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The 1907 - 1908
CITY DIRECTORY

for INDEPENDENCE, KANSAS and Montgomery County, Kansas
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Farr, H. H. supt W. S. Portland Cement Co. b. Carl Leon
FARRELL, Margaret wid Wm. F. r 312 s 4th
Fay, Chas watch r 712 e Maple
Feany, Patrick lab rms 1010 w Cottonwood
Featherngill, Jas T carier r 1000 w Myrtle
Feldman, Nick rms 417 s 3rd
Felner, Henry G clk T. E. Wright D. G. co r 803 w Main
Fellows Frank T. oil driller r 400 s 5th
Fellows, Jos B. r 400 s 5th
Fellows Oscar T. foreman r 411 e Tonopah Drive.
Feltner Marion E. driller r 323 e Main
Felts, Wm. D. r 419 n 8th
Fenimore , Frank clk Sid Gottlieb rms 117 n 12th
Fennimore, H eParl glass wkr r 417 s 10th
Ferguson E. Lawrence driver Indep Ice Co r 1317 w Laurel
Ferguson, George W. shoemkr J. C. Strau r 122 s Penn.
Ferguson, J. Otis teach r 513 w Myrtle
Ferrell L. engr Coffeyville Vit Brick & Tile Co.
Fertig, Francis E. bkpr Prairie O & Gas r 407 s 8th
Fertig, John clk Prairie O & Gas r 407 s 8th
Fertig, Peter r 407 s 8th
Fickle, John H. team r 920 e Myrtle
FIDELITY FIRE INS CO of NY 111½ n Penn tel 401 Geo W Finlay agt
FIDELITY & DEPOSIT CO OF MARYLAND 101½ w Main tel 432 James A Otto agt
Fields, Charles E (c) porter r 522 s 12th
Fifty Ward Barber Shop C. B. Huffman propr 801½ n 10th
Filkins Edw L foreman r 214 s Waldschmidt
Filkins, James lab b 112 s Waldschmidt
Fine, Wm. H. (c) porter F. E. Stoops r 917 w Chestnut
FINLAY GEO W. general insurance 111½ n Penn tel 401 r 324 w Main
FINLEY, JOHN pres & gen mgr Independence Iron Works 1315 w Main r Lima Ohio
Finley, Martin L bkpr Indep City Water Works r 203 s 14th
Finney Esquire D. clk J. E. Thibus r 800 w Cottonwood.
Fire Department Headquarters 208 N Penn Francis Foster chief
FIREMENS INS CO of Newark NJ 111½ n Penn tel 401 Geo W. Finlay agt
First Baptist Church 220 s Penn
First Christian Church 11th cor Main Rev J. A. Langston pastor
First Congregational Church 103 n 8th Rev J. R. Beard pastor
First M. E. Church 200 s Penn Rev J. H. Price pastor
FIRST NATIONAL BANK 101 n Penn tel 161 R. S. Litchfield pres L. C. Mason
Vpres J. B. Jones vpres P. S. Hollingsworth cash
W. P. Lyon asst cash.
First Presbyterian church Main ne cor 5th Rev R. Thompson pastor
Fisk, Elmer fireman Fire Dept rms 224½ n Penn.

