 to Washington county, Iowa. Here, meeting Martha Watters, the young daughter of Dr. James Watters, the young couple were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock in the year of 1854. Shortly after their marriage the young people moved to Kansas, reaching Jackson county in 1859. The Civil war coming on as it did the following year, Mr. McDowell enlisted in the 11th Kansas, and for three years saw active service as one of the boys in blue. From the union of Robert A. McDowell and Martha Watters were born eleven sons, two of whom died in infancy. Nine of the McDowell boys are still living and all were present at the funeral of their father. Mr. McDowell moved his family from Holton, Kansas, to Colorado City, in 1901. Shortly after he became a member of the G. A. R. Post of Colorado Springs *The Holton Signal*, July 4, 1907.

Mr. Harry McDowell was called to Colorado last week on account of the death of his father. *Soldier Clipper*, June 26, 1907.

6289. Circleville. Mr. J. L. Gilfillan died at his home in California. Mrs. Gilfillan was formerly Miss Mary Mort of this place *The Holton Signal*, July 4, 1907.

Mr. T. A. Gilfillan — Mrs. Gilfillan was formerly Miss Mary Moore—. *Jackson County World*, July 5, 1907.

6290. Armina Newton was born June first 1829 in Livingston Co. New York, and died at the home of her son north of Whiting, Kansas, June 29 1907, aged 78 years and 28 days at the age of six years she came with her parents to Wayne Co. Ohio, five years later moving to Fulton Co., where later she was married to John Lott, moving with her husband to Kansas about the year 1866. Mrs. Lott has been a resident here ever since. She united with the Christian church at Wausean, Ohio, when 17 years of age, and when the Christian church was organized at Whiting she united here and remained a faithful member until death. She was taken seriously ill last October from which she never fully recovered, she made her home with her son E. J. Lott for several months ... the burial was in Wheatland Cemetery near Hortou. Mother Lott lived in Whiting a number of years Whiting *Recorder-Tribune*, July 5, 1907.

Whiting. Mrs. A. A. Lott died on the morning of the 29th, 78 years old, has lived here 36 years She leaves two sons and a daughter .. *Recorder-Tribune*, July 4, 1907.

6291. Chas. Doss, living about four miles east of Fort O, 00 miles 1st suicide by hanging Friday night. He was kicked in the head by a horse three or four years ago and has since been in constant fear of

insanity, his mother having been insane. For a month or more he had been acting strangely and was probably insane at the time he committed the act. *Me Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

Charles Doss was born near Holton, Jackson county, Kansas, Feb. 6, 1882, and died at the same place, July 4, 1907, aged 25 years and 5 months. He was the youngest of a family of ten children, five of whom with his father and mother are left to mourn his unfortunate death, four of the children having died in Indiana before the family moved to Kansas placed to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6292. The mother of James Blandin, the interpreter on the reservation, died Monday of last week at the advanced age of 80 years. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6293. Harvey Williams, son of N. H. Williams and brother of Mrs. D. K. Rinehard, died recently in Texas. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6294. William Pores was born in Westmoreland county, Penn., May 10, 1831, and died near Holton, Kansas, June 30, 1907, aged 76 years, 1 month and 20 days. In 1853 he was married to Priscilla Susanna Truxel. To them were born five children. She died in 1864 and the following year he married Catherine Wallace. Two children were born to this union. His wife died November 12, 1903, aged 67 years and 2 months. William Pores came to Kansas in the spring of 1879 and brought a farm four miles south of Holton. There he lived for many years. He was at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harrold, when he died and the funeral services were held from there. Two other children survive him, Daniel Pores, of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Crum, of North Dakota *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11 1907.

... Mrs. Marion Harrold *The Holton Signal*, July 11, 1907.

6295. Harriett L. Littlefield, wife of George F. Hiller and daughter of Mrs. D. H. Littlefield, died at the Homeopathic hospital in Boston Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Hiller passed her girlhood in Holton, having left here about ten years ago to live in Boston Her husband, a son about three years old, and her mother and sister mourn *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6296. Denison. The younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson died July 1st of spinal meningitis, aged 18 months ... interment being made in the R. P. cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6297. Circleville. Wiley Prueitt was born in Milton, Carroll county, Kentucky, on September 21, 1836. In 1867, he came west and located near Beatrice, Nebraska, where he remained until the fall of the same year, when he moved to Circleville which has since been his home with the exception of a few years spent in Oklahoma. On February 2, 1868, he was united in marriage to Melinda J. McCart. To them was born one son, John William. At the age of twenty years, Mr. Prueitt became a disciple of Christ under the preaching of the famous Jesse Smith He leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband, father, brother, and friend, his wife, his son, a brother, a sister, one grandson He died on June 14, 1907, aged 70 years, 8 mo. and 24 days old *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 11, 1907.

6298. Paul Swetlick, the twelve year old son of Mrs. Anna Sewtlick, died Thursday night of the wound he received the day before the Fourth by the accidental discharge of a bomb which he made out of a bicycle pump *Hie Holton Signal*, July 11, 1907.

Paul Swetlick, who was injured the day before the Fourth by an explosion of gunpowder, died as the result of his injuries Friday morning. At first it was thought that he would recover but the hemorrhage from his wounds was so great that his vitality was exhausted born on a farm in the southwestern part of Jackson county July 6, 1892, and was a few days before fourteen years old at the time of his death. While he was a baby he became fatherless by a tragedy which is yet a mystery. His mother moved with him to Holton soon after this and he has lived here since Besides her, a brother and sister are left to mourn remains were laid in the Holton cemetery. Mrs. Swetlick's brother, John D. Kamaf, of Texas, arrived Saturday ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 18, 1907.

6299. Emmett Notes. The infant son of James Lasley died Wednesday. *The Holton Signal*, July 11, 1907.

6300. Samuel Marshal Sturgeon, was born in Hardin county, Ohio, May 8, 1837. Moved with his parents, to Iowa in 1857. Was married to Elizabeth Hodgen, November 8, 1859, six children were born to them, four daughters and two sons, two daughters having preceded him in crossing the "River of Death." He united with the Christian church in 1887 ... Died June 19, 1907, aged seventy years one month and eleven days. The deceased came to this country soon after it was opened for settlement in 1898, and located on a claim four miles south of this town where he built an elegant home and where he resided at the time of his death Mr. Sturgeon was a patient sufferer for many months from a complication of diseases ... the wife and the four children who survive him, L. M. Sturgeon of this county, R. G. Sturgeon of Laidlow, Oregon, Mrs. M. J. Mulligan of Kansas City, and Mrs. Edith Sparks of Macksville, Kansas, were with him during his last hours ... laid to rest in the Good Hope Cemetery. - *The Helena (Okla.) Star*. Mr. Sturgeon will be remembered as a former citizen of this place. *Jackson County World*, July 12, 1907.

6301. John Young, a citizen of Soldier township, died in Marion county on Sunday evening. He had gone to that county to attend the Fourth and was apparently healthy when he left here. Apoplexy was the cause of his death. The deceased was one of the old timers of the America City neighborhood and he had lived in the small timber in the extreme northwest corner of this township.... *Soldier Clipper*, July 17, 1907.

6302. Drake. Grandpa Maul was called to Missouri Friday by the death of his brother-in-law. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 18, 1907.

6303. Thos. A. Johnson who lived on the Reservation about sixteen miles from Holton was killed by lightning during the storm Sunday night. He had gone from his home to a neighbors and when the storm came up he remembered that he had not put down the windows. He and the neighbor started to walk back to his house and when a short distance away, he was struck and almost instantly killed. The man who was with him was not injured. Mr. Johnson was the son-in-law of H. B. Bair, of Banner. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 18, 1907.

Thomas Alexander Johnson was born in Sullivan county, Mo., near Harris, on the nineteenth day of

March, 1883. He came to Kansas with his parents in September, 1899, and made their home near Carmel school in this county. He united with the Bucks-grove church in March 1902. He was married to Miss Grace Bair on April 5, 1905. To this union there was born one child. He was killed by lightning near his home on the Reservation on the fourteenth day of July, 1907, aged 24 years, 3 months and 25 days His father-in-law, H. B. Bair *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

Thos. Johnson, son of L. K. Johnson, who lived in this neighborhood some years ago *Soldier Clipper*, July 17, 1907.

6304, Our community was severely shocked and greatly saddened by the sudden death of Miss Ada Dove, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dove. She was born Jan. 6, 1889 and departed this life July 24, 1907, aged 18 years, 6 months and 18 days. It was very sad for the family by reason of her being away from home at the time of her death. She had gone a few days, visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Fordham. She took suddenly ill with hemorrhage of the lungs, and only lived about twelve hours after the first attack. None of the family except her mother were permitted to see after she was taken sick until after her death. She had completed the common school course of education and had taken one term in Campbell College, attended the County Institute, and at the time of her death held a County Certificate for teaching and expected to teach the coming school year She leaves to mourn her departure, father, mother, four sisters and four brothers *Soldier Clipper*, July 24, 1907.

... laid to rest in the Bucks-grove cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

High Prairie News. Mrs. Wells was called to Soldier Thursday to the death bed and funeral of her sister Miss Ada Dove *Delia Paper*, August 1, 1907.

Our community was severely shocked when the Angel of Death for the second time in the past month again visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dove, this time taking the third eldest son, Arthur aged 13 years, 9 months and 26 days. On Aug. 4 he was taken seriously ill He was carried to his last resting place by his four cousins, Clare and Ivan Clements, Hugh Fairbank, and Ephriam Fordham ... laid to rest by his sister, Ada ... He leaves a father, mother, four sisters and three brothers *Soldier Clipper*, August 23, 1907.

6305. Almeda Bainbridge was born in Jackson county, Kansas, December 11, 1856. She grew up to womanhood here, and during the year 1880 was married to Joseph Brown. Her husband died about 7 years ago from injuries received while engaged in running a threshing machine. Sister Brown was converted and joined the Muddy Creek Baptist church about the year 1878 She was buried in the cemetery at the church here *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

Denison. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Coleman attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Abner Brown, Saturday in Muddy Creek. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

6306. Mrs. Deborah Goodwin died Monday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Taylor, in Orchard Grove, at the age of 81. She was the mother of Sam and W. R. Goodwin *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

Card of Thanks Death of our dear mother and grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor and

family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Goodwin, Elizabeth Turner. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

... on Tuesday morning July 23' departed this life At the age of 81 years 8 months and 20 days ... twelve grandchildren and four great grandchildren.... laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

News at Soldier. Dallas Taylor received word that his grandmother died in Holton this morning *The Holton Signal*, July 25, 1907.

6307. Word was received in Holton yesterday that J. W. Wendall's mother had died in Kansas City. No particulars are known of her death, but it must have been very sudden as she was only passing through there on her way home from the east. The burial will be at Hanover, Kansas. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

6308. Mrs. Alva Roberts died at her home in the north part of town Friday and was buried Sunday. She leaves a husband and two children to mourn her loss. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

Mrs. Bessie Roberts, wife of Alval Roberts, died July 19, aged 32 years, 4 months and 10 days ... leaves her husband and two children, Florence and Ernest. *The Holton Signal*, July 25, 1907.

6309. Mayetta. Richard Bateman received a telegram from Wichita Tuesday stating that his wife was lying very low and not expected to live. He left at once for that place but before he reached there she was dead. Mrs. Bateman was taken to Wichita by her daughters two weeks ago so they could be with her and give her their careful attention. She was 62 years old at the time of her death, which was caused by cancer of the stomach. The funeral was held Wednesday, July 17, and the remains buried near Wichita. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman moved to this community some two years ago from the north part of the Reservation and have lived here since *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

6310. High Prairie. From the Delia Paper.] Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keller and Mrs. Alfred Keller attended the funeral of the formers brother in Highland last Monday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

Delia News. From the Delia Paper.] Mrs. W. V. Woolpert was called to Highland, Kansas last week to attend the funeral of her cousin, David Keller *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

6311. B. M. Mullins this week received a letter from his brother, James Mullins, from whom he has not heard since the war. There were five brothers, all in Kentucky union regiments during the war. B. M. Mullins knew that three of his brothers were dead and he supposed all of them were dead. James Mullins lives in Grayson, Carter county, Kentucky. He is 85 years old. The two brothers were brought into communication by a niece. *The Holton Signal*, July 25, 1907.

6312. Mayetta. We were pained to hear of the death of Mrs. Anna G. Long, wife of Rev. R. N. Long, who died at her home in Shickley, Nebr., Thursday morning, July 25, 1907, aged 75 years, 9 months and two days. The funeral services were held from the M. E. church at Shickley at 11 a. in., and she was buried near there. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Long lived here for three years, having moved away last February ... husband and children ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

6313. Again the angel of death has hovered around, our home and taken one of our old soldiers, Wallace Ward He has been bedfast for the past five months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward, of Bancroft, and died July 23, 1907, at the age of 79 years, 10 months and 23 days. Mr Ward leaves to mourn his loss four children, William Ward, of Bancroft, Tom Ward, of Holton, Mrs. Joe Bundy, of Holton and Mrs. Bert Watkins, of Cherryvale, Kansas, besides other relatives ... the remains were brought to Circleville and laid by the side of his wife who had gone many years before *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

J. W. Ward was born September 4, 1828, in the state of Illinois *Jackson County World*, August 2, 1907.

6314. Sarah J. Smith was born in Kentucky, November 18, 1830, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Hill, northeast of Holton, July 23, 1907, aged 76 years, 8 months and 5 days. She came with her parents to Missouri when a small child. In 1854 she came to Leavenworth county, and in 1858 to Doniphan county where she was married to I. M. Magers on October 23, 1859. Her husband died in 1863. She united with the Christian church in 1867 and remained in the faith until death. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Kate Tustison, of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Joseph Hill, with whom she has made her home for the past 26 years. There are also two step-sons, D. W. and I. M. Magers *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

... died Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hill in Liberty township *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

6315. Joseph Gallaway, aged 94 years and 6 months, died at his home near Hoyt, Wednesday of extreme old age and the accompanying complications. Mr. Gallaway is another of the early settlers of Shawnee county, having settled in the county and on the farm which has been his home since ever 30 years ago. He was born in Westmoreland county, Pennsylvania, moving from there to Ohio when a young man, and shortly afterwards locating in this county. He was the father of 21 children, 13 of whom survive him, six sons live in Ohio, another in Oklahoma and three in Topeka, all of whom are farmers with the exception of the three who reside in Topeka. There are three surviving daughters, all of whom live in Kansas. Mr. Gallaway has enjoyed good health for years up till last Friday when he was stricken with stomach trouble from which he could not recover owing to his extreme age and the intensely hot weather. He was married four times, all of his wives having died. He has smoked and chewed tobacco since his early childhood and used liquor in a moderate way. He has been able to do light work about his farm which was cared for by himself and an unmarried son up to this summer when he was compelled to cease work on account of his failing eyesight. While prominent in politics as a young man and even during the early days of Kansas he was never elected to an office or accepted a nomination. The funeral was held Friday morning at the farm home and interment followed in the Hoyt cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, August 1, 1907.

6316. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Tomlison and daughter Hazel were called to Topeka yesterday by the death of an uncle of the former - Mrs. Edward H. Shumway *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 2, 1907.

6317. Mr. and Mrs. Shelly's little child died on Thursday evening and was buried Friday afternoon. *Soldier Clipper*, August 7, 1907.

6318. Dr. Wilson J. Flynn died at the home of his mother in Holton last Wednesday after a long and severe illness. His death resulted from cancer of the liver for two terms was coroner of Pottawatomie county *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

Dr. Wilson J. Flinn was born in Republic, Seneca county, Ohio, February 3, 1862, and departed this life August 1, 1907. In 1871, with his parents he came to Kansas, locating near Circleville in Jackson county. In 1881 his parents moved to Holton where he continued his studies, graduating from Holton High school in 1883 and the following year completed the Commercial course in Campbell College. He taught school for three years and for a time was principal of the Whiting school. He studied medicine with Drs. Scott and McCandless of Holton, and in 1891 graduated from Northwestern University Medical school, Chicago. He located in Blaine, Kansas in 1892, where he built up a good practice and was loved by all who knew him. He was united in marriage to Miss Nellie Bernidge of Blaine in 1894. To this union were born six children, Louise, Diaz, Mary, Theodore, Royal and Meril. He has filled a number of responsible positions, being a member of the school board, notary public and a justice of the peace. He was an honored member of the Woodmen of America, and Past Grand of the Holton lodge no. 34 I. G. O. F., having been a member 24 years. About twenty four years ago he united with the Presbyterian church of Holton, taking active part in church work, especially in the Christian Endeavor leaves a mother, wife and six children *The Holton Signal*, August 8, 1907.

6319. Drake. C. S. Spencer has returned from Indiana where he was called by the death of his brother several weeks ago. He returned home by Chicago where he visited a niece. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

6320. Local and Personal. Mrs. Ann Quinn died at her home on Cross Creek at two o'clock this morning after a lingering illness, caused from a fall she sustained several weeks ago, coupled with the infirmities of her advancing age. - St. Malys Star. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

6321. Addie B. Johnson was born Dec. 1868, near Nora Springs, Cerro Gordo County, Iowa. From here, at the age of six years, she removed to a farm near Canton, Ill. When she was fourteen years old she united with the United Brethren church, of which she was a consistent member until her death. In the autumn of 1883 she came with her parents to Kansas. She was united in marriage with George W. Shoup, February 17, 1898, and this union was blessed with one child, Maude Fay, born March 29, 1899. Throughout the spring of 1907, Addie seemed to be in failing health and in the early part of May she lay down on the bed from which she was never to rise again *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

Whiting. Too late for last week.] Mrs. Geo. Shoup died at her home in Whiting Sunday morning, July 21, and was buried in Spring Hill cemetery, Monday afternoon after an illness of several weeks. She came here with her husband a number of years ago, and has since made this her home *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 1, 1907.

.... She was a member of the U. B. church, a primary teacher of the little girls *The Recorder-Tribune*, July 25, 1907.

Card of Thanks ... G. W. Shoup and Daughter, Mrs. Susan Johnson, Henry Johnson. (cont'd)

6321. (con(d) Whiting. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Snider came up from Topeka, last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Shoup, who was Mrs. Snider's cousin *The Recorder-Tuiharne*, August 1, 1907,

Whiting Neighborhood. Mrs. George Shoup died at her home in Whiting July 20, after an illness of nine weeks She leaves a husband and little Maude, aged 7, three brothers and an aged mother *The Holton Signal*, July 25, 1907.

.... Canton, Fulton county, Iowa *Whiting Journal*, July 26, 1907.

6322. Mrs. John Sutherland, died at her home in Thomas, Okla., last Thursday. She had been ill for three years. She leaves a husband and two children - Miss Kate Sutherland of Thomas and Will J. Sutherland of Kansas City. The Sutherlands formerly lived in Holton, owning the Sutherland hotel. Mr. Sutherland is in the hotel business at Thomas. *The Holton Signal*, August 8, 1907.

6323. John W. Larson, agent of the Northwestern at Bancroft, died lately, leaving \$ 1000 insurance to his widow *The Holton Signal*, August 8, 1907.

6324. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Brady and family and Miss Abbie Berridge attended the funeral of Mrs. Brady's grandmother at Horton Sunday. She was 93 years old on March 25, last, and on that date was given a birthday party by her daughter with whom she lived, at which more than fifty of the older people and her personal friends attended. She was born in Nelson county, Ky., in 1814, and was the mother of thirteen children, seven of whom are living. *The Holton Signal*, August 8, 1907.

6325. Mrs. Lawler, mother of John and Dan Lawler, died at her home four miles north of town at 12 o'clock Tuesday night. Mrs. Lawler has been very feeble for several months and her death was due from the effects of cancer of the face. *Delia Paper*, August 8, 1907.

6326. At 2:05 a. m., last Saturday, July 27, 1907, Mrs. Bridget McNeive, one of the oldest and earliest citizens of this vicinity, passed away at her home after an illness of only about fourteen hours from a affliction of the bowels Bridget Charles was born in County Roscommon, Ireland, 77 years ago and came to America at the age of 23, first remaining a while at Baltimore, Md., thence going to Wheeling, West Virginia. There she met and married Patrick McNeive and to their union was born one child, Patrick McNeive, of Cross Creek, who was present at the bedside in her last hours. From Wheeling she moved to Mosinee, Wisconsin, and there resided a few years coming to St. Marys in 1868. After a residence of about three years in the village, she moved onto a farm on Cross Creek and permanently located. Again after seventeen years of hard toil and saving, often suffering many hardships and privations in those pioneer days, having accumulated a competence to keep her in comfort during her declining years and provide nicely for her son who had now grown up and married, she again returned to St. Marys in '87 and brought the little home on Fourth street where she has since lived a retired but comfortable and contented life the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery beside her brothers, John and Michael Charles St. Marys Star. *Delia Paper*, August 8, 1907.

.... In 1856 she was married to Patrick McNeive at Wheeling, West Virginia St. Marys Eagle. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 8, 1907.

Delia. ... died July 21 ... *The Holton Signal*, August 15, 1907.

6327. Parallel. Mr. Howell received word one day last week that his grand-father was dead. *Whiting Journal*, August 9, 1907.

6328. Maple Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Hawks were called to Morrell, Friday evening by the death of a brother-in-law returned home the last of the week. *Whiting Journal*, August 9, 1907.

6329. William B. Stanley died at the family residence, 963 East Fifth South street, Salt Lake City, Utah, Sunday morning of partial paralysis. For the last two years Mr. Stanley's health has been failing Mr. Stanley was born near Leavenworth, Kan., in January 1868. From his early youth he was closely connected with his uncle, Allen G. Campbell, well known throughout the west because of his connection with the Horn silver mine and other large mining ventures in Utah and Colorado. One of the big business ventures of Mr. Campbell's in Salt Lake was the construction of the Dooley building with John E. Dooley about fifteen years ago. Later Mr. Campbell became interested in southern California. Mr. Stanley was then placed in charge of the Utah affairs. In a few years, as Mr. Campbell's health began to fail, Mr. Stanley was given further control of the estate. In 1894 he went to Colorado to engage in the cattle business. This proved highly successful but the death of Mr. Campbell five years ago brought Mr. Stanley back to Utah where he has remained looking after the affairs of the estate. Mr. Stanley was married in 1894 to Miss Mariette Thompson of Beaver. They have no children Burial will be in Mount Olivet cemetery. Salt Lake Tribune. William B. Stanley is the son of Henry Stanley of this city and this was home of his boyhood days. *Jackson County World*, August 9, 1907.

Circleville. Henry Stanley received a telegram announcing the death of his son William, at his home in Riverside, Cal. *The Holton Signal*, August 1, 1907.

6330. Gladys Rozetta Hall, the little 9 months old daughter of George C. Hall, died yesterday morning after a few days illness with cholera infantum ... funeral services from the home, just south of the city, at 10 o'clock this morning, and the remains were laid to rest in the city cemetery. Mr. Hall seems to have had more than his share of affliction, having lost his wife only seven months ago Manhattan Daily Republican, August 4. Mr. George C. Hall, spoken of in the above notice, is the son of E. H. Hall, formerly of Hoyt ... He is also the brother of Cash E. and Fred. W. Hall, who reside in this vicinity *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 9, 1907.

6331. Mrs. Cecelie Hanson, who with her late husband, was a pioneer of Nemaha county, died at noon Tuesday of this week at her home in north Sabetha. The deceased was a native of Denmark, having come to Kansas from Als, Denmark, in 1865. Mrs. and Mrs. Hanson located first in Doniphan county in 1865, moving in 1869 to a quarter section of land near the present town of Kelly. Here the late Mr. Hanson homesteaded a quarter section, occupied the land until some twelve years ago when he and his wife moved to Sabetha. Mr. Hanson died in Oneida 9 years ago and was interred in the Oneida cemetery. A daughter is also buried in the Sabetha cemetery. Mrs. Hanson moved to Sabetha about seven years ago. Mrs. Cecelie Hanson was born at Als, Denmark, November 19, 1828, and was therefore close to 86 years of age. She leaves the following children: Mrs. W. H. Rockerfeller, of Holton; Peter Hanson, of Sabetha; Miss Dora Hanson, of Sabetha, and Mrs. W. E. Davis, of Ontario, Kansas. Peter Hanson arrived from Smith Center, where he has been working The farm, which was homesteaded near Kelly has never passed out of the Hanson family, and was owned by

Mrs. Hanson at the time of her death. The farm will now be apportioned among the four heirs. - Sabetha Herald. *The Recorder-1 bhune*, August 15, 1907.

Scraps of.. Local News. Mrs. Christina Hanson of Sabetha, Kan., died Tuesday, August 6, and was buried yesterday. Her death was caused by general collapse due to old age *The RecorderTribune*, August 8, 1907.

6332. Mayetta. James William Smith, son of C. C. and Emma Smith, was born July 26, 1890 in Shawnee county, Kansas, and departed this life August 8, 1907, aged 17 years and 12 days. He leaves to mourn his loss, father, mother, two brothers and one sister. The remains were laid to rest in the Coleman cemetery east of Mayetta At the time of the death the daughter, Miss Janie, is very low with the same disease, typhoid fever.... *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

... born four miles west of Rossville, Shawnee County ... died at the home of his parents, ten miles west of Mayetta His death was mainly due to severe injuries received by being thrown from a horse. In his weakened physical condition, he was stricken with an attack of typhoid fever, from which he never recovered *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 15, 1907.

6333. Death of Former Holton Girl. Mrs. J. D. Burnett died of cancer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen, in El Reno, Okla., last Saturday. She was born in Blissfield, Mich., and was forty-three years old. She leaves a son nine years old and a daughter four years old. Mrs. Burnett was formerly Miss Minnie Allen. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

6334. Warren Boise, of Minneapolis, is visiting his uncle A. Boise, of the city. About nine years ago. Warren's father lost his life in attempting to rescue a family from a burning building. He saved two children but three lives besides his own were lost. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

6335. Mrs. Maria E. Ansel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ansel, was born in Vinton Co., Ohio, October 12, 1865, and moved with her parents to Iowa in 1869. She was married to Chester Wedsworth in 1886 and moved to Jackson county where she resided near Birmingham until April, 1906, when she again moved to Oakley, Kansas, with her brother and sister. She died at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. J. Richardson, August 7, 1907, at the age of 41 years, 9 months, 24 days, and was laid to rest in the Oakley cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

6336. A. H. Crume died suddenly at Soldier last Friday. He was 70 years old, and had been in feeble condition for several months. Friday morning he complained of a pain, and took a dose of pain killer. In half an hour he was dead. Mr. Crume was one of Jackson county's early settlers *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

Nathaniel Pinkard Crume was born April 19, '17 in Arbarma county, Ohio, and moved from there to Jersey county, Illinois at the age of 8 years. He resided in Jersey, Macoupin and Madison counties, Illinois until 1845. Here in Macoupin county he met and married Sarah Ann Lane in the year 1843. To this union was born seven children, of which but one survives, J. P. Crume the oldest child, the others died while young. Sarah Ann, the wife of the deceased died in Nemaha county, Nebraska, then their home, in August 1887. In November 1888 N. P. Crume came to Soldier, Jackson county, Kansas, to make his home with his son J. P. Crume. On August 7th 1907 between the hours of two

and three o'clock the Lord said unto him "Come after a sickness of only a few minutes, his life went out in a flash of a candle at the age of 90 years 3 months and 17 days. He leaves to mourn his loss one son and wife, nine grand children and three great grand children ... laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, August 14, 1907.

6337. A. D. Walker received a telegram this week announcing the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alexander Walker, in Ohio. *The Holton Signal*, August 15, 1907.

6338. Prof. Reese is home from Michigan, where he was called by the death of the uncle who raised him. *The Holton Signal*, August 15, 1907.

6339. Mrs. Edwin W. Davis died at her home in this city Monday afternoon at 3:15 of gastric fever, after a brief illness. Merriam C. Hopkins was born in Allegheny county, New York July 16, 1841. When 9 years of age she moved with her parents to Tuscola, Michigan, where she grew to womanhood. In December 1868 she was married to Edwin Davis. Immediately after their marriage they moved to Ohio, living there until December 1880, when they moved to Kansas, locating in Washington county. Two sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Davis, one of whom was accidentally killed some years ago, and Grant E. who lives in Manhattan, Nev., and who was unable to be present at the funeral. lvs. Davis united with the Methodist church many years ago and remained a faithful member until her death Early in life she had scarlet fever which affected her hearing. This affliction made her somewhat reserved in her manner interment was in the Circleville cemetery *The Holton Signal*, August 15, 1907.

.... on the 31st day of December, 1866 she was united in marriage to Edmund W. Davis following her marriage she accompanied her husband to Lake county, Ohio, where they made their home until December, 1880, when they came to Kansas, settling in Washington county. Five years later they removed to Jackson county

Circleville.... formerly lived on a farm southwest of here ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6340. Died: Harold, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrews Failor, at the family home near Rossville, Saturday morn Aug. 3, 1897, aged 1 year and 10 months laid to rest in the Catholic Cemetery at St. Marys, Kan.....those who attended the funeral from near Hoyt were Mr. and Mrs. Ehrhart and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fleischer, Mr. and Mrs. George McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Tobin and Mrs. Wm. Tobin. - Hoyt *Sentinel. Delia Paper*, August 15, 1907.

6341. Local and Personal. Saturday Mrs. J. C. Haines received the sad news of the death of her brother, in Ohio. *Whiting Journal*, August 16, 1907.

6342. Personal and Local. E. G. and John Pool accompanied by their father and mother, went to Illinois, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of the latter's brother. *Jackson County World*, August 16, 1907.

6343. Denison. After an illness of 4 weeks at her home in Aberdeen, Washington, where she went with her father three months ago for her health, Frances Calvert departed this life aged sixteen years leaving a father, sister, two brothers and an aged grandmother ... She made her home here for four

years with Aunt Margaret Saunders and while living here united with the Christian church of which she was a member until her death. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6344. Denison. W. R. Mariott died Saturday night at the home of his son, M. E. Mariott, as the result of a stroke of paralysis which he suffered two months ago. W. R. Marion was born in Licking County, Ohio, March 22, 1825. In May 1848 he was married to Miss Eunice Cline. To them were born two sons William and Eugene, both of whom are living. In 1854, Mr. Mariott and his wife moved to Linn county, Iowa. In 1856 they moved to Missouri where they lived during the "border ruffian" days. Being a northern man and being very outspoken in his views he was so persecuted that he finally moved back to Iowa. In 1863 he, with his wife and two boys started overland to California. After a long journey, beset with all the hardships of that time he reached Sacramento. He stayed only about six months and took an ocean vessel for New York and from there back to Iowa where he lived until 1877 when he moved to Jackson county, Kans., where he lived until the death of his beloved wife, June 6, 1900. He then sold his place and moved to Denison where he has lived ever since The M. E. church of which he has been a member every since its organization. He passed away quietly at the home of his son, Eugene, Saturday night Aug. 17th He leaves two sons, William, who lives in Greenwood county, and Eugene, who lives near Denison and seven grandchildren ... the remains were laid to rest beside his wife in the R. P. cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6345. Mrs. Ellen Dick Abel was born in Pluska county, Kentucky, Jan. 24, 1833. She was married to John Abel in Camden Point, Platte county, Mo. She moved to Kansas in 1861. They had seven children all of whom died in infancy except one son, Alex Abel. Her husband died three years ago and she has made her home with her son, Alex Abel A member of the Christian church at Circleville. She was 74 years old and leaves one son and three grandchildren. The out of town people who attended the services were: J. M. Abel, of Topeka; Mrs. B. Abel, of Grantville, Kans.; Mrs. Edna Williamson, of Perry, Kans; J. H. Baugh, of Plainville, Kans.; and Mrs. J. M. Vincent, of Delia, Kansas. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

Banner. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Abel attended the funeral of Mrs. John Abel at Holton Sunday. *The Holton Signal*, August 22, 1907.

6346. John Wesley Miller was born in Moskingdom Co., Ohio, March 4, 1862. When he was yet a boy he moved with his parents to Iowa and later to Kansas, residing in Topeka for the last five years. He died near Holton Aug. 7, 1907. Aged 45 years, 5 months and 3 day. In 1898 he enlisted in the 22 Kansas volunteers under Capt. Phillips and was discharged in November of the same year. The following year he was married to Mary M. Duprey, of Washington Co., Kansas. This union was blessed with three children, Laura C., Willie E., and Charley L., their ages respectively 7, 3, and 1. All of them survive him. He also leaves a wife, three sisters and three brothers ... A mother, father, one brother and four sisters preceded him to that better land. He was taken ill about two years ago with cancer of the stomach. Six months ago he had an operation and from that time he has been confined to his bed *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

John W. Miller, a son of the late Daniel Miller, died on the Rock Island passenger train a short distance out of Holton last Thursday, and was buried in the Holton cemetery on Friday. He has been

living at 1810 North Topeka avenue, in Topeka, for the past few years [He] had been wishing to go to Holton for several months. It was thought by members of the family that he could survive the trip. After boarding the train, he began to grow worse and continued to fail until within about onehalf miles or Holton, when he expired. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 15, 1907.

6347 Sarah E. Crader was born in Calhoun county, Ill., August 16, 1846 and departed this life August 3, 1907, at her home near Mount Pleasant. On September 14, 1862 she was married to A. A. Gilbert to which union were born 15 children, 11 of whom, 8 sons and 3 daughters survive ... Her children are: John A., of Hargraves, Kans.; Leonard A., and Lowe P., of Hays City, Kans.; George A., of McCook, Nebr.; Oscar A., of Oklahoma; Mrs. Amanda E. Sisco, of Wakarusa, Kans., Arthur M. and Mrs. Carrie Misting, of Topeka; Ada M., Leroy L. and Grover O. who remains at home. In 1878 she moved with her family to Ellis county, Kansas in 1893 to Jackson county where she has since resided. In 1892 she was converted to Christ ... she was a member of the Methodist church ... laid to rest in Bloomfield cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6348. Jehu Nelson. Was born in Madison county, Indiana, April 28, 1837, and was married in Wapello county, Iowa, to Miss Nettie Betterton, February 7, 1861. They lived in Iowa, except for two years in Missouri, until 1878 when they came to Circleville, Kansas, where they have lived ever since. To this union were born six children, three boys and three girls; Charles, Frances, Clara, Jesse, William and Emma. The first two died in childhood. Years ago he united with the M. E. church, of Circleville, Kan., of which he has been a consistent member ever since. He died at his home near this city August 19, 1907. He had been sick with heart disease for nine years *Jackson County World*, August 23, 1907.

.... interment was in the Circleville cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, August 22, 1907.

6349. Alva Earl Starr, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Starr, was born Oct. 19, 1906, and died Aug. 15, 1907, aged 9 months and 26 days *Soldier Clipper*, August 23, 1907.

6350. Amanda Spray was born in Albia; Monroe Co., Iowa, Nov. 30th, 1852 and died at her home near Soldier, Kans. Aug. 16, 1907, aged 54 years, 8 months and 16 days. She was married to John W. Wynkoop Oct. 19th, 1876. Four children were born to them all of whom survive her, namely: Mrs. Grace Constable, of Menlo, Ia., Oscar Wynkoop of Norwalk, Ia., Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Emporia, Kansas, and Mrs. Clarence Wynkoop who resides on the old home place. She also leaves a husband, three grandchildren, four brothers and two sisters to mourn her loss. When 24 years of age she was converted during revival services conducted by Rev. M. C. Eignus of Forrest, Ill., and united with the M. E. church and for thirty years has been a consistent, earnest member

Avoca items ... buried Saturday at Olive Hill. *Soldier Clipper*, August 23, 1907.

6351. Scraps of .. Local News. Thomas Goodwin, a brother-in-law of R. P. H. Hamm, died at his home near Horton recently. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6352. Jane Sarah Thompson was born in Indiana May 18, 1838, and died August 18, 1907, at her home in Colorado Springs, aged 69 years and three months. When she was two years of age her parents moved to Whiteside county, Ill., where she grew to womanhood. She was there married to

Robert M. Kennedy Dec. 16, 1858. In 1865 they moved to Holton, where she lived until 1902, when she went to Colorado Springs, soon after the death of her husband. To Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy were born seven children, all of whom are living except the youngest daughter, who preceded her mother to the spirit land six years ago. The children living are Mrs. Sarah Pool and Mrs. Nannie Stauffer, of Circleville, Kansas, and Mrs. Ida Jones and Misses Margaret and Alyce Kennedy, of Colorado Springs, and J. Robert Kennedy, of Holton She united with the Presbyterian church when a young girl, and she with her husband was among the charter members of the First Presbyterian church at Holton, where she was an active member. When she removed to Colorado Springs she moved her church membership to the First Presbyterian church there ... laid to rest beside her husband in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Mbune*, August 29, 1907.