Fisk, Stella Mrs. helper Heckman House r 224½ n Penn
 Fisher, Clement S. right of way Prairie O & Gas rms 300 w Main
 Fisher, Lottie wid John M. r 202½ e Main
 Fite H. Logan foreman Home Decorating Co rms 111½ n Pecan
 Flack, Gordon G. propr r 614 w Myrtle
 Flack, Russell rms 727 w Sycamore
 Flakes, Andrew (c) farmer r 100 w Pine
 Flakes, Wm (c) porter Carl Leon Hotel
 FLANAGAN JAMES P sec and treas The Bovaird Supply Co bet 8th & 9th
 on Santa Fe Ry r 201 cor Myrtle
 Flanagan, John engr Bovaird Supply Co r 216 e Locust
 Flanagan, Rosella steno Parish Abstract & Realty Co r 216 e Locust
 Flanagan, Stephen J bkpr Bovaird Supply Co r 216 e Locust
 Flanagan, Wm pumper r 216 e Locust
 Flannelly, Thos J judge dist court house r 600 e Maple
 Fleming, Andrew J r 207 n 6th
 Fleming, Chas rig bldger rms 500 w Maple
 FLEMING CLINTON K mgr Glen Lumber Co. 201-209 e Main r 508 s 2d
 Fletcher, Frank F architect rms 106 n 5th
 Flewellen Mathew 9c) janitor r 514 s 8th
 Flora, Clarence M. (Indep Shirt Co 203 n Penn) r 311 s Penn
 Flora, Volney P r 301 s 2nd
 Floyd, John N clk Ulmer Furniture Co.
 Ford, Charles R (Pure Food Bakery 208 w Main) r 305 Short
 Ford, Gus (c) houseman 507 n Penn r 815 e Magnolia
 Foreman, Anna E r 1215 w Main
 Foreman, Henry H r 317 s 3rd
 Foreman, Henry H jr r 307 s 13th
 Foreman, John J r 1215 w Main
 Foreman, Wm J r 200 s 13th
 Foreman, Wm C timekeeper r 1215 w Main
 Forman, Harry uphol 117 n 6th r 1218 w Maple
 Forquer, Eugene rms 218 s 5th
 Fortner, Jerry meat ctr Goodell & Johnson r 604 n 11th
 Fortner, Sue wid John r 604 n 11th
 Foster, Aaron press Tribune Ptg Co b N E Hotel
 Foster Bros (Goodell & Edwin) real estate 116½ n Penn
 Foster, Clinton H r Ruby Flats
 Foster, Dollie dom 300 n 12th
 Foster, Edwin (Foster Bros 116½ n Penn) r 611 e Myrtle
 Foster, Edwin L jr ry mail clk r 611 e Myrtle
 Foster, Edwin L oil gas r 317 s 5th
 Foster, Edwin L. jr student r 317 s 5th
 Foster, Elizabeth wid Wm r 309 Short
 Foster, Floyd W. with Foster Bros r 316 n 2nd
 Foster, Forest E. sales Indep Tailoring Co r 302 s 12th
 FOSTER FRANCIS chief fire department 208 n Penn r 811 w Chestnut
 Foster, Fred engr b 904 s 4th
 Foster, Goodell (Foster Bros 116½ n Penn) r 316 n 2nd
 Foster, James L live stock r south end 15th
 Foster, John W. tank man Indep Ice Co r 310 Short