.. Mrs. Kennedy formerly resided in Holton but since the death of Mr. Kennedy has made her home with her children in Circleville and Colorado Springs. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6353. Kokamo, a Pottawatomie Indian, was struck by the south bound Rock Island train a mile and a half south of Whiting Tuesday morning. He was brought to Holton on the same train and died in the station a short time after arriving here. Kokamo had been to Topeka and was returning on the morning train. He was too drunk to be put off at Holton and not until Whiting was reached could he be dislodged from the train. He aimlessly wandered down the track and finally laid down on the rails to take a nap. When the south bound passenger train came along the engineer could not slow down in time to save the Indian. The engine struck him and crushed his skull His body was taken to Meek & Gabel's undertaking rooms before being turned over to his Indian friends. It was reported that Kokamo a few days ago drew his money from the government and went to Topeka with several hundred dollars. When found on the track he had no money on his person. However he had a card of admission to one of Topeka's club dives. That told the story of his head right money more eloquently than words. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

Mo kos-ke, a Pottawatomie Indian, was killed by a Rock Island train south of Whiting The body was taken to the Reserve Wednesday for burial. *The Holton Signal*, August 29, 1907.

6354. General A. L. Williams of Topeka, a Kansas pioneer, died at his summer home on the side of Pike's Peak, Colorado, Wednesday. He had been in feeble health for three years. His wife died in the spring. Since that time he has failed rapidly. A daughter, Mrs. W. L. Dickey, and a son, Burns Williams, were with him when he died. There are two other children living, Mrs. J. F. Jarrell of Holton and Archibald F. Williams of Topeka. General Williams was twice Attorney General of Kansas, and for twenty five years was general attorney for the Union Pacific railroad company. His father, Judge Archibald Williams, was the first United States judge for the District of Kansas, appointed by President Lincoln, who was his neighbor and personal friend. *The Holton Signal*, August 29, 1907.

.. He moved to Kansas in the early 50's and has since been identified with its history. The remains will be brought to Topeka for burial. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6355. When on Tuesday, Aug. 20th John McAllister journeyed to the home from where no traveler returns, a long and well spent life was rounded out A pioneer of Liberty township and for years engaged in shipping stock He was born August 5th, 1816, at Bally Castle, Antrim county, Ireland,

remaining with his parents until his 21" year. He worked at various places in Ireland and Scotland until August 1847, when he visited the United States. Making a brief visit to his home in the early winter of 1848, he returned again in March of that year landing at Philadelphia, where he permanently resided until 1870. To the wife who survives him, Miss Sarah Miller, he was married Aug. 1", 1848. Seven children were born to them, two dying in infancy and the third son, John, in January last. For sixteen years he conducted a diary and six years operated a brick yard. His brother, Adam's death in 1862 made him possessor of the homestead upon which his son, Adam, now resides. Visiting Kansas in 1862 and yearly after until 1870, he grew to like the west and deeming it the better place to raise his family, he disposed of his property interest in Philadelphia and with his family removed to Liberty township in the spring of 1870. The wife who has journeyed with him for so many years, his sons: Samuel, Adam, William and daughter, Mrs. Martha Porterfield mourn his loss. He lived to see gathered at his home twenty-one grandchildren and six great grandchildren *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

John McAllister, one of the pioneer citizens of Liberty township, died at his home north of Holton Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. His death was caused by kidney trouble and decrepitude due to old age 91 years and 15 days old and is survived by a widow and four children. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 22, 1907.

6356. Birmingham. The sad news was received here of the death of Ira Hamilton's little son Irvin. He received a kick from a horse and lived only a short time *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6357. Banner. Mrs. M. E. Brooks received the sad intelligence of the death of her mother in Tennessee. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6358. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] The death of Mrs. John White occurred at the family residence, south of town on Wednesday Interment will be in Rochester Cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

Anna Kate (McCune) White was born in Solon, Johnson county, Iowa, December 20, 1857. She was married October 20, 1876 to J. M. White of Denison, Jackson county, Kansas. She was the mother of 4 children, of whom 3 are living - Mrs. Ada Eldridge, of Topeka; Mrs. Grace Stalons, of Denison, and Miss Blanche White. She died August 21, 1907 at the age of 49 years, 8 months and 1 day *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 23, 1907.

6359. High Prairie. From the Delia Paper.] Mrs. Wells was called from home to the death and funeral of her little brother, Sunday. It seems doubly sad when we know that Mrs. Wells lost a sister not very long ago *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6360. Soldier Creek News. The infant son of J. L. Rogers was buried at Walnut Hill last Sunday morning. *Delia Paper*, August 29, 1907.

6361. William J. Gardner. Was born at Parkers Grove, LaReue county, Kentucky, in 1866. He came to Kansas in 1887, and was married to Miss Rachael Washington, November 8, 1892. To this union were born: Stella age 13, Maurine age 11, Allen J. age 17 months and Lois who departed this life March 7, 1904. Mr. Gardner died at his home in Circleville, Kansas, August 24, 1907 from injuries

sustained at the picnic at Soldier *Jackson Corrrrrty World*, August 30, 1907.

Circleville The interment was in Circleville cemetery ..

Circleville ... injured at the races at the Soldier Creek picnic, died Saturday of concussion of the brain

Mrs. Lou Faubian, of Enid, Okla., came Sunday to attend the funeral of Wm. J. Gardner. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6362. Occasionally a minister is called to administer the Sacrament to a different nationality and race. Such was the lot of Rev. H. H. Fowler, pastor of the Hoyt Methodist Episcopal Church. The place was a cottage on the Pottawatomie Indian Reservation, Before going to far into the subject it is well to state, (though it is generally known) the majority of the Pottawatomie Indians are adherents of the Catholic faith. A drive of seven miles northwest of Hoyt, brought him to the home of Frank Sheperd. Here he found an aged Chippewa Indian squaw. She nor no one knows else her exact age. But it is known that she has reached the century mile post on her life journey. On his arrival at the cottage he found a small but curious congregation awaited his coming. It consisted of Rev. J. F. Steves, pastor of the Mission Church, his wife and two children, fourteen Indians, including children, twenty persons in all. Rev. Fowler was accompanied by his little daughter Annie. The ceremony over the aged lady expressed pleasure and satisfaction of the service and the blessing conferred on her through the blessed Sacrament. It was impossible for her to speak the English tongue, but she spoke feelingly thro' an interrupter. The history of this aged woman is one of intense interest and has its touches of romance and pathos. In brief and so far as we can learn, her husband was for fifty years a Methodist minister. She has one son who is at present a local minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Wisconsin. She remembers having been on the present site of the city of Chicago before the city had an existence or was thought of In those days the Chippewa Indians, which she belongs to, had their residence or headquarters in Milwaukee. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 30, 1907.

6363. Mayetta. Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Wm. Davis at his home in Holton. The remains were laid to rest Thursday in the Brick cemetery five miles north of here. His daughters and sons, Loss and Henry have the sympathy of all. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

W. T. Davis ... buried from the New Harmony church ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 5, 1907.

... died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Karstetter, at noon yesterday. He had been confined to his bed most of the time for nearly a year. *The Holton Signal*, September 5, 1907.

6364. Again the people of Larkin and vicinity have been called upon to mourn the loss of one of their oldest and most highly esteemed citizens, Mr. Edward Moore. Mr. Moore was born in the county of Tyrone, Ireland, June 29, 1824. After coming to this country he was married to Miss Rebecca Creachbaum, Nov. 3, 1863, in Ohio. Coming to Kansas a few years later, they settled on the farm two miles northwest of Larkin ... Eleven children came to bless their home. Two little ones, a son and a daughter passed on the Heavenly land in infancy. Those still living are: Mrs. Oscar Hollenbach,

Mrs. Sylvester Hettick and Mrs. Wm. Medlock, of Larkin, Sam, of Okla., and William, Renfro, James, Frank and Charles, of Larkin In December 1887, the wife and mother was called away ... The youngest daughter, Effie, and her family have been with him the past few years On August 30, 1907, at the age of 83 years, 2 months and 1 day, in the beautiful twilight with his children gathered around him, his spirit went back to God The remains were followed a by a large procession to the Larkin cemetery ... laid to rest by the side of his beloved wife *The RecorderZribune*, August 29, 1907.

6365. George Taylor Tolin was born Sept. 7, 1849, in Pulman county, Indiana, and died at his home near Holly, Colorado, on August 24, 1907, aged 57 years, 11 months, and 117 days. The deceased was the second son of Richard J. and Rebecca Tolin, who moved with their family to this township in 1863, when George was but a lad of fourteen summers. In 1873 Geo. T. Tolin was united in marriage to Miss Jennie Francis. To this union was born three children, two dying in infancy, and Percy. Mrs. Tolin died in 1880. In the year 1884 Geo. T. Tolin was united in marriage to Miss Clarissa Anderson. To this union was born seven children, two dying in infancy and Melvin, Rena, John, Agnes and baby who with his wife remain to mourn his departure. Coming as he did to Kansas in an early day, he was one of the builders of the county. He was one of those who know of the hardship and privations of the early settlers life. He was a resident of this county before it was a county, and township before it was a township. This community had been his home since 1863 - forty-four years. He spent a little time at Seneca, and at one time lived near "James Crossing," and a few months ago went to Holly, Colo., in hopes of improving his health, but in spite of these facts, Soldier has been his home. At the time of his death he was the owner of the homestead a half mile north of town He had held several responsible position in the township The funeral was held in the Soldier M. E. church, of which he was a member ... laid to rest in the Soldier Cemetery. The pallbearers were his nephews: Roy, Logan and Leon Tolin, Walter Stephenson, Ross Francis, and Leslie Anderson. The following named persons were among those from abroad, who attended the funeral: John Tolin, of Indiana, Joe Anderson, of Miltonville, W. Anderson from Circleville, Mrs. R. H. Francis, L. D. Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Green and W. A. Thompson of Holton. *Soldier Clipper*, September 4, 1907.

George Tolin died at his home near Holly, Colo., last Saturday morning. His remains were brought to Soldier and the funeral held there Tuesday. His death resulted from heart trouble and dropsy, with which he has been afflicted for a number of years. He spent last winter with his brother-in-law, R. B. Francis, in Holton. Mr. Tolin was 58 years old and was an old time resident of Soldier township He has owned a farm near Holly for a few years and his family has been residing there. *The Recorder-Tribune*, August 29, 1907.

6366. Elizabeth F. Mark was born in Steubenville, Ohio, May 8, 1829, and died in Holton, Kas., Aug. 30, 1907, having entered upon her seventy-ninth year. At the age of twenty-one she was married to Mr. Samuel Hurrall. Two sons and two daughters were the fruit of this union. One son died in infancy and one daughter at the age of eleven years. Those left to mourn the loss of a devoted mother are C. F. Hurrall and Mrs. S. F. Robinson of Holton. Mr-. Hurrall served through the Civil war, and was on his way home in the spring of 1865, when he died. Mrs. Hurrall remained in widowhood until 1873, when she was married to John McCreary. At the time of this marriage in addition to her own children she assumed the care of the nine children of Mr. McCreary by a former marriage. This

difficult work she carried on with singular tact and sweet motherly grace. Of the nine stepchildren, five daughters and two sons are still living. Immediately after their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. McCreary moved to a farm near Holton, where they continued to reside until Mr. McCreary's death in 1901. Since that date Mrs. McCreary has lived with her daughter, Mrs. S. F. Robinson, in Holton. In early life ... became a member of the Presbyterian church. On coming to Holton she and her husband became members of the Presbyterian church. When the United Presbyterian church was organized at Denison they removed their membership to the church of their early choice *The Recorder-tribune*, September 5, 1907.

6367. Olive Hill. Mr. Harry Frankenstein received word of the death of his father in South Dakota, Aug. 29th. His son, K. V. was with him at that time. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 5, 1907.

6368. Mrs. Wallace Canfield received word last week of the death of her brother, near Lawton, Okla. He has been an invalid for some time. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 5, 1907.

... brother, Willie Brown ... *The Holton Signal*, September 5, 1907.

6369. Whiting. Frank Bokaye died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bokaye, three miles north of town, Tuesday morning of typhoid fever after several weeks sickness. *The Recorder•Tribune*, September 5, 1907.

6370. A dispatch was received Monday evening announcing the death of William Snodgrass, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Snodgrass of this place in a Denver hospital. *The Holton Signal*, September 5, 1907.

... He used to live in Holton*The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Mrs. David Snodgrass died at her home in the east part of Holton Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, of a complication of diseases. She was in her 87th year. She leaves a husband, one daughter, Mrs. Jane Williams, and one son, Andrew Snodgrass, a resident of Portland, Oregon ... Christian church of which church Mrs.. Snodgrass had been identified for 56 years *The Holton Signal*, October 31, 1907.

Mrs. David Snodgrass died at her home in the east part of town Sunday at the age of 87 years Interment was in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

6371. A. A. Thurman, who brought part of the O. G. Taber place southeast of town a few years ago died of blood poisoning Tuesday *The Recorder•Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Alexander A. Thurman was born in Knox Co., Ill., August 10, 1843, and died at Holton September 10, 1907, aged 64 years and 1 month. In 1867 he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Ingrain. To this union were born four daughters, two of whom preceded their father to the heavenly home and two survive, Mrs. Harvey who is living with them and Mrs. Snooks, of St. Joe. Not long after their marriage they moved from Illinois to Iowa where they lived 19 years. In 1887 they moved to Norton Co., Kan., and from there they went to Brown Co., and moved to Topeka where they resided a short time, from which place they moved to Holton, where they have lived for the past 18 months. When the Civil war began he volunteered in Co. I, 77 Ill. Infantry where he served four years. He was an

honored member of Will Wendell Post No. 46 He united with the U. B. church more than 30 years ago He leaves a wife, two daughters, one brother and eight grandchildren *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 19, 1907.

6372. Mayetta. Billy Isaacs received word here Saturday morning of the death of his sister, Mrs. Katie Robins, in Wabaunsee county after an illness of over two months Mrs. Katie Isaacs Robins was reared in this community and lived here until about three years ago when she and her husband went to Wabaunsee county and lived there until her death *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Katie Isaac Robbins was born in Jackson county June 14, 1885, and died September 6, 1907, at Dover, aged 22 years, 2 months and 23 days. She was married to Arker Robbins in 1904. . S h e and her husband went to the Indian Territory where they have lived until a month before her death, when they came to the home of her folks, at which place she died. She leaves a husband, one son, a mother, four brothers and one sister to mourn her loss. She was buried at Dover. *The Holton Signal*, September 19, 1907.

6373. Circleville. Henry Anderson who died Monday afternoon was buried Tuesday afternoon interment was in the Circleville cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Henry Anderson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Anderson, was born in Jackson county, Kansas, on the 13th day of February, 1899; and died at their home in Circleville on the 2nd day of September, 1907; aged 8 years, 6 months and 19 days *Jackson County World*, September 13, 1907.

6374. A. D. Walker received word this week that his brother, Col. T. A. Walker of Hillsboro, Ohio, was dangerously ill and not expected to live. Col. Walker visited in Holton last year. He lost his wife only a few months ago*The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

A. D. Walker returned the first of the week from Ohio. His brother died before he reached him and was buried Monday, Sept. 16. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 26, 1907.

6375. The Chicago Tribune of last Thursday contained the following: "William S. S. Tucker died yesterday at the age of 68. He was born in Metaghan, Nova Scotia. He was educated in East Boston. In 1879 he moved to Chicago. He had been in the wholesale clothing trade since 1868. He was a member of Monnojeie commandery No. 53, Knights Templar, and also of the Illinois society, Sons of the American Revolution The interment will be at Oraceland." Mr. Tucker owned the Sterling Clothing store which has been operated in Holton for several years by 1Vlr. W. H. Ruckerfeller ... the death was not unexpected as Mr. Tucker had been in the hospital for several weeks *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

6376. William Harrison Organ was born December 14, 1870 and died at his home near Ontario, Sept. 4, 1907, aged 37 years, 9 months and 19 days. At the age of 13 years his father died leaving a mother with 5 children. Will being the eldest

Ontario. The death of Wm. Organ occurred suddenly and unexpectedly Wednesday near his home near Ontario. He had almost recovered from the wound inflicted while trying to fix a windmill on August 17. He had a sudden attack of heart trouble and passed away within twenty minutes He

was born Dec. 14, 1869 and died Sept. 4, 1907, aged 37 years, 9 months and 20 days. He united with the M. E. church in 1897 He leaves to mourn his loss a mother, two brothers and two sisters, a number of other relatives *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Ontario Items. Relatives from abroad who attended the funeral of Wm. Organ were: Rose Budd and four children from Havensville, Ed Dixon from Topeka, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dixon from Corning. *Soldier Clipper*, September 4, 1907.

6377. Gertrude Stoeffler was born March 13th 1882, died at the home of J. F. Youngs, west of Whiting September 8 1907, she was a sister of Mrs. Youngs. For two years she has been an invalid laid to rest in the Hiawatha Cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, September 13, 1907.

Maple Drive. Miss Gertrude Stoeffler died Sunday evening after being sick about a week. Miss Gertrude was 25 years of age and was living with her sister when she was called home. She was called from her earthly home to her heavenly one to meet the dear mother gone on before *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Whiting. Too late for last week.] A sister of Mrs. Frank Young, Miss Gertie Stoeffler, died at the home of the former Monday, Sept. 9, and was buried at Hiawatha *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 19, 1907.

6378. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Betcher came up from Holton Friday to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Mary Allen. - Hiawatha World. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

6379. High School Notes. Miss Florence Roberts was absent from school Thursday and Friday because of the death of her grandfather. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

6380. Banner. The death of Mrs. Cook, of Onaga, occurred very suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Pomeroy, Wednesday evening the eleventh. Mr. and Mrs. Cook and their son came from Onaga a day or two before to visit Mrs. Pomeroy and attend the Old Settler's picnic. Mrs. Cook had been in her usual health and had just stepped out of the house for a few minutes after supper. Her daughter went out to look for her and found her lying by the steps laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 19, 1907.

... daughter, Mrs. Frank Pomeroy ... son Arthur Mrs. Smith, the latter Mrs. Cook's sister *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 12, 1907.

Mrs. Lydia N. Cook *The Holton Signal*, September 19, 1907.

6381. Markus Segrist was born in Annedo, Canton Glarus, Switzerland, Oct. 14, 1832, and departed this life Sept. 4, 1907 at his home in Holton, Kan., at the age of 74 years 10 month 30 days. At the age of 34 years the deceased was married to Anna Margreth Aebil, Nov. 26, 1866. Four years later in 1866 they moved to this country and settled one year in Dubuque, Iowa. The following year they moved to Jackson Co. Kan., where he purchased a piece of raw land and built for himself and family a comfortable residence where he has since resided until four years ago when he gave up farming on account of ill health he moved to Holton to spend the remainder of his life. The deceased was one of the earliest settlers ... To this union were born 5 children, three daughters and two sons. Two

daughters, one in infancy and one at the age of nine years preceded him to the other land. Two sons, Markus W. and Henry and daughter, Mrs. C. B. Omcuffhiafititliffil companion and one brother are left to onouro... Thu/7cuo/tle/-7}i6xxe,Scp(o/nbnr19, 1907.

6382. Word was received in Holton Thursday that H. H. Jones had died at his home in Caldwell, Idaho, Monday. The telegram had been so delayed on account of the telegrapher's strike that E. B. Jones and Mrs. Mary A. H. Williams left Monday night, after their brother's death, in the hope that they would reach Caldwell in time to see him alive, Mr. Jones moved away from Holton about seventeen years ago, after having lived here since he was uboy. He was in the furniture business in Caldwell and was aauooeafb(business man. His wife and four children, three daughters, all of them married, and one son mourn his death. One brother, Will, lives in Caldwell and his brother and sister,

E. B. Jones and Mrs. A. H. Williams are the remaining members of his immediate -family. *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 19, 1907.

6383. Mrs. Jacob TNuohcioaud W. D. Naulieiwere called to St Marys Saturday by a telegram announcing the death of William Hecker, a nephew of Mrs. Nauheim. *The Ho/ton Signal*, September |9,\007.

6384. Sarah Jemima, Wightman was born near Columbus, Ohio, August 18, 1860, moved with her parents to Fleming county, Kentucky, 5 years later; was married to Mr. Newton Reeves December 27, 1883, and three years later came to Jackson county, Kansas, locating at last near Whiting, Kansas, where she died September 14, 1907, at the age of 47. Besides her husband she leaves four sons, Elmer Mengel; Sammy Ferman; Ernest Thomas and George Emil, one sister, Mrs. Thomas Humphries, ofNetawuka, and one brother, Joseph Wightman, of Kentucky ... interred in the Netowakuceountry ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, September 26, 1907.

Whiting. On the |4th Mrs. Reeves, north of town fell in their well and was drowned *The Recorder-7}ibx/nz*, September 19, 1907.

Elmer Reeves came in from Denver ... *Jounial*, September 20, 1907.

6385. Smith Clark of the Holton Mercantile Co., was called to Hatfield, Mo by the death of his father. The store was closed for several hours on Thursday, the day of the funeral. *7hcRucome/7ribune*, September 26, 1907.

.... The elder Mr. Clark was 87 years old, and had been in poor health for several months. *The Holton Signal*, September 19, 1907.

6386. Joe MestaneK uBnheoinu about 35 years old, died last Saturday forenoon at the home of Frank l{ruouuda,6miles northeast of town, of heart failure. He had been working for a number of farmers in that vicinity during the past two years. For several months past he has been in very poor health. Last Thursday he came to the home of Mr. Uz000adoaod begged to stay all night, asserting that he had been turned away by several of the neighbors. He was given a bed and the next day he continued togro^p/worse. Saturday morning he requested Mr. 8ronn8d8to go to Rossville and get money from John Kolbek. Accordingly the Bronoado {booiycame to town and on returning about noon found MestaneK lying on the porch dead. Father DeSmedt of St. Marys was sent for and the

body was removed to the home of Vince Martinek where services were held Sunday after which the remains were taken to St. Marys for burial. The deceased had no relatives in this country. *Delia Paper*, September 26, 1907.

6387. Local and Personal. Dr. Mains returned the first of the week from Oskaloosa where he attended the funeral services of his sister, Mrs. O. A. Simmons *Whiling Journal*, September 27, 1907.

6388. Doris, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Manuel, departed from this life Saturday, August 31st at the home of her parents in Imperial Little Doris came to bless her home only July 20th Clipped from a Colorado paper. *Soldier Clipper*, October 2, 1907.

6389. Denison. Will Law, who moved from here to Summerfield, Kans., was left by the death of his wife last winter, with seven small children, and he was here last week looking for a home for two of them. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 3, 1907.

6390. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adamson and son, of Los Angeles, Calif, are visiting Dr. V. V. Adamson, and family. They were called to Kansas City by the death of Mrs. Adamson's mother and are now on their way home. Frank who is entirely blind, has a prosperous bakery in Los Angeles and is doing well. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 3, 1907.

6391. Miss Stella Perry died at her home near St. Clere, Kansas, Sept. 24, 1907, of typhoid fever. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Perry and was 14 years, 6 months and ten days old. Besides her father and mother she leaves to mourn her loss five brothers and five sisters *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 3, 1907.

6392. The Local News. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ward, lost their little baby by death. It was only two or three days old. *Delia Paper*, October 3, 1907.

6393. The Local News. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gideon died last Thursday evening, and was buried in the Adrian cemetery. The baby was only two weeks old and had never been well. *Delia Paper*, October 3, 1907.

6394. Ontario Items. Last Thursday morning word was received of the unexpected death of the wife of Wm. Ward at a hospital in K. C. Mr. Ward is the barber at Bancroft. Our sympathy extended to the bereaved husband and little child. *Soldier Clipper*, October 9, 1907.

6395. Jimmy Hinshaw half brother of Mrs. D. S. Fleming Rode over the Dam in a Boat and Went down in the Big Eddy Just Below. Jimmy Hinshaw, 27-year-old son of Joseph Hinshaw, went over the dam in a boat sometime between 9 and 10 o'clock this morning. Boat and all went under, but Jimmy came to the surface alright and caught hold of a forked log that was floating about in the eddy just below the dam. He got on the log and it seemed to the anxious observers he was safe enough till assistance could be gotten, but while they were getting help, he fell off and has not yet been found - Clay Center Dispatch. *Soldier Clipper*, October 9, 1907.

and one daughter Mrs. Belle Kennedy died seven years ago. His companion, Mrs. Hannum, his two sons, Clem and Earnest, and daughters, Mrs. Thos. Shelby and Mrs. J E. Dever with host of other relatives and friends mourn his seemingly untimely death he has suffered intensely and failed rapidly, until Sunday morning, Oct. 6th, when the dreaded Bright's disease claimed its victim. The deceased built the first residence in Soldier for his own use. It was situated on the lot on which the Clipper office now stands and the structure was incorporated into the Clipper building At the time of his death he was a resident of Blaine, Kans.....laid to rest by the members of the A. F. & A. M., of which he was a member *Soldier Clipper*, October 16, 1907.

6401. Sarah J. Hines was born in Stark county, Ohio, September 1, 1882, and died at Holton, Kansas, October 10, 1907, aged 75 years, 1 month and 10 days. Early in life the deceased moved with her parents to Ashland county, Ohio, where she spent her girlhood days, and also here she met and married David Bender on the 19th day of February, 1855, with whom she walked down life's pathway for fifty-two and half years. In 1858 she moved with her husband to the state of Iowa, and from thence to Brown county, Kansas in 1869. In 1881 Mr. and Mrs. Bender took their residence at Whiting, moving from there to Holton in the year 1895 She first united with the German Reformed church in Ashland county, Ohio, in 1854. While living in Iowa in 1864, she and her husband united with the Methodist Episcopal church, of which church she remained a member until her death Eleven children were born to the deceased, seven boys and four girls. The eldest, a daughter, died at Whiting in 1894; the rest of the children are living Besides the husband and children, three sisters and three brothers were left to mourn laid to rest in the Whiting cemetery

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bender and Miss Grace Porter, of Tonganoxie, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bender, of Boulder, Colo., W. M. Bender, of Panhandle, Texas, E. A. Bender and Mrs. Wm. Weaver, of Edmond, Okla., and L. C. Bender, of Wellington, were all called to Holton by the illness and death of Mrs. David Bender last week.

Whiting.....laid to rest in Spring Hill cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 17, 1907.

Ed Bender, who has been at Holton the past month He owns a frill section of land near Edmund and it is only 18 miles from Oklahoma City the big metropolis of the new state. Mr. Bender, in addition to his large land interest is now one of the heaviest stockholders in one of the Edmunds banks. - Horton Commercial. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

.... a daughter died at Whiting in 1884 the six sons John Bender, Boulder, Col.; E. A. Bender, Okla.; L. C. Bender, Wichita, Ks.; J. D. Bender, Tonganoxie, Ks.; Wm. Bender, Panhandle City, Texas; M. A. Bender, Holton, Ks.; acted as pall bearers *Whiling Journal*, October 18, 1907.

Last Monday morning, December 9, David Bender, an aged and highly respected citizen of Jackson county, died at the home of his son, M. A. Bender, in Holton. The deceased was born in Carlisle, Pennsylvania, April 12, 1830. At the age of 17 with his parents he removed to Ashland county, Ohio, where he met Sarah J. Hines, who on the 14th day of February, 1855, became his wife ... From Ashland county, Ohio, they removed to Iowa in 1856, eleven years later they came to Kansas settling in Brown county. In 1881 they removed to Whiting in Jackson county; in 1895 they came to Holton where they made their home until summoned Two sisters, seven sons and three daughters mourn

for him The remains will be laid by the side of his wife in the cemetery near Whiting *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 12, 1907.

David Bender died at hollow Monday. He was one of the oldest Masons in this part of the state *The Netawaka Talk*, December 13, 1907.

6402. Netawaka. Mrs. Kucklu.uck, one of Netawaka's oldest inhabitants, died at her home here Thursday morning. Mrs. Kuckkuck was hole and hearty until about a week ago when she was stricken with paralysis. She was 87 years of age and is survived by a large number of children, grand-children, and great grand-children ... *The Holton Signal*, October 17, 1907.

6403. The Local News. Word was received yesterday by John Iserman that his sister had died at Topeka *Delia Taper*, October 17, 1907.

6404. Ontario Items. Sid Wolfley attended the funeral of his uncle John Wolfley, who lived near Goff, last Friday. *Soldier Clipper*, October 23, 1907.

6405. E. B. Robinson was called to Wichita Monday to attend the funeral of his sister who died very suddenly Sunday. *Soldier Clipper*, October 23, 1907.

6406. Pea Ridge. Charley Heffner received a telegram from Ligoder, Ind., last week stating that his brother-in-law, Nelse Earnhart was dead. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 24, 1907.

6407. Mary Jane Walrod was born near Hoyt, Kansas, December 19, 1892 and died October 16, 1907, aged 14 years, 9 months and 27 days. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Walrod, who with her three brothers and five sisters are left to mourn her departure. Her illness was of short duration, having taken very ill with pneumonia She was a member of the Point Pleasant Sunday school Her body was laid to rest in the Baptist cemetery ...

Mayetta. Al Pooler and family attended the funeral of Miss Walrod ... , She was a relative of Mr. Pooler. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 24, 1907.

.... she united with the Methodist Episcopal church at the age of twelve years *The Hoyt Sentinel*, October 25, 1907.

6408. Sandy Point. Mrs. Bradley and Floyd went to Atchison Saturday to attend the funeral of their cousin. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 24, 1907.

6409. Chas. N. Meek, a twelve-year-old boy who died in Horton, was buried in the Holton cemetery Tuesday. He was a grandson of C. W. Carter, who lived on the Drake ranch several years ago. While they lived there the boy's mother died and he was laid beside her Tuesday. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 24, 1907.

6410. Liberty. The many friends of John Douglas who was for many years a resident of Liberty township but recently resided near Lexington, Okla., will be pained to learn of his death which occurred last week. *Mr.* Douglas has been in poor health for several years. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 24, 1907.

6411. Ontario. Lou Hurley went to Kansas City to attend the funeral of a relative. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

6412. James W. Ward was born March 4, 1882, and departed this life October 23, 1907, at his home in North Topeka, aged 25 years, 7 months and 10 days. He was brought to Adrian for funeral and buried October 25 ... Mr. Ward was reared in the Adrian neighborhood but for the last few years has lived in North Topeka. He leaves a wife and one child, with father, mother, four brothers and one sister to mourn his departure. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 3, 1907.

James Ward died at the home of his father in Topeka Wednesday Oct. 23, at the age of 25 years. He leaves a wife and one child a little boy. A year ago Mr. Ward was operated upon for an abscess in his side. No permanent relief resulted from the operation and last week he began to fail rapidly *Delia Paper*, October 31, 1907.

6413. George Benner was born in Ohio, December 12, 1836, and died Oct. 13, 1907, at St. Clere, Kan., aged 70 years, 10 months and one day. He was married to Miss Martha Ricketts, April 27, 1870, to which union were born 8 children, 4 sons and 4 daughters. Two sons and 4 daughters with their mother survive to mourn his loss. He came with his family from Ohio to St. Clere 25 years ago and remained in that community until his death *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

6414. Henry Banaka was born April 21, 1857 at Hanover, Germany and died October 10, 1907 at his home near Whiting, Kansas. He came to Kansas in the fall of 1866 and made his home near Burgenville, Illinois. He was united in marriage to Augusta Leppine, February 22, 1877. They came to Kansas in the early spring of 1877 and engaged in farming near Whiting, Kansas, where he lived until his death. To them were born seven children, five sons and two daughters. Edward, who was married to Elizabeth Kline five years ago is now engaged in the undertaking business in Chicago, George, who lives at Lewiston, Idaho, is engaged in the mercantile and fruit growing industry. Herman, who was married five years ago to Emma Swartz, is engaged in farming near his old home. Elizabeth was married a year ago to John Klahr. They live on their farm south of Netawaka. Henry, Ida and Frank are still at home, Henry taking charge of the land *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

Henry Banaka, a farmer living near Netawaka, committed suicide last Thursday by shooting himself through the head with a revolver He leaves a wife and four children He had a brother who several years ago, committed suicide by drowning

Whiting. Henry Banaka died at his home northwest of town, Thursday morning, Oct. 10. He was an old settler and well known. He had not been well but had been assisting with the work of the farm through the summer He leaves a wife, two daughters, five sons Interment in the Netawaka cemetery. Ed. W. Banaka, of Chicago, was called here by the death of his father, arriving here Saturday. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Ada, who was visiting at Chicago. George Banaka is expected from Idaho Wednesday, called here by the death of his father. *The Recorder-Tribune*, October 17, 1907.

... he came to America in the fall of 1866 and made his home near Benzenville, Ill.....*Whiting Journal*, October 25, 1907.

6415. Lucy A. Branham was born in Putnam county, Ia. April 30, 1830, and died at Garrison, Kan., May 21, 1907. At the age of 18 years she was converted and united with the Methodist church. On December 26, 1847, she was married to Rev. William Knipe. To this union ten children were born, six of whom survive ... In 1857 she came with her husband to Kansas and entered upon the strenuous and trying experience of oFrontier ministry, her husband becoming a member of the Kansas conference in 1860
Central Advocate. -*The Recorder-Tribune*, October 31, 1907.

6416. Ontario Items. Mr. Hurla of Soldier and Louis Hurk\were in K. C. last week to attend a relative's funeral. *Soldier Clipper*, November 6, 1907.

6417. Soldier. Mrs. Alexander, mother of Mrs. Thos. Manuel, died at her home at Walula, Kansas, Monday *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 7, 1907.

6418. Netawaka. Rev. P. Stolp and little son went to Atchison Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Stolp's aaruud-fadhör. *The Holton Signal*, November 7, 1907.

6419. RebeccoFelder was born in Pennsylvania, Jul), 20, 1832, and while yet a child moved with her parents to Guernsey county, Ohio, Dec. 13, 1854. She was married to Nathaniel Talbert at Cambridge, Ohio, and the family moved to Jackson county, Kan., in 1858. To them were born four children, Alice, Harry, Walter and William. William died in infancy and Harry at 18 years of age. Alice, now Mrs. Vanderpool, of Topeka, Kan., and Walter, of Holton, Kan., survive her. Nathaniel Talbert died August 2, 1864, and 5 years later, March 27, 1869, the widow married Thos. Keir. To them were born two children, Charley who died at two years of age and flank 0, Keir who now lives on the old home farm in Jackson Co., Kan. Thos. Keir died March, 1905, and in November of the same year Mrs. Keir moved to Topeka to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Vanderpool, where she died Oct. 26, 1907 *The Holton Signal*, November 7, 1907.

East Grant —. interment was in the Holton cemetery. *Tho/fb/kn/ Signal*, October 31, 1907.

6420. Miss Martha Johnson, age 49 years, died at her home in Whiting last night, and death was most vvel0000eto her, ending up period of suffering that has covered nineteen years. Miss Johnston had lived in Whiting all her life, and nineteen years ago contracted rheumatism, since which time she had been confined to an invalid's chair, being unable to leave it even to lie down at night. She was helpless as a baby, and of late years her bones had become ossified, making it necessary to sew her dress on her in the morning, and ripping out the stitches at night She weighed less than fifty pounds at the last, and to add to her suffering contracted consumption a year ago, which caused her

Whiting. death Atchison Champion.

She leaves a brother, Peter Johnson, of Netawaka, and Mrs. Peter Olsen, a sister, living north of town *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 14, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olsen of Kansas City came up last week to attend the funeral service of the formers aunt, IVliss Martha Martha Johnson ...

Card of Thanks ... Our sister and daughter. Mrs. Peter Olsen Peter Johnson A. Brown.

Martha Johnson was born near Copenhagen, Denmark August 29 1858, and died in Whiting, Kansas

Nov. 6, 1907. She came with her parents to this country in 1869. They settled in St. Louis but in the fall they came to the farm near Whiting, Kansas, where she resided until they moved to Whiting five years ago ... she had been a member of the Lutheran church for 21 years laid to rest besides her mother in the Netawaka, cemetery *Whiting Journal*, November 15, 1907.

6421. Netawaka. Frank Put-sell, whose home was about four miles west of this city dropped dead from heart failure on the streets of Atchison Friday. Mr. Purcell was an old settler of this vicinity . interment was made in the Wetmore cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, November 14, 1907.

6422. King Starling went to K. C. Tuesday called there by the death of his brother-in-law John Combs. Mr. Combs at one time lived on the property now owned and occupied by Mr. Maxwell north east of town. *Whiting Journal*, November 15, 1907.

6423. Rev. Tousey was called to Buck's Grove Tuesday afternoon to preach the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beach's two months old son which died Monday. *Soldier Clipper*, November 20, 1907.

6424. Rev. McAfery was in Topeka, Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law. - Corning Gazette. *Soldier Clipper*, November 20, 1907.

6425. Circleville. Willie Zirger, who died Sunday, Nov. 10th, after a long illness, was buried Tuesday ... The school children formed a large part of the crowd ... The interment was in the Circleville cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 21, 1907.

On November 12, the writer stood by the bier of Willie Zirger, aged 11 years 8 months and 21 days Little Willie, was the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Zirger. After a lingering illness of four months he passed away Monday, November 11 ... *Jackson County World*, November 29, 1907.

6426. Ontario. Geo. Hall, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hall died at his home at Baileyville, Kan., last Thursday and his remains were brought to Ontario laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 21, 1907.

The death of Dr. George Hall ... of typhoid fever ... Son of Wilson P. Hall, formerly of this county but now of Soldier Goffs Advance. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 28, 1907.

.... George, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hall, was born in Jacksonville, Illinois, February 3rd, 1869, and came with his parents to Kansas in 1879, where they resided on a farm two miles east of Soldier. George grew to young manhood in this community ... After acquiring a good education in the schools of the county he entered the Marion Simms Medical College at St. Louis, and graduated with high honors in 1897. Soon after graduating he began the practice of medicine at Baileyville, Kansas, and for ten years enjoyed a large and increasing practice He was married in 1981 to Miss Margaret Haney, of Illinois The deceased leaves a wife, father and mother, two sisters and one brother ... *Soldier Clipper*, November 20, 1907.

6427. Alice Bella Anderson Derry was born in Winchester, Ohio, May 27, 1865, and departed this life Nov. 10, 1907 at her home near St. Clere, Kansas, aged 42 years, 5 months and 15 days. She came to Kansas with her grandparents when a young girl. She was married to John F. Derry of St. Clere June 27, 1881. She leaves seven children, six boys and one girl ... joined the United Brethren

church about ten years ago ... *The Recorder-Di ibuine*, November 21, 1907.

6428. George Huess was born in Baden, Germany, *Aug. 15*, 1841, and died near Holton, Kansas, *Nov. 12, 1907*, aged 65 years, 1 month and 27 days. He came to America in 1868 and settled in the state of Pennsylvania where he resided until 1878 when he emigrated to Kansas and located at Holton where he has since lived. In 1868 he was married to Wilhelmina Gertzel who preceded him in death 22 years ago. To this union were born four daughters and two sons, all surviving him but one son. For the past five years the deceased has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Theodore Haag

.. A member and official of the German Presbyterian church at Holton until that organization disbanded some years ago ... interment made in the Holton cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 21, 1907.

6429. Netawaka. Wm. Oxendale died at the home of his daughter Mrs. Jesse Pankinton near Granada Thursday evening. Mr. Oxendale was 77 years of age and until a few years ago was a resident of this city. The funeral services were held Sunday at the Latter Day Saint's church and interment was in the Netawaka cemetery. He leaves four sons and two daughters to mourn his death. *The Holton Signal*, November 21, 1907.

H. L. Pittman and wife who had been here attending the funeral of her father, Wm. Oxendale, left yesterday for their home in Kansas City, Kansas. *The Netawaka Talk*, November 22, 1907.

6430. Miss Mabel Parks, aged 22 years, died Monday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Kahl, in Topeka the interment took place in the Olive branch cemetery four miles south of Delia. Miss Parks was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Joy living south of town and is well known and had a host of friends in Rossville and vicinity. For three years past she had been a nurse at Stormont hospital, Topeka, graduating with high honors last June. Shortly after her graduation she was forced to leave work on account of failing health. She had contracted consumption and in the hope of gaining relief she went to Denver where she remained for some time. She grew steadily worse and a few weeks ago returned to Topeka *Delia Paper*, November 21, 1907.

6431. The people of town and vicinity were expressibly shocked when news was telephoned to town last Friday that Dr. C. B. Wood had died of heart-failure while driving along the road east of the 101 school house ... Dr. Wood had left town to drive to St. Marys and on enroute had stopped at the home of the Lasswells where he was joined by Mrs. Letha Hook and the two drove to town, returning immediately to make a professional call at Martinek's. It was near 6:30 when within a mile from Martinek's and about a half mile east of the school house that the doctor spoke of being cold and shortly after pitched forward onto the dashboard. Mrs. Hook seized his arm and held him until she drove to Frank Horamada's where assistance was procured but he had died without uttering a word. A message was telephoned to Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Alter, his brother-in-law and sister of Rossville, who shortly after arrived and the body was removed to their residence in Rossville, where it was prepared for shipment to the old home at Union Pier, Mich. for burial Dr. Wood was a graduate of Rush Medical College, Chicago, class of 1991 and at the time of his death he was 27 years old Sunday morning, accompanied by his sitter, Mrs. Alter of Rossville, and Mrs. Dr. Carpenter of Topeka the body was put on board the train and the journey taken up to the home of the parents in Michigan. *Delia Paper*, November 21, 1907.

6432. Nannie Schlen was born in Bellfonte Pa., Aug. 24, 1853. She united with the Christian church at the age of eighteen years. On Sept. 24, 1871, she was married to Mr. John Haggard of Bement, it, To this union were born four girls and six boys - She has been a resident of this community since the year 1878. Died at her home in Horton, Kans. Nov. 13, 1907 of paralysis, leaving one daughter and five sons to mourn laid to rest in the Whiting cemetery *Whiting Journal*, November 22, 1907.

WhitingMrs. Haggard had been a resident of Whiting for a number of years ... buried in the Spring Hill cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 21, 1907.

6433. Olive Hill Items. Crowded out last week. Henry Reichling went to Leavenworth last Friday to attend the funeral of his nephew. *Soldier Clipper*, November 27, 1907.

6434. Miss Amelia Gersbach, aged 47 years, eleven months, twenty-two days, died at her home at Effingham on November 9, 1907. Death was most welcome to her, ending a period of suffering that covered nearly twenty-five years. Miss Gersbach was born and raised on this place and has been an invalid for twenty-five years ... She leaves three sisters and one brother to mourn her loss. Her father and mother and two sisters have gone on before her *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 28, 1907.

6435. Otis Young, the oldest son of Mrs. Andy Young of Kansas City, who formerly lived here was killed in an accident at Garden City Monday. No details of the accident have been received. The remains were brought here for burial and Mrs. Young and her daughter came up from Kansas City to meet them here. The young man was about eighteen years old. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 28, 1907.

Otis Young was accidentally killed by having his horse fall with him while rounding up cattle about thirty miles north of Grand Junction, Colo., on November 25 Interment was in the Holton cemetery. Otis Young was the oldest son of Mrs. Andrew Young of the East Grant neighborhood, and was to have come here shortly on a visit *The Holton Signal*, December 5, 1907.

.... Mr. Young was about 18 years of age and was a brother of Miss Alma Young, formerly of this city. *The Netawaka Talk*, November 29, 1907.

6436. Circleville. Joseph Spiker was born in Ohio on the 4th day of July, 1830. He moved to Illinois when a boy. He was married to Maryette Freeman on the 21st day of March 1852. They came to Kansas thirty years ago and have lived in this county most of the time since. His wife preceded him eight years ago. He leaves seven children, four sons and three daughters. He was a member of the Methodist church. He died Nov. 23, 1907. *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 28, 1907.

Jefferson and Liberty. Joseph Spiker died at November 23rd at the home of his son, John, of ailments incident to old age Ten children were born to this union, seven of whom are now living. The greater part of his life was spent in the vicinity of Stronghurst and La Harpe, Ill Interment was made in the Buck's Grove burying ground by the side of his wife who died six years ago. *The Holton Signal*, December 5, 1907.

6437. Death of Former Holton Pastor's Wife. In the death of Mrs. Lucy M. Sullivan which occurred on October 24th Baker University lost one of its firmest friends and most loyal supporters. She had

lived in _____ since 1876 until two years ago when on account of advancing age, she went to live with her children Baker University News Bulletin. Mrs. Sullivan was one of the most popular and efficient preacher's wives that ever lived in Holton ... *The* 1907, 28, 1907.

6438. Mrs. Elizabeth Luucknee Puer was born April 5, 1834, at Duchroth Reinpfa1z, Germany. At the age of 14 years she came to America with her parents. In 1866 she was married to Henry Lucck who survives her. They settled on nfaruncnear Netawaka, where they resided till three years ago when they moved to Holton where she peacefully passed away on Monday morning, Nov. 25, 11907, in the presence of her family at the age of 64 years, 7 months and 22 days. She was the mother of nine children of whom two sons and five daughters are yet living. The deceased was converted to God in 1866 through the labors of the pioneer preachers of the Evangelical association laid away in the Nct8v/uk8Cennntnry ... *The* /7con/x/er-D/bonu, November 28, 1907.

_ she attended the funeral of ofriend and contacted a severe cold that developed into pneumonia, which caused her death She leaves a husband and seven children: C. D. Lueck and Otto Lueck, of Netawaka; Mrs. C. W. Bredo, of Fairview, Mrs. B. E. Canfield, of Powhattan; and Misses Amanda and Lenora, at home with their father ...

Mrs. Anna A. Myers, of Norman Okla., started from her home Tuesday, to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. T. Lueck —. *The* /Ye/ox/zk,zTalk, November 29, 1907.

Norman, Okla. [Topic.] W. H. Meyer died at 9:05 p. m. Monday of hemorrhage of the brain, nearly five hours after he was stricken Mrs. Meyer departed on the 115 o'clock train for northeastern Kansas where she was going to attend the funeral of an aunt. A telegram sent in charge of train number 18 reached her between Arkansas City and Winfield, Kansas. _ The body was shipped Wednesday afternoon to Holton, Kansas, to be buried in the family cemetery. The deceased arrived in Norman in the spring of 1900 and opened up a store in Central block with W. H. Sandmeyer. About three years ago his father, H. F. Meyer of Holton, Kansas, brought Mr. S. Meyer's interest and the firm has since been known as Meyer & Meyer in the prime of life and had but seen 35 years 10 months and 7 days of this world The deceased was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, Royal Neighbors, Eagles and Knights of Honor. The deceased is survived by a father, mother, 3 sisters, 2 brothers, a wife, and son, Clifford 13 years old *The Recorder-Tribune*, November 5, 1907.

— born at Frankfort, Kan., 35 years ago, moving from there to Holton where he lived until a little over 7 years ago when he moved to Norman, Okla., where he was engaged in the furniture business. In 1901 he married Miss Aima Mell who with one child survives him.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Haas of Leavenworth were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Haas's brother, William Meyer. *The Holton Signal*, December 5, 1907.

6439. George, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eggert Dibbern, was born December 1st, 1885, in Soldier township, Kansas, and died of typhoid fever at Lojuotu, Colo., on Nov. 28th, 1907, aged 2\ years, 11 months and 28 days. His remains were brought to Soldier ... laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery by the side of his mother and two brothers ... the bereaved father, two sisters and two brothers this sad hour. But a few years ago this was a happy family, but the hand of death has

pressed very hard upon it, taking away the three boys in young manhood and the mother when yet in the prime of her life*Soldier Clipper*, December 4, 1907.

6440. Juanita, the little three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Shunk, was run over and killed by a street car in Kansas City recently. Mr. Shunk and family lived in Holton until a few months ago when they moved to Kansas City. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

6441. Eli Hilles Linton was born June 15, 1844, in Centerville, Washington county, Penn., and died at his home in Holton Thursday, Nov. 28, 1907. He grew to manhood in his native town and from there enlisted in the Union army in Co. C, 140 Regt. Pa. Vol. Inf. He was at the battle of Chancellorsville and Gettysburg. He was taken sick at Culpepper Court House, Va., and sent to a hospital in Philadelphia. From there he was given a commission as First Lieutenant and was soon after promoted to Captain and rejoined the Army of the Potomac. He was with that army during the Grant campaign from the Wilderness to the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, when his command was sent to North Carolina and remained there until the fall of 1865. He returned to his home and stayed there until the fall of 1866, when he came to Kansas. In the fall of 1867 he was appointed agent to the U. P. R. R. at Tonganoxie. In 1889 he came to Holton as agent of the U. P. and remained as such until 1905, having been continuously in the employ of the Union Pacific for over thirty-eight years when he was compelled on account of sickness to resign. He was accepted in the Masonry in 1866 in Centerville, Pa., and became a member of the Grand Army in 1875. He was born and raised in the Quaker faith. At the time of his death in Holton he was aged 63 years, 5 months and 13 days. He had been ill for two years and for a month or more confined to his bed. During that time cared for by his wife and two daughters and brother. These remain to mourn interred in the Holton cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dessery, of Tonganoxie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soxman, of Lawrence and Mrs. Willis Watson, of Dodge City, were in Holton last week to attend the funeral of E. H. Linton. Mrs. Linton is a sister of Mr. Dessery and Mrs. Watson.

Miss Lulu Blinn, who came to attend the funeral of her uncle, E. H. Linton, returned to her home in Chicago Monday.. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

Mrs. E. H. Linton and daughters, Misses Celia and Estelle, left for Chicago Sunday. Chas. Linton returned to his home in Lawrence at the same time.

The late E. H. Linton was a charter member and the first mason of the Tonganoxie Masonic lodge. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 12, 1907.

6442. Ethel B. Canfield was born in Niagara county, N. Y., July 17, 1833, and died Nov. 17, 1907, in the 75th year of his age. He removed with his parents to _____. Here he grew to manhood, and was married to Miss Harriet *Grandy*. Shortly after his marriage he removed to Niagara Falls, N. Y., after a few short years he was bereft of his companion. Mr. Canfield was married a second time to Miss Anna Luders, Nov. 14, 1871, at Elna, N. Y. In the providence of God this happy union continued until about three years ago, when Mrs. Canfield known and beloved in Holton entered into rest. Three sons and two daughters were the fruit of his second marriage. All of these are living ... they are Lewis W., Ben E. and Fred P., Belle and Pearl. Mr. Canfield came to Atchison county, Kas., in 1880, and to Holton in 1893, where he has since made his home. Shortly after his second marriage

Mr. Canfield united with the Presbyterian church .. One year ago last February he was stricken with the illness from which he never recovered. A. second stroke came about one year later .. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

.... He came to Kansas with his family in 1881, locating near Lancaster, in Atchison county. From there they came to Holton. Mr. Canfield was a member of the Presbyterian church, and of the Holton Masonic lodge Mr. Canfield leaves five children - Misses Belle and Pearl Canfield, W. L. Canfield and B. E. Canfield of Holton, and F. P Canfield of Trinidad, Colo.....

E. B. Canfield died in Holton Sunday, and was buried there Tuesday. Mr. Canfield lived for many years on a farm between Lancaster and Huron, where he raised his family, and was well known in Effingham and vicinity. He was the father of Ben and Belle Canfield, both graduates of the county High School at Effingham. - Effingham New Leaf.

Mrs. F. P. Canfield, of Trinidad, Colo., will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ireland, until after the holidays*The Recorder-Tribune*, November 28, 1907.

Mrs. Fred Castella, of Kansas City, was here the first of the week to attend the funeral of her uncle, E. B. Canfield.....*The Recorder-Tribune*, November 21, 1907.

6443. Winding Vale. Too late for last week.] Mrs. Carpenter's brother died at his home, Nov. 22 in Arizona. He will be buried in Holton this afternoon. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

6444. Denison. Henry Utterback, who died Monday at Crawfordsville, Ind., was brought her Friday for burial. He lived several years ago on the Gus Bowser farm near Birmingham and John owser married his daughter. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

The body of Henry Utterback, father of Harmon Utterback, was brought to Denison from Crawfordsville, Indiana, arriving there Saturday November 30th. Mr. Utterback was born September 26, 1826, and died November 28, 1907, being at the time of death past 81 years old. One son, A. J. Utterback of Crawfordsville, Ind., and a nephew of the same place, accompanied the body. C. H. Utterback, a son, of Blair, Nebr., and a daughter Mrs. J. A. Landis of Ft. Calhoun, Nebr., were also in attendance *The Holton Signal*, December 5, 1907.

6445. Soldier Valley. Anna Mary, infant daughter of John and Maud Stephenson was born Tuesday, Nov. 26, and died November 27, aged 2 days ... the remains were interred in the Olive Hill cemetery *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

6446. Samuel Hewitt, brother of William Hewitt of Holton, died at Victor, Colo., last week of pneumonia. He was 68 years old and a bachelor. The body arrived in Holton Sunday and the G. A. R. of which Mr. Hewitt was a respected member, had charge of the funeral. He resided in Holton several years ago. *The Holton Signal*, December 5, 1907.

6447. The little three-year old son of Frank Berridge, of Goff, died Monday of complication of disease. He had been sick for sometime.

Mrs. C. J. Berridge attended the funeral of Frank Berridge's child at Goff, Wednesday. *The Netawaka 7Ltlk*, December 6, 1907.

6448. Margaret Gilliaspie, 12 years old, prefers her foster parents to her father, W. R. Gilliaspie, and though she later attempted to shake hands with her in an effort to be friendly she held back and refused in the federal courtroom today. Gilliaspie lives in Kansas City, while the Claytons reside on a big ranch ten miles west of Holton in Jackson county. A mother-in-law appears in the case. Gilliaspie claims that when his wife died he gave the child over into the care of his mother-in-law and that she in turn gave her to James Buckley, and that Buckley then permitted the Claypools to take Margaret to rear her. Margaret was cleanly and neatly dressed though it is claimed by the father that the Clayton's have abused his daughter and that her surroundings are not morally what they should be. The Claypools declare that they will carry the fight to retain the girl as their own to the United States supreme court if need be. They are well to do and amply able to carry out their treat apparently. They assert that the father had practically abandoned his daughter who was picked up by Claypool one day when he made a trip to Kansas City with a shipment of cattle. The case will be heard during the January session of the court at Kansas City, Kansas. - Topeka State Journal. *The RecorderTribune*, December 12, 1907.

6449. Denison. Mrs. W. B. Montgomery, one of the pioneers of this section of the country, died at her home Thursday evening, Dec. 5, in her 80th year. Martha Ann Marshall was born Oct. 20, 1828 in Adams Co., Ohio. She was married to W. A. Montgomery, Aug. 20, 1848, and they lived together almost 56 years, when Mr. Montgomery died May 9, 1904. Six of the twelve children born to them are living. In 1856 they moved to Iowa and from there to Kansas in 1867, living in the house where she died ever since except for two years. She was a charter member of the United Presbyterian church here ... interment was made in the R. P. cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 12, 1907.

6450. Pleasant Valley. Mrs. Jones, an old resident of this place, died at her home near Bancroft last Thursday and was buried at Soldier on Friday *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 12, 1907.

Winding Vale. Mr. S. R. Jones mother died at her home at 7:40 Wednesday evening. The burial took place at Soldier *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

Edith Matilda Shoemaker was born in Columbia County Ohio, Jan. 19, 1842, and departed this life in Nemaha County, Kansas, Dec. 4, 1907; aged 65 years, 10 months and 15 days. She was married Feb. 11, 1875, to Charles T. Jones. And to this union were born three children - one son and two daughters, all of whom survive with their father ... she also leaves three brothers and three sisters ... her earlier life and united with the Baptist church but about seven years ago she united with the United Brethren church at Soldier *Soldier Clipper*, December 11, 1907.

6451. Banner. Miss Belle Maynard, of Vassar, Michigan, died at the home of her cousin, Mrs. M. E. Bryant, Dec. 6, where she had been staying, hoping to regain her lost health ... the remains were laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, December 12, 1907.

6452. Born; to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kern of Pueblo, Colo., a girl Wednesday, December 4. Later: Word

has since been received that the little daughter died Sunday. *The Neknvaka Talk*, December 13, 1907.

6453. Mr. Bramhall an old resident of this community died at his home in Oregon recently. *Soldier Clipper*, December 18, 1907.

6454. Fred and Earl King went to Dearborn, Monday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Win. Oliver, which was held yesterday.

Local and Personal. Mrs. Wm Oliver, a sister of Mrs. G. F King, died at her home in Dearborn, Mo., Saturday *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

6455. Whiting. Miss McShane was found dead in her home Tuesday morning, death supposed to have been caused by heart trouble to which she was subject. She was an old resident of Whiting and well known. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

Tuesday morning W. S. Morris went to cut some wood for Miss Margaret McShane, not seeing her about, went to the house finding the doors fastened, he broke the door open and found Miss McShane dead. She has lived alone for many years not having any relatives here there was no one especially interested in her welfare. The body was prepared for burial and taken to Horton Wednesday where it was buried by the Catholics of which church she was a member. Miss McShane was 79 years old. *Whiling Journal*, December 13, 1907.

Whiting. We hear that Jimmie McShane died in Harrisburg, Pa., a few days before his sister, Maggie McShane, died here. *The Holton Recorder*, February 27, 1908.

6456. Ontario. G. W. Hill was born near Buffalo, Kentucky, July 4, 1844 and was united in marriage to Miss Lizzie Bonar, of near Buffalo, Kentucky, in 1864 and died at this home near Ontario, Kansas, December 1, 1907. He united with the Baptist church when but 15 years of age *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

Ontario Items. Mr. J. W. Hill died at his home about 1 mile north of Ontario Sunday Dec. 1 after a lingering illness. Funeral at Bancroft church Tuesday, interment in Goff cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, December 4, 1907.

6457. Arrington. Jessie Leona Ernst, wife of George Ernst and daughter of W. Z. and Althea B. Hubbard, was born July 8, 1880, died Dec. 3, 1907 at her home south east of town aged 27 years, 4 months and 25 days. She was married to George Ernst March 2, 1904.... She has lived in and near Arrington nearly all her life laid to rest in the Ernst cemetery on the old Ernst farm by the side of her little child who was buried there a year ago. She leaves her husband, father, mother, sister and an aged grandfather, Jesse Hubbard, of Banner, besides numerous aunts and uncles ...

Banner. J. A. Hubbard went to Arrington ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

6458. Denison. Mrs. Chris. Thompson has returned from Horton where she was during the illness and death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Chris. Thompson, Jr. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

6459. Soldier. Mrs. Livingston, who was here visiting her son, G. H. Livingston, died early Saturday morning, of lung trouble. On Monday the remains were taken to Axtell, Ks. for burial. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

6460. Scraps of .. Local News. An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kerns, of Denver, died yesterday. Mrs. Kerns was formerly Miss Myrtle Wallace, of Netawaka. - Atchison Globe. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 19, 1907.

6461. Netawaka, Dec. 15. - On Wednesday morning, Nov. 27, we were paralyzed with grief by a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Henry Wagner, who so recently left us to join her husband, who holds a permanent position as head engineer for the Cardiff Coal Co., of Colorado, where he went to regain his health and provide a home for his family. On Friday evening he returned home with his little 5 year old child who had been with him all day, and found his wife unconscious on the floor ... she lingered but a few days. Then with her remains, and his three babies, the youngest 15 months, came here. On Saturday services were held in the M. E. church of which she had been a member almost since childhood. She was 30 years old. Mrs. George Wagner has taken the little ones to heart and will be a mother to the babies. The cause of death was heart trouble. *The Holton Signal*, December 19, 1907.

Whiting. Mrs. Eva Ball received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Henry Wagner, at Colorado Springs, Colo., last week. The remains were brought to Netawaka and buried there. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 5, 1907.

... Mrs. Ida Wagner, nee Berridge, wife of H. W. Wagner, died that morning at her home in Colorado of heart trouble. Mr. Wagner was working in a sawmill at a lumber camp at a very high altitude, and came home Monday night and found his wife unconscious with heart trouble Besides a husband and three children she leaves an aged mother, Mrs. Ann Berridge, two sisters, Mrs. G. M. Lutz, and Mrs. C. J. Berridge of this city and John Berridge of Atchison. The deceased was about 35 years of age and was born and raised in this vicinity When Mr. Wagner went to the lumber camp he left his wife well and hearty, but when he returned at night he found her unconscious, stricken with apoplexy or heart trouble; surrounded by her grief stricken little children, and the baby crying, "Mamma, Mamma, Oh Mamma" *The Netawaka Talk*, November 29, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berridge, of Goff, attended the funeral of Mrs. Ida Wagner- in this city last Saturday. *The Netawaka Talk*, December 6, 1907.

6462. Mr. and Mrs. McGowan were called to Vermillion last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. McGowan's brother, John Chadwick, who died of pneumonia at Colorado Springs, on Tuesday of last week Onaga Herald. *Soldier Clipper*, December 25, 1907.

6463. A child was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paulsen, of Denver, the first of the week which has since died and Mrs. Paulsen is in a very critical condition. Mrs. Paulsen was Miss Anna Walker ... *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 26, 1907.

6464. Soldier Valley ... funeral of Mr. John Bateman. Mr. Bateman will be buried in the Bucks Grove cemetery. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 26, 1907.

6465. The following is taken from the Times-Herald, Newport News, Hampton Roads, Va. Harry E. Witchewah, a half-breed Indian, who shot and killed Dora Hall Saturday evening, is held a prisoner in the city jail The Indian had been employed at the 101 Ranch and for the past: few weeks had been hanging out at fine Beach. He came to this city Saturday evening and went to the home of Nannie Gordon, of which the girl, Dora Stall, was an inmate. When she came to the door he seized her and took her from the home by force. While in the street near Charles Whiting's saloon he is said to have beaten her. Then they went into the rear room of the saloon. While there loud and angry words were heard. Then there was a pistol shot and bartender Kisky and others in the saloon ran for the room. Witchewah had made his escape from the rear door while the girl was found with her head on the table with blood streaming from a bullet wound in her face Witchewah is twenty-eight years old and a resident of Kansas. He has been on one of the government Indian reservations and draws the usual Indian allowance from the government. His father, who died three years ago, was one of the Indian police, and the gun with which the murder was committed, was a 44 calibre army Colt, which had been used in that service. Witchewah owns 180 acres of land in Kansas, while his family owns a 1000 acre ranch. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 26, 1907.

6466. Cross Creek. From the Delia Paper.] Mr. B. C. Lynde went to Adrian Wednesday to attend the funeral of his two-year-old grandson who died of paralysis. *The Recorder-Tribune*, December 26, 1907.

6467. George Edwards died at the home of James Wyatt on the reserve, Monday night from heart failure Interment took place in the Rossville cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and two children had been in California for several years and only returned a sort time ago. Mr. Edwards was well known in this vicinity having lived here nearly all his life. *Delia Paper*, December 26, 1907.

6468. Mr. Wilson went to Winchester last Friday, called there by the death of his mother. *Whiling Journal*, December 27, 1907.

6469. Herman Eggert, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Amiel Dibbern, was born near Whiting, Kan., Aug. 25, 1906, and died Dec. 16, 1907, aged 1 year, 3 months and 21 days. Funeral services were held at the home near Emmett, Kan.... remains were laid to rest in the Adrian cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, January 2, 1908.

Vermin, the little child of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dibbern, living on the Collins farm north of town died Monday ... the child had suffered a stroke of paralysis and the parents decided to take it to the hospital in Topeka for treatment. Monday evening they went to St. Marys and while waiting for the train there the child died *Delia Paper*, December 19, 1907.

.... At the age of six months, his parents moved to the farm north west of Delia where they now reside *Delia Paper*, January 9, 1908.

6470. Circleville. Chas. Shaffer was born at Minneapolis, Kan., and died Dec. 28, 1907, at his home near Circleville, age 28 years, 9 months and 2 days. He was united in marriage June 25, 1902 to Emma Nelson. To this union were born two children, a little son who gladdened the home but a few hours, and little Grace Claribel aged 2-1/2 years. He united with the Circleville M. E. church March 2, 1902 The interment was in the Circleville cemetery. (cont'd)

6470. (coned) Circleville He leaves a wife, daughter, one sister and two brothers ... *The Holton Recorder*, January 2, 1908.

6471. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] Fred W. Hall departed on Wednesday for Eskridge, Kansas, where he went in response to a telephone message announcing the death and funeral of H. Clarity, of that place. The deceased being an uncle of his ... *The Holton Recorder*, January 2, 1908.

6472. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCorkle were called to Hiawatha last Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. McCorkle's brother-in-law. *The Holton Recorder*, January 2, 1908.

6473. Mrs. John Warning received word the first of the week announcing the death of her father Swan Anderson, at Kalispell, Mont. He was 85 years old. For several years he has made his home with his daughter Dr. Phoebe Bottorf, who will accompany the body here Saturday. The burial will take place at Wetmore, where Mr. Anderson had lived before going to Montana. *The Holton Signal*, January 2, 1908.

.... her father, Sam Anderson, of Kalispell, Mont.....*The Holton Recorder*, January 2, 1908.

Miss Warning was called to Wetmore Friday on account of the death of her grandfather, Swan Anderson Mr. Anderson came to Kansas in the fall of `57 and spent the greater part of his life in Wetmore. He was 84 years old at the time of his death. *Soldier Clipper*, January 8, 1908.

6474. Scraps of .. Local News. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanley, Tuesday, Dec. 24, and died Friday *The Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

6475. Soldier. From the Clipper.] Mrs. J. V. Beeson, who had been spending the past few months here at the home of her son, F. E. and but recently went to Kansas City for medical treatment, died in Kansas City Friday night ... The remains of his mother were buried at Morrowsville, Kansas *The Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

6476. Local and Personal. George Blosser and Mrs. H. Barnes go to Springdale, Kansas, today to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Ed. McBroom. *The Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

Olive Hill. Fred Blosser went Wednesday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. McBroom, at Springdale, Kansas *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

6477. Circleville. Mary Jane Jackson was born at Carrolton, Ohio, January 17, 1836. She died at her home in Circleville, Kansas, January 3, 1908, being at the time of her death, nearly 72 years old. She leaves to mourn her death, her husband, Dr. A. Y. Hanson, and two children, Annie and Harry, and four grandchildren. She came to Kansas in 1859. Since 1866 she has resided continuously in Circleville. A member of the Methodist church since childhood The interment was in the Circleville cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

Mrs. H. G. Booth visited at Circleville Monday and Tuesday and while there attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Hanson. *Soldier Clipper*, January 15, 1908.

6478. Denison. IVirs. Benjamin Dap)en returned Thursday from Nebraska where she attended the funeral of her sister's husband. *The Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

6479. Arrington. Geo. Peabody, the blacksmith, attended the funeral of his brother in Muscotah Monday, who was stricken with apoplexy and fell from a scaffold on which he was working. After falling he recovered enough to go to Horton but died later. *Tire Holton Recorder*, January 9, 1908.

6480. Delia Notes. Paul Seaton died of pneumonia at his home north of Adrian Friday, and was buried at St. Clere. *The Holton Signal*, January 9, 1908.

6481. Miss Miloslara Ziatnik was born in Boeatian, Russia, Dec. 30, 1884, and departed this life at Carnegie, Penn., Jan. 3, 1908. The cause of her death was pneumonia, brought on by over work and exposure in her work as a missionary among her own people. She came with her parents to America when about seven years old, and settled at Cuba, Kansas. Afterwards they moved to Minnesota and about ten years ago settled near what is now Delia. She was well known as an active worker in the Presbyterian church, under whose board she was serving as a missionary worker ... interment was made in the Bohemian cemetery south east of Delia. She leaves to mourn her departure the mother, one sister and five brothers, all of whom were present. *Delict Paper*, January 9, 1908.

6482I moved to Whiting in 1878, shortly thereafter we had working in our house as a servant a little Danish girl called Kittie Kohler. She proved to be a most excellent girl, but she was called upon frequently by a fond Dane, Henry Paulen. Long too soon for our comfort Henry took away our little girl and married her. We lost a good girl but he got an excellent wife. Years passed by and Henry and Kittie brought a little tract of land and built them a little home for their growing family. Henry was not a strong man and most all he could earn was consumed in its maintenance. They had purchased some building material from me on time and had given his note for it. He had made several payments as rapidly as he could. In the course of time he took sick and died leaving Kittie with five or six children. I told her further to banish that matter from her mind, I was not concerned about it. I would go home and endorse on the face of the note that no interest would be charged, and I would never ask her to pay it. She had enough to do to care for her little children. I told her further that if at any time she might become able to pay the face of the note and wished to do so she could find me and I would receive it. Years again passed by and I moved to Colorado. This was in 1890. A few years ago I stopped in the county on my way from the east to Pueblo. I was stopping at W. B. Brown's home in Holton when one cold chilly morning a lady drove up to the house. She had come from her home north of Netawaka and desired to see me. She proved to be the Kittie of years ago. She had married again and was prospering in their affairs and wanted to know about, to me, the long forgotten note. She said she was able to pay it or would be in a few weeks when they sold their hogs, but learning that I was in the country she came to learn how much it was so she could send it to me. I told her I had forgotten that that I even had it, much more the amount, but that I would look it up and send it to Billy Hedge, where she could pay it. Somehow when I reached Pueblo, having some urgent business matters to attend to I forgot for a couple of weeks the incident, when I received a letter from Mr. Hedges saying that Kittie had been to see him about it. I found the old note and sent it and a few days later received a check for the balance. Now I think such honesty as that should be commended and recorded. The "Kittie" of years ago is Mrs. Johnson living near Netawaka. All honor to the honest Danish girl. W. J. Fleming. *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

6483. Ontario. Mrs. Milton Brown's mother who has made her home with her the past year, died Sunday night. *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

Z. E. Brown went to Ontario last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lytle who died on Tuesday. Mrs. Lytle was the mother of Mrs. M. A. Brown Illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Lytle. Mrs. Martha Brown, M. A. Brown, Joseph Lytle. *The Holton Recorder*, January 23, 1908.

6484. Lone Star. Mr. and Mrs. Will Spiker lost their infant daughter. It was born Monday morning the 6th and only lived a few hours *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

6485. Little Roy Keith, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelsey, died at 2 o'clock on Monday, Jan. 6, 1908. He was born Nov. 2, 1906, in Jackson county and died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith east of Holton. Mrs. M. E. Kelsey. Denver, Colo. *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

6486. Delia News. From Delia Paper.] Mr. and Mrs. Searcy of Emmett mourn the loss of their two year old baby which died last Thursday of pneumonia. *The Holton Recorder*, January 16, 1908.

6487. From a Wiley, Colo., paper: Ethel Esther, daughter of the late Ira Hamm, and Anna E. Hamm, departed this life Dec. 17, 1907, age 11 years, 8 months and 26 days. She leaves a mother, a sister, Mabel, and brother, Russell. She was born near Holton, Kansas, coming to Lamar, Colorado, when five years of age. For three years she lived in Denver, returning to Lamar last spring. Three weeks ago she was stricken with typhoid fever ... her grandmother, Mrs. Linville *The Holton Signal*, January 16, 1908.

6488. Soldier Creek News. Mr. Ed. Henry died at his home Tuesday evening Jan. 7th with a relapse of brain fever ... interment in the Rossville cemetery. *Delia Paper*, January 16, 1908.

6489. Dr. S. J. Heaton's mother died Monday of last week at her home in Tiffin, Ohio, and was buried Thursday *The Holton Recorder*, January 23, 1908.

6490. Local and Personal. Mrs. C. E. Woodruff and sister, Mrs. Renfro, went to Hoyt last Wednesday to attend the funeral of a grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Chase. *The Holton Recorder*, January 23, 1908.

6491. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] Gladys Myrtle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stach, died at their home on Big Soldier, on Tuesday last, January 14, after an illness of nine days, age two years and six months *The Holton Recorder*, January 23, 1908.

6492. Cross Creek News. Mr. Page, formerly of this neighborhood, who moved to Wichita county last spring, died, and was buried Sunday, Jan. 12. *Delia Paper*, January 23, 1908.

6493, Mr. Chas. Hopkins received word last week that M. S. White, formerly a resident of this township, died at his home in Netawaka, on October 17th. *Soldier Clipper*, January 29, 1908.

6494. John Fryberger was born near Reading, in Berks county, Pa., February 19, 1825, and departed this life at his home at Soldier, Kansas, January 21, 1908, at the age of 82 years, 11 months and 2

days. When but a youth he moved with his mother, one brother and two sisters to Stark county, Ohio, and afterwards removed to Wayne county, where in May, 1847, he was united in marriage to Margaret Ann Bonewitz. In the same year they moved to Indiana, settling in Huntington county and afterwards in Marshall county. In 1864 he removed with his family to Iowa, near Fairfield, in Jefferson county. In May 1873 his wife died and was buried at Fairfield. In the fall of 1874 he moved to Bloomfield, Davis county, where in 1874 he was married to Mary Creswell. In 1876 he moved to Kansas, settling in Doniphan county, where he resided until 1883 when he moved to Jackson county and for 14 years he lived on a farm near Soldier. In 1897 he moved to Soldier where he has since resided. To his first union were born nine sons and one daughter, all of whom survive him except three sons, Frank P., who died in 1907, Orion, and an infant son. To his second union were born one son and two daughters all of whom survive him. Six sons and one daughter were at his bed side when he died: John B. and A. L. of Holly, Colo., Chas. E. of Denver, W. E. of El Reno, Okla., G. P. of Bloomfield, Ia., and O. E. Fryberger and Mrs. Jessie Thompson, of Soldier, Kansas. Two sons and two daughters: D. O. of Loveland and Emmit, of Lamar, Colo., Mrs. May Perry of Helena, Mont., and Mrs. Edna Edwards of Pathfinder, Wyo., were unable to be present. In 1857 the deceased gave his heart to God, and united with the U. B. church, afterwards with the M. E. church, in which church he held his membership until death claimed him *Soldier Clipper*, January 29, 1908.