Fountain, Wm C tel opr W U Tel Co rms 800 w Main
 Foust, John r 411 n Penn
 Fowler, Asa oven man Kansas Cracker & Confection Co
 Fowler Danl glass wkr r 113½ w Chestnut
 Fowler, Frank W clk I G Fowler r 417 n 6th
 Fowler, Harry E student 4 417 n 6th
 Fowler, Harry O glass wkr r 113½ w Chestnut
 FOWLER ISIAIAH G drugs 119 n Penn tel 114 r 417 n 6th.
 Fowler, Lizzie wid Danl r 113½ w Chestnut
 Fowler, Naomi S tchr r 417 n 6th
 Fowler Wm M r 305 n 8th
 Fox John T finisher Kansas Steam Laundry
 Francis Chas supt Coffeyville Vitrifed Brick & Tile Co rms 601 n Penn
 Francis, Harry I asst supt Coffeyville Vit Brick & Tile r 405 n 12th
 Francis, Pauline maid Carl Leon Hotel
 Frances Willard School 312 s 17th
 FRANKLIN FIRE INS CO of Phil. PA 101½ w Main tel 432 James A Otto agt
 FRANKLIN OIL & GAS 101½ n Penn tel 115 A B Clark Pres C. A. Eldridge sec
 G. E. Gilmore treas
 Franklin, Thos J r 1400 w Chestnut
 Frazier, Alta M. teach r 418 s 11th
 Frazier, Lizzie J dress maker r 418 s 11th
 Freas, Susana A Wid John A r 417 s 5th
 Free, Maria wid John r 818 s 3rd
 Freeling, Albert L trouble man Home Tel Co r 218 s 14th
 Freeling, Anna B. dress mkr 218 s 4th
 Freeling, Clara E clk T B Covell r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, Edw B lab r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, Frank H life ins agt r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, F. Joseph oil gager r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, George H clk T. B. Covell r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, J Joseph clk r 218 s 4th
 Freeling, Mayme C dress mkr 218 s 4th
 Freeman, Ethel E tailoress r 205 s Waldschmidt
 Freeman, Mason rms 215 s Penn
 Freeman, M. A. clk Prairie O & Gas
 Freeman, Lawson R team r 205 s Waldschmidt
 Friend, Chas E painter 915 e Maple
 Friends Church (Quaker) 507 n 11th Rev Isaac Lindley pastor
 Friend Gertrude dressmaker r 916 e Maple
 Fritch, Felix J atty 123½ e Main r 301 Westminster
 Fritch, Frank 4 301 Westminster
 Fritch, J. Leo steno F. J. Fritch r 301 Westminster
 Fritz, Charles mach Bovaird Supply Co rms 411 n Penn
 Fritz, Fred W stone mason r 921 w Main
 Frost, Naomi wid John r 618 s 15th
 Frost, Rose L r 113 w Locust
 FROST WM H vpres Commercial National Bank 113 n Penn r 514 e Main
 Fry, Anna B. wid Gus r 202½ e Main.
 Fry, Anna M. r 1221 w Sycamore

Fry, Frank X r 203 n 4th
Fry, James W lab r 1221 w Sycamore
Fry, R. Thurston groceries & meat 600 w Main r 313 e Locust
Fuller, DeWitt (c) porter Carl Leon Hotel
Fuller, D. C (c) lab r 300 s Waldschmidt
Fuller, Sophia wid Ira r 816 e Magnolia
Fulton, Elizabeth A wid James r 400 s 8th
Fulton, Loren r 400 s 8th
Fulwider, Harvey L agt r 406 n 10th
Funk, Joseph Alonzo r 201 n 11th
Furnas, Charles brk layer r 619 s 17th
Furnas, David brk layer r 619 s 17th
Furnival Edw pres & magr Citizens Gas Co 204 n Penn rms 301 w Myrtle

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Gaffney, Emery C. driver r 501 s 15th
Gainer, Earl E treas Gainer-Eng Co 7-8 Wright bldg r 1124 w Main
Gainer Engineering Co 7-8 Wright bldg L. H Scurlock pres E E Gainer treas
Galbraith, Howard H oil contr r 525 w Main
Galbraith, Lee E tool dress r 525 w Main
Galbraith, Robt A mech r 702 s Penn
Gallup, Oliver O tinner Peter Schmidt r 418 s 1st
Galvin, Jas A lab r 200 n 13th
Gambill, Andrew J confr 120 e Main r 417 n 2nd
Gamble, Oliver P real est 107 w Myrtle r 401 n 11th
Gandy, J. Henry lab ws 5th and Santa Fe tracks
Gansel, Carl T. jeweler 115 n Penn r 604 n 9th
Gardner, Wm r 613 s 15th
Garfinkel, Mirian sales Colonna Toggery Shop r 520½ w Main
Garland, Albert (c) porter Corner Pharmacy r 312 s Waldschmidt
Garland, Harry (c) lab r 312 s Waldschmidt
Garland, Myrtle (c) dom 317 n Penn
Garland, Pert (c) lab r 312 s Waldschmidt
Garlinghouse, Fred W Indep Marble & Cranit Wks 213 e Main r 201 s 3rd
Garms, Peter houseman 510 s 6th
Garrison, Edw oil rms 514 s 5th
Gasaway, James M. farmer r 703 w Myrtle
Gasaway, Nora O r 703 w Myrtle
Gasaway, Susan E teach r 703 w Myrtle
Gasaway, Wiley A farmer r 703 w Myrtle
GATES, WM F gen supt Prairie Oil & Gas Carl Leon Annex r 417 w Myrtle
Gavin, Thos field mgr Ks Nat Gas Co r 315 s 5th
Gaugh, Nellie dom 300 n 2nd
Gault, Wm D carp r 618 e Maple
Gaylord, Chas W oil agt r 314 w Myrtle
Geckler, Chas with Fred Geckler r 219 n 9th
GECKLER, FRED shoes 111 n Penn r 219 n 9th.
Geckler, Perry (c) rms r 1305 w Cottonwood