Grandma Fryberger has moved to the country with her daughter Mrs. Lothian *Soldier Clipper*, February 12, 1908.

6495. George Storch, one of Atchison's oldest and most prominent business men, died a few days ago, aged 73. He was a merchant, banker and something of a politician. One time he owned a store in Netawaka. Mr. Storch was born in Germany and came to this country a poor boy. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

6496. Whiting. Mrs. Fred N. Stone was called to Prairie City, Iowa, Saturday by a telegram announcing the death of her uncle, A. P. Wing. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

6497. Muddy Creek. John Elliott and daughter have returned from California where they went a few weeks ago to accompany his wife home. On their return she died at Williams, Arizona. She was shipped to Meriden, Kans., for burial. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

6498. William Robert, the fourteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, died at their home north of town Friday ... The baby was an only child ..

Liberty ... departed this life, Friday, Jan. 24 blessed their home for one year one month and seventeen days. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

. died and was buried last Saturday afternoon at their home five miles northeast of Holton *The Holton Signal*, January 30, 1908.

6499. Mrs. A. M. Roger- died at her home two miles north of town Tuesday, Jan. 21, and was buried in Spring hill cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

Margaret E. Davidson was born at Albany, Clinton county, Kentucky, March 5, 1843 and died at Whiting, Kansas, January 21, 1908, at the age of 64 years, 10 months and 16 days. She was married

to Amos M. Roger, November 6, 1866 To this union were born six children: Amos L. Roger, who died at the age of four years, Mrs. Geo. Reahm, Mrs. C. H. Rosedale, Mrs. Clinton Johnsen, Walter Roger and William Roger. Besides her children she leaves three brothers and one sister to mourn her loss. Mrs. Roger united with the M. F. church in Kentucky in 1875. She held her membership in the M. E. church at Everest, Kansas *Whiting Journal*, January 31, 1908.

Mrs. Susan Davidson Koger three daughters and two sons, Mrs. G. Beam, of Hiawatha, Mrs. C. Johnson, Mrs. H. Rosedale, J. W. Koger, and W. D. Koger of Whiting. She also leaves two brothers and one sister *The Netawak a Talk*, February 7, 1908.

6500. Liberty. A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the funeral of Miss Ina Squires, who died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Squires on Saturday, Jan. 25, aged 15 years ... The mother is also low with the same dreaded disease, typhoid fever *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908

Columbia daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Squires, who was born near Holton, Kansas. She united with the Methodist church about nine weeks ago laid to rest in the Holton cemetery

Ina Squires was born June 10, 1892 and died January 25, 1908 Her school days had all been passed at Columbia school and she was much loved by her classmates. She leaves to mourn her loss her parents, five sisters and three brothers *The Holton Recorder*, February 6, 1908.

Ina, one of the twin daughters of T. J. Squires *Whiting Journal*, January 31, 1908.

Elmira May Squires was born May 2, 1884, near Hazel Green, in Delaware county, Iowa, and died at the home of her parents near Holton on March 11, 1908, aged 23 years, 10 months and 9 days. She leaves a father, mother, four sisters and three brothers, besides an aged grandmother ... One sister preceded her to the better world six weeks before. At an early age she confessed her Savior and united with the Methodist church at Bethel laid to rest in the Holton cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

Columbia. Myra May Squires was born May 7, 1884 ... She had been sick only a short time with typhoid fever She leaves ... an aged grandfather *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

Local and Personal.... died at the home of her father, T. J. Squires, northeast of town *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6501. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] Mrs. Etta Jones died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hainline, 1-1/2 miles southwest of town last Saturday, of pneumonia fever, after an illness of two weeks. Besides her husband and two small children, she is survived by her parents, three brothers, and three sisters ... Interment in Hoyt cemetery, west of town. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

011ie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hainline, died at the family residence, 2-1/2 miles southwest of town, last Wednesday morning. Thus within the short space of a few weeks, the Angel of Death has twice entered the home, each time robbing it of a daughter scarce eighteen years was the brief span of life. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, April 3, 1908.

6502. Soldier Creek News. Mr. Lee Canfield was called to Missouri last Monday on account of the death of his mother. *Delia Paper*, January 30, 1908.

6503. Local and Personal. Mrs. Maxwell was called to Marysville on account of her father death. *Whiting Journal*, January 31, 1908

6504. Mary Ann Handerson was born in Ireland July 27, 1829. When twelve years of age she came to America with her parents. Her mother having died, her father secured a temporary home for her with a family by the name of Jennings, and he with two brothers started further west to look for a location. While they were absent the Jennings family moved to Ohio, and persuaded her to accompany them. In doing so *she* became separated from her father and never heard of them afterwards. On January 1, 1849, at Hillsbough, Ohio, she was married to Lewis A. Kirk. To this union were born five sons and four daughters, all of whom except one daughter survive her. Her husband preceded her to the unknown land twelve nearly years Her church membership was with the Christian church, at Hamlim, Kansas, where, in 1865, she helped organize that church. She died at Hoyt, Kansas, January 26, 1908, aged 78 years, 7 months and nine days. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, January 31, 1908.

Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] The remains of L. A. Kirk were removed from the cemetery at Axtell, where they have reposed for the past twelve years and laid to rest by the side of his wife, the late Mary A. Kirk, who died several weeks ago. The removal was made by children in obedience to a request of their mother, made prior to her death. L. L. Kirk, of Axtell, accompanied the remains and returned home Sunday. The interment was made in the Hoyt cemetery west of town. *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6505. Arrington. Harreit Ann Reed was born in Barber county, W. V., Dec. 24, 1829 and died at her home in Arrington, Jan. 24, 1908, aged 78 years and 1 months. She was married in Phillipi, W. Va., to Geo. O'Neal, Oct. 25, 1849 and they lived there until 1866 when they came to Kansas and lived near Arrington for a number of years then came to town where they have since made their home. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal are the parents of six children, John, lives in Denison, Ks., Wm., Valley Falls, Mrs. Tebow, Pasadena, Calif, Mrs. Faunce, Larkin, Ks., Mrs. Schoonover, near Arrington, and Mrs. Smith, who has been dead for 28 years. Mrs. O'Neal was a member of the United Brethren church at the time of her death but she had been a member of the Methodist for nearly 50 years ... the body was interred in Rose Hill cemetery at Valley Falls. *The Holton Recorder*, February 6, 1908.

Denison. John O'Neill's and Albert O'Neill's families attended the funeral of Mr. O'Neill's mother at Arrington the first of the week. *The Holton Recorder*, January 30, 1908.

6506. Whiting. Norman Philippi died Monday, Jan. 27. He was one of the old pioneers of this section of Kansas, having made this his home for many years ...

N. H. Phillipi was born March 4, 1840, in Somerset county, Pa., where he resided until the outbreak of the rebellion when he enlisted in the 142nd Regiment of Pa. Infantry. He was wounded in the battle of Gettysburg, and taken prisoner, remaining in Libby prison and Bell Island until January the following year. Exchanged, he participated in all the battles of the fifth corps around Richmond and after the big review, was discharged at Washington. He then returned to Pennsylvania where he

resided until 1870. He moved to Kansas and located on a farm west of town, where he has since resided till his death, Jan. 26, 1908 Burial took place at the Muscotah cemetery. - Muscotah Record. *Me Holton Recorder*, February 6, 1908.

.... his two brothers and other relatives have been with him caring for him *Whiting Journal*, January 24, 1908.

6507. Patrick Reilly, one of the pioneer residents of Nemaha county, died at this home in Soldier Tuesday morning, and was buried from St. Patrick's church this (Thursday) morning. Mr. Reilly was one of the best known men of the south part of the county, well-to-do and respected by all who knew him. For a number of years past he had been badly crippled with rheumatism, and for four months had been almost totally helpless and an intense sufferer. He was past seventy years of age, was among the early settlers of the county, and served a term as county commissioner. - Seneca Courier-Democrat. *The Holton Recorder*, February 6, 1908.

.... his sister, Mrs. Bridget Cline *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

Patrick Reilly, was born in Longford County, Ireland February 2, 1828, and departed this life at Soldier, Kansas, on January 28, 1908, age at the time of death 79 years, 11 months and 26 days. Patrick Reilly came to America in 1848, and resided for one year in Philadelphia, from there he moved to Illinois where he remained until 1859 when he came to Kansas and located on a farm on Soldier Creek about five miles north of Soldier where he has resided ever since. During the first 6 years of the '60's he spent most of the time freighting across the plains. He was very industrious and accumulated considerable wealth, but was charitable and gave liberally to his church, its benevolences and to public charities and also to the deserving poor. At the time of his death he was a stockholder and director in the banks at Goffs, Corning and Wetmore and president of the State Bank at Soldier. For some fifteen or more years he has suffered with rheumatism, and this developed into varicose veins and he died of septicemia, after years of suffering buried at the cemetery at Coal Creek with full rites of the Catholic church. *Soldier Clipper*, February 5, 1908.

6508. Delia. W. V. Woolpert received a telegram last Friday morning conveying the sad news of the death of his father at Gilead, Ill. The illness of Mrs. Woolpert prevented him from attending the funeral which was held Sunday. *The Holton Recorder*, February 6, 1908.

6509. Oris Hrenchir, daughter of John Hrenchir, died Sunday night at the age of 3 years, 3 months and 23 days The burial took place in the Holy Cross cemetery Tuesday.

Cross Creek News. Mr. John Hrenslir's mother and two sisters are here from Topeka, called by the sickness and death of little Olga Hrenchir. *Delia Paper*, February 6, 1908.

Card Of Thanks John and Lena Hrenchir ... *Delia Paper*, February 13, 1908.

6510. Mrs. Sarah Stewart, wife of Eld. F. M. Stewart, died at the home of her son, H. G. Stewart, in Rossville, last Wednesday evening, Jan. 29th, after an illness of a months duration from the infirmities due to old age Interment took place in the Rossville cemetery. Mrs. Stewart was 77 years old at the time of her death and was the mother of 9 children, only four of which are living,

U. G., editor of the Reporter, Mrs. A. E. Moore, of this place, A P, of Topeka and L. P. Stewart: of Colby, Kansas. *Delia Paper*, February 6, 1908.

6511. After a lingering illness of four months, Mrs. Maggie Schenck, wife of County Attorney John J. Schenck, died at her home, 1206 West Sixth Street at 11 o'clock, yesterday morning of a disease of the throat. Mrs. Schenck was 37 years of age, and was born on a farm near Pauline. She was married to Mr. Schenck on June 11, 1883, and since that time has lived in Topeka. Mrs. Schenck was under the care of physicians for several weeks prior to her trip to Chicago, in hopes that the spacialts would give her some relief Her brother, who is a prominent physician of Chicago, was in almost constant attendance and held out hopes for her recovery, and she was brought back to Topeka on New Year's day. Her condition has been critical since her return to her home and she has lived in the open air on the porch at the family residence since. Mrs. Schenck is survived by her husband and a son, Clyde, aged 12 years. The funeral will be held from the First Baptist Church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and interment will be in Rochester cemetery. - Topeka Daily Capital, February 1. The deceased was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Pence, of North Topeka, who has been acting pastor of the Muddy Creek Baptist Church for several years. She was also a niece of Mrs. Martin Ruffner, of Hoyt *The Hoyt Sentinel*, February 7, 1908.

6512. Ontario Items. Mrs. Erna Cox and Clyde Hall attended the funeral of Samuel Banhizer a son-in-law of A. Hall who died in Goff Jan. 26. He was an old soldier and during the war was taken prisoner and kept in Libby prison for several months. He leaves a wife and four children. *Soldier Clipper*, February 12, 1908.

6513. Joseph Zhiktono, a Pottawatomie Indian, was killed and several others Indians badly hurt as result of a fracas on last Saturday night. The trouble occurred at the home of Mazh-now, the son of the late Shoughnes-sey, and the present chief of the tribe. The house is two miles northeast of the Mission. The Indians congregated there for a dance, and there is suspicion that there was some firewater in the crowd. James Blandin was acting as master of ceremonies and was calling the Indians out by number to do their stunts. There was a dispute about Zhiktono's turn, and trouble started. When the smoke of battle cleared away, Joseph Zhiktono was found dead with a knife stab in his breast and six other Indians were carved in different styles. Blandin got away unhurt, but Dick Rice, a peace officer, was cut on the thumb while trying to preserve order *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

.... County Attorney ender yesterday afternoon received word that Blue Rock, another Indian wounded in the fight died Tuesday night *The Holton Signal*, February 13, 1908.

6514. Mayetta. Billy McDaniel and wife went to Wetmore Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. McDaniel's sister. *The Holton Reco'der*, February 13, 1908.

Mayetta. Billy Daniels, who has been away attending his sister's funeral, returned Wednesday, bringing his two children with him. *The Holton Signal*, February 20, 1908.

6515. Adam Brenner was born in Germany February 7, 1834 and died January 24, 1908, aged 73 years, 11 months and 17 days. He leaves a wife and five children, two sons and three daughters, Louis and Charles Brenner and Mrs. Lena Jinks, Mrs. Anna Bohlinger and Miss Rose Brenner

He was a member of the Evangelical church laid to rest in the Muscotah cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

Arrington News. Adam Brenner died at his home northeast of town Friday night, January 24. *The Holton Signal*, February 6, 1908.

6516. Mrs. L. E. Stalker died at her home in Topeka the first of the week and was buried at St. Clere Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Stalker lived in the vicinity until a few years ago and Mr. Stalker was once county commissioner. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

Little Cross Creek. Mrs. Stalker, a former resident of Little Cross Creek

High Prairie News. Word was received yesterday morning of the death of Mrs. Margaret Stalker, wife of E. L Stalker of Topeka *Delia Paper*, February 13, 1908.

Delia. From Delia Paper.] Mrs. E. M. Stalker, who formerly lived near Adrian postoffice, but late of Topeka, died Monday morning and the remains were interred at St. Clere Tuesday. She was a relative of the Willard boys of this neighborhood. *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6517. The estate of Naw-As-Nose is in controversy in the probate court. Two women are claiming to have been married to Mr. Naw-As-Nose and it is pretty difficult to decide which is the legal widow. Both have affidavits from the agent at Shawnee, Okla., that they were married to the deceased Indian *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6518. Winding Vale. Mrs. W. H. Mannell received the word Monday evening that her uncle, Mr. George Oaks, of Iowa, was dead *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6519. Arrington. The information has reached here that A. F. Ferrill, formerly of this place, died in Oklahoma last November. He was going from North Carolina to Oklahoma and either fell or jumped off the train. He was found dead between the two stations. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6520. Arrington. Mr. Horace Tanent came out from Kansas City Saturday to attend the funeral of his daughter, Mrs. Ben_____ home near Effingham Friday. Mrs. Wise was a good woman with many friends here. She had been complaining for a long time but nothing so serious as death was expected. She leaves her husband, one son, Horace, almost grown, and two daughters, Hazel, 15 or 16 and little Katherine, 6 or 7. Mrs. Wise will be buried in Kansas City, her parents and sister's home town. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6521. L. W. Dennen passed away Friday, January 31, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Kazebeer, in Hennessee, Oklahoma. Mr. Dennen was one of the old residents of this county and later of this city and for many years the postmaster. He was sorely afflicted the latter years of his life and death must have been a relief to him. - Havensville Review. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6522. Hester E. Collins Brookins was born Nov. 12, 1843 at Newcommerstown, Ohio, and died at Holton, Kansas, Feb. 5, 1908. She was the second in a family of nine children, six boys and three girls. Her father, the Rev. Alexander Collins, was in the active ministry of the United Brethren church for more than a third of a century, fully half of the time serving the church of his choice as a

presiding elder in Ohio and Indiana. Mrs. Brookins was converted at the early age of fourteen years and joined the United Brethren church near Williamsburg, Ohio. About the year 1867 the family moved to Centerpoint, Indiana, and about the year 1870 again changed location this time moving to Westfield, Illinois, the seat of Westfield College. She was a student for some time in Westfield College and was a very successful teacher in the public schools of Indiana and Illinois for a number of years. Her marriage with Dr. J. S. Brookins occurred Oct. 2, 1872. To this happy union came six children, three boys and three girls, all of whom are now living in this state. Shortly after their marriage Dr. and Mrs. Brookins located in the city of Hicksville, Ohio, where the doctor engaged in the practice of medicine. In the spring of 1884 the family moved to Harlan, Smith county, Kansas, where they resided ever since with the exception of the last year. , having taken up their residence at Holton, October 18, 1906. Mrs. Brookins has been a member of the United Brethren church continuously Interment took place in the beautiful Holton cemetery

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brookins, of Westmoreland, were called to Holton by the death of his mother. *The Holton Recorder*, February 13, 1908.

6523. Mary J. Paige was born in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, February 18, 1832, and died at her home in this city, February 9th, 1908, being nearly 78 years of age. She was united in marriage to Henry Cochren August 22, 1849. To this union were born eight children with these an aged husband, twelve grandchildren, and 12 great grandchildren mourn her departure In early life she was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal church *The Netawaka Talk*, February 14, 1908.

6524. Wm. H. Abernathy of Kansas City, secretary of the Abernathy Furniture Co., died in New York Monday. Mr. Abernathy married in 1883 Miss Fannie McClennan, a niece of Mr. J. H. Miller, who taught art in Campbell University for some time before her marriage *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6525. Miss Eliza McDonald died at the home of her brother, W. A. McDonald, in this city Monday. Miss McDonald arrived last Wednesday to make her brother and his family a visit and was taken ill soon after her arrival with death resulting. She was about eighty years old *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6526. The funeral of Mary Ann King were held at Pleasant Grove United Brethren church ... the interment was made at the Pleasant Grove cemetery ... Mrs. Mary Ann King died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harrison Shupe, near Netawaka, Kansas, in the early morning of Feb. 7, 1908. She was 80 years old. Mary Ann Buckhart was born in the state of Kentucky. Later her parents moved to Virginia. She was married to Anthony King Feb. 7th, 1850, and to this union were nine children given, five of whom are still living, two sons and three daughters live near Netawaka. Mrs. H. E. Shupe, Mrs. J. M. Thompson. Mrs. W. J. Shupe; the sons, Richard and Eli King, live near Hagen, Virginia. After marriage Mrs. King lived in Lee county, Virginia, where the family was reared. Mr. King died in July 1886. Mrs. King came to Kansas in the spring of 1906 and has made her home with J. M. Thompson's since then. Sister King joined the Missionary Baptist church at Harty Creek, Va., while young *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6527. Little Cross Creek. A sad bereavement has smitten the home of Mr. Stevenson, Friday his daughter was taken but the angel of death not being satisfied took the mother also. Both deaths

occurred within the short period of five days. The cause of deaths, pneumonia . *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6528. Denison. Mrs. Nannie McClure Tippen was born June 8, 11.856 in Ireland. After there living for a time at Utica, Ohio, the family removed to a farm near Denison in 1873. She united with the Reformed Presbyterian church here in her 16th year, and in 1901 transferred her membership to the United Presbyterian ... her death which occurred Feb. 11, 1908 after a short illness. She was united in marriage to E. B. Tippen Feb. 14, 1877 and two children were born to this union, Clyde and Isabel . interment was made in the R. P. cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

6529. Wm. R. Webster was born in Hawkins county, Tennessee, July 14, 1818. In 1832 he moved to Randolph county, Indiana. He was united in marriage to Nancy Collins Nov. 18, 1836. To this union were born nine children. Six of these, with the wife, preceded him to the spirit land. He moved after his marriage to Grant county where he engaged in business. He remained in the mercantile business for twenty-one years. In 1865 he with his family moved to Kansas and settled on a farm' five miles southeast of Holton, where he lived until the fall of 1898. Then on account of the failing health of himself and his wife, they moved to Holton. Mother Webster died Jan. 29, 1899. Father Webster united with the M. E. church when but 14 years of age ... He died Feb. 11, 1908, at 3 o'clock p.m., aged 89 years, 7 months and 26 days. He leaves three sons, Wm. H. and Jesse, of this city and E. C., of Los Angeles, Calif, and several grandchildren. The writer has very vivid recollections of Father Webster that date back for sixty-five years, when he held services as an exhorter in the M. E. church ... laid to rest beside his wife in the beautiful cemetery of Holton, by order of A. F. & A. M.... *The Holton Recorder*, February 20, 1908.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Taylor came down from Hiawatha Thursday to attend the funeral of his grandfather, W. R. Webster. *The Holton Signal*, February 20, 1908.

6530. Circleville. Mrs. George Sharp and Mrs. Heathman went to Havensville Wednesday to attend the funeral of a little niece. *The Holton Signal*, February 20, 1908.

6531. Mrs. Myrtle E. Wallace, mother of Mrs. F. C. McKean, formerly of Holton, died at the home of her daughter in Salina where she had been visiting since Thanksgiving. Mrs. Wallace is survived by a husband and two children, Mrs. McKean and Ray D. Wallace of Longford. The interment was at Marion, Iowa. *The Holton Signal*, February 20, 1908.

6532. Miss Wilkerson, who formerly lived near Chaneytown, but now of Topeka, died from the effects of an operation at a hospital in Topeka yesterday. *Delia Paper*, February 20, 1908.

6533. Nathan L. Simmons was born Jan. 20th, 1835, in Allegheny county, Virginia, died February 17, 1908, at this home in Holton, Ks., aged 73 years, 27 days old. He united with the Christian church in Kentucky and lived a consistent Christian life until death. He was married to Lydia J. Burchett, February 15, 1866. To this union were born eleven children, five sons and six daughters, all of whom survive him except one daughter who preceded him to the spirit land July 14, 1872. Besides these he leaves a loving wife, one brother, one sister, one adopted son, 13 grandchildren ... Those of the children attending the funeral were Mrs. Ed Medlock, of Denison, Ks., Mrs. F. M. McDonald, of Holton, Mrs. R. E. Webster, of Goodland, Ks., Win. G., of Delia, Ks., Oliver F., John A. and Pearl

of Holton. Those not able to attend were, Rolland J., of Seattle, Wash., Charles L. and Minnie B. of Oakland, Calif

Denison. Edward Medlock and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Medlock's father Nathan Simmons ..
.. *The Yo/6n/Recorder*, February 27, 1908.

6534. Mayetta. Stella Blumberg, aged 8 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blumberg, died of pneumonia, February 16 and was buried February 17 at Valley Falls. *The Holton Recorder*, February 27, 1908.

6535. Hoyt. Mr. Rissinger, who was taken suddenly ill on last Tuesday, continued to grow worse until Sunday. Dr. Smythe of Holton was called, and advised that he be taken to Kansas City for an operation. Accordingly, arrangements were made for his removal - overland to Birmingham, and from there by rail to Kansas City. He died v/hiceurou1e, at 1 o'clock on Monday morning. The immediate cause of his death resulted in falling from a scaffold while following the carpenter's trade in Topeka some four years ago. - Sentinel. *The Holton Signal*, February 27, 1908.

Rural Route No. 1. Mrs. Rissinger and family moved and will make their home with the latter's mother, Mrs.][Kuier. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, February 28, 1908.

6536. Benson Cook, the carpenter who had been working in this neighborhood for some time, was found dead in his son's blacksmith shop at St. Marys at an early hour yesterday morning. It is not known here what caused his death. He procured a livery team here Tuesday night and drove to St. Marys *Delia Paper*, February 27, 1908.

6537. Along R. R. 1. A little child of Dan Kaw-ke-ka (Indian) died Saturday, and Mrs. Edward Green also of the reserve was buried last Saturday. *The Ne1cnvcl1fa.Tal1f-*, February 28, 1908.

6538. Henry Sparks Holt was born Sept. 14, 1830, at Osbury, Surrey county, England. He was bound out as apprentice to owheel wright at the age of sixteen, for five years. After serving his time, he and a companion of about, his own age, decided to immigrate to the then new country of America. They embarked on a small, slow vessel and the voyage lasted many weeks. During the time, Mr. Holt's companion was stricken with small pox and died. Mr. Holt did not contract the disease although he nursed the other through it. He left New York soon after his arrival in this country and, after short stays in Albany and Rochester, took the long hard journey to Dubuque, Iowa, where he worked for some time. Be then went to Decorah, Iowa, where he opened a wagon shop of his own and in 8short time was married to Miss PuozeliaAonSchenck, April 22, 1857. Soon after he sold his shop at Decorah and moved to Austin, Minn. There he built a wagon shop. In 1860 he obeyed the call of President Lincoln for volunteers and enlisted in Co. C, 9th Minn. Vol. After serving three years he was discharged and returned (0hiSfamik/at/\o3tiu, In_____ of me A1e vcl1fa.Tal1f- 18, vcl1fa.Tal1f- had
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here. He leaves a wife and three children, Judson, Vivian and Cretia, and nine grandchildren. Mr. Holt had been uon000berof the Masonic Fraternity for about fifty years. His death occurred Monday,

... death our husband and father, Mrs. H. S. Holt, J. H. Holt, Mrs. Vivia A. Leeman. *The Hollon*

Recorder, March 5, 1908.

Mrs. W. E. Leeman arrived Tuesday from Manitou, Colo., called here by the death of her father, H. S. Holt. *The Holton Recorder*, February 27 1908.

... died in Holton Monday *The Holton Signal*, February 27, 1908.

6539. Soldier. From the Clipper.] H. W. Chapman received a telegram this morning stating that his mother died last night. She resided at Charleston, W. Va. *The Holton Recorder*, February 27, 1908

Harry Chapman received a telegram from West Virginia, Saturday, stating that his sister, Mrs. Willie J. Given, had died suddenly on Saturday of heart failure. *Soldier Clipper*, August 26, 1908.

6540. Libbie Rule was born Jan. 10, 1834, on a farm near Chambersburg, Franklyn co., Penn. and died at the home of her niece, Mrs. E. J. Gunther, Soldier, Kans., Sunday, Feb. 23, 1908. Her childhood and girlhood were spent in Pennsylvania with her parents. At the age of 24 she went to Lanark, Carroll; Co., Ill. where she lived until 1867, then came to Soldier creek with her parents. Most of her life from the age of 41 until 1902 was spent with her sister Mrs. Ed Capsey. The last six years of her life was spent in Yoelcum, Texas. While visiting friends and relatives at Soldier, Kan she was taken ill with rheumatism which caused her death. She leaves two brothers and two sister and a host of friends to mourn her loss. *Soldier Clipper*, March 4, 1908.

6541. Ed Goodman, who ran a medicine wagon for the Baker co., in Jackson county fifteen or more years ago, died last week at his home in Kansas City and was taken to Garrison for burial. He was lame and the disease which at that time affected his leg, finally caused his death. *The Holton Recorder*, March 5, 1908.

6542. Columbia. Last week, Mrs. T. R. Elliott received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. McEoman, at Peculiar, Mo. She died very suddenly although she has been subject to heart trouble for a number of years. *The Holton Recorder*, March 5, 1908.

6543. Whiting. John Symns has been called to Atchison twice the past week to see his mother who is very sick. Mrs. Synrns died March 1, at 6 o'clock p. m. She leaves a husband, 3 daughters and two sons, all married, to mourn the loss of an aged wife and mother. Her 90 year old mother lived with her. *The Holton Recorder*, March 5, 1908.

6544. Gaylord Kell was born in the state of Ohio, Jan. 11, 1829 and departed this life at Circleville Feb. 25, 1908, aged 79 years, 1 month and 14 clays. The funeral took place from the residence of J. J. Shaffer February 27. Mr. Kell was married in 1850 to Miss Mary Colp, to whom were born seven children, five of them having gone to the great beyond. Two survive, Mrs. Naoma Shaffer, of Circleville, and Mr. Albert Kell, of Martin City, Mo. Mr. Kell moved with his family to Jackson county in 1857 and has resided here ever since *The Holton Recorder*, March 5, 1908.

Beauty Heights. Gaylord Kell died very suddenly Tuesday Feb. 23 at the home of Jacob Shaffer where he had made his home for the past year laid to rest in the Circleville cemetery. *The Ho/ton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6545. Dr. and Mrs. Ray Wolfe were called to Illinois last week to attend the funeral of his mother. *The Holton Signal*, March 5, 1908.

6546. Local and Personal. Walter Lawrence started Wednesday afternoon for Rushville, Mo., called there by the death of his brother's wife. *Whiting Jotutal*, March 6, 1908.

6547. West Powhattan. isacc Kroch was called to Fall City to attend his sister's funeral. *The Netawaka Talk*, March 6, 1908.

6548. Born Jan. 24, 1908 and died March 7, 1908, at 6 o'clock a. m. Nellie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gorrell *Soldier Clipper*, March 11, 1908.

6549. Mart Mandell, one of the old settlers of the America City neighborhood, died on the 3d of this month. At the time of his death he resided at Corning. *Soldier Clipper*, March 11, 1908.

6550. Mr. Ramage died at his home near Circleville Monday night at the age of 75. The funeral was held yesterday and the interred in the Boan cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

Bennettsville. Mr. Ramage died at the home of his son Al, March 10 *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

East Grant:.... A. Ramage died last Monday night leaves one son, A. L Ramage, and one daughter, Mrs. Crugan *The Holton Signal*, March 19, 1908.

6551. Pea Ridge. The infant daughter of Robert Lamar, was buried at Pleasant Grove Thursday afternoon. *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6552. Ontario. Mrs. Geo. Karns and son, Bert and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Fowler, went to Ohio last week to attend the funeral of a sister of Mrs. Karns. *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

Mrs. Geo. Karns received a telegram Thursday telling of the death of her sister, Mrs. Mollie Hartsock on Thursday morning in Cardington, Ohio *Soldier Clipper*, March 11, 1908.

6553. Thomas Miles died Feb. 7, 1908, at his home in Green of old age and complications. He was buried Sunday in the Fancy Creek cemetery. He leaves a wife, and five children, two, Edsen and Effie, having preceded him to the better land. Mrs. Amanda Hunter, George W. of Montana, Robt. O., Frank O., and Mrs. Ella King, and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Hunter, of Holton Mr. Miles moved from Ohio to Indiana in 1855 where he met and married Sarah Ann Wilcox in 1857. The next year they moved to Champaign county, Ill., living there one year, then moved to Richland, Wisc. In 1.867 they moved to Kansas and in 1871 moved to Green where he lived since with the exception of five years spent in Montana. He was converted in Middletown, M., at the age of twenty-three and united with the Baptist church ... H. in Clay Center Times. *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6554. We received yesterday the funeral notice of Dr. R. S. Craft, of Blue Rapids. He died last Sunday aged a few weeks over 77. Dr. Craft was one of the early settlers of Holton ... He did, perhaps as much, or more than any one man in having the county seat established in Holton. He left

here in the early seventies to make his home in Blue Rapids, where he was largely interested in water power and mills on the Blue river. *The Dolton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6555. Circleville. Another of the pioneers of Madison county and one of the early builders died in this city last week in the person of W. W. McKnight at the advanced age of 85 years ... Moving here in an early clay he at once became identified with the growth and development of Winterset and Madison county He died Friday night about midnight in the same month and on the same day that his mother died 28 years ago The Masonic order of which he has been a member for over half a century ... Of the four children living, two were present at the time of his death and burial, Mrs. G. E. McGaughan and Charles McKnight both of Chicago. The remaining children, Mrs. C. W. Dorr and Mrs. Fred Fritz reside in California and could not attend. William Wylie McKnight was born near Salem, Washington county, Ind., September 16, 1822, his parents being Robert R. and Anna Little McKnight. Mr. McKnight's paternal ancestors were early settlers of Pennsylvania. His maternal grandfather, Alexander Little, was prominent officially and in business in the early days of Indiana. Mr. McKnight received his education in the common schools and the preparatory department of Hanover college. He spent several years in teaching and in mercantile life in Indiana coming to Winterset in 1855. Here he was engaged in real estate and mercantile business until he became one of the organizers and cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset in January 1865. This position, with the exception of about eighteen months, he held until 1877 He was an active communicant in the Presbyterian church ... He was prominent in the Masonic Fraternity and was the last surviving charter member of the Des Moines Commanday Knights Templar. He was married Dec. 2, 1855, to Hannah Likens, to whom were born seven children. Mrs. McKnight and four children survive him. - Winterset, Iowa, Reporter. Mr. McKnight was a cousin of C. C. Little, of Circleville, and of Lawrence Little, of Liberty, and a relative of John D. Myers, of Holton. *The Holton Recorder*, March 12, 1908.

6556. M. Miller was at Highland Saturday and Sunday to attend the funeral of Miss Theo. Baird. Mr. Miller was raised in her father's home and of course regards her as a sister *Soldier Clipper*, March 18, 1908.

6557. Ontario. Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Delbert Newberry, of Topeka. She was formerly Miss Valera Shirey of this place. *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

6558. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams died Thursday morning. Mrs. Williams has been very ill since, but is a little better. The baby was born last Tuesday. *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

... their baby - James Deima Williams *The Holton Signal*, March 19, 1908.

6559. Local and Personal. Rev. G. M. Hoffman, of Hiawatha, formerly of Campbell University recently buried his father. The home of the latter was in Missouri. *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

6560. J. T. Coplan, for twenty-five years cashier of the First National Bank of Atchison, died a week ago at his home in Redondo, Cal., after a long illness. When in Atchison the family lived for years at the northeast corner of Second and Atchison streets, and also on what was known as the "White

place." Mr. Coplan came here with the colony from Brownsville, Pa., which the late, David William and James Auld were members. He is survived by his wife and three sons and one daughter: Jesse, of Hazelwood, W. Va., W. F., of Oklahoma; Jerome, of Redondo, and Lottie, who for a number of years past has been confined in a state institution in Topeka. - Atchison Globe. Mr. Coplan lived with his family in Holton for several years. He brought the old Ashton place just west of town, and greatly improved it. He went to California several years ago for his health. *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

J. T. Copland died at his home in Redondo, Ca., March 9. Death was due to asthma and a complication of disease, Mr. Coplan having been a sufferer for several years. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter. They are Jesse D., of Hazelwood, W. Va.; William F., of Oklahoma; Charlotte O. Copland, of Topeka, and Jerome W. of Redondo. Mr. Copland was a native of Pennsylvania. In 1854 he was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Duncan. Mr. Copland was a member of the state militia of Iowa and when the Civil War broke out he enlisted with company I, Seventh Cavalry regiment of Iowa, with the rank of first lieutenant. He served in the army throughout the entire war and participated in many famous battles. Later he moved to Atchison, Kan., where he was employed as cashier in the First National Bank. They moved from Atchison to Holton, and four years ago left here for Redondo in the hope that Mr. Coplan's health might be improved, but his condition steadily grew worse until the end. *The Holton Signal*, March 26, 1908.

6561. Campbell College. Topeka Capital.] Prof Bailey was unable to see his classes on Monday of last week on account of the funeral of Mrs. Bailey's sister. *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

6562. Word reached this city last evening that J. S. Blaylock, of St. Clere, formerly sheriff of the county, died at the state hospital in Topeka yesterday afternoon. - Onaga Herald. *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

6563. Mrs. Nancy Kirlin, aged 84 years, died at her home in Beattie. The remains were brought to Hiawatha Wednesday for burial beside her husband who died here. Mr. Kirlin patented what is known as the Kirlin disc. - Hiawatha World. Mrs. Kirlin was the mother of W. G. Kirlin, of Kansas City, who lived in Holton until a couple of years ago. *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

6564. Netawaka. Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor lost their baby last week. *The Holton Signal*, March 26, 1908.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor died Saturday. Mrs. Taylor has been very poorly but was better yesterday. *The Netawaka Talk*, March 28, 1908.

6565. Muddy Creek. Miss Lizzie Crummery died at her home Friday night about twelve o'clock. The disease is reported to be scarlet fever which is a dangerous disease. *Me Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6566. Mayetta. We just heard that Dr. Henry Brockett died in a hospital in Topeka - no particulars. Dr. Brockett was at one time engaged in the practice of medicine with his brother, W. P. Brockett, here and at the Indian Agency at Nadeau. *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

Dr. Harry P. Brockett. formerly physician at Pottawatomie Indian Agency, at Nadeau, died at

Christ's Hospital, in Topeka, on Tuesday morning We glean the following, relative to his death, from the Topeka State Journal, of the above clay: "Dr. Harry Paul Brockett, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Brockett, (11 '903 Morris Avenue, died this morning at Christ's Hospital, of appendicitis, complicated by peritonitis. Dr. Brockett was one of three brothers, all of whom are physicians, Dr. W. T. Brockett, of Mayetta and Dr. F. P. Brockett, of Lebo, Kansas, all of am graduates of the Kansas Medical College. The deceased was graduated in 1906, and was one of the brightest members of the class that year. He removed to Melvern, Kansas, where he engaged in the practice of his profession. He was born at Cottonwood Falls on May 2, 1883, but lived nearly all his life in Topeka, graduating from the Topeka schools and then taking a medical course. He was married in 1906 to Miss Lillian Hendricks. He was taken sick about ten days ago and was brought to Topeka for an operation, but was too sick to be operated on *The Hoyt Sentinel*, April 3, 1908.