Gee, Josiah Confr 106 w Myrtle r 616 n 10th
 Gehlbach, Herman H glass wkr r 510 s 10th
 Gehlbach, Marinda wid John r 510 s 10th
 Gehlbach, Walter L engr Indep Iron Works r 510 s 10th
 GENERAL ACCIDENT INS CO of Peth Scotland 101½ n Penn tel 115
 G. E. Gilmore agt
 Genin, Alphonzse glass wkr r 1217 n 9th
 Gephart, James L. cigar mfgr 607 e Myrtle
 Gephart, Philip G. cigar mkr r 308 s 1st
 Gephart, Philip cigar mkr r 622 e Main
 German Evangelical Lutheran Zion Church 218 s 10th rev Reinhold Meissler pastor
 German Evangelical Lutheran Zions Church 219 s 10th
 GERMANIA FIRE INS CO 111½ n Penn tel 401 Geo W Finlay agt
 Getty, Ella house kpr Carl Leon
 Gibson, Herbert C lab r 519 s 19th
 Gibson, Peter (c) lab r 304 s 2nd
 Gibson, Saml H r 416 s 10th
 Giger, Benj H oil r 409 s 6th
 Giger, Jesse E tool dresser r 723 w Main
 Gilkey, Charles H stone mason r 519 n 13th
 Gilkey, John L foreman r 824 s 4th
 Gilkey, Wm E quarryman r 519 n 13th
 Gillard, James lab r 1103 w Main
 Gillard, James lab r 301 s 18th
 Gillard, Robt lab r 1103 w Main
 Gillard, Sidney (Star Restaurant ws 20th nr Myrtle) r ns Main 1st w of 20th
 Gillispie, Sarah wid George r 412 e Maple
 GILMORE GEO E attorney realest ins notary 101½ n Penn tel 115 r 311 n 8th
 Glass, Earl C dentist 121½ w Main
 Glass, Harry W clk T. B. Covell r 621 n 9th
 GLASS JOHN W real estate & ins 107½ e Main tel 574 r 621 n 9th
 Glassburn, David W r 915 w Chestnut
 Glasscock, Saml L steno J A Otto rms 912 w Main
 GLEN LUMBER CO THE 201-209 e Main tel 725 C. K. Fleming mgr
 GLENS FALLS INS 101½ n Penn tel 715 G. E. Gilmore agt
 GLOYD LUMBER CO 6th se cor Laurel tel 308 G L Vertrees mgr
 Goad, Thos driver Indep Ice Co r ss Main 1st w of 20th
 Goad, Wyatt B gardener r 1400 w Chestnut
 Goben, Rena B r Santa Fe and Mo P crossing
 Goff, Augustus R r 711 n 12th
 Goff, Roy A clk Central Hardware Co r 711 n 12th
 Goldrick, Dren engr THE INDEP LAURDRY CO rms 625 w Main
 GOLDSTEIN WADE W propr Jumbo Clothing Co 101 w Main rms 200 w Maple
 GOOD ABRAHAM HARVEY city editor Evening Star r 816 s Penn
 Good, David H gardener r 719 w Pine
 Goodell, Bessie I r 313 n 12th
 Goodell, Clarence H team Henry Baden 121 e Myrtle r 314 s 12th
 Goodell, Elson (Goodell & Johnson. 112 n Penn) r 313 n 12th
 Goodell, John E meat ctr Goodell & Johnson r 308 s 12th

Goodell & Johnson (Elson Goodell A F Johnson) meat 112 n Penn
 Goodrich, Clark H r 315 e Locust
 Goodwin, Clarence b 800 Coffeyville
 Goodwin, David C lab r 410 s 14th
 Goodwin, Ira E lab r 702 n 17th
 Goodwin, Jos L lab r 410 s 14th
 Goodwin, Levi Frank lab r 416 n 14th
 Goossen, Leon glass wkr r 803 n 8th
 Gordon, Anthony W oil 409 n 4th
 Gordon B. R. agt I C Schools' b N E Hotel
 Gordon, Clarence E engr r 901 e Maple
 Gordon, Grace E 409 n 4th
 GORDON, JAMES (Chicago Plumbing Co 313 n Penn) r 204 e Laurel
 Gordon, James C. engr r 1230 n Penn
 Gordon, John E oil r 409 n 4th
 GORDON, Leora W. student r 409 n 4th
 Gordon, Thos r 409 n 4th
 Gossett, Robert L. (c) coachman r 722 w Main
 Gottlieb, Abraham clothing 117 n Penn r 309 w Main
 Gottlieb, Leo with A Gottlieb r 309 w Main
 Gottlieb, Sid shoes 114 n Penn r 621 w Main
 Gough, Thos Floyd r 216 s 10th
 Gourley, J Lawrence plaster contr r 710 w Maple
 Grabham, Ancil L steno J R Charlton b 706 w Main
 Graff, Lillian r 205 s 11th
 Graham, Wilbur J tel opr A T & S F Ry by 418 n 12th
 Grant, Horace D. r 311 n 8th
 Graves, Horace W. physician 102½ e Main
 Graves Orley B blksmith Jacob Moore r 417 n 11th
 Gray, Chas C painter H. G. Brown rms 605 n 12th
 Gray, Frank S carp r 816 e Magnolia
 Gray, Earl r 816 e Magnolia
 Gray, Hallock T team r 602 s 4th
 Gray, Joseph B yd master r 831 w Sycamore
 Gray, Mae Belle tchr r 602 s 4th
 Green, Glen L ticket clk Santa Fe Pass Dept rms 318 w Chestnut
 Green, Homer team r 416 Westminster
 Green, Horace 9c) brk setter rms 322 e Main
 Green, Martha wid Rowland r 513 s 3rd
 Green, Orley M janitor r 811 w Locust
 Green, Wm C team r 400 s 14th
 Greenawalt, Abraham L painter r 1012 w Maple
 Greenawalt, J. Wm painter r Walnut near w limits
 Greer, Edwin E. (E. E. Greer Tailoring Co 104 n Penn)
 r 1118 w Myrtle
 Greer, E. E. Tailoring Co (E. E. Greer) 104 n Penn
 Greer, John barber Martin & White r 317 s 12th

GLEANINGS from INDEPENDENCE by Virginia

SOUTH KANSAS TRIBUNE - Published weekly, Independence, Ks
Excerpts beginning June 14, 1871