6567. Soldier. From the Clipper.] Word was received Tuesday morning from Kingman, Kansas, of the death of the two week's old baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. L. Wilson. *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6568. Monday morning's Topeka Capital announces the death of Eva Lorena Hixon, wife of C. W. Hixon, assistant superintendent of the Topeka Street Railway Mr. Hixon lived in Holton several years ago and is a cousin of J. S. Hixon of this city.

Local and Personal. Mrs. J. S. Hixon and Mrs. W. B. Fredericy went to Topeka Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. C. M. Hixon. *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6569. Martha Edith Johnson was born at Sharon Center, Ohio, on the 12th day of September 1841. She came of pioneer stock and her parent's people were among the early settlers of Ohio. She came to Kansas with her parents in 1859 and settled on the Johnson homestead 2-1/2 miles north of Circleville. Here began the struggle for a home in the loneliness of a new country but before that fond hope had become a reality the father was stricken by death leaving the widow with a large family to care for and the home to maintain. Martha being one of the oldest of the family and living in those strenuous times of pioneer days, grew up accustomed to all the hardships known to frontier life. She taught school for several years in the county. In February of 1866 she was united in marriage by the father of the writer to Israel McComas, of Circleville. Of this union were born seven children, who with two step daughters and a nephew have shared her motherly care and devoted attention, and all with her bereaved companion survive her. She also leaves three sisters and two brothers to mourn her departure. She was a faithful member of the M. E. church in Circleville She has finished her work and these her step children, Mrs. Mattie Allard, of El Reno, Okla., and IVlrs, Anna Niswander, of Circleville, Kan., and her own children, Mrs. Nannie E. Eaden, of Almena, Kans., Edna L. McComas, of Circleville, Francis A. Meyers, of Seattle, Washington, Hattie L. Murray and Marcus M. and Katie G. McComas, of Circleville, and E. Maud Allen, of Holton, and thirty grandchildren remain to call her blessed. She had been in failing health for almost two years and the family decided to sell the old home farm and seek rest in a new home ... They moved from the old home but a few days before she was taken with her last illness from which she went to rest at the home of her son-in-law, Geo. A. Allen, Jr., of Holton, on the 15th day of March, 1908, aged 66 years, 6 months and 3 days. She was buried in the family plot in Circleville cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6570. Again the people of Mayetta and the surrounding country have been called upon to mourn the loss of one their oldest and most highly esteemed citizens and neighbors, Amory Napoleon Pooler. Mr. Pooler was born in the state of New York Dec. 2, 1838. After coming to Leavenworth he was married to Miss Abby Walrod, Dec. 5, 1864. Coming to Jackson county a few years later they settled on the farm a mile and a half east of Mayetta, where they built for themselves a comfortable and happy home. Ten children came to bless their home. Three little ones passed on before some years ago, leaving seven children, three girls and four boys still living. All were present at the funeral. Mr. Pooler has been in poor health for some time. All that skillful physicians and loving nursing could do was done to prolong his life but it was in vain and on March 25, 1908, at the age of 70 years, 3 months and 23 days, in the beautiful twilight, with his wife and children gathered around him, his spirit went back to the God who gave it, and the tired, pain racked body was at rest Mr. Pooler was a union man and as brave a soldier as ever wore the blue. We always loved to hear him tell his war stories, how they fought the rebels on the run during that terrible war the remains were followed by a large procession of sympathizing friends to the Mayetta cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

Mayetta. Mrs. Effie Brant, of Denver, Colo., who was called here by the death of her father, A. N. Pooler *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6571. Emily E. Monroe, was born at Griggsville, Illinois, June 11th 1868. She came to Whiting, Kansas in 1886, when her Father and family, removed from Griggsville, to Whiting. She graduated from the high school at Griggsville, in 1886, and after coming to Kansas, attended for a time Campbell College at Holton. For six years previous to her sickness, she was a teacher in the Schools of Jackson Co., and at Horton in Brown Co. In the fall of 1896 she was taken with Rheumatism, which gradually increased in severity through the winter and spring of 1897, till she was compelled to give up all work, and soon became almost entirely helpless, in which condition she has remained the greater part of the time until her death. About six weeks ago, she was taken with an acute disease of the throat, which threatened to end her life, and in order to place her within reach of the most skillful medical treatment, and careful nursing, she was removed, on the 19th of February to Stormont Hospital in Topeka ... death came to her relief on Saturday morning March 21st 1908 Burial was in the Springhill Cemetery. *Whiting Journal*, April 3, 1908.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Miss Emily Monroe were, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown, of Butler Co., Mr. and Mrs. Mart Harden, of Horton; Willis Monroe, of Westmoreland; Mrs. Ruth Love and son, of Wilsey; Miss Anna Monroe, of Manhattan; Mrs. W. E. Brown, and Miss Lucy Hand, of Holton. *Whiting Journal*, March 27, 1908.

.... Whiting has always been her home ... She was a successful teacher before her affliction, having taught several terms in Whiting school She was a member of the Ladies' Bible Study class and the History club ... *The Holton Recorder*, March 26, 1908.

.... She was the daughter of A. Monroe of Whiting and for years has been helpless with rheumatism. The cause of her death was pneumonia

6572. Mrs. Fred Ukele, mother of S. F. Ukele, died at her home in Sabetha Saturday and was buried Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ukele have been in Sabetha for some time during the illness of the elder Mr.

Ukele. *The Holton Recorder*, April 9, 1908.

Mrs. Fred Okele died at the family home Sunday. She has been ill for some time. She was a kind mother. Her sons are fine men. Her foster children Clyde and Jesse Muxworthy, are also a credit Sabetha correspondent to the Hiawatha World. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6573. Coal Creek. Miss Pearl Post died two weeks ago with consumption and Friday night, April 3, her brother, Paul Post, died with appendicitis. The Post family lives in the German neighborhood south of here *The Holton Recorder*, April 9, 1908.

6574. Anna Eudora Brown was born in Wheatland township, Monroe county, N. Y., October 2, 1858, and departed this life on the night of April 2, 1908, at the family home in Washington township, Jackson county ... a life which extended over a period of 49 years and 6 months. Her parents moved to Illinois, settling on a farm, on Bonis prairie, Boone county in 1865 where the subject of this sketch passed her young womanhood days. In 1874 she was united in marriage to John C. Franz. The young couple moved to Kansas in 1879 where they settled upon the farm which has ever since been the home of the family. Twelve children have been born to bless this union, everyone of whom gathered at the bedside of the dying mother. Mrs. Franz leaves besides her husband and children, three brothers She united with the Presbyterian church in 1887. The funeral services were held at the Adrian church *The Holton Recorder*, April 9, 1908.

Mrs. Anna Gudora Franz, wife of John Franz, departed this life Friday morning, April 3. Mrs. Franz had been in poor health for the past two years Her brother, Mr. Brown of S. Dak., arrived to late to see her alive. *Delia Paper*, April 9, 1908.

6575. Robert Croy, father of Mrs. Walker Smith, died March 23 at the home of his sister, Mrs. Fannie Schoonover, in Marietta, Ohio. Mrs. Croy was 76 years old, a native of Ohio, and a veteran of the Civil war. He leaves one child, besides Mrs. Smith - Arthur Croy of Hope, Idaho. Mr. Croy was buried at Dunbar, Ohio. *The Holton Signal*, April 9, 1908.

6576. Edward Davis was born on July 17th 1831, in Dunkerk, Geneosee Co. New York, moved to Oakland Co., Mich., moved to Schyler Co. Ill., in 1842 to Fulton Co. Ill., in 1845, to Henry Co. Ill., in 1856, to Whiting, Kansas, Nov. 6th 1888 to Netawaka, in Jan. 1908, where he died March 30th 1908. Mr. Davis lived to the age of 76 years 8 months and 13 days. He was married in 1852 to Miss Susan Ferrell, who died in 1876. By this union four children were born: Olive, Charlie, Henry, James, of which Charlie and Olive are still living. He was married to Nancy E. Hall Dec. 17th 1897. His companion survives ... united with the United Brethren Church, at Whiting, in about 1892 or 93 the remains were taken to Galva, Ill., for burial. *Whiting Journal*, April 10, 1908.

Whiting.....recently moved to his home in Netawaka, being unable to look after the farm on account of ill health *The Holton Recorder*, April 2, 1908.

6577. Parallel. James O'Grady who lived in this neighborhood two years ago died last Saturday night. Mr. O'Grady was living out by Wetmore, he leaves a wife and several small children .. *Whiting Journal*, April 10, 1908.

6578. Bethel. Mr. Brook's father died Thursday morning at one o'clock of old age. Mr. Brooks and his brother went with the corpse to Clay Center where he will be buried. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6579. S. B. Townsend received a telegram last Friday announcing the death of his brother, Ladona Townsend, at Appola, Pa. He was 86 years old and was Mr Townsend's last brother. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6580. Aunt Mahala Ferguson, an aged woman living at Birmingham, died Monday morning of general debility ... She was a member of the Methodist church ... James Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. John Hafer and family ... illness and death of their mother, Mrs. Ferguson. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

Birmingham. Died at her home in Birmingham, Kansas, April 13, Aunt Mahala Ferguson, after an illness of six weeks of nervous trouble and old age. Had she lived until the coming August she would have reached the four score mark laid to rest in the Brick cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6581. Denison. Mrs. Amelia Wylie left Saturday for Wabaunsee county to see Robt. Wylie, who formerly lived here and who was ill and died Saturday night. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6582. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] W. R. Pettijohn departed the first of the week for Morris, Ill., to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mary Thayer, of that place. [Later in column.] Mrs. Elizabeth Thayer died at her home in Morris, Illinois, on Sunday last, the 5th inst., and was buried on Wednesday. The deceased was a sister of the late F. E. Pettijohn. W..1. Pettijohn attended the funeral and is expected to arrive here Saturday afternoon, and be accompanied by his cousin, Miss Lula Thayer, who will visit relatives in the vicinity *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6583. Delia News. From Delia Paper.] The 4-year-old son of Wm. Mulligan died Tuesday. The little fellow had just recovered from a siege of measles when he contracted pneumonia which caused his death. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908.

6584. A body found in the river at Parkville, yesterday, is supposed to be that of A. W. Brewster, of Hoyt, Kas., as indicated by a Rock Island mileage book, and a letter of introduction to a Kansas City engineering house. When found his watch, a open-face one, was still running, and was wound. It is thought that he went there on the local train at 1:30 o'clock and committed suicide. Evidently he is about 45 or 50 years old. He has sandy hair, and is smooth-faced. He wore brown kid gloves and overcoat, and suit of good material, and a black soft hat. He is evidently a railroad man. He had \$465 on him, a silk handkerchief marked "W", and evidently had not been long in the water when found. Of course Topeka was interested. It was learned later that the man had written a letter to Miss Vivian Rush, of Topeka, in which he said he intended to jump into the river at Parkville, and in which he willed her his property, amounting to \$6,000. He said in the letter that he intended to kill himself because a new house he had brought in Topeka, and into which he moved was full of bedbugs, and he couldn't get rid of them. He called them "vermin," and his Topeka friends say he had been fighting the vermin for two years. The man was a bachelor. - Atchison Globe. *The Holton Recorder*, April 16, 1908. (cont'd)

6584. (coned) Hoyt. W. W. Brewster, who lately traded his property here, for a home in Topeka .. was a bachelor, 56 years old. He was not in the best of health *The Holton Signal*, April 16, 1908.

6585. Soldier, Sylvia Tolin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Tolin, was born at Soldier, June 3, 1881 and died April 2, 1908, aged 26 years, 10 months, 29 days. February 22, 1900, she was married to Karl Nodacker. This union was blessed with one son, LaVere, who with the father is left to mourn ... she leaves father, mother, four sisters, one brother Clipper. *The Holton Signal*, April 16, 1908.

6586. Pleasant Valley. Mrs. Adam Wible, who with her husband visited the latter's brother, B. T. Wible some four years ago died at her home near Alliance, Ohio on April 7, 1908. *The Holton Signal*, April 16, 1908.

6587. Cross Creek News. Mrs. Effie Blaihai, grandmother of Mrs. J. V. Rezac and Ed Matchca died at the Shawnee county poor farm Wednesday. She was 95 years old. The funeral services were held in the Catholic church at St. Marys Friday. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery. *Delia Paper*, April 16, 1908.

6588. Olive Hill Items. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gillespie were called to Seneca to attend the funeral of Roy's Grandmother who died Saturday night. *Soldier Clipper*, April 22, 1908.

6589. Mrs. Frank Morrow and Mrs. Frank Rose went to Topeka Saturday evening to meet Mr. and Mrs. John Nauheim with the body of their baby, who died at their home in Goodland Friday. *The Holton Recorder*, April 23, 1908.

Lester Jacob, the 8 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nauheim, died at their home in Goodland, Kans. and was brought to Holton Sunday for burial. A short funeral service ... was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Nauheim *The Holton Signal*, April 23, 1908.

John Nauheim died Tuesday morning shortly after midnight the home of his mother, Mrs. Jacob Nauheim, on the south edge of Holton *The HO/ion Recorder*, November 19, 1908.

John C. Nauheim was born *April 11*, 1879, and died November 19, 1908, in the thirtieth year of his age. He grew to manhood in this community where he had a large circle of friends. September 28, 1903, he was married to Miss Ella Myers, whose home was at that time in Pennsylvania. Two little boys came to gladden their home life, the youngest of whom fell asleep about six months ago. Two or three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Nauheim moved to Goodland, Kansas, where they remained until about four months ago. At that time his health failed and they came back to his old home Mr. Nauheim leaves a wife ... one son and a mother one brother, Will Nauheim, and two sisters, Mrs. C. W. Thompson and Mrs. Fran Morrow

Those from out of town who attended the funeral of John Nauheim were Mrs. Will Hecker of Wamego, Mrs. Louis Fisher and Mr. Hay of Baldwin, Mrs. Spielberger of Kansas City, John Myers of Youngstown, Ohio, and Walter Myers of Springgreen, Wisconsin. *The Holton Recorder*, November 26, 1908.

John C. Nauheim was born in Holton, April 11, 1879, and died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Nauheim, November 17, 1908, aged 29 years. He was married in 1903 to Miss Ella Myers, daughter

of John L. Myers, formerly of Holton. For some time Mr. Nauheim was associated with his sister, Mrs. Frank Morrow, in the south Side Bakery. On account of poor health, he left Holton and went to Goodland, Kans., where he engaged in the transfer business, and about four months ago came to Holton to be with his mother and other relatives during his last illness the body was interred in the Holton cemetery by the Masons *The Holton Signal*, November 26, 1908.

6590. Arrington. John F. Wilson, born in Ray county, Mo., Sept. 17, 1844, died in Arrington, Ks., April 14, 1908, of cancer from which he has suffered for the past five years. Mr. Wilson came to Kansas in 1857 and was Probate Judge of Doniphan county two terms and State grain inspector at Leavenworth six years. He was a Mason and an old soldier and had been in the mercantile business most of his life, in Wathena, Troy, Severence, Leona, Robinson and Sabetha. He leaves a wife, 6 sons and 1 daughter to mourn his loss. The remains were taken to Denton Ks., Wednesday where they were interred *The Holton Recorder*, April 23, 1908.

6591. Mrs. Sher. Trostle, formerly of this place, but late a resident of Waneta, Ok., died there April 14 *Delia Paper*, April 30, 1908.

6592.....Irwin D. Bron; born at Havensville, Kan., October 25, 1889; passed from this life April 11, 1908, aged 18 years, 5 months and 17 days, at El Reno, Okla., of pneumonia fever. He was the only son and oldest child of Jesse and Mary J. Bron On Monday Mrs. Bron returned to St. Marys with the body of her son. The interment took place at St. Marys Irwin leaves to mourn his early departure a father, mother and two sisters *Jackson County World*, April 24, 1908.

6593. Denison. Mrs. Flora, of Birmingham, was buried here Monday and Frank Warner's baby who died of whooping cough, aged one month, was buried Tuesday.

Card of Thanks ... death and burial of our beloved wife, mother and sister. John J. Flora, husband, children sisters and brothers.

Birmingham. Mrs. Flora, formerly of this community, died at her home near the reservation, April 25, and was buried today in the Denison cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

Denison. The infant son of Frank Warner died Sunday and was buried at the R. P. cemetery Tuesday afternoon *The Holton Signal*, April 30, 1908.

6594. The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. James Martin died yesterday morning and was buried in the afternoon. The baby lived two days. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

Local and Personal. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Martin of Holton, April 27 a son, whose life was but a span, dying Wednesday morning. Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Elsie Brown loss of their first born. *Whiting Joie nal*, May 1, 1908.

6595. Mr. W. T. Testerman died at her home in this city Friday after an illness that extended over several years. She was the mother of Rev. Testerman and Roy Testerman. The body was taken to Green, Kansas, for burial. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6596. Local and Personal. Mrs. M. Bundy went to American City Tuesday to attend the funeral of an uncle. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6597. Arrington. The week old infant of James Fasnacht and wife died last Monday and was buried at the cemetery at Muscotah. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6598. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Blair Schlinger. It was a frail infant and died at the tender age of five days ... the remains being laid away beside his grandparents Clyde Republican. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6599. Chas. R. Bowser was born in Jefferson county, Tenn., March 16, 1822, and died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Goodin, in Holton, Kansas, on March 16, 1908, at the age of 86. He was married to Laura L. Miller, of Greenville, Tenn., Sept. 22, 1850. To this union were born ten children, all of whom survive him: William, Mrs. Mary Goodin, Mrs. Sarah Sharp, Mrs. Jennie Stanley, Mrs. Anna Cooper, Mrs. Lizzie Wilkerson, Gus A., Charles, John and Orville. In 1856 he moved to Fountain county, Indiana, and in 1870 came to Denison, Kans., where he remained until the death of his wife, in 1904, since which time he has resided in Holton. Two years after their marriage he with his wife united with the Christian church ... The last eleven years of his life spent in total blindness the services were in charge of the G. A. R. ... *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

... died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Goodwin, in Holton Monday *The Holton Recorder*, March 19, 1908.

.... veteran of the Civil war *The Holton Signal*, March 19, 1908.

Chas. W. Bowser was born in Pennsylvania Louisa L. Miller, who died June 4, 1904. To this union 10 children were born, all of whom are living, and all were present at the funeral except Mrs. Annie E. Webster of Huston, Texas. The other children are; Wm. V. Bowser, Baldwin; John and Orville, Huston, Texas; Sarah C. Sharp, Holton; Gus A and Lizzie C. Wilkinson, Birmingham; Jessie V. Stanley, Mayetta and Chas. D. of Topeka. Besides the 10 children, he leaves 23 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren and a host of friends. *The Holton Signal*, March 26, 1908.

6600. Little Cross Creek. Jett Perry, a young man, had to leave this vale of tears and depart to the lands of the unknown. His funeral was conducted at St. Cleve last Sunday. *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

Chester Perry died April 18, of pneumonia, which he suddenly contracted a few days before his death. He had been in the employ of Mr. Isnogle this spring *Delia Paper*, April 23, 1908.

6601. Dr. Samuel Beck, the oldest brother of M. M. Beck, died at his home in South Bend, Ind., Wednesday morning, April 22, the immediate cause of death being uremic blood poisoning. He had been ill since a year ago last December, although last fall he was well enough to attend the annual conference of the Methodist church, at which he had answered to roll call for forty-three consecutive years. During the last winter he has been confined to his house The oldest of a large family, he has been to his brothers and sisters Dr. Samuel Beck was a native of Indiana, having been born November 3, 1832, in Wayne county, and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Beck. His father was

son of Ohio, and his grandfather a native of the Old Dominion state of Virginia. While the father or Dr. Beck was yet a lad he migrated to Indiana and located in Wayne county, becoming a resident of the commonwealth before its admittance to statehood. The education of the father was received in the primitive pioneer schools, and when he grew into manhood he became a farmer, which occupation he followed until his death at the age of 64 years. In 1849 the family moved to Putnam county, where they became influential residents of the community. The mother of Dr. Beck died in Putnam county, November 26, 1850, at the age of 45 years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Netheroutt, who were among the early settlers of Ohio, going overland from the Old Dominion on horseback. There were nine children in the family, but of these only two are now living, they being M. M. Beck, editor of the Holton Recorder of Holton, Kas., and David D. Beck, of Scott, Kan. Both were members of the Eighteenth Indiana battery during the Civil war. The boyhood days of Dr. Beck were spent on the homestead of his parents in Wayne county, where he attended the common schools during the fall and winter seasons. At the age of 16 he went to Putnam county, but prior to that time he had taught a term of school at Wayne County. During the winter of 1849 he taught school in Putnam county and for 12 years followed the dual occupation of farming and teaching. The marriage of Dr. Beck to Elizabeth Adair, a daughter of one of Putnam's county's most prominent residents took place November 18, 1854, and to them four children were born, three of whom are still living. They are: Mrs. J. W. Walker, wife of the presiding elder of the Greencastle district of the Methodist conference, Dr. James Watson Beck, Des Moines, Iowa, and Mrs. Horace G. Zimmerman, of South Bend. Another daughter, Lillian, was the wife of Daniel Rich of South Bend, and who died several years ago. The mother of these children died at Greencastle, Ind., after a short illness. Dr. Beck was remarried to Miss Harriet N. Dunlap at Perrysville, Ind., and to this union one child, Hubert was born, but it died at the age of two years. From his youth Rev. Beck possessed a deeply religious nature, which eventually led him into the ministry in 1858. In 1864 he entered the Northwest Indiana conference, his first appointment being at Covington, Ind. Afterwards he was stationed at Attica, Crawfordsville, Greencastle, Florentin, Terre Haute, and Brazil. At this time he was made presiding elder of the Frankfort district, continuing in this position for four years. During the following years he was stationed at Asbury and Terre Haute, after which he served six years in the LaPorte district, having his residence in this city. He was subsequently presiding elder of the Valparaiso district closing his term there in 1902, when he was appointed corresponding secretary of the Preacher's Aid Society and by request of the quarterly conference served as associate pastor of the First M. E. church of this city family residence, 820 Ashland avenue The interment was in the city cemetery [South Bend Times] *The Holton Recorder*, April 30, 1908.

6602. Guy Lazelere, one of the most prominent young men of this locality, died at the home of his uncle at Troy, Kan., Wednesday morning, April 29, at 2 o'clock, from blood poisoning brought on by running a sliver of wood into one of his thumbs. - *Wetmore Spectator*. *Soldier Clipper*, May 6, 1908.

6603 Beauty Heights. Mrs. Dunlap received the sad news of the death of her aunt in Missouri Saturday. *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

6604. Dr. C. W. Reynolds received word Saturday of the death of his father at Carrington, Ohio *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

6605. The father of John Stahl died at this home in Seneca last week. *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

6606. V. N. Turpin, whose first wife died some years ago, was married again last week to a young lady at Fort Worth, Texas, his present home. *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

6607. Miss Alice Gideon died very suddenly Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Peter Dickson in Orchard Grove. She was a student at Campbell college, and was dressing to go to a society event over there, when she suddenly fell down unconscious Ptomaine poisoning was the cause of her death. She was the daughter of T. L. Gideon, who lives in the west part of the county, and had been a student at the College for two years *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

Little Cross Creek ... buried at Mount Olive cemetery ...

In memory of Allie Rosemond Gideon *The Holton Recorder*, May 14, 1908.

.... was 18 years old. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Gideon of Adrian *The Holton Signal*, May 7, 1908.

6608. Denison. Della I. McCune was born July 10, 1847 at Akron, Ohio. She was married April 23, 1868 to Richard E. McClarren and six children were born to them, three of whom survive her. Mr. McClarren died Feb. 14, 1893 and on Dec. 24, 1895 the subject of this sketch was married to John W. Rogers who survives her. She was for many years a member of the Presbyterian church and later united with the Christian church of which she was a member at the time of her death which occurred Friday May 1 at 4 p. m. She was buried by Rebecca lodge of which she was a member ... interment being in the cemetery near the R. P. church at this place. *The Holton Recorder*, May 7, 1908.

Della Isabella McCune ... died May 1, 1908, at the age of 60 yrs 9 mo. and 21 days. Six children were born to this union, 3 of whom are living and 3 are dead. The living are, Mrs. Grant Parker, Mrs. Eva Gardner and Clarence McClarren *The Holton Signal*, May 7, 1908.

6609. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Matthews went to Waterville last week to attend the funeral of Henry Hersey, a nephew of Mrs. Matthews. *The Holton Signal*, May 7, 1908.

6610. William Henry Reser was born at Scott, Kentucky, Aug. 6, 1837. At the age of 20 he moved to Indiana and a year later was married to Miss Agnes Reser. To this union were born 11 children. In the year 1870 they moved to Kansas, coming by way of steamboat to St. Louis and from there by way of rail to Topeka, Kansas. For three years they lived in the old Indianola hotel. Mr. Reser then took up a homestead in Pottawatomie county and lived on it until the year 1883 when the family moved to Rossville township where he purchased the farm owned by him ever since, three miles north of Rossville. Recently the farm was rented to J. C. Reser, the youngest son, and Mr. Reser and wife moved to the residence of his son, B. F. Reser, near the Cedar Bluff Mill. It was here Sunday evening, April 26, that he was struck with paralysis and remained in an unconscious condition until death came to his release at 7:10 o'clock the following Tuesday morning. He leaves to mourn his death, a wife and eight children - five sons, B. F., J. C., Roll, Zack and Wyatt Reser, and daughters, Mrs. Mart Nason, Mrs. Ed. James and Mrs. John Shenk. Besides the immediate family are four brothers, M. Reser, Z. Reser, M. B. Reser and Wyatt Reser and three sisters, Mrs. John Sebring of

Westmoreland, Mrs. Harriet Sawyer of near Eskridge, and Mrs. Sarah Sawyer of Topeka, to mourn his death. Mr. Reser united with the Christian church at the age of 24 .. The interment took place in the Rossville city cemetery *Delia Paper*, May 7, 1908.

... Cedar Bluff mill on Cross Creek, south of town was in the best of health up until Sunday afternoon when he was stricken. He was the father of Ben Reser and had a large number of relatives in this vicinity. - *Delia Paper*. *The Holton Signal*, May 7, 1908.

6611. Mrs. Candor, who lived east of town, and who was taken to a Topeka hospital last Wednesday for treatment for a dropsical ailment, died there on Thursday. The remains were interred in the cemetery at St. Marys. Mrs. Candor had been making her home with her son-in-law, Joe Smeska, and had been in ill health for some time. Dr. Frisbey took her to Bethesda hospital Wednesday, an operation was preformed, but the disease had made such headway and so weakened her condition that she was unable to withstand the shock. *Delia Paper*, May 7, 1908.

6612. Mrs. Joe Dolezilek died at her home north of Rossville Tuesday morning. She gave birth to a child Sunday and her death was due to complications arising therefrom. The child only lived a short time. The funeral was held Wednesday at the Catholic church in St. Marys and the interment took place in the church cemetery at that place. Mrs. Dolezilek was 31 years old. *Delia Paper*, May 7, 1908.

6613. Died, Tuesday, May 5, 1908, of blood poisoning, little Russell, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Miller, aged one year and ten months. The funeral services ... at Larkin ...

Denison. A child of Mr. and Mrs. Del IVliller aged 2 years recently fell on a rock and was injured so severely that it died last week and was buried at Larkin. *The Holton Recorder*, May 14, 1908.

6614. Netawaka. Bert Friss, the eight year old son of Lawrence Friss, was taken to the hospital in Atchison Tuesday to be operated on for appendicitis and died at that place Friday. The funeral services were held at the Netawaka cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, May 14, 1908.

Whiting, Bert Linneman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Freise, who live northwest of Whiting, died at Atchison, April 9, 1908, was buried at Netawaka *The Holton Recorder*, May 21, 1908.

... Lawrence Frass, of Netawaka is his step-father .. - *Globe*. *Whiting Journal*, May 15, 1908.

6615. Denison. Henry B. Good returned Saturday from Washington county where he attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, John Conklin. *The Ho/ton Recorder*, May 14, 1908.

6616. Denison. Clyde Ramey died Friday afternoon of consumption after a long illness *The Holton Recorder*, May 14, 1908.

Denison. Wm. Clyde Ramey ... was born September 25, 1890, near Minneapolis, Kan. The family moved here in January, 1901 ... he died May 8, 1908, aged 17 years, 7 months and 13 days. *The Holton Recorder*, May 21, 1908.

Denison ... son of John Ramey *The Hohorr Signal*, May 14, 1908.

6617.. Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Heat:hman were called to Kansas City to-day to attend the funeral of the former's daughter. *Jackson County World*, May 15, 1907.

6618. Abner G. Channel was born in Morrow county, Ohio, January 30, 1827. Died at his home near Havensville, Kansas, April 25, 1908, aged 81 years, 2 months and 25 days. He leaves an aged wife, three sons, twelve grandchildren and three great grand-children to mourn his death. He was married to Mary Ann Sheffer, February 10, 1848, to this union were born five children, Hiram B., Minerva A., Allen G., Norman H., and Arthur. Minerva and Allen died in 1858, Hiram B., of Alta Vista, Norman H., of Havensville, and Arthur of Westmoreland, still survive him The family moved from Ohio to Dodge county Wisconsin, in 1849, and to Nemaha county, Kansas, in 1857. He was a practicing physician for many years. He joined the M. E. church as an itinerant minister in 1860. In 1885 he joined the United Brethren church at the New Eden appointment, North East Kansas Conference in which he spent the balance of his life. He preached as often as his health would permit. On the 10th of July 1883, he was living in Soldier, Kansas, when it was practically wiped out by a cyclone in which he lost two buildings and a good new stock of furniture. It seems to have caused him to age perceptibly since remains were laid to rest in the America City cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, May 20, 1908.

6619. Columbia. Mr. Hough received a dispatch last Saturday evening that his mother was dead. She lived in Chillicothe, Ohio. *The Holton Recorder*, May 21, 1908.

6620. The body of John Badura was found late Monday evening in the field of John Simecka, where he had been working, two and a half miles from Delia. The head was blown from the body evidently by a charge of dynamite. Badura was a farm hand and was engaged in grubbing willows from a field. He had taken dynamite with him that morning to help in the work and when he did not appear for dinner a search was made for him and his body found Badura was a young Bohemian, 22 years old. He was a man of good habits and had \$ 1000 in the bank. He had a sweetheart to whom he confided on Sunday night that he was in trouble, bur did not tell what the trouble was. This leads the officers to believe that it was suicide .. *The Holton Recorder*, May 21, 1908.

.... the dead man was about 21 years old and a brother of Joe Badura, or "Badger" as he is more commonly known Interment took place in the Bohemian cemetery. *Delia Paper*, May 21, 1908.

6621. Soldier. Jacob Suman, well known to all the old settlers in this community, died at his home in Cushing, Okla., on May 4 *The Holton Signal*, May 21, 1908.

6622. A terrible accident occurred her last Wednesday which resulted in the death of Billy McDowell. Mr. McDowell has been working for D. R. Sumpter for two years. Wednesday he went out to ride a young horse that never had been ridden much. Later some people coming to town noticed the horse grazing along the road and Mr. Sumpter was notified. Several parties went out to look for the rider and found him a half mile north of town, dead with a broken neck. The body was brought to town and the coroner, Dr. Darlington, summoned. He came down at once and found that death had resulted from a broken neck, cause by being thrown from the horse He was born in Pennsylvania in May, 1862, and died in Mayetta May 20, 1908, aged 40 years The interment was in the Mayetta cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, May 28, 1908.

6623. Mrs. Mary A. Magee Moore was born near Green Hill, Warren Co., Ind., April 2, 1837, and died at her home in Holton, Kansas, May 23, 1908, aged 71 years, 1 mo. and 21 days. She was married to Rev. J. F. Moore, May 11, 1858. To this union were born nine children, three having died in infancy, six remain to mourn the loss of a devoted mother, Mrs. McClellan, Miss Lelia Z. and Miss Irma, of Holton, Kansas, Mrs. Hattie Daves, of Decatur, 111., Frank A., of Momence, Ill., and Clarence M. of Atwood, Kansas. Sister Moore was converted at the age of eight and joined the U. B. church She leaves one brother, B. F. Magee, Indiana *The Holton Recorder*, May 28, 1908.

6624. Denison. Harry Wilkey was in Clarinda, Iowa, last week where he went to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Clare Miller. *The Holton Recorder*, May 28, 1908.

6625. Columbia. Charlie Johnson died last Thursday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ross Hanks, about four miles from Holton. He was thirty-five years of age and a very active young man until he took consumption and in a few weeks passed away. He was born and raised in West Virginia and came to Kansas with his sister a few years previous and has remained here ever since put to rest in the Holton cemetery.

Drake. Charley E. Johnson died ... of diabetes He leaves to mourn his loss, a mother and three sisters

LibertyMr. Johnson has lived on the Arnold farm with his brother-in-law, Mr. Hanks for five or six years. His occupation besides farming was that of grain threshing His death which occurred Thursday, May 21, in the prime of his life, age 35 years, 4 months *The Holton Recorder*, May 28, 1908.

6626. Whiting. Miss Lillie Carder died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carder, Wednesday, May 20, and was buried in Spring Hill cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, May 28, 1908.

Parallel. Lillie Rosell Carder Lillie was a great sufferer from spinal trouble which she has had since she was about two and a half years old

Lillie R. Carder was born in Harden Co., Ohio, October 11, 1876. Her mother died when she was nine months old. In 1881, with her parent she came to Whiting, where she has since lived. She departed this life May 21, 1908 - aged 31 years 7 months and 10 days. She had suffered intensely most of the time from a spinal affliction for 26 years *Whiting Journal*, May 29, 1908.

6627. Netawaka. Mrs. W. A. Killion was born Oct. 15, 1830, in Florida, and died at her home in Netawaka May 24, 1908. She came to Netawaka in 1877 and has lived here since. In August, 1906, she was stricken with paralysis and has since been an invalid ... leaving three daughters and two sons . laid to rest in the Netawaka cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, June 4, 1908.

6628. W. D. Kuhn was called to Linneus, Mo., Saturday by the news of the sudden death of his father, Mrs. Kuhn accompanied him. Samuel Kuhn was nearly 80 years old and leaves his aged wife, four sons and two daughters *The Holton Recorder*, June 4, 1908.

6629. Columbia. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeland and Mrs. C. D. Bateman returned last Friday from Chillicothe, Ohio, where they went to attend Mrs. Wheeland's mother's funeral *The Holton Recorder*, June 4, 1908.

6630. Scraps of .. Local News. Henry Rohring went to Weston, Mo., Friday to spend Decoration Day. This is a trip Henry takes each year to decorate the graves of his father and mother who are buried there *M e Holton Recorder*, June 4, 1908.

6631. Arrington. Will Weese passed through here on the train, Saturday, with the body of his father-in-law, W. S. Bayse, which he was taking to Winchester for burial. Mr. Bayse, who lived here several years ago, died of cancer of the throat. *The Holton Signal*, June 4, 1908.

6632. Cloy Weaver, formerly of Holton, committed suicide in Coffeyville Monday. Temporary insanity probably was the cause. Mr. Weaver was badly hurt by the premature discharge of a cannon in the Spanish-American war. The government granted him a total disability pension. His eyesight was nearly destroyed, and he suffered great pain at times, which affected his mind. Mr. Weaver was a graduate of the Atchison county high school. His mother lived in Atchison county. While in Holton Mr. Weaver set type for the Signal and the Sunflower. *The Holton Signal*, June 4, 1908.

6633. Mrs. Clarence Glaser, a niece by marriage of Judge and Mrs. Samuel Fricker was drowned in the flood at Wichita Monday night. Mrs. Glaser's sister, Mrs. Wykoff, also was drowned. They were running home from a family reunion. In crossing a swollen stream, missed their footing on the bridge, and were swept to their death *The Holton Signal*, June 4, 1908.

6634. George Karns was born in Morrow county, Ohio, June 16, 1843; and died at his home in Ontario, Kan., May 30, 1908. He had been in poor health for several years he suddenly grew worse, from that dread disease, cancer of the stomach ... He came to Kansas in 1856 and settled near America City, a few years later locating at Ontario where he resided until his death. He enlisted in the Union Army June 16, 1861, in Co. I, 3rd Ohio Vol. Inf, and served until discharged June 21, 1864; re-enlisting Sept, 1864 in Merrill's Horse at St. Louis, and served until the end of the war. Mr. Karns became very wealthy as a farmer and stock-raiser, and at the time of his death owned about two thousand acres of land and other interests He assisted in the organization of the Farmer's State bank, of Circleville, in 1900 and has been connected with the institution as an officer ever since, having held the office of president for the past four years Mr. Karns was married June 23, 1868 to Miss Caroline Kehruecher, of Cardington, Ohio. To this union eleven children were born, five boys and six girls, two of whom died in infancy. He leaves surviving him his widow and children; Mrs. Mary F. Hubbard, of Kinsley, Kan., Mrs. Katie Myers, of Kansas City; Mrs. Maud Fowler, Anna, Carrie, John, Bert, Will and George Jr., of Ontario, Kansas; and six grandchildren The G. A. R., of Wetmore, and Soldiers Lodge No. 240, A. F. & A. M., of which orders he was a member, conducted services at the grave, where the remains were placed in a vault in the Ontario cemetery *Jackson County World*, June 5, 1908.

George Karns died at his home at Ontario May 30, 1908, aged 64 years, 11 months and 14 days. Mr. Karns lived with his paternal grandparents until he entered the army in 1861. He joined the army at Cardington, Ohio, June 21, 1861, and served until June 1865. In 1866 he came to Kansas. He was married to Miss Caroline Karwecker Jan. 23, 1868 (coned)

6634. (coned) Ontario. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hubbard and little son, of Kinsley, Kansas, arrived Sunday to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. Geo. Karns. *The Holton Recorder*, June 4, 1908.

6635 Our sister, Clarkie Abel. Sister Abel was born in Metcalfe county, Kentucky, October 3, 1862. She was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Wade and the wife of our friend and brother, Alexander Abel. She united with the St. Clere Baptist church at St. Clere, Kansas, a church which was organized by her father, and served by him as pastor, at the age of 15, and the balance of her life was a faithful and loyal member ... She was married to Alexander Abel May 5, 1881, and to them were born four children, three of whom, one son, Marlon, who resides in Topeka, two daughters, Mrs. Laura Koch and Mrs. Grace Vincent, who reside near town, mourn ... the other child died in infancy. She also leaves a faithful, affectionate husband, and aged mother, and one brother, Wm. Wade, of Ontario, Kansas; also four sisters, Mrs. J. V. Rowles, of Topeka, Kansas, Mrs. L. Q. Hazel, of Iconium, Mo., Mrs. Anna Honstead, of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. C. W. Harrington, of Scranton, Pa fought the battle of life for 45 years, 6 months and 1 day, dying in Christ's hospital at Topeka June 5, 1908. Her remains were brought to Holton and her funeral held in the First Baptist church of Holton where she was a member *The Holton Recorder*, June 11, 1908.

6636. Mrs. E. Spiker is home from Rock Creek, where she attended the funeral of her father, Benjamin Smith. *The Holton Signal*, June 11, 1908.

6637. Hoyt. From the Sentinel.] The death is announced of Charles Cleland, as having occurred at Eureka Springs, where he went several weeks ago for the treatment of his declining health. The deceased was favorably known to many Hoytites, being a brother of Postmaster, W. H. Cleland. He has been an inmate of the Soldier's Home at Leavenworth. *The Holton Recorder*, June 11, 1908.

6638. Word was received here Monday that Mrs. Hallie Woodul had died at Corpus Christi, Texas, at 9 o'clock Monday, and was buried Tuesday from the home at Alice, Texas. Mrs. Woodul was formerly Miss Sue Carmichael, and well known here having spent her girlhood days on a farm south of town, a daughter of Mrs. Chas. Carmichael. *Whiting Journal*, June 12, 1908.

Maple Hill. John Carmichael received the sad news of his sisters death last week. *Whiting Journal*, June 19, 1908.

6639. Netawaka. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Beam died Aug. 8, of a lingering illness of several weeks ... interment was made in the Netawaka Cemetery ... *Whiting Journal*, June 12, 1908.

6640. Arrington. The four months old son of Ben Post's which Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks had adopted died Friday at their home south of town and was buried at Valley Falls Sunday beside the mother. *The Holton Recorder*, June 18, 1908.

6641. Local and Personal. J. L. White and wife of Holton were down to Mrs. Buck's funeral, the only out-of-town relatives who could get here because of the trains being tied up. - Oskaloosa Independent. *The Holton Recorder*, June 18, 1908.

6642. Beauty Heights. Mrs. S. A. Shannon has received the sad news of the death of her mother. *The Holton Recorder*, June 18, 1908.

6643. William Gray was born in Bloomington, Indiana, September 17, 1831, and died at this home near Whiting, Kan., June 8, 1908, at the age of 70 years, 9 months and 9 days. He united with the Christian church at Bedford, Ind., at the age of 17 ... He was married in 1860 to Elizabeth Norman at Holtonville, Ind. To this union were born two sons and three daughters. One son, Alva, died in 1904. The other children, all still living, are David Gray, of Kansas City, and Josephine Gray, Mary Gray and Kate Gray, all of Whiting. Mrs. Gray also survives her husband. Mr. Gray worked at the tanner's trade in Lawrence county, Ind., for twenty-three years. He moved to his farm near Whiting in the spring of 1870, and made it his home for the last thirty-seven years of his life. He was a charter member of the Christian church at Whiting, in fact was the first member in the community. He was very active in the organization of the church and the erection of the building. Mr. Gray was the second son in a family of ten children, only one whom survive him .. laid to rest in the Netawaka cemetery

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Whiting. ... an illness of long standing during which he had suffered much *The Holton Recorder*, June 18, 1908.

6644. H. J. Klusmire went to Centralia Tuesday to attend the funeral of his niece - a daughter of his sister, Mrs. Clark. *the Holton Signal*, June 18, 1908.

6645. Ontario Items. Mr. Fowler received the sad news of his daughter Lee's death last week in Oklahoma. The high water prevented them from going. *Soldier Clipper*, June 24, 1908.

6646. Catherine Stork-Seele was born in Germany, May 26, 1830 and died at her home in this city, June 15, 1908, aged 78 years and 22 days. She came with her parents to this country in 1841 settling in New York City. Five years later the family moved to Wisconsin and here on September 27, 1849 she was married to Frederick Seele. Soon after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Seele removed to New York City where Mr. Seele followed the musical profession for which he had been thoroughly fitted in Germany. After three years in the city they returned to Wisconsin where they engaged in farming. In 1858 they came to Kansas, and were among the first settlers in Jackson county. They took up their residence on a farm adjoining the city of Holton, where they continued to live until about fifteen years ago. At that time they moved into this city occupying the home in which the remainder of their lives were spent. Three years ago the 9th of last February, Mr. Seele died Mr. and Mrs. Seele were fond of children, and not having any of their own, were led to take into their home as a little child Sadie Morrow, whom they raised as their own until her marriage to Dr. R. T. Shaw, of this city. Soon after this they welcomed to their home and hearts Miss Anna Seele, a grandniece, who ever since has been to them a daughter. On March 9, 1867, Mrs. Seele with her husband united with the First Presbyterian church of this place as charter members Four sisters and two brothers survive Mrs. Seele *The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

Mrs. Uebly, who was called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. Catherine Seele, has returned to her home in Lyons, Wisc.

The will of the late Mrs. Catherine Seele was admitted to probate Monday. Her estate amounts to about, \$50,000, which she has divided among her brothers and sisters and nieces. The farm adjoining Holton on the south, which is one of the most valuable in the country, she left to her sisters, Mrs. Mary Lambert and Mrs. Ueble and her brother, Frederick Stork. The house on Nebraska avenue

occupied by G. W. Zimmerman, is left to Mrs. Clara Seek. The Iowa avenue property, occupied by J. D. Garrett, goes to Mrs. Margaret Boettcher. The cottage on Wisconsin avenue, where C. M. Rippeth lives, goes to John Stork, who also receives \$ 1000, Mrs. J. J. Pardue receives \$1200 and Mrs. R. T. Shaw \$1000. Miss Anna Seele and John Stork are named executors of the will. In a codicil different relatives are left sums of money in the amounts of \$300 to \$500. *The Holton Recorder*, July 9, 1908.

6647. Delia News. From the Delia Paper.] Mr. Camden received a message Friday that his brother at Minneapolis, Minn., had been killed. He left Friday to investigate. We have since learned that his brother was shot to death by a crazy man *The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

6648. Soldier. From the Clipper.] Word comes to Soldier today that Grant Higgens well known in the America City neighborhood, committed suicide at Kansas City last night *The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

Ulyses Grant Higgens was born near America City, Kansas, Dec. 9, 1866, died at 1915 north 6th St. Kansas City, Kansas, June 16, 1908. Was united in marriage to Carrie J. Armstrong, Dec. 8th, 1886. To this union four children were born, namely: Mrs. James Coffey, Mrs. Morris Rash, Fern and Clifford, who all with the wife and mother survive him. The deceased had spent nearly his entire life time near the place of his birth. A little over a year ago, hoping to better his condition he moved to Kansas City, Kan. The anticipation of this move not meeting his expectations he became despondent culminating in his tragic death Interment was made in the America City cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, June 24, 1908.

6649. Scraps of .. Local News. A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson Tuesday, which only lived few hours. It was buried yesterday morning *The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

6650. Martha Ellen Miller was born in Hardin county, Kentucky, and died Tuesday evening, June 23, aged 52 years. She was married to John Sullivan in Kentucky, October 10, 1878. Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan came to Kansas in March 1881, locating at Whiting. They have lived in and around Holton for the last fifteen years, with the exception of about three years spent in Oklahoma. To them were born nine children, 6 girls and 3 boys, seven of whom are living, - Stella, Ollie, Hollis, Maude, Hallia and Helen of Holton, and Mrs. Rolla Young of California *The Holton Signal*, June 25, 1908.

.... died at her home in this city, June 23, 1908, aged 52 years and 7 days. Early in life she confessed her Savior, uniting with the Baptist church but in 1885 ... uniting with the Christian church ... They moved to Kansas in 1881, where they have since lived with the exception of fourteen months which was spent in the Indian Territory ...

Mrs. Sullivan and son Sidney, were called to Holton last week by the illness of Mrs. John Sullivan. The sick woman died Wednesday morning and was buried at Holton on Saturday. J. R. Sullivan and family drove down Thursday to attend the funeral. - Wetmore Spectator. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

.... The cause of her death was heart and kidney trouble*The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

6651. William Ennefer was born in Hockwold, England, July 25, 1829. He was next to the youngest of the nine children of Joseph and Myra Ennefer. In 1850 he immigrated to America, and later, found his way westward to Ohio, where, on July 24, 1854, he was united in marriage to Rebecca Carpenter; who still survives him. To this union was born twelve children, all of whom have grown to manhood and womanhood and are still living. Mr. Ennefer located with his family at Eureka, Illinois in 1860. When the civil war broke out he enlisted with Co. A, 86th Ill., but because of physical disabilities he was rejected. In 1876, with his family he located in Pawnee county, Nebraska, on a farm; removing in 1883 to Jackson county, Kansas, where he has lived until at the ripe old age of 76 years, 10 months and 25 days, he died at his home in Circleville, June 20, 1908. Soon after their marriage he and his wife became members of the M. E. church. After their removal to Illinois they identified themselves with the Christian church

S. A. Ennefer, of Pleasanton, W. E. Ennefer, of Clifton, and Mrs. Laura Dinine, of Sioux City, Iowa, were here this week to attend the funeral of their father. *Jackson County World*, June 26, 1908.

Beauty Heights. Mr. Ennifer, a former resident of this locality *The Holton Recorder*, June 25, 1908.

Circleville. William Enefer died at his home last Saturday night of paralysis *The Holton Signal*, June 25, 1908.

6652. Cross Creek News. Mrs. J. M. Franklin went to Perry Monday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Camein Kunkle of Excelsior Springs, whose remains were shipped to Perry for burial. *Delict Paper*, June 30, 1908.

Cross Creek News. From Delia Paper.] Mrs. J. N. Franklin received the sad news of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. McCoy of Pennsylvania, Wednesday. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6653. H. Neiman received word of the death of his brother who resided at Colony, Kansas, on Tuesday *Soldier Clipper*, July 1, 1908.

6654. Rev. George V. Gwilym, who has been pastor of the Episcopal church the past few months, died at Christ's hospital in Topeka last Wednesday. The cause of death was heart disease. Rev. Mr. Gwilym spent about half of the time in Holton as he was also pastor at Oskaloosa. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

.... He was a single man. His parents reside in New York. *The Holton Signal*, June 25, 1908.

6655. H. N. Hovey and daughter, Miss Mattie, were called to Kansas City Tuesday by the death of a nephew of Mr. Hovey's. *The Holton Signal*, June 25, 1908.

6656. Soldier. From the Clipper.] J. T. Bell, a former citizen of this neighborhood visited at Win. George's last week. He makes his headquarters in Oklahoma now, though he hardly calls it home, for he lost his companion some three years ago. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6657. Soldier. From the Clipper.] Dr. Northrup and wife and mother were called to Kansas City Sunday by the unexpected death of Chas. Little, the doctor's brother-in-law. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6658. Mrs. Susannah Parrott Wheeler, wife of Victor D. Wheeler, died at the family residence in Holton Saturday morning, June 27th. The deceased was born in Coshhocton county, Ohio, November 5, 1844. Her parents were devout Methodists, her father an exhorter with the Methodist Episcopal church and continued a faithful member until death. With her parents she came to Jackson county, Kansas, in 1859. The family located on a farm one and a half miles north of Holton. She was joined in marriage to Victor D. Wheeler, December 24, 1868. Three children were born to them, one son and two daughters, all of whom survive. The son, Robert, resides in Amarillo, Texas; the daughters, Dora and Martha, are with their father in Holton. Mrs. Wheeler was the youngest of a family of thirteen children, only four of whom are alive, Mrs. Jane Moggs, of Alta, Iowa, Mrs. Norman Wheeler, of Denver, Colorado, Mrs. M. M. Drake and Capt. John B. Parrott of Holton was conveyed to the cemetery and committed to the grave *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6659. Alice, the 13-year-old daughter of James Murray, died at the home of Richard Reddy, Friday afternoon, at 20 minutes past two o'clock. With her father she had been visiting the former's brother on Cross Creek, and was on her way home to Hutchinson, but was detained here because of the flood. The little girl had just undergone an operation at St. Margaret's Hospital in Kansas City, from which she did not seem able to rally and her father brought her to Cross Creek in hopes the country air would benefit her. But day by day she grew weaker ... The deceased girl was born at Holy Cross on the 22nd day of February, 1895. When fourteen months old she drank some lye while visiting at a neighbor's, which produced a stricture in her throat from which she never fully recovered When but a baby her mother died and upon the sorrowing father devolved the entire care of the little invalid Though able to attend but one term of school with the good Sisters at Great Bend, Kansas, she was bright beyond her years interment was in the Holy Cross cemetery, where the mother is buried ... Superintendent Cade and the brother officers of Mr. Murray at the Hutchinson Reformatory. - St. Marys Eagle. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6660. Denison. Frank Milton, the infant son of F. M. Higgins, died Monday evening. Mr. Higgins has the sympathy of the entire community in his double bereavement. [later in column.] Mrs. D. E. Reber, of Morrill, and Mrs. Hathaway, of Robison, sisters of Mrs. Eva Higgins, Mrs. Frank Decker, of Robison, a sister-in-law, and Mrs. H. C. Wolcott, of Atchison, Mrs. Higgen's sister, attended the funeral of Mrs. Higgins Saturday. [later in column.] Eva M. Decker was born in Seneca county, Ohio, Feb. 1, 1870 and removed with her parents to Brown county, Kansas, Feb. 19, 1890 and was married to F. M. Higgins Feb. 19, 1890, removed to Jackson county, Kansas, December 1907, and died June 25, 1908, at her home two miles south of Denison. There were five children born to them, two of whom survive, Ester and Clara.....Burial was made in the Hiawatha cemetery by the side of her parents. *The Holton Recorder*, July 2, 1908.

6661. W. D. Hurd died at his home in the west part of town last Saturday morning. His death resulted after an illness of only a week or two The body was shipped on the evening train to Union, N. H., for burial Mr. Hurd was born in York county, Maine, about 75 years ago. He was graduated from the Massachusetts State Normal College, Bates College in Maine, and from

Campbell University in Holton. At one time he was a professor in the Boston Farm school. He taught for forty years in Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Iowa, Minnesota and Kansas. He came to Kansas in 1890 while starting a trip around the world and for some reason decided to locate in Holton. During his residence here, he has always lived alone, being unmarried, and at all times was a peaceable, law abiding citizen. He left an estate of several thousand dollars, and consisting of land in Kansas and in the east While being a man of culture and education, Mr. Hurd was extremely eccentric, and possessed a mania for collecting waste articles and refuse from the streets and alleys and storing them away in perfect order in his living quarters *The Hohon Recorder, July 2, 1908.*

.. died in his room over Perkin's store Union, New Hampshire, where most of his people are buried. Mr. Hurd was 71 years old and unmarried. In his youth he had a love affair, but the girl died, and Mr. Hurd never recovered from the heartblow. Mr. Hurd told his story to E. D. Woodburn and Marshal Ernest the night before he died, and asked that a monument be erected over the girl's grave, at the expense of his estate. Mr. Hurd was very weak at the time, and it was difficult to understand him. It was learned, however, that the girl was a relative of Harriett Breecher Stow. Mr. Hurd left papers which will tell all about it ... a graduate of three colleges - the Boston Industrial college, Bates college and Campbell college. He took the art course at Campbell twelve or fifteen years ago. He taught school in various states, including Kansas, but not in Jackson county. Mr. Hurd had a penchant for trash and he perhaps carried a carload of old papers, boxes, cans and bottles to his rooms. The city authorities last winter took possession of the stuff and moved it to a house in the west part of town. Mr. Hurd did not explain why he gathered trash, further than to say it was of value to him. Mr. Hurd was tried for insanity once, but the commission promptly discharged him, declining to restrain him simply because he picked up trash. Mr Hurd always made enough money to live on, and when he died he had about \$50 in the bank. In addition he had an interest in a farm near Birmingham, and an interest in an estate in Maine. Mr. Woodburn has learned that the estate is worth about \$2,000. Mr. Hurd told Mr. Woodburn that he had three grandfathers at the battle of Bunker Hill. Mr. Hurd was a Baptist Miss Jennie Allen, a sister of County Superintendent Allen, accompanied the body to New Hampshire the old man died in peace. Pneumonia was the cause. *The Holton Signal, July 2, 1908.*

6662. Elizabeth Hannum was born in Harrison County, Ohio, on July 15th, 1831, and died at her home in Soldier, Kansas, on July 1st, 1908, aged 76 years, 11 months and 14 days. Elizabeth Kale was married to David Albaugh in 1857, and in 1868 her husband died. She was married to Joseph Hannum in 1872. Early in life she united with the Baptist church but some thirty years ago united with the Methodist church and remained a true member until her death ... She was known far and wide as "Grandma Hannum" yet she had no children of her own, but has been a mother to many, not only those of her husband's but the needy of the community in which she lived laid away to rest in the Hannum family burying ground six miles northwest of Soldier *Soldier Clipper, July 8, 1908.*

Soldier. ... buried at the Hannum school house cemetery *The Holton Signal, July 9, 1908.*

Elizabeth Kable Albaugh Hamm, was born July 15, 1831, in Harrison Co., Ohio, was married to Davis Albaugh Jan. 8, 1857, again to Joseph Hamm Oct. 18, 1872. She died July 1, 1908, aged 77

years, 11 months and 16 days. She was converted in early life and joined the Baptist church. But when she was married to Joseph Hamm she united with the M. B. church in Soldier City laid to rest in the cemetery near her old home on the farm. *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908.*

6663. Robert Allhouse was born May 5, 1895, and died June 17, 1908, at Kansas City, Mo., aged 13 years, 1 month and 12 days. Robert was well known here having spent the greater part of his life with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morton. Mr. Morton died five years ago and Mrs. Morton resides in Whiting, Kans., where the remains were brought and laid besides those of his grandfather laid to rest in Spring Hill cemetery ... *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908.*

6664. Mayetta. Mrs. Jap Winters has received word from her son, Jimmie, in Kearney county that their little daughter has died very suddenly. *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908.*

6665. Mayetta. James White, who was born in Ireland some 80 or more years ago, died June 28, 1908, after a very short illness. Uncle Jimmie, as he was generally called, had lived in this neighborhood as long as we can remember and from what the older settlers say must have lived here over a half century as least. Much of the land where we lived was broken by him in the early days of Kansas with an ox team Although he had acquired a little home, fortune never seemed to come his way and in his declining years he seemed rather unfortunate. He was laid to rest in the Holton cemetery *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908.*

6666. While the original owners of the town of Holton were engaged in surveying and platting the town site, a strange colored man who was riding a fine saddle horse, stopped and inquired the way to Muscotah and the city of Atchison. The desired information was given and he went on his way. Some two or three hours afterward two strange white men rode up rapidly and asked if a colored man had passed this way. Being told there had, they exchanged significant glances and inquired which way he went and where he was going. Learning the direction the negro went they hastened on. The next day they returned leading the horse and stated that while they got the horse, which had been stolen, the thief made good his escape. A few days after the occurrence the body of a colored man was found hanging to the limb of a tree on the bank of a small stream a few miles this side of Muscotah. It was supposed to be the body of the horse thief and ever since that time this stream had been known as Negro Creek. *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908.*

6667. The next killing occurred in 1858 on Groomer creek, now called Banner creek, as was over a claim. A man named Richard Delosier located a claim on Banner creek, held it for awhile and then abandoned it. Sometime after this he returned and found a young man named Robert Armstrong in possession. An altercation resulted and this terminated in Delosier shooting Armstrong. Armstrong died in a few weeks from his wound and Delosier left the country. *The Holton Recorder, July 9, 1908,*

6668. In the early sixties a renegade Frenchman named Mitchell Wilmot came down from Nebraska and located on a farm three miles south of Holton. His wife claimed to be a plural wife of Joseph Smith, the Mormon prophet. She had two daughters, both rather comely, that she stated were children by the prophet. The oldest, Sophia, was a young woman of spirit and when her step-father made advances she would resent them. Finally one day when Willmot was under the influence of strong drink he attempted an assault when she drew a revolver and shot him dead. She was never

arrested as it was looked upon as a case of justifiable homicide. Shortly after this the mother and two daughters returned to Nebraska and located not far from Omaha. *Me Holton Recorder*, July 9, 1908.

6669. In sixty-one or two, a party of men came through Holton from the north east on the trail of a negro horsethief. He was overtaken on Halfday creek in the south par(of the county. The horse was recovered and this thief shot to death and his body buried in an unmarked grave. In the sixties horse stealing was looked upon as a serious crime that could only be atoned for by hanging. A man named Manley who lived in or near Netawaka, was looked upon by some as a professional horse thief, so a mob called upon him one night and hanged him until he was dead. *The Holton Recorder*, July 9, 1908.

6670. The next hanging occurred in the winter of 1865-6. A party of young men who were neighbors went up to Netawaka for a jolly time. While there they procured some whiskey and partaking of it freely, they care down to Holton to continue their jollification. They went to a hotel and ordered supper for the crowd. while at the table they began discussing the merits and demerits of the war that had closed. As they drank more, the arguments became more and more exciting, until they were worked up to a pugilistic point. A young man named Carl Eaden was defending the principles of the south while another young man named Charles Russell was championing those of the north. Finally Russell declared that if Eaden repeated a certain expression he would lick him. Eaden re-asserted it and Russell started for him with a clenched fist. Eaden stood his ground and as Russell rushed at him stabbed him in the right breast with a pocket knife. The blade passed between two ribs, penetrating the lung, the man bled freely from the mouth and external wound. For a time all was confusion. Eaden got out of the dining room and threw away his knife but did not attempt to escape. He was guarded until morning, there being no justice of the peace in Holton. He was then taken before Justice of the Peace, Albert Fuller, of Straight Creek, for a hearing. The hearing was not completed on this day and the justice placed the prisoner in charge of the Constable Jesse Elliott with instructions to present him on the following morning at 9 a.m. for a final hearing. The constable selected a guard and started home with the prisoner. As they were passing through a narrow strip of timber, they were overtaken by a mob of excited men. In the dark it was impossible to recognize the men or compute their numbers. They now demanded the prisoner. The officer remonstrated with them but it was to no purpose. They took the prisoner from the officer by force and ordered the constable and his guard to drive on and be quick about it. This he did, but did it under protest. The leader of the mob now turned to the prisoner and told him if he had anything to say now was the time to say it as he had but a short time to live. Eaden plead to see his mother before they should hang him, but the ears of the mob were deaf to his entreating, and unmoved they preceded to complete their dark deed and by it placed a murder most foul upon the page of history. The leaders of the mob were arrested for murder. But they swore out a change of venue. The cases were taken to Jefferson county and were on the court docket for some years, but finally the men were released. As to how and why, I am unable to say, but in those days life was cheap and blood was hot. Charles Russell fully recovered from the wound inflicted by Eaden. *The Holton Recorder*, July 9, 1908.

6671. Denison. Verne Gish, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gish, was born March 18, 1891, near Meriden, and died July 10, 1908 at this home near Mayetta of typhoid fever burial took place in the cemetery north of town

Mayetta, Verne Gish, son of Wm. A. and Nellie E. Gish, of near South Cedar ... aged 17 years, 3 months and 27 days. He leaves his parents, two brothers *The Holton Recorder, July 16, 1908.*

6672. The infant of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ritchey was buried Tuesday morning. It was born the night before and lived only a short time. *The Holton Recorder, July 16, 1908.*

6673. N. H. Williams went to Topeka Monday to attend the funeral of his sister, his. J. Beal, who died Sunday. Mrs. Beal was in her ninetieth year and was an early settler in Topeka. *The Holton Recorder, July 16, 1908.*

6674. Mayetta. Mrs. Mary A. Klopp, who resided four miles northeast of Mayetta, passed away Sunday afternoon, July 5, After a long illness. She has suffered from locomoter ataxis for twelve years. During the last six months she was almost helpless. Mary A. Combs was born June 3, 1843, in Holmes county, Ohio. February 25, 1882, she was united in marriage to John Klopp, who died April 6, 1902. The deceased leaves one son, Virgil, of Holton, who, with Mrs. J. H. Miller, a sister, and J. W. Boling, a cousin, are the only immediate relatives in this part of the country. She united with the M. E. church at the age of 14 ... interred in the New Harmony cemetery, southeast of Holton. *The Holton Recorder, July 16, 1908.*

6675. Hoyt. A stranger who came here to work on the Rock Island section, dropped dead of heart disease Saturday. *The Holton Signal, July 16, 1908.*

6676. The following notice of the death of Mrs. Grover, mother of George Grover of this place, is taken from last week's Onaga Herald. Eliza Jane Booth was born May 7, 1830, in the city of New York, of English parents who had just previously come to this country. One the 27th of December, 1851, she was united in marriage with O. J. Grover, in the state of Michigan. In the spring of 1856 they came to Kansas and settled on a farm three miles north of Onaga, where they lived until 1884, when they moved to their present residence in Onaga. To this marriage were born six children; three boys and three girls; O. W. Grover, Mary A., now the wife of D. S. Baker, Ella G., now the wife of J. W. Dunn, Adah and Freddie Grover, who died in infancy and George Grover. She has also been a mother to her grand-daughter, Georgia Maud Grover who was left in her care by her dying mother, wife of George Grover, when she was but a little girl. In January, 1892, she united with the First Congregational church in this city she leaves surviving her, her husband O. J. Grover, two sons, Orlin W. and George Grover, and two daughters, Mrs. Mary A. Baker and Mrs. Ella G. Dunn; also two sisters, Mrs. Julia Sherman, of this city and Mrs. Cordelia Riser, of Indiana. *Delia Paper, July 18, 1907.*

Mrs. Sarah Organ, Alex and Daisy and Mr's. John Karns attended the funeral of Mrs. Organ's sister-in-law, Mrs. Grover, of Havensville Friday. *The Holton Recorder, July 30, 1908.*

6677. Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Ball died on Monday, July 20, 1908, aged four years, 3 months and 21 clays He was born March 29, 1904and was laid to rest in the family lot in our Silent City *Soldier Clipper, July 22, 1908.*

6678. Whitewater, Kan., July 20. - Mrs. Dennison, widow of the late Dr. Jos. Dennison, one of the early presidents of Baker University, Baldwin, Kan., and former resident of Topeka, died her to-day

at the residence of her niece, Mrs. Cecil Amra. The cause of her death was a complication of troubles incident to old age. Mrs. Dennison with her husband were pioneers in Methodism ... The funeral occurred Monday at Manhattan where her body was laid by that of her husband. Mrs. Dennison lived in Holton in the early eighties when her husband was pastor of the Methodist church *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

6679. Marion C. Brooks was born Jan. 11, 1877, and died of consumption at his home on Banner Friday, July 17, 1908. He was married to Miss Jennie M. Snavley Jan. 8, 1907. To this union was born a daughter, Marian Louise Interment was in the Hass cemetery. Member of the W. O. W. lodge were present at the funeral. Mrs. Brooks and her child will return to Tennessee with her brother in a short time. *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

East Grant to them a daughter was born June 8, 1908 *The Holton Signal*, July 23, 1908.

6680. Denison. A. J. Parker was born in Floyd county, KY., March 17, 1823. He was married to Elizabeth Stafford, August 11, 1847 and two children were born to them, one of whom survives, Mrs. Parker having died September 20, 1851. He was again married April 3, 1854 to Mary A. Gardner and seven children were born to them, six of whom are still living, five being present at his funeral. During October 1855 he united with the Christian church in Morgan county, Ky., and served as elder for 25 years. He became ill while visiting his daughter in Kansas City and was brought home and died at the home of his son, John, Thursday July 16 .. interment was made in the cemetery south of town. *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

6681. Local and Personal. James M. Miller received word Tuesday of the death of his sister, Mrs. D. A. Dorsey, of Kearney, Nebr. *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

6682. Whiting. Mrs. W. H. Sumner died at her home in Whiting Sunday afternoon, and was buried on Tuesday afternoon, from the residence in Spring Hill cemetery ... Sarah H. Hardick was born at Hudson, New York, Oct. 1, 1835. In 1869 she was united in marriage to W. H. Sumner, who died in 1902. In 1878 she came with her husband to Whiting which has since been her home. She was a member of the Presbyterian church here Member of the Rebecca Lodge and Eastern Star of Whiting ... She leaves two daughters, Mrs. G. D. Reed and W. P. Reynolds and several grandchildren *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

Whiting. Mrs. S. J. Sumner died suddenly Sunday evening, July 18, 1908 ... Sarah J. Hardwick she was married to W. H. Sumner in 1860 *The Holton Signal*, July 30, 1908.

6683. Brick. Charley Ramsey was called home Wednesday on account of his father's death. His grandfather, R. G. Young accompanied him. The writer heard that Mr. Ramsey was building a house or barn and the scaffold fell on him *The Holton Recorder*, July 23, 1908.

6684. We wish to notify the many friends in Jackson county of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. S. Little, of the death of their little son, Andrew Frank, at his home in Robe, Snohomiah county, Washington. The little fellow took sick on the Tuesday before and gradually grew worse until the end. Mr. and Mrs. Little were residents of Jackson county for several years before coming to the state two years ago. They were married in Holton. Mr. Little is a nephew of James Little, a retired farmer of Jackson

county. Andrew Frank Little was born Dec. 27, 1899 near Circleville Mr. and Mrs. Little and their two little girls are now down with the disease but past all danger as anti-toxine was used in such quantities and in good time to make light cases of them *Hie Holton Recorder, July 23, 1908.*

6685. On Saturday afternoon, July 11, 1908, J. J. Loop died at the home of his father-in-law, W. B. Wylie. Among the older teachers of the academy and the faculty of Campbell University, as well as many of the citizens of Holton during the nineties, Mr. Loop will be well remembered. His boyhood's home was at Beloit, where he was one of the elder ones in a family of twelve children. Of this large family, both parents and all but one sister survive. He chose the important vocation of teacher, and began his work in his home county, Mitchell. Attracted by the advantages offered Campbell University, he then came to Holton where he proved himself as a student of unusual ability. Alternately teaching and attending school, he finally finished the state certificate course here, and received that highly-prized testimonial, a state certificate. As a teacher and city superintendent, Mr. Loop was very successful. As such, he served one year in this county, four years at Oneida, two years at South Haven and three years at Caldwell ... His health failing three years ago, he went to Roswell, New Mexico, but a permanent recovery was impossible, and he came to Holton a few weeks ago, where death found him He leaves his wife and two small children insurance in the Mystic Toilers and in the M. W. A., both friends of the widow and orphans ... family took him for burial in the old family plot in Elmwood cemetery at Beloit *The Holton Recorder, July 23, 1908.*

6686. While engaged in repairing some electrical light wiring on a pole in front of Bailey's meat market last Thursday noon, Milton P. Gill came into contact with a live wire which sent a current of 2400 volts through his body. It is thought that he was killed instantly Mr. Gill had been in the employ of the electric light plant since January and had done most of the wiring about town His father was called up at Topeka, by telephone and came up on the evening train to take the body home. Milton P. Gill was the son of S. H. Gill, of 429 Jefferson, the proprietor of Gill's restaurant. He was a student at Topeka High School and at Strickler's Business college before taking up electrical work. He was well known in Topeka and played ball with the Y. M. C. A. base ball team three years ago. He was 22 years old, having been born at Lyndon, Kan., on April 5, 1886. *The Holton Recorder, July 23, 1908.*

.... learned electrical work with the Santa Fe railroad company. Besides his parents, Mr. Gill leaves a brother, C. A. Gill of Topeka. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gill, Mr. Worsley and Charles Alexander of Lyndon were here this week, settling up the affairs of the deceased. The city will pay the expense of Mr. Gill's funeral. *The Holton Signal, July 23, 1908.*

6687. Fred W. Bell, son-in-law of J. L. Whitcraft, was killed by a live wire near Leavenworth last week. Mr. Bell was a conductor on the electric line between Leavenworth and Kansas City. A pole fell, causing trouble with the trolley wire. While helping the motorman adjust the difficulty, Mr. Bell was electrocuted. He regained consciousness, and lived several hours. The funeral took place at the home of the deceased in Kansas City, Kans., Wednesday, conducted by the Masonic lodge to which Mr. Bell belonged. Mr. Whitcraft and daughter, Alice, attended the funeral. Mr. Whitcraft is home, but Miss Whitcraft will remain with her sister several days. Mr. and Mrs. Bell had no children, but they have raised a niece. *The Holton Signal, July 23, 1908.*

6688. Nadeau News Notes. Miss Josephine Truckey, for several years Boy Marron, at the Pottawatomie Indian School, died at the home of her sister on the reservation last week, and was buried at Holy Cross. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, July 24, 1908.

6689. Scraps of .. Local News. Mrs. Edith Priddy Lee died last week at her home in Springfield, Mo. She was the daughter of Mrs. C. N. Priddy of Holton, and grew up here *The Holton Recorder*, July 30, 1908.

Edith Priddy was born in Jackson county, Kan., Sept. 29, 1878, and died at her home in Springfield, Mo., July 25, 1908, making her age 29 years, 9 months and 29 days. She was married July 4, 1898 to B. T. Lee. To this union were born three children who survive her. She was converted and united with the First Baptist church when only fifteen years of age, of which she remained a faithful member until she removed to Springfield, Mo. She then became a member of the First Baptist church at that place She leaves a husband, three small children, and aged mother, six sisters, one brother *The Hotton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

. she was a sister of Mrs. F. C. Landis *The Hoyt Sentinel*, July 24, 1908.

6690. Leonidas H. Hank was born in Monroe county, West Va., Jan. 23, 1848, and died in Jackson county, Kansas, July 25, 1908. His father and mother were devout Methodists. His father was for many years a preacher and died in the harness at the advanced age of 88 years. The deceased united with the Methodist church when about twelve year old and continued a member until death. He was united in marriage to Elizabeth Lowdermilk in the year 1870. Two sons were born to them, Ross and Walter. His wife died four years ago. Mr. Hanks came to Kansas about three years ago. He lived on the Leonard Arnold farm and died there after an illness of three months ...

Drake. Mr. Hanks died at the home of his son, Ross Hanks, on the Lenord Arnold farm July 26, after an illness of several weeks He was married twice and both wives preceded him the second wife dying about four years ago. He leaves two sons M. E. church of which the deceased was a member. The interment took place in the Holton cemetery.

Liberty This is the second death in the family in a short time, Mrs. Hanks having lost her brother, Chas. Johnston, only a short time ago. *The Holton Recorder*, July 30, 1908.

6691. Olive Hill. F. M. Beightel was called to Tobin, Nebraska, last Wednesday on account of the death of his cousin, Levi H. Muman, who was a resident of this vicinity some thirty-five years ago. *The Holton Recorder*, July 30, 1908.