Letters remaining in Post Office of Independence, Ks May 31, 1871

Anderson, J. M.	Harlew, John	Perry, C. W.
Anderson, J. W.	Henry, W. E.	Peckering, L. M.
Adams, Mrs. M.	Hart, Mrs. M.	Parsons, J. A.
Brook, C. C.	Hink & Salter	Potter, Chan
Brock, A. D.	Howard, C. M.	Pockwood, O.
Buchanan, James	Hughes, Willis	Reed, Wm.
Brock, Miss Jane	Hoffaker, Mrs. Eva	Ryan, Manda
Bevins, John	High, Charles	Reed, Marion
Berdie, Sarah P.	Hawkinson, D.	Ryan, C. C.
Baker, G. W.	Irvine, J. R.	Smith, James
Bennet, John	Johns, H. T	Smith, A. Calvin
Bacon, James B.	Jent, S. W	Street, M.
Batts, Mrs. Emily	Johnson, Joseph H.	Sharples, H. M.
Barickman, B. C.	Kimball, S. H.	Sullenger, William N
Bryan, Wm.	Kirk, Nathan	Sweeney, John
Bansetter, Peter	Laird, W. R.	Stevin, William
Costelle, Brazzeil	Lewis, George	Sweet, Frank E.
Carothers, B. F.	Locke, T. J	Sulton, Rev G. W
Cain, Jacob	Likens, L. E.	Taylor, Charles
Campbell, W. P.	Longeor, Newton	Tinker, Mrs. Jennie
Cox, S. A.	Macdean, J. K	Tennis, J. F.
Cox, J. W.	McCormick, C. C.	Tongues, Miss Emma
Clav, John	McLaran, Ellen	Taylor, Mrs. J. C
Clayton, G. A	Miller, W. R.	Tracy, Alex
Cosen, J. J.	Monson, Thomas	Wellman, Mrs. M. G
Cooper, Rev. E. C.	Morrow, Richard	Webster, W. G. L.
Comer, S. A.	Martain, Mrs. Annie	Walters, Thomas
Carr, J. A.	McClern, Miss Ellen	Woodling, J. P.
Duncan, T.	McNutt, Ira W.	White, Robert
Drawline, L.	Moon, Mrs. Clara	Wilcox, Mrs. Martha
Delong, Emannel	Mull, John J.	Williams, Mr. James
Deacon, A.	McCoy & Echkil	Warr, R. S.
Denison, J. F	Mason, Mrs. Jennie	Young, John
Dillon, G.	Monriquand, J. P. D.	Yager, Josiah
Dering, G. M	Morris, Robert	Zeriger, T. ;
Dowsen, W.	Moor, Miss Bell	
Edmonson, Lor E.	May, W. J.	
French, M. P	May, Caleb	
Flemming, Mrs. A. M.	Mathews, J. C.	A. H. Moore
Greno, Miss Roche	Moor, Robert C.	Postmaster.
Goldman, Robert B.	Page, John Q.	
Green, Mrs. Mary	Price, Thomas	
Gad, H. P.	Powell, William	

GRAND CELEBRATION June 14, 1871

A celebration in honor of the 95th anniversary of American independence will be held under the auspices of the Fire Department of the city of Independence on the 4th of July in the Grove one-half mile north of Independence. Officers in charge of the affair:

President, E. E. Wilson

Vice Presidents: M. D. Henry; W. T. Bishop; J. B. Craig; J. D. Hillis of Cherry; E. B. Dunwell of Parsons; S. J. Smith of Elk City; Thomas Harrison of Liberty; W. H. Nigh of Albia

Marshall of the Day: M. S. Bell

Chaplain: Rev Samuel Stoddard

Reading of the Declaration of Independence: Dr. John Grass.

Orators: Frank Willis; Capt L. U. Humphrey; C. F. Robertson.

The procession will form in front of the city hotel on Main Street at 10 o'clock headed by Glee Club of this city and march to the grounds.

A ball will be given in the evening at Gray's Hall. Tickets including supper will be \$2.50.

COURT

Richard Kilgore was brought before the Justice of the Peace Helphingstine on Monday charged with disturbing the peace, plead guilty, fined \$5.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING:

The 7th about midnight, lightning struck the house of V. W. Pitt living about eight miles southwest of town killing a son 17 or 18 years of age and veriously injuring others.

WEDNESDAY, June 21, 1871

The Rev. L. A