6692 Mrs. Elizabeth Fairbanks, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Rudy, was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, April 15, 1829. In Muskingum county she grew into womanhood, and on the 25th day of December, 1849, she was joined in marriage to Samuel Fairbanks. Six children were born of this union, only two of whom survive, one son, Rudolph, one daughter, Mrs. Eliza Carter. In the autumn of 1859, Sister Fairbanks with her husband and children came to Kansas, settling on a farm in Jackson county, 15 miles northwest of Holton. Six years later in 1865 the husband died. Fourteen years ago Mrs. Fairbanks removed from the farm to Holton, where she made her home until her death She united with the Methodist church in early life Early yesterday while the shadows of

night were vanishing and the gates of morning opening, the spirit left the earthly house The body was taken to Soldier for burial on Wednesday. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6693. Arrington. Mrs. George McCalla, was called to Kansas City Friday to attend the funeral of a cousin, killed by a street car. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6694. Denison. Mrs. Nancy Creelman of Eskridge is visiting here and will return home Thursday. She has just returned from the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Grant, at Horton. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6695. Beauty Heights. Samuel A. Sharman was born in Crawford county, Wis., Dec. 6, 1854 and died in Circleville, July 25, 1908, at the age of 51 years, 7 months and 17 days. Mr. Sharman had gone to Circleville to deliver cream and attend to marketing fruit when his team became unmanageable, overturned the spring wagon and he was thrown violently, the impact causing a fatal injury to his head and spine ... He gave his heart to God when twelve years of age and united with the M. E. church ... He was united in marriage to Miss Mary Crocker, Sept. 27, 1882, to them was born one daughter, Maggie. Mr. Sharman came to Kansas 15 years ago, living a while north of Circleville from there he moved to his farm here where he has resided until his death. He has been one of the school board for several years and was re-elected to the office just a few days before his death He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife and daughter and one brother, Wm. of Buffalo, Mo remains were laid in the Circleville cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

Circleville. Mr. Sharman, of Buffalo, Mo., arrived Monday to attend his twin brother's Samuel Sharman's funeral ... *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6696. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Klopp, of Holton, a baby girl Wednesday, who died and was buried Thursday in the Mayetta cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Klopp formerly lived at Mayetta *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6697. Mayetta. P. F. Eggan passed through Mayetta this morning on his way to Centralia. He was called home from Oregon to attend his mother's funeral. Pearl has a host of friends here *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6698. Again the grim reaper has visited our town ... He came on a double mission to the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Barnett on Thursday, the 23d and Saturday the 25th taking the two little girls, Edith Elizabeth and Alice Irene, who now sleep together in the same grave Edith Elizabeth Barnett was born at Jennings, Kansas, May 26, 1906, and died at Almena, Kansas, July 23, 1908, aged two years and two months. Alice Irene Barnett was born at Almena, Kansas, January 26, 1908, and died at the same place July 25, 1908. Almena Plaindealer. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

.... Mrs. Barnett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mathews, of Holton ... *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6699. Whiting. Mrs. Herman Beaman went to Hill City, Saturday, in response to a telegram that a child of her brother, Alex Green's was dead. Mr. Green and family are former residents of this vicinity. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6700. Dr. Hendrix Gough died Friday evening at Winfield. He had been ill some time with typhoid fever, but was thought to be recovering. His mother and sister, who had been with him, had gone to Newkirk, Okla., where they were notified of his death, which came suddenly. He was a nephew of Mrs. G. F. King and frequently visited Holton. Mr. and Mrs. King and Grace went to Winfield Saturday morning. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908

Dr. T. H. Goff His former home was California, but recently he had built up a good practice in New Kirk, Okla. Dr. Goff practiced a short time in Denison ... Mr. and Mrs. King went to Denison Sunday. *The Holton Signal*, August 6, 1908.

6701. Robert M. Walsh was born at Mayetta, Dec. 29, 1885 and resided on the farm with his parents until he was seventeen years of age. On Friday morning, July 31, 1908 at Bozeman, Montana, while he and a friend were preparing to make hay, they were moving a hay-stacker and while crossing under an electric line came in contact with a live wire and were both instantly killed ... He leaves a mother, 4 bothers and 4 sisters the body was brought here Thursday and laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery west of Holton

Robert Welsh, whose parents live on the reservation *The Holton Signal*, August 13, 1908.

Card of Thanks Mrs. Mary Walsh and family. *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6702. Charles, the three and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Magarell, living on Nebraska avenue, near Rafter's park, died suddenly Sunday, after eating an apple and two dishes of ice cream. The child was sick only 30 minutes. Dr. Jay Smythe was called, but the child died in convulsions about the time the physician arrived. Some of the neighbors said the child had been eating pokeberries, but Dr. Smythe says there was no signs of that kind of poison. The child's previous health had been good. It was a particularly distressing case. As the family is very poor City Marshal Ernest did a fine thing by circulating a petition among the business men, and raising more than \$50 to pay the funeral expenses *The Holton Signal*, August 13, 1908.

.... The cause of death was cholera morbus *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6703. W. F. Kunz, the former druggist, died at his home, 620 Van Buren street at 11 o'clock yesterday morning of paralysis with which he had been afflicted for some time past. Owing to poor health Mr. Kunz retired from active business life some time ago and since that time has remained quietly at home. Kunz will be remembered as the man who was attacked one night about four years ago by Calvin Heck and a man by the name of Graff in the alley between Sixth and Seventh streets on Van Buren street. He was badly injured by the men who beat the unfortunate man with a hammer and left him for dead. He however, recovered from the attack. Graff is now in the penitentiary for his part of the crime, but Heck went free .. interment will be in Topeka cemetery. - Topeka Capital. Mr. Kunz was a druggist in Holton several years ago. His wife is a sister of Mrs. John Kaul of this city. *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6704. Local and Personal. Mrs. S. K. Linscott was called to Mobile, Ala., last week by the death of a cousin. *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6705. Ruth E. Colt, daughter of Chas. S. and May Colt, was born near Holton May 6, 1894, and died at her home in Jaboroa City, July 30, 1908, after a short illness of typhoid fever.... She leaves her father, mother, brother and sister ... *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6706. Roy Crawford, a son of John W. Crawford, was shot and killed by a man in Oklahoma last week. *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

6707. Katharine M. Cook was born in Holton Nov. 12, 1870. She was the second daughter of and youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cook. Her girlhood and young womanhood were spent in Holton and her education received here. She was graduated from the Holton High School at the early age of fifteen and afterward completed the musical course at Campbell university. She was married August 31, 1890 to John M. DePuy. The first seven years of their happy married life was spent at Corning, Kansas. A year and a half ago they moved to Checotah, Oklahoma, where Mr. DePuy is in the real estate business. They built them a comfortable home and had just moved into it when death claimed the young wife. Their first child was born to them Sunday, Aug. 2, and two days later Mrs. DePuy died. Her devoted husband and baby daughter, her widowed mother and one brother are left to mourn ... laid to rest in the Holton cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

.... Mrs. R. M. Cook went to Checotah about ten days ago to assist her daughter in moving into a new house which they had just built, so was with her when she died *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

.... Mrs. Cook of Holton returned to Checotah, Okla., with Mr. DePuy to take care of her granddaughter. - *Corning Gazette. The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6708. Efton Snazao a nephew of Mrs. Frank Berry, died July 23, at his home in Stafford, Kansas from the effects of becoming over heated in the harvest field. He was buried at Galena, Kans. *The Signal*, August 13, 1908.

6709. The Atchison Globe says: John Myers, age 87 years and six months, died at one o'clock this morning, of cancer, at home of his son, John, on Camp Creek. Mr. Myers was an old settler in this section. He came to this country from Switzerland, accompanied by his wife and three children, and his brother, Rudolph. This was early in 1850, and their tickets took them to Weston, where they landed. Mr. Myers and his brother left the wife and children there, and walked up to Atchison, going from there, still on foot, to the home of a brother, Jacob Myers, living eight miles west of town. This was in May 1856. Mr. Myers borrowed an ox team from his brother, and drove back for his family, taking up a claim on Camp Creek upon his return which was his home until he died. Here he had lived over fifty-two years, engaged in farming all the time, and doing the hard work until he was forced to retire because of the infirmities of age. The two brothers have been dead many years, and Mrs. Myers died fourteen years ago. He leaves the following children: Mrs. Elizabeth Gallatin, of Osborne county; Mrs. Mary Riederer, of Holton; John Myers, living on the home place; and Mrs.

Christina Barth, of Soldier, Jackson county. And 23 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren interment in Camp Creek cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, August 13, 1908.

67 W. The death was announced yesterday of Roy Foster, it having occurred at the home of his uncle, Jim Foster, five miles west of town on Wednesday night. The immediate cause of his death is said to be due to nicotine poisoning . . . *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 14, 1908.

Card of Thanks Mrs. Hannah Foster and Family. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, August 21, 1908.

6711. Local and Personal. Cornelious DeVitt died in Denver, Tuesday, August 11, leaving his wife and one son. Mrs. Devitts was Miss Mattie Duff, who lived in Holton when she was a girl. *The Holton Recorder*, August 20, 1908.

6712. Local and Personal. A two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jolly residing near Circleville died August 14th ... *The Holton Recorder*, August 20, 1908.

6713. Mrs. Walter Gidinghagen died at her home in Kansas City Sunday. The papers gave no particulars of her death. Prof Gidinghagen was connected with Campbell university some years ago and is now teaching in the Kansas City High School. *The Holton Recorder*, August 20, 1908.

6714. Henry Sinning, who has been ill several months, and who has several times before been at the point of death, died at his home Friday morning. Mr. Sinning has for more than a quarter of a century been one of the leading merchants of Holton, although for the past few years he has not actively managed his large business Henry Sinning was born at Altenburg, Hessen, Germany, Dec. 12, 1845, and died at this home in Holton, Kan., Aug. 14, 1908. He came to America in the spring of 1870 and after spending a few months at Cincinnati, Ohio, he came to Jackson county, Kans., where he located on a farm five and half miles west of Holton. In the fall of 1882 he moved to town and engaged in the mercantile business to which he continued until death ... after coming to Holton he united with the German Presbyterian church of which he was an official member. Later he united with the First Presbyterian church of which he has since been a member. He was united in marriage with Elizabeth Thess in March 1871, who died Nov. 22, 1877 leaving three children, one son and two daughters. He was afterwards married to Mary Bernard July 25, 1878 who has been a faithful companion for 30 years. To this union were born four children, one of whom died in infancy, two sons and one daughter surviving ... He leaves his wife, three sons, three daughters, four grandchildren and two sisters who reside in Germany laid way in the Holton cemetery under the auspices of the Odd Fellows order of which he was a member. *The Holton Recorder*, August 20, 1908.

6715. Mrs. Mary Brundage, sister of Mrs. J. Biddison, died Friday, August 14 in Topeka. The body was taken to Baldwin for burial. Mrs. Moorehead, niece of the deceased, accompanied the body to Baldwin *The Holton Signal*, August 20, 1908.

6716. Mrs. W. R. Ireland went to Topeka Tuesday to attend the funeral of a cousin. *The Holton Signal*, August 20, 1908.

6717. Mrs. Catherine Simmons, mother of Mrs. J. H. Johnson, died at Brockton, Iowa, Saturday morning. Mrs. George Reed Lewis and Mrs. Johnson, who were there arrived home Wednesday. *The Holton Signal*, August 20, 1908.

6'118. Netawaka. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Beam died Saturday evening after a lingering illness of several weeks. The burial was made in the Netawaka cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, August 21, 1908

6719. God has called to him Miss Daisy Belle Patton, one of our most promising and lovable young women. Daisy Belle was born in Jackson county, Kansas, March 12, 1883. She died at Christ's hospital in Topeka, Kansas, Aug. 19, 1908 at the age of 25 years, 5 months and 7 days. She was the daughter of John D. and Katherine Patton, both of whom preceded her in death. She ranked fifth in a family of six children. She has two brothers, David Patton, of Holton, and Henry Patton, of Denver, Colo., and three sisters, Mrs. Sam Clark, of Fairview, Kansas, and Misses Mary and Myrtle Patton, of Holton, all of whom are living ... Daisy was educated in the Holton schools, was graduated from the Holton High school, having graduated from said school in 1901. She choose teaching as her life's work, but after teaching one year she saw that the work was not congenial so she entered the mercantile business, entering the store of G. F. King where she continued a faithful employee until her recent illness. When a mere child she entered the Sunday school of the First Baptist church ... When only ten years of age she began to fit herself for church organist and at 13 years of age she became a church organist The Y. W. C. T. U of which Daisy was a member *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

.... She was taken to Topeka Friday and operated on for appendicitis Her body was brought from Topeka last night ... *The Holton Recorder*, August 20, 1908.

.... In 1895 John D. Patton died in Holton, his wife, Katherine, having died in 1890 Cora Clark, of Fairview *The Holton Signal*, August 27, 1908.

6720. W. J. Hockham died very suddenly Tuesday morning at his home in the east part of town. Mr. Hockham recently moved to Holton from St. Louis with the intention of making this his home for the remainder of his life, he having lived here about twenty five years ago His daughter, who lives in Cement, Okla., was sent for at once *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6721. Denison. Fred Ayer's wife died at Beland, Oklahoma last Wednesday and was buried Friday at Muskagee *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6722. Mayetta. Mrs. L. H. Davidson has just returned from Netawaka, where she attended the funeral of her only grand son, which was held two weeks ago Saturday *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6723. Circleville. Mrs. Blanch Manor and sister, Miss Francis Niswander came up from Kansas City to their brother's funeral last week. [Later in column.] Aaron Niswander received a telegram that his brother Edward had died at Marshfield Oregon on Saturday 22nd his remains will be sent here for burial. Edward was a former resident of our town *The Holton Signal*, September 3, 1908.

Circleville. Aaron Neiswander received a telegram last Friday of the death of his brother, Ed, of paralysis *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

Ed Niswander, a son of former sheriff Niswander, died in Portland, Oregon last week *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.(cont'd)

6723. (cont'ul) Circleville. interment was in the Circleville cemetery. Mrs. Minor, Miss Fannie and Lincoln Neiswander, who were called here by the death of their brother, Ed Neiswander, have returned to their homes in Kansas City. *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

6724. Drake. Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey accompanied the body of Mr. Lindsey's father to Missouri Sunday *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6725. Dr. C. H. Gillman, for a number of years a dentist, and later in the practice of medicine here, died in a sanitarium in Boulder, Colo., last Saturday morning, and was brought to his home in Oakley for burial. The immediate cause of his death has not been learned here, but is supposed to be in some way the result of injuries received some time ago when his automobile turned over with him. - Valley Falls Vindicator. Dr. Gillman practiced dentistry in Holton for several years, but left here about twenty years ago *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6726. Alice Evelyn Moore was born November 8, 1865, at Chicopee Falls, Mass., and came to Jackson county, Kansas, in September, 1868, with her parents, the late J. B. and S. F. Moore, where she grew to womanhood on the home place near Denison, Kansas. She was married June 3, 1885, to Thos. B. Wolfe, residing for several years in Kansas City, Mo., and later and up to the time of her death, July 28, 1908, at Ben Avon, Pa. She is survived by her husband, four sons, two daughters and an only brother, Geo. H. Moore, of Denison, to mourn her loss A member of the M. E. churches at Kansas City and Emsworth, Pa.....Her remains were tenderly laid to rest on the top of Sewickley Mt., beside that of her little baby boy who proceeded her six years before *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

Denison death, which is said to have been caused by consumption. *The Holton Recorder*, August 6, 1908.

6727. Scraps of .. Local News. F. M. Tyrel, formerly pastor of the churches at Comet and Netawaka, died August 5th at his late home in western Iowa. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6728. The Atchison Globe tells of the death of Mrs. R. A. Wallace at her home in Topeka Friday morning. Mrs. Wallace, with her family, lived in Holton for a time several years ago. Most of the time they have lived in Kansas their home has been in Atchison county. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6729. Gilbert K. Faulkender was born in Huntington county, Penn., May 4, 1843, and died in Holton, Kansas, August 28, 1908, aged 65 years, 3 months and 24 days. About 1853 his parents moved to Pike Co., Ill., where he grew to manhood. On August 9, 1862, he enlisted in Co. K, 99th Regt. 111. Volunteer Infantry and on the 22^d day of May, 1863, in that memorable charge on the rebel breastworks at Vicksburg he was shot through the left elbow making him a cripple for life and he was discharged October 26, 1863, by reason of wounds. Upon his recovery he settled in Charlton Co., Mo., where, on the ninth day of March, 1869, he married Amanda B. Marlin. To this union were born eleven children, six boys and five girls, who are all living and with the sorrowing wife and

mother are with us today. In 1871 he came to Jackson Co., Kan., where, with the exception of two years in Greenwood county, he has since resided. On October 26, 1882, he became a member of the G. A. R. post of this city. In 1900 he was appointed mail carrier on Rural Route No. 3, which post he held when he died. He was the oldest mail carrier by reason of service on the Holton Routes. He was the last of four brothers all veterans of the Civil War The remains were taken to Netawaka for interment .. .

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, of Netawaka, came down to Holton Sunday to attend the funeral of their cousin, G. K. Faulkender.

Charley, Will, Addie and Marie Faulkender of Bancroft came down Thursday morning on account of the illness of their father G. K. Faulkender

Fred and Frank Swarm, of Kansas City, and Harry Swarm, of Wichita, came up to attend the funeral of their uncle, G. K. Faulkender. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6730. Olive Hill. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham August 30, twins, a son and daughter. [Later in column.] Buried at Olive Hill cemetery Sunday afternoon the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6731. Louis Tudor visited in Sabetha last week with relatives. He was taken ill while there and after he came home on Friday grew rapidly worse until his death resulted Tuesday. He had suffered some time with diabetes. Mrs. Tudor, who has been ill for several months, is very sick as a result of the shock of her son's death. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

Lewis P. Tudor, the eldest son of the family, was born near Hillsboro, O., Nov. 15, 1884, and died at the home of his parents, near Holton, Kans., Sept. 1, 1908, lacking but two and one-half months of completing his twenty-fourth year On September 15th, two weeks after the passing of her eldest son, Mrs. Ida V., wife of H. O. Tudor, entered into rest. Mrs. Tudor was born near Hillsboro, Ohio, Sept. 17, 1864, and therefore lacked but two days of completing her forty-seventh year *The Holton Signal*, September 3, 1908.

Drake. Mrs. Tudor died at her home on Tuesday evening, Sept. 15, after a long and painful illness of over a year She was born in Ohio in 1861 and was married to Mr. Tudor in 1882. To this union were born 8 children, one dying in babyhood and Lewis who preceded her just two weeks to a day. She leaves to mourn their loss a husband, three sons and three daughters ... interment taking place in the Holton cemetery *The Holton Recorder*, September 24, 1908.

6732. Died. Near Grady, New Mexico, Eleanor Mae Mulhair, aged between five and six weeks, daughter of Rena and John Mulhair. She was taken sick at three o'clock the morning of the 23d and died at nine o'clock the same morning Mrs. Mulhair is well known in Holton as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Huffman. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

Eleanor May Mulhair, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mulhair of Grady, N. M., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Hunan, was born July 17, and died August 23 ... laid to rest at Grady, New Mexico. *The Holton Signal*, September 3, 1908.

6733. Mrs. Judson Goodrich ... Formerly lived in Centre Valley. At the age of thirteen months her father, Henry Hartom, died and at the age of seven years her mother, Julia Cross, died, leaving her in the care of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cross, She afterward married Judson Goodrich and then moved to Kansas Centre Valley Reporter, New York. *Me Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6734. Samuel Berridge was born in Nottinghamshire, England, March 10, 1848, and died at Holton, Kansas, August 21, 1908, aged 60 years, 5 months and 11 days. With his parents he came to America in 1854 and settled in Caledonia, Ohio, where he resided for fourteen years. He then removed to Illinois and six months later returned to Ohio, where he was married, August 24, 1869, to Alcinda A. Trey. To them were born three sons and five daughters, all of whom are living. Mr. Berridge devoted his energies to farming until 1873, when he moved to Caledonia, Ohio, and began buying and shipping stock. In 1884 he moved to Netawaka, Kansas, and two years later he moved with his family to Holton. Here he engaged in the butcher business for four years. Later he was connected with a live stock commission company in Kansas City with whom he remained fifteen years. He was afterwards with a St. Joseph company for two years. While at St. Joseph he was taken with abdominal dropsy which caused his death after a siege of eight months of suffering. *The Hollors Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

... he was married to Alcinda Troy In 1883 he moved his family to Kansas, and in 1885 to Holton *The Holton Signal*, August 27, 1908.

... The Masonic order had charge of the services at the cemetery. His wife and eight children survive him

J. Berridge, Henry Berridge and family, Frank Berridge and family, of Goffs, Robt. Berridge and family, of Soldier, Mr. and Mrs. Lutz, Mr. and Mrs. Cordon and Mr. and Mrs. Rabenstrof, of Wetmore, attended the funeral of Samuel Berridge Sunday.

Chas. Berridge, of Higgensville, Mo., and Miss Sarah Berridge, of Wymore, Nebr., were called to Holton last week by the death of their father *The Holton Recorder*, August 27, 1908.

6735. Sunday morning the citizens of Holton were shocked and saddened to learn of the accidental death by drowning of E. N. Garber at Atlantic City, New Jersey. The first news came through an Associated Press dispatch in the Capital. - Later a telegram was received from S. F. Ukele confirming the news and still later, word came that Mr. Ukele was on the way home with the body. Mr. Garber and Mr. Ukele were in Philadelphia attending a meeting of agents of the Illinois Life Insurance Co. They went over to Atlantic City Saturday morning with a large number of other guests of the company to enjoy the pleasures of that popular resort. Both went into the surf for a bath but Mr. Ukele was taken ill and left the water about noon. Mr. Ukele returned to Philadelphia and went to his room, where he was under the doctor's care for the rest of the day. The death of Mr. Garber must have occurred not long after they parted, for the body was found floating on the ocean about half past two that afternoon. It was identified by means of the number of his bath house on the suit he wore. In the locker was found his pocket book with his name and address The Knights of Pythias, of which Mr. Garber was a member (cont'd)

6735. (coned) Mayetta. Mrs. Frank Early received word Sunday about noon that her brother, E. N. Garber, of Holton, had drownedMr. Garber's wife and children *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

Scraps of .. Local news. The persons from out of town who attended the funeral of E. N. Garber last week, were Mr. S. S. Garber and Mrs. Sadie N. Hafer, of Hinton, Olda., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Early, of Mayetta, Mr. and Mrs. John Gather, of Junction City, Mr. Paris Hoffman and Miss Rhoda Hoffman, of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Winner and family, of Topeka, and Mrs. N. Jacobs, of Goffs, Kansas.

Ezra N. Garber, eldest son of Samuel and Barbara Garber, was born in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, September 17, 1864. When a lad of 15 years he accompanied his parents to Kansas. The family located on a farm in Jackson county, six miles south of Holton, there he grew into manhood. On the 26th day of October 1887 he was united in marriage to Mary Eva Parmenter ... a few years later they came to Holton where they have resided continuously for seventeen years. For a number of years he was engaged in the Creamery business. For the past year he was in the employ of the Illinois Life Insurance company. He was converted in the Williams revival meeting six years go and united with the Methodist Episcopal church He was one of the four most successful men in the employ of the Illinois Life Insurance Company in Kansas and one of the most successful in the United States *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

.... He leaves a wife and three children .all girls. Mr. Garber was a brother of Mrs. Lizzie Brenneman of Holton and Mrs. Mabel Early of Mayetta. He has three brothers, J. M. Garber of Junction City, Harry Garber of Amarillo, Tex., and Ira Garber who was in Nevada the last time he was heard from; also another sister, Mrs. Hafer of Hinton, Tex. His father B. S. Garber lives in Hinton, Tex *The Holton Signal*, September 3, 1908.

6736. In 1859 or 1860 Elisa Estes a Kentuckian, with a large family of sons, settled on Straight Creek in what is now Straight Creek township. He and his sons labored faithfully opening up and improving their farm. Being an industrious family they were generally at home looking after their own affairs. There also resided in the same neighborhood a Virginian named Samuel Bosley. This man Bosley was addicted to the use of strong drink, and when under the influence of liquor was looked upon as a dangerous man. Estes and Bosley made a horse trade, in which Mr. Estes got the best of the bargain. This greatly enraged Bosley. Some days or weeks after this Estes, Bosley and a man named Francis were passing through the Kickapoo reservation, when Bosley forced a quarrel as well as a fight upon Estes. Bosley drew a knife and attempted to use it but Francis disarmed him, and the fight terminated in Estes favor. Bosley still held his grudge and swore that yet he would get his satisfaction. Estes wanted to arbitrate their differences from a peaceable standpoint; in fact he went so far as to met Bosley at the residence of John W. Moore for that purpose, but Bosley would not hear of it. He was greatly angered and was constantly making threats against Estes or one of his sons, saying that he would get even by killing Estes or one or more of his sons. He now purchased a revolver which he carried, as well as a knife, and he told his neighbors that he proposed to square accounts with the Estes by killing one or more of them. Estes' friends warned him to go prepared, to pass Bosley by quietly but keep his eye on him, to pick no quarrel, but to be ready at all times to defend himself. It was Estes's habit to ride over to Holton once a week to buy supplies for his family. His purchase made he always returned to his home without delay. In the mean time Samuel Bosley

moved to Holton, renting a small house on Pennsylvania avenue about three blocks north of the public square. The house faced the east and the occupants had a good view of the road coming from the northeast. This road was the one traveled by Estes coming in or going out of town. It was not long before Bosley learned this fact, and one in November, 1863, while standing at the door he saw a man coming into town on horseback, who he thought was Estes. This was about twelve o'clock. As soon as he had eaten his dinner, he remarked to his wife that he was now going up town to have it out with Estes. She begged him not to go. He being under the influence of liquor, and naturally of a violent disposition she knew there would be serious trouble if they met. She followed him to the door and stood there watching him as he went uptown. She soon noticed a man on horse back coming down the street. Bosley and this man met in the hollow by the old mill, they both stopped for a moment and the man on the horse stretched out his arm in the direction of her husband, a puff of powder smoke was seen and Bosley fell forward on in face in the street. The man put spurs to his horse and was soon out of sight, having gone down the road in a northeasterly direction. Mrs. Bosley ran to her husband screaming and calling for help. When she reached her husband and turned him over he was dead. Her description of the man who did the shooting and the horse that he was riding, satisfied the citizens that it was Estes. The sheriff with a posse of citizens examined with care the tracks of the horse and found one shoe was missing off one hind foot. They followed these tracks and found they led to the Estes farm, here they found the horse in the stable. One shoe was gone, the horse's feet fit the measure of the tracks made by the horse that was ridden by the person who did the shooting. But Mr. Estes was not to be found, he had disappeared completely and the officers were unable to get track of him. Finally it was rumored that he was somewhere in Kentucky and was coming back to stand trail. This he did in 1865. He was promptly arrested by the officers, gave bonds and was brought to trail in 1866. After hearing all the facts in the case a jury of twelve men acquitted him of the charge of murder, declaring it a case of justifiable homicide. *The Holton Reco'der*, September 3, 1908.

6737. Taking events chronologically, would be to next notice the violent death of George L. Hamm, Register of deeds in and for the county of Jackson. George L. Hamm was a Pennsylvanian by birth, and was reared in the city of Philadelphia. In his youth he enlisted in the U. S. Navy, but while he was on the training ship he fell from one of the yard-arms to the vessel's deck, striking his head, caused a fracture, depressing a portion of his skull. The depressed portion pressed upon a portion of the brain, acting as a constant irritant, and as a result Mr. Hamm had an irritable temper. When in anger he would at times lose control of himself He was discharged from the Navy for disability. When the Civil war broke out Mr. Hamm enlisted in Co. "B" of the eleventh Kansas Cavalry but was rejected by the examining army surgeon at Ft. Leavenworth because of the injury to his head. He returned to Holton and was made Register of Deeds about the close of the war. In the summer of 1867 a school teacher named John B. McIntosh made a number of visits to the Register's office for the purpose of examining the records. One or more of these visits McIntosh and Hamm got into altercations over the books. On June 16, 1867, McIntosh called at the Resister's office again to look over the records. It was not long before the men were in a most bitter quarrel during which Hamm struck McIntosh a vicious blow in the face causing the blood to flow. McIntosh did not resent the blow but walked out of the office, down the stairs and across the square to David Stanley's hotel were he washed his face and then went into the dining room for dinner. Hamm followed to the hotel and was under great excitement when he arrived there. As McIntosh stepped out of the dining room

into the office he met Hamm face to face, a few words were spoken when McIntosh picked up a revolver that was on the office desk and fired. Hamm fell to his knees when McIntosh seized him by one arm, turned him around and fired a shot into his back. Hamm now fell to the floor completely paralyzed. All was excitement, McIntosh made no effort to escape but quietly submitted to arrest, saying that he had to shoot to save his own life. A Navy revolver was found on the floor by the side of the wounded man. This revolver was the property of Capt. W. F. Creitz and it was supposed had been handed to L-lamm by the captain who was constantly urging him to drive McIntosh from town. Hamm lived five or six hours after he was wounded. Owing to the prejudiced conditions of the residents toward the prisoner McIntosh, he was granted a change of venue. When his case came to trail he was acquitted of the charge of murder. but he never returned to Jackson county as a resident. *The Holton Recorder*, September 3, 1908.

6738. Parallel. Mrs. Tom Grannel received word Saturday of the death of her grandfather who lived with his sons near Mayetta. Mr. and Mrs. Grannel attended the funeral Sunday he was taken to Mo. for burial. *Living Journal*, September 3, 1908.

6739. Soldier Valley. Buried in the Boan cemetery on Saturday September 5, the remains of Fred Ramage who was killed by accident at Strong City, Kan *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

The body of Fred Rummage was brought to Holton Saturday and taken to Bennettville for interment. Mr. Rummage was killed at Dodge City by the cars *The Holton Signal*, September 10, 1908.

Soldier Valley. Too late for last week.] He was found dead by the railroad track near Cottonwood Falls. His arm was lying across the track and was cut off by a passing train, the back of his head was crushed which looked as though there might have been foul play. The remains were brought back and interred in the Doan cemetery by the side of his father and mother *Tlae Holton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

It is now believed that Fred Rammage, whose dead body was found on the railroad track near Strong City, was murdered. The young man had money when he left here two days before his death, and when found his pockets were empty. The train men who picked him after the train ran over him testified before coroner's jury that the body was cold, and that the hole in his head, which doubtless caused death, was covered with dry blood. The theory is that Rammage started to walk from Strong City to the next town, and was killed by tramps, who placed his body on the railroad track. Rammage was looking for a location. He was a brother of Mrs. Robert Cruzan of Bennettville. *The Ho/ton Signal*, September 17, 1908.

Soldier Valley Items. ... Frederick Ramage, aged about 25 years *Soldier Clipper*, September 16, 1908.

6740. Denison. Hugh Williamson was born June 10, 1830, in Armaugh county, Ireland. He came with his parents to Canada in 1848, to Leavenworth county, Kan., in 1859, and from there to this community in 1866. In the year 1860 he married Miss Rebecca Cade. His wife, 8 children, 10

grandchildren and one sister are still living, four children having passed on before him. He united with the United Presbyterian church at Denison soon after its organization and was a member at the time of his death which occurred Thursday, September 3 ... interment took place in the cemetery north of town.

Liberty. G. C. Bateman and wife and Robert Bateman went to Denison last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bateman's Father, Mr. Hugh Williamson *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

6741. Liberty. Born, Monday, Sept. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Whitcraft, at Sabetha, Ks., a daughter which only lived a short time. Mr. Whitcraft came to Holton Monday evening with the body for interment in the Holton cemetery today. Mrs. Whitcraft went to Sabetha some time ago where she could be under the care of Dr. Murdock and the nurses at the hospital at that place *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

6742. Mayetta. Paul Cooney, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooney, died Sunday morning. Little Paul was nearly three years old and was only ill two days. The funeral was from the Catholic church at Holton and the little form was laid to rest in the cemetery of that church west of town. Nellie Cooney intended to go to Atchison to enter school at Mt. St. Scholastica academy today but on account of her little brother's illness and death she remained here. *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

Lower Banner. Too late for last week.] Mrs. Flynn received the sad news Sunday morning of the death of her nephew, Paul Cooney, of Mayetta. *The Holton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

6743. Mrs. Joshua Bradley died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Jones, at Caldwell, Idaho, Saturday. Mrs. Jones started for Holton with the body Sunday. *The Holton Recorder*, September 10, 1908.

Ann M. Nichols was born at Carmel, N. Y., on the 15th day of Oct. 1826, and died at Caldwell, Idaho, Sept. 15, 1908, aged 81 years and 11 months. She was the eldest of nine children seven of whom are living. When a young girl she with his parents moved to Barton, Wisconsin, where she lived until 1852 when she was married to Joshua Bradley who crossed over the great border fifteen years ago. To this union were born two children, Jasper P. Bradley of Kansas City, Mo., and Phebe A. Jones, of Caldwell, Idaho, both of whom are living In her young girlhood she united with the Baptist church ...

Mrs. M. B. Schlinger and Mrs. C. B. Murphy, of Clyde, Kansas, came down last week to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Bradley ... *The Holton Recorder*, September 24, 1908.

6744. Word was received here last week that Moses Myers died at the soldier's home. *The Holton Siourl*, September 10, 1908.

6745. Mrs. J. W. Hawley was called to Omaha Thursday by a telegram announcing the death of her sister. *The Holton Signal*, September 10, 1908.

6746. Mayetta L. E. Weyer returned from Haviland, Kansas, where he went to attend the funeral of his brother, Joe who was accidentally shot while hunting. Joe was an employee of the Maxwell Weyer blacksmith shop several months ago and he made many friends while there Mrs. Weyer will remain in Haviland for some time with his parents as his death was a terrible shock to them. *The Holton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

6747. A message was received this morning from Eden Valley, Wyo., that Mrs. Minnie Beitzel, of Netawaka, who had arrived there only ten days ago, died at that place last night. Mrs. Beitzel had been a sufferer for several years with spasmodic asthma. The immediate cause of her death is unknown. Besides her 12-year-old son, Ralph, she leaves a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wallace, of Netawaka; her brother, Harry, of Netawaka; Dr. W. A. Wallace, of Excelsior Springs, R. E. , of Eden Valley, Wyo., and two sisters, Mrs. C. D. Werley, of Topton, Pa., and Mrs. Ed Kern, of Eden Valley, Wyo. The body will probably arrive Sunday *The Ho/ton Recorder*, September 17, 1908

6748. Local and Personal. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Piper born Sunday morning, died Sunday evening *The Ho/ton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

6749. In the year 1854, one Felix G. Braden, of Jackson county, Mo., located near Easton, Leavenworth county, Kansas, but not being satisfied with his location he came to Jackson county and located on a claim three miles west and one mile north of the town of Holton. Here he erected his cabin and began the work of opening up his farm. He had a renegade nephew residing in Missouri named Martin Thomas. He was the son of a sister, and as he was constantly getting into trouble, Braden conceived the idea that if he would take him into Kansas where he would be beyond the influence of his evil associates there would be a chance to reform him. So he had the young man come over to Kansas, and make his home with him in the frontier cabin. Braden was a free state man while Thomas was a pro-slavery man. The feeling between the pro-slavery and free-state parties was very bitter and it was no uncommon thing for blood to be shed. On the morning of April 10, 1857, Braden was found by his neighbors dead in his cabin. He had been shot in the head with a musket ball and three buckshot. It was generally thought that Thomas had murdered his benefactor for money and he was arrested by David Coffin for the crime, but as there was no proof he was turned loose. He left this part of Kansas at once and about one year afterward he was killed in the city of Atchison by one of his outlaw associates. It was known that Braden had in his possession over a hundred dollars in cash, but after his death it could not be found. The family of the murdered man consisted of a wife, two daughters, a son and two stepchildren. They arrived at the lonely cabin the day after the murder had been discovered, to find the husband and father cold in death. With the assistance of friends and neighbors they laid the body to rest beneath the soil of the land he had selected on which to build a home for himself and family. The widow with her brood of helpless little ones, elected to remain upon the land that had been selected for a home by her late husband. Here she resided until her children grew into manhood and womanhood and had builded them homes for themselves, when after attaining a ripe old age, she quietly passed unto the great beyond. *The Holton Recorder*, September 17, 1908.

6750. Colonel James W. Green, an attorney-at-law of Thomson, Ga., and editor of the Thomson Free Lance, died at that city September 4, aged 42 years. He left a wife and four children. Mrs. Green was Hannah Locke, daughter of John Locke, long a resident of Holton. Colonel Green had been in Thomson only two years, moving there from Lawrenceville, Ga. He was born in Culpeper, Va. *The Holton Signal*, September 17, 1908.

6751. Frank Morrison was called to Osage City Monday by a telegram announcing the death of a brother-in-law. *The Holton Signal*, September 17, 1908.

6752. James Linsey was born June 28, 1820, and died at the home of his son, S. P. Linsey, August 22, 1908, aged 88 years, 1 month and 25 days. Mr. Linsey had been very poorly for the last two years, but was confined to his bed only three weeks before he died. He was born in Harrison County, West Virginia, but in an early days moved to Platte county, Missouri, where he lived for several years. From there he came to Jackson county, where he spent the last 25 years of his life. He leaves 8 children to mourn the loss of a dear father. Only three of them were with him at the time of his death. The body was taken to Platte county, Missouri and interred in the New Market cemetery, beside that of his wife, who preceded him five years ago. The funeral services were held at the home of his son, Walter Linsey in Platte county, Missouri *The Holton Signal*, September 17, 1908.

6753. America City Items. Artie Channel, Norman Channel and Fred Armstrong started Thursday morning for Wabaunsee County to attend the funeral of H. B. Channel *Soldier Clipper*, September 23, 1908.

6754. Sarah Catherine Lee was born in Morgan Co., Ohio, July 29, 1837, and died at Soldier, Kansas, Sept. 18, 1908, at the age of 71 yrs-lmo-20 days. She was married to John Butler Nov. 8, 1859 and moved to Allen Co., Ind. near Ft. Wayne. One son was born to them. Dec. 12, 1860. When this child was 18 months old his father went to the army. He sickened and died at Louisville, Ky. The bereaved wife took her little son and returned to her father's home in Ohio. On Oct. 1, 1866 she was united in marriage to Captain Wm. Glenn, who with his mother lived at Urbana, Ill. Mrs. Glenn leaves to mourn her departure two step daughters and one step son and their families. Mrs. J. C. Early of Soldier, Kans. Mrs. J. K. Evans of Kingman, Kans. and Mr. N. H. Glenn of Salt Lake City, Utah. Mrs. Glenn united with the M. E. church in 1860 an active member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Mrs. Jessie Butler left Monday morning with the remains for Ft. Wayne, Ind., where she was laid to rest beside of Mr. Glenn.

Mrs. J. K. Evans of Kingman, sister of Mrs. Early, and Mrs. Jessie Butler of Urbana, Ill., attended Grandma Glenn's Funeral Sunday. *Soldier Clipper*, September 23, 1908.

Soldier. Mrs. Glem died Friday morning at the residence of her stepdaughter, Mrs. J. C. Earley where she has been making her home. She was 80 years old. She had heart trouble for several years ... The body was taken to Ft. Waine, Ind., for interment. *The Holton Signal*, September 24, 1908.

6755. Castle Morris, the eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, was drowned in Elk Creek last Thursday afternoon. He and Howard Ellis had gone to the creek to wade after school and has undressed and gone into the water. Howard was in shallow water when Castle walked into a deep hole and immediately sank Castle was born at Robison, Kansas, April 22, 1897, and moved

with his parents to Holton about *three years ago* *He* was the oldest child and only son of his parents, who were both prostrated by their sudden bereavement ... taken to their former home, Hiawatha, their former home for burial *Me Holton Recorder*, September 24, 1908.

6756. *Miss* Ella McCune, who lived in Holton until a few months ago, stepped from the platform of an elevated road in Kansas City, Kansas, last Thursday evening, receiving injuries which caused her death a few hours later. She was hurrying to catch the car and run around the rear and stepped from the platform, falling twenty feet to the street below, with her skull fractured and three ribs broken *Miss* McCune's eyesight was defective, which may have been the cause of the accident as it was nine o'clock at night and she was probably was unable to see where she was going. Ella McCune was 42 years old. She had made her home in Holton for a number of years with her brother, Finis McCune, and during the past year had moved with him to Kansas City, where she was employed in a box factory. Her body was brought to Holton the last of the week ... *The Holton Recorder*, September 24, 1908.

6757. This community was shocked to learn of the sudden death of W.W. Long last Wednesday. He was the son of Elder R. N. Long, formerly of this place but now of Nebraska. He lived with his family about 3 ¹/₈ miles south of Mayetta. He had eaten a hardy breakfast and had hitched up his team to work the roads. He drove his team through the gate and on returning to his team after shutting the gate, must have fallen and died in a very few minutes. His death was caused by heart failure. William W. Long was born in Pike Co., Ill., May 1, 1862, and died Sept. 16, 1908, aged 46 years, 4 months and 15 days. He was married to Miss Cora E. McClland April 23, 1899, at Seldon, Kansas. To this union were born two children, Nelson and Almeda. He united with the Christian church at Davenport, Nebr., in 1887, and has lived a consistent member ever since. He resided in Illinois until 1885, he came to Nebraska. He homesteaded in Kansas in 1886 and made his home here ever since. He was a member of the M. W. A. at Mayetta He leaves besides his wife and two children, his father and four brothers and one sister and many relatives and friends. *The Holton Recorder*, September 24, 1908.

6758. Mrs. G. A. Allen left Sunday evening for Loveland, Col. called there by the death of her sister Miss Violas Blow who was killed Saturday by a run-a-way team. *Whiting, forrr•rurl*, September 25, 1908.

6759. Stanley Marple, of Topeka, was the unfortunate victim of an accident in that city last Saturday morning, and from the effects of which he died at Christ's Hospital, where he was taken soon after the accident. Mr. Marple had many friends in Hoyt ... From Sunday's Capital we glean the following account of the accident. "Stanley Marple, of 908 North Jackson St., was struck by a north-bound passenger street car at 0:90 yesterday morning, near Laurent and Kansas Avenue. Mr. Marple was going to Morn & Myers to purchase meat for breakfast when he was hit. He now lies at Christ's Hospital ... He was crossing the crossing at this point and as the southbound car passed he walked behind it, without noticing the car coming on the next track. He did not seem to hear the cry of the motorman or the ringing of the bell and walked right onto the track in front of the car which could not be stopped in time to prevent an accident. His skull was fractured and one rib broken, besides being internally injured taken to F. R. Conwell's undertaking establishment, and later taken to Christ's Hospital Mr. Marple was formerly an employee of the street company as motorman. It

was during this time that his car struck E. W. Pointdexter and knocked him off the tracks on West Eighth Avenue. He was heard to remark afterwards that he wasn't going to work where he might at any time accidentally kill someone. He resigned this position a little_____and went into the livery business on the North side. At the time of his injury he was employed as a carpenter and was working on the PostofficeThe *Hoyt Sentinel*, September 25, 1908.

6760. Mrs. R. S. Boyle of Salt Lake City, was called to St. Joseph last week by the death of her mother. *The Holton Recorder*, October 8, 1908.

676 1. Arrington Neighborhood. Mr. C. M. Richmond died Wednesday, Sept. 30, at the age of 92 years. Mr. Richmond was an old settler of whom there are very few left any more. He was buried at Effingham Friday. At the time of his death he was living with Mrs. Snyder, his daughter. *The Holton Recorder*, October 8, 1908.

6762. Word was received here that Mabel Montgomery, a sister of Dora, who visited her cousin, Mrs. Arthur Cruise in April, died at her home near Stella, Nebr., Sept. 22, just as she was entering womanhood. Dora was to have been married the 27th after which they were going to California to live. Mr. Park is a newspaperman, he and his mother owning a Stella newspaper. *The Holton Recorder*, October 8, 1908.

6763. Soldier Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Shields of Holton passed through this vicinity on their way to Adrian Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lasswell's little child, who remains were brought from Topeka Saturday and buried in the Shield's cemetery Sunday. *The Holton Recorder*, October 8, 1908.

Little Cross Creek. The funeral of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Lasswell was conducted at the Little Cross Creek cemetery ... *The Holton Signal*, October 29, 1908.

6764. Mrs. Sarah Fountain, who resided in Ohio, a sister of T. P. and Samuel Rudy, Sr. died on Oct. 1st. *Soldier Clipper*, October 14, 1908.

6765. South Branch. We are sorry to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leslie's baby died Monday and was buried on Tuesday. *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

6766. J. W. Scneider, father of W. S. Scneider, and a old resident of Jackson county, died at his home in Denison yesterday. Prof. Scneider and family have gone down to remain until after the funeral. *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

Denison. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bangs of Excelsior Springs, Phil C. Scneider and daughter, Lena, H. P. McLaughlin, a brother of Mrs. Scneider, and Mrs. White, a niece, all of Ada, Kansas, and Peter Scneider of Prescott, Kas., attended the funeral of J. W. Scneider here Saturday. [Later in column.] The death of J. W. Scneider Wednesday, Oct. 14, 1908, removes another old and well known citizen. Mr. Scneider was born Oct. 16, 1825, in Westmoreland, Pa., and was educated in the Greensburg academy. He was married Nov. 30, 1855 to Delilah McLaughlin. Seven children were born to them, five of whom survive him, three sons and two daughters. Two sons, Edwin and Harry having gone on before. J. W. Scneider came with his family to Kansas in 1877 and settled in Ottawa county, removing to Jackson county in the year 1881. He united with the Presbyterian church at the age of

30 years ... His death occurred two days before his 83rd birthday ... interment was made in the cemetery north of town. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

J. W. Scneider was born in Westmoreland county united in marriage to Delilah McGlaughlin, November 30th, 1854 *The Holton Signal*, October 29, 1908.

6767. Point Pleasant. The angel of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kessinger and took away their little son, Harvey, after only a few days illness of membranous croup *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

Hoyt. ... a little boy of Elmer Kessinger's living northeast of town Monday. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

Mayetta. The three year old son of Elmer Kessinger Enternment was made in Hoyt cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, October 15, 1908.

6768. Larkin. Richard Lynch, Justice of Peace, and an old and respected citizen of this community died at this home Sunday evening, Sept. 1th. *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

6769. Denison. Ethel May Thomas was born near Elderton, Pa., July 13, 1887. She was converted and became a member of the United Presbyterian church of Denison at the age of 11 years. For the past four years she has been a loyal and energetic member of the United Presbyterian church of Kansas City. She has been ill for some times with Blight's disease and passed away Oct. 8, 1908, at the age of 21 years, 2 months and 25 days ... burial took place in the cemetery north of town *The Holton Recorder*, October 15, 1908.

Campbell College. The faculty and students were very much grieved to learn of the death of one of their former students, Miss Ethel Thomas of Denver*The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

Denison. Ethel Thomas, daughter of David Thomas *The Holton Signal*, October 15, 1908.

6770. Died: At the family residence in Washington township, near Nadeau, on Thursday, October 19, 1908, Margaret Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Adams. The deceased was born May 1, 1887 in Johnson County, Nebraska. Two years later she accompanied her parents to Kansas where she has continued to reside until her death. She had been sick for a year or more ... Father, mother, four brothers and two sisters remain ... she has gone to met her two brothers and two sisters in the brighter, better world interment took place in the Franklin Cemetery *The Hoyt Sentinel*, October 16, 1908.

6771. Ontario. Mrs. Erma Cox attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Cox, of Goffs Saturday. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

6772. Mayetta. Mrs. Elizabeth Follis, who has been ill most of the time for the last year, departed this life Sunday morning, Oct. 18, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed White, of South Cedar. Mrs. Follis has lived in this community for a number of years and at her death was nearly 80 years of age She leaves to mourn her loss six children, three sons and three daughtersThe body will be laid to rest in the Brick cemetery five miles north of town ... *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

6773. Hoyt. Wm. J. McKeage, commonly known as "Uncle Bill" died at this home in the southwest part of town Friday afternoon, October 9, aged 92 years and 7 months. Mr. McKeage came to this country in 1870 and has been a resident here since ... interment in the Hoyt cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

6774. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Clementson died Friday. The body was sent Friday afternoon to Hiawatha for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Clementson live between Holton and Denison. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

6775. Caroline Marsh was born in Macon county, Tenn., Sept. 27, 1836, and died at her home in Holton, Kansas, Oct. 13, 1908. Aged 70 years, and 17 days. She was united in marriage to Wilson Doss, July 1861, to this union there were born ten children, five of whom preceded the deceased to the Beyond, four daughters, one son and the aged husband are left to mourn ... Sister Doss many years ago united with the Baptist church but later united with the M. E. church South ... she had been a invalid for several years interment was at the Holton cemetery. *The Holton Recorder*, October 22, 1908.

6776. Muddy Creek. Mrs. Frank Stewart and Mrs. Lou Whittlesey, and her little daughter, Ruby, attended the funeral of Mrs. Whittlesey's uncle at Valley Falls Thursday. *The Holton Recorder*, October 29, 1908.

6777. Harvey Parkhurst was born in Emmett, Calhoun county, Michigan, March 20, 1836. He was the third of seven children, two of whom survive him, B. T. Parkhurst of Holton and Josiah Parkhurst of Delta, Colorado. In 1859 he moved with his parents to Kansas and settled on a farm 4 miles southwest of Holton which is still owned by his brother, B. T. Parkhurst. He remained with his parents for a short time and then returned to Michigan to complete his education. On returning to Kansas he again settled on the farm remaining til death of his parents, when moved to Holton and for a number of years was engaged in the feed and livery business locating just west of the City Hotel where the present livery stable stands. On May 1, 1875 he was united in marriage with Mary A. Harrison of Holton. To this union were born five children, Harvey J., William, Mattie and Lulah Parkhurst and Mrs. Minnie Osborn, all of whom survive him. In the fall of 1890 he moved with his family to a farm four miles south of Holton where he lived until the time of his death. For nearly eighteen years he has been in poor health, having received sunstroke the first summer after moving to the farm. After recovering somewhat from the effects of the stroke he again endeavored to take up his farm work and was again overcome. This compelled him to give up all the heavy work on the farm and up to the time of his death he could do only the lighter tasks in his home the end came quietly and peacefully, Oct. 14, at 3 o'clock. He leaves a widow and five children Mr. Parkhurst was 72 year 6 months and 24 days old. *The Holton Recorder*, October 29, 1908.

6778. I. T. Price went to Taylorville, Ill., Friday morning to attend the funeral of his brother, John Price. *The Holton Recorder*, November 5, 1908.

6779. Elizabeth Johnson McCann was born in McLain county, Ill., July 7, 1835, and departed this life Oct. 26, 1908. Aged 73 years, 3 months and 19 days. The marriage vow was taken between her and James R. McCann, A. D. 1855, May 17, in the state of Illinois ... She was the mother of nine children, 2 sons and 7 daughters. The 2 sons and 5 daughters survive her while 2 daughters have

preceded her to the world beyond. She and her husband came to Kansas in 1869 and settled in Jackson county, near where Soldier now stands and have lived in that vicinity ever since. She leaves husband, two sons and 5 daughters laid to rest in the cemetery just north of town .. *The Holton Recorder*, November 5, 1908.

Local and Personal. Mr. and Mrs. Sharman Smith and family were called to Soldier Monday by the sudden death of Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. James McCann. *The Holton Recorder*, October 29, 1908.

6780. Dr. George Ward England was born near Grayson, Kentucky, April 8th, 1851, and died at his home in Valley Falls Monday evening, October 26th, 1908. Dr. England came to Kansas in 1870 and located southeast of Holton, where he taught district school a few years, and afterward in the Holton city school. In 1876 he graduated from the from the Keokuk Medical College, at Keokuk, Iowa, and started to practice, first a few months at Meriden and later locating at Larkin, where he remained until the spring of 1889 when he located in Valley Falls which has ever since been his home. A few months ago he began to fail in health ... He seemed to know his condition better than anyone else and very properly diagnosed the case as malignant tumor of the liver. Dr. England was a past master of the Masonic lodge at this place, also a member of the Workman, Woodman, and Fraternal Aid Insurance orders His wife and daughter laid to rest in Rose Hill cemetery. - Valley Falls Vindicator. *The Holton Recorder*, November 5, 1908.

6781. Scraps of .. Local News. Will Nauheim left Monday night for Wamego to attend the funeral of his uncle, Jacob Hecker *The Holton Recorder*, November 5, 1908.

Jacob Hecker, brother of Mrs. Mary Nauhiem, died at his home in Wamego last Friday. *The Holton Signal*, November 5, 1908.

6782. Franklin Pierce Craig was born at Greensburg, Pa., Dec. 6, 1853, and died at his home in this city Nov. 4, 1908, lacking but one month and two days of completing his fifty-fifth year. He grew to manhood in Pennsylvania where he received his education. After finishing his High school course he debated for a time whether he should fit himself for a profession or become a master mechanic. Finally he apprenticed himself to a machinist. After finishing his trade he worked for some time as a journey-man machinist. His skill in this line led to his appointment as superintendent of the east Dallas Manufacturing Co. Removing to Holton in the early 80's he formed a partnership with our townsman, John Knopf in the implement and blacksmithing business. In 1886 the firm was changed to Craig & Achenbach. In 1890 Mr. Craig sold his interest in the business and accepted a position with the Deering Harvester Co. as expert for part of Missouri. The next year he secured a phenomenal volume of business, establishing his reputation as a salesman and making his name familiar in this portion of the west. The result was his promotion to the position of general superintendent of the company for the state of Missouri. A few years later he became agent for the Minnie Harvester Co., of St. Paul. When that company was absorbed by the International he accepted a position with the Bettendorf Axel Co. Here he gave promise of large success but his tireless activities proved too much for his strength and in 1905 he settled on a farm near Blue Mound, Kansas. A few weeks since he was brought back to Holton, the place that had always seemed most home to him, with the hope that the change might prove beneficial Mr. Craig leaves one brother and two sisters older than himself who reside in Pennsylvania. The family circle includes

his wife and daughter, Naomi, and one son, Charles, whose home is in Kansas City, Kan. Funeral services were held at the residence under the charge of the Masonic lodge ... *The Holton Recorder*, November 12, 1908.

Card of Thanks ... Mrs. Add O. Craig, Chas. S. Craig, Naomi Craig *The Holton Recorder*, November 12, 1908.

6783. Evan Webster, well known in Holton, died at St. Marks Hospital in Salt Lake City, November 7, at an advanced age. He recently fell and broke his leg and never recovered from the effects of the accident. He resided here until last year when he moved with his family to Salt Lake City *The Holton Recorder*, November 12, 1908.

6784. Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Huffman received word Monday morning that their son's oldest child, Victor, had died at his home in Norman, Okla. that morning The boy was seventeen years old in *July*. *The Holton Recorder*, November 12, 1908.

6785. Netawaka News. Miss Augusta Loopee was born in Sahausen, Germany, in 1859, and died in Netawaka, Saturday October 31, 1908. When 15 years of age she came to Chicago. She was married to Henry Banaka in 1878, and with her young husband located on a farm near Netawaka, where they lived until about a year ago, when her husband departed this life. Last March she moved to Netawaka. She was the mother of seven children, five sons and two daughters The remains were laid to rest in the Netawaka cemetery. *The Holton Signal*, November 12, 1908.

6786. Died: November 6, 1907, at her home near Winfield, Kansas, Mrs.. Susie Johnson, wife of A. C. Johnson, aged 29 years, 4 months and nine days. Susie (Morford) Johnson was born June 27, 1899, at Rossville, Kansas. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Morford. She was raised on a farm near Hoyt, Kansas, where she grew to womanhood, and was married to A. C. Johnson, in December 1901. Her death was due to consumption, with which she had been afflicted for months. She leaves a husband, two children, Thelma, aged five years, and Catherine, aged three years. Also her mother, Mrs. N. E. Moreford, a brother, Everett G. Morford, two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, all of Topeka, and Mrs. Cora Kirby, of Pond creek, Oklahoma Interment in the Brairie Ridge, Cemetery, near Winfield *The Hoyt Sentinel*, November 14, 1908.

6787. America City Items. A letter from Mrs. Laura Butler just received gives the sad news of the death of Oscar Burr which occurred at his home in Gresham, Oregon, Sunday the 8th of this month. *Soldier Clipper*, November 18, 1908.

6788. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hatch died this morning and will be buried in the Soldier cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, November 18, 1908.

6789. An eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herde of Hoyt died of diphtheria Sunday ...

Point Pleasant. ... the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Herde. *The Holton Recorder*, November 19, 1908.

Elsie Charlotte Herde died of diphtheria at her home near Hoyt November 15, and was buried the same day. She was ten years old, and leaves to mourn her loss a father, mother, three sisters and

three brothers. One brother died in infancy *The Holton Recorder*, December 3, 1908.

6790. Denison. Ephraim Coleman died at the home of his parents Wednesday night, Nov. 11, after suffering an illness of almost a year. His wife, parents, brothers and sisters ... Valley Falls where the funeral took place. *The Holton Recorder*, November 19, 1908.

6791. Miss Nancy Archer was born near Knoxville, Tennessee, about 84 years ago. At the age of 18 years she was married to David Stanley, and moved to the state of Illinois, and from there to Missouri. Later she moved to Kansas, and made this her home from that time. She has nine children, five boys and three girls. Four boys and two girls are living. Mrs. Stanley was a member of the M. E. church for many years. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Frank, in Omaha, Nebraska, Nov. 15, 1908. The Stanley's kept the hotel on the northwest corner of the square for several years. Mrs. Stanley was a good cook and the Stanley House was noted far and wide for the excellent food supplied. The writer of this ate his first meal in Jackson county at this hotel, Oct. 12, 1908. [1868] A few weeks later as the guests of Mr. Chas. Hayden he with his family partook of a Thanksgiving dinner at the same place *The Holton Recorder*, November 19, 1908.

6792. William M. Hulburd, a son-in-law of Mrs. C. N. Todd, of Holton, was fatally injured while working in the railroad yards at Wetherford, Okla., last Thursday. He was conductor on a Rock Island freight train. Two train crews were switching at the same time unknown to each other, and while Mr. Hulburd was working at a coupling the two trains came together, pinning the unfortunate man between two freight cars The body was brought to Holton and interred in the Holton cemetery Wm. Morgan Hulburd was born in Hudson, Mich., Nov. 7, 1857 and has just entered on his 52nd year at the time of his death. He grew to young manhood in Michigan, removing with his parents to Toledo, Ohio, in 1875. He was married in Netawaka to Miss Irene E. Todd, Sept. 23, 1880. For thirteen years he was on a farm but since 1893 has been in railroad work. For ten years of the time his home was in Horton, four years in Belleville, and the last year and a half he has been in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Hulburd have one son who died in 1883. Besides the bereaved wife, two brothers, C. E. Hulburd, of Wilsonville, Nebr., and Arthur D. Hulburd, of Chisholm, Minn., and one sister, Mrs. J. B. McCulsh, of Denver, remain to mourn his loss. His father died when he was eighteen years old and he manfully undertook the responsibility of caring for his mother and younger brothers and sister. Under the ministry of the late Rev. D. R. Todd, Mr. Hulburd united with the Presbyterian church ... *he Holton Recorder*, November 26, 1908.

6793. Marion E. Laswell was born Jan. 10, 1864, in Leavenworth county, Kan. At the age of sixteen years he came with his parents to Jackson county and his boyhood was passed on the farm with his parents. At the age of nineteen he went to Colorado where he has lived since on a stock ranch twelve miles from Mesa, Colo. Returning in the meantime to Holton, he was united in marriage to Emma Hadley, Feb. 24, 1886. To this union two children were born, Lola and Faye. The latter accompanied the body of her father to his parent's home, the wife being detained at the bedside of a sick daughter. He died Nov. 19, 1908, from pneumonia at the age of 49 years, 9 months and nine days after an illness of but a few days He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, two daughters, father, mother, three brothers and one sister, two sisters having preceded him to the better world. The funeral was held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lasswell ... He was a member of the Masonic Lodge

Mayetta... Mr. Lasswell was a brother of J. R. Lasswell, of this place. *The Holton Recorder*, November 26, 1908.

... Owing to the great distance, Jess R. Lasswell, of Portland, was unable to attend the funeral. W. C. Snodgrass, of Douglas, Kans., a cousin of the deceased[he *Holton Signal*, November 26, 1908.

6794. Little Jessie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilderson, died at the family home, south of town, Tuesday, November 34, after a few days illness Little Jessie was not quite six years old and attended school at South Hoyt District No. 69 *The Hoyt Sentinel*, November 28, 1908.

Card of Thanks G. B. Wilderson and Family. *The Hoyt Sentinel*, December 4, 1908.

6795. Henry G. Krantz, of Netawaka died Monday. the body was taken to Kansas City for burial. *The Holton Signal*, December 1, 1908.

Parallel. Henry Krantz died at his home on Charlie Lappines's place Tuesday. He had been sick for some time with cancer of the stomach. Mr. Krantz has only lived in this city since last spring, having moved from K. C. here. He was a brother to Bill Krantz. *Whiting Journal*, December 2, 1908.

6796. Mrs. L. L. Myers returned to Soldier Thursday night after an absence of several weeks in Nebraska and at Kansas City with a sick daughter, who died at Kansas City and her remains were taken to Nebraska for burial. *Soldier Clipper*, December 2, 1908.

6797. Rev. Charles G. Dick was born in Pulaski county, Ky., Oct. 26, 1829, and died in Holton, Kans., Nov. 27, 1908, aged 79 years, one month and one day. His early life was spent on his father's farm in his native state. He was married to Cyrena Burns, March 28, 1849. To this union were born nine children, six girls and three boys. Of this number, 5, Heratio B., Archibald, Theodocia E., Myra and Jerusha A., together with their mother, preceded him to the better land. In 1854 Bro. Dick moved with his family to a farm near Camden Point, Mo. Later he came to Kansas and took up his abode, engaging in ministerial work of the Baptist faith, and continued this work until poor health forced him to give up active work. Two years ago he moved to Roseburg, Oregon, returning to Kansas last year and settling on a farm near Circleville where he continued to reside until three weeks ago, when he was brought to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Craig Pomeroy, in this city. Bro. Dick is survived by one brother, Liberty Dick, one son, Chas. S., and three daughters, Mrs. Amanda Pomeroy, Mrs. Josephine Sumner and Mrs. Agnes Cockerell of Payette, Idaho the remains were taken to Ontario, Kansas and laid to rest ... *The Holton Recorder*, December 3, 1908.

6798. Geo. A. McNorton was born near Greencastle, Indiana, April 2nd, 1849, and died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. F. Wetlig, in Valley Falls Wednesday evening, December 2nd 1908. Mr. McNorton came to Kansas in December 1869 and was married April 2nd 1871 to Melissa Van Gassbeck, and with the exception of two years spent in Holton has ever since lived on his farm near North Cedar. Six children were born to Mr. McNorton and wife, five of whom with his wife surviving him - one dying in infancy. The children are LoVelle, Frank, Elbert, Laverne and Mrs. E. F. Wetlig. - Valley Falls Vindicator. *The Holton Recorder*, December 3, 1908.

6799. Brick. Emma Rosina Liman was born in Andrew county, Mo., January 14, 1837, and died at her daughter, Mrs. S. D. Dunn's, Monday, November 30, 1908, at the age of 71 years, 10 months, 2 weeks, and one day, of stomach trouble. She was married to E. Poe in 1881. He died one year after their marriage. In 1885 she was united again to A. J. Sollars who survived her 14 years. To the last union were born nine children, one boy and eight girls. Of this number seven preceded her to the world unknown. For the last eight years she has made her home with her son-in-law, E. A. Maiden of St. Joe. Just one week before her death she came to Kansas with the purpose of making her home with her granddaughter, Mrs. D. T. Smithers of Circleville. She leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Mrs. S. D. Dunn and Mrs. Betsie Kirlin of Harrisonville, Mo. Fourteen grandchildren, two great grandchildren laid to rest in the Greenwood cemetery ...

Mrs. Sollars, the mother of Mrs. Dell Dunn, who lives southeast of Holton, died Monday at the age of 75 years and the body was sent to St. Joseph for burial Tuesday. *The Holton Recorder*, December 3, 1908.

6800. Mrs. C. E. Emick received the sad news Saturday that her father, Mr. Hare, of Glasco, was dead. She was in too poor health to attend. *Soldier Clipper*, December 9, 1908.

6801. Mayetta. Mrs. Cranden of Hoyt, mother of Ed White, died Tuesday, Dec. 1st, 1908 Mrs. Cranden was quite old lady. She lived in this community several years *The Holton Recorder*, December 10, 1908.

6802. Elizabeth McConnell Douglass was born near St. Clairsville, Belmont county, Ohio, June 14, 1836. In 1855 with her parents and family moved to Buchanon county, Mo., making the journey by steamboat from Wheeling, W. Va., to St. Joseph, Mo. She professed her faith in Christ as her Savior about the year 1859 and connected with the Old School Presbyterian church at Willow Brook, Mo. She was married Feb. 12, 1866 to Wm. A. Douglass, in Buchanon county, Mo. Six children were born to this union; Rev. A. C. Douglass, of Des Moines, Iowa; Jos. R. Douglass of Denison; Mrs. Cora B. Glass of Corona, California; John M. Douglass and Winnifred Douglass of Denison. One child, Helena, died in infancy. A niece, Josie Preston, has grown up under her care as mother. In 1876 the family moved to this community. Husband and wife became charter members of the United Presbyterian church of North Cedar, now Denison, in 1880... .

Denison. Died Tuesday night of pneumonia ... interment being made in the cemetery north of town. Scraps of .. Local News. Mrs. S. J. Smiley was called to Denison Tuesday by the death of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Douglass.

Mrs. Ida Roberts and Miss Smiley drove to Denison Thursday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. W. A. Douglass. *The Ho/ton Recorder*, December 17, 1908.

6803. Octavus Goodman, son of Paul Goodman of this city, died in Kansas City Monday. Mr. Goodman and daughter, Leafy, went to Wheaton Tuesday where the funeral will be held. *The Holton Recorder*, December 17, 1908.

6804. Campbell College. Paul Oren Bonebreake was born at New City, Kansas, July 30th 1889. Soon after his birth his parents moved to a farm among the Ozarks near Anutt, Mo., from which in

recognition of having done the best work, he received a scholarship to Campbell College, which institution he entered this fall. On Saturday, Dec. 5th, he was seized with an acute case of appendicitis. An operation was performed on the following Thursday. The disease was, however, too far advanced to be checked and his death occurred Saturday morning. His father came Saturday noon and took the remains to Anutt for burial He leaves to mourn his death, his aged parents, and one brother *The Holton Recorder*, December 17, 1908.

.... the deceased was a cousin of: P. D. Bonebreak of Holton. *The Holton Signal*, December 17, 1908.

6805. Dr. Jerome L. Love was born in Griggsville, Ill., Feb. 16, 1849, and died in Whiting, Kans., Dec. 6, 1908, aged 59 years, 9 months and 20 days. He attended college at Alton, Ill., and graduated in medicine at the St. Louis Medical college in 1877. He came to Whiting in 1878 and built the seventh house in town, in which he resided until the day of his death. When quite young he united with the Baptist church, a few years later he organized the first Sunday School in this place and was its superintendent for a number of years. He was a strong temperance man and in the early days did much to drive the saloons out of town He practiced medicine until he lost his hearing, about 1893, since which time he has been in the real estate, loan and insurance business He was married June 30, 1874 to Miss Emmeline H. Eastman of Griggsville, Ill., who with three of their children survive him. Arthur, Robert, Idella, who died in infancy, and Mrs. Hallie Gibson. Besides these he leaves three grandchildren, three brothers and five sisters, and many friends to mourn his loss. *The Holton Recorder*, December 17, 1908.

6806. Van Whitcraft died Thursday morning and was buried Saturday ... interment was in the Haas cemetery four miles west of Holton. The G. A. R. had charge of the funeral. *The Holton Recorder*, December 17, 1908.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Whitcraft, of Netawaka, were in Holton Saturday to attend the funeral of Van Whitcraft

... died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mattie Hood ... *The Holton Signal*, December 17, 1908.

6807. Scraps of .. Local News. Wm. Bohannon went to Lawrence Monday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Gains Bohannon. The latter was a former resident of Holton and was known to many of our citizens as a real estate dealer here.

Pleasant View. Mrs. M. Hickman received the sad news Saturday evening of the death of her brother, Mr. Gains Bohannon of Lawrence. *The Holton Recorder*, December 24, 1908.

Bright Side. Mrs. George Wing attended the funeral of her uncle, Gains Bohannon *The Holton Recorder*, December 31, 1908.

6808. The foster child of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kuhn died on Sunday, December 20, 1908 ... I have never known such a tragedy in infant life that fell to the lot of this child. He was born about the first of last May. Early in June, when he was four or five weeks old, an unknown man and woman took him to Leavenworth and left him there late one evening, not on a porch, but on the ground, in a bed of flowers, between two houses. The night was cold and stormy, and his flowery bed was far from

one of ease. There on the ground the poor baby lay all night, wrapped in a single blanket. The cries were heard in both houses but each family supposed they came from the other house. In the morning this child was found and placed in the Cushing Hospital. Dr. A. IL. Suwaskio, county physician, looked after him, and kindly called a Catholic priest, and had him baptized, the doctor standing in as god-father. The child was seized with pneumonia and fever. The nurses were much affected by his struggle for life. Mrs. G. Holly, member of the Board of Managers of Cushing Hospital, sought Mrs. Kuhn, of Holton, and offered her the child. He was accepted, and Probate Judge Johnson made out the necessary papers. The child was brought to Holton on Friday evening, December 13. He was ill, and was suffering greatly from the effects of that dreadful night's exposure. He suddenly grew worse on Sunday, and died about noon, at the age of about eight months. Too much can not be said, in commendation of Mr. and Mrs. Kahn, for their loving attention to the child during his brief life with them, and their generous provision for the funeral, which was as carefully made as if the child had been their very own *The Holton Recorder*, December 24, 1908.

6809. Columbia. William Jrl Hill, the youngest son of James Hill, was born near Holton, Kan., July 27, 1892, and died at the same place Saturday morning, December 19, 1908, at the age of 16 years, 4 months and 22 days He leaves a father, mother, three brothers, John, Oscar, and Tom, and one sister, Mrs. Frank Clark ... *The Holton Recorder*, December 24, 1908.

... youngest son of Joseph and Eliza Hill ... He was a lad of fifteen years, having been born July 24, 1893. He had been ill for a number of weeks with heart disease The remains to the Holton cemetery *The Holton Signal*, December 24, 1908.

6810. Larkin. H. E. Montgomery was called to Morris county last week on account of the illness and death of his mother. *The Holton Recorder*, December 24, 1908.

6811. Whiting. Thos. Wason, of Oklahoma, who was called to Muscotah by the death of his father, James Wason, visited in town Sunday evening with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wason, returning home Monday. *The Holton Signal*, December 24, 1908.

6812. Mrs. H. P Hoverstock was called to Oklahoma one day last week on account of the death of her mother. *The Netarvaka Talk*, December 27, 1907.

6813. Ethyle Narceous Barnes daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnes was born Feb. 20, 1908, and died at the age of ten months and six days at the home of Mrs. D. M. Thompson with pneumonia fever ... placed to rest in the Soldier cemetery *Soldier Clipper*, December 30, 1908.

6814. A Chicago dispatch says: W. F. Thomas, a well known Chicago attorney, was stricken suddenly with hemorrhage of the brain while at work in his office in the Wilson building, 119 LaSalle street, yesterday morning, and died last night at his home, 1343 Jackson boulevard. Mr. Thomas was 46 years old. He was born in Toronto, Canada, and came with his father, W. H. Thomas, a retired building contractor, to Chicago when he was 8 years old. He is survived by four brothers, all of whom are attorneys; four sisters, all living in Chicago; his widow and two sons, William Clark and Morton Stanley. He was a prominent Mason and also belonged to the Order of Foresters. Mr. Thomas was a cousin of J. G. Hinnen of this city. *The Holton Recorder*, December 31, 1908.

6815. Rev. M. Grant Hamm received news a few days ago from Steubenville, Ohio, of the death of Mrs. Hamm's brother, Holmes Barnhart. Mr. Barnhart was superintendent of the celebrated Dewey ranch in western Kansas where so much trouble originated, *The Holton Recorder*, December 31, 1908.

6816. Whiting. Mrs. G. W. Cress died at her home northwest of town, Saturday, Dec. 26 and was buried at Wheatland Cemetery ... Mrs. Cress has lived in this vicinity for a number of years ... husband and children. *The Holton Recorder*, December 31, 1908.

Fanny Tyree was born Aug. 17, 1873 and died Dec. 26, 1908. She was married 17 years ago last November to Mr. Cress who with five children survive her ... died in the Christian faith at the age of the 35 years 4 months and 9 days. Funeral services were held at the home four miles north of town ... five motherless children. *Whiting Journal*, January 2, 1909.

6817. Beauty Heights. Mary Johnson was born in Pennsylvania, May 9, 1838, and departed this life Dec. 17, 1908, aged 70 years 7 months and 8 days. In 1865 Miss Johnson moved with her parents to Nebraska, living there for several years she went to Smith county, staying there only a short time. With her brother, Joe, and nephew she moved to this vicinity two years ago. She was a member of the Baptist church ... She leaves 3 brothers and three sisters ... laid to rest in the Soda cemetery ... *The Holton Recorder*, December 31, 1908.

born in Westmoreland Co. Penn. on May 9, 1838. She died at the home of her brother south-east of Soldier ... She leaves to mourn her departure 3 sisters, one in Iowa, one in California and one in Smith Co. Kans. and 3 brothers, one in Nebraska and two in Jackson Co.....laid to rest in the Soldier cemetery. *Soldier Clipper*, December 23, 1908.

6818. Denison. Mrs. W. N. Brown was called to her home by the death of her sister. *The Holton Signal*, December 31, 1908.

6819. Frank Fredricey, the sixteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fredricey, died at Winfield, December 22, from the effects of a dose of bichloride of lime, taken by mistake. Mr. Fredricey went to Winfield for the body ... D. T. Lugton, a brother-in-law, of Mr. Fredricey, accompanied the body home. *The Holton Signal*, December 31, 1908.

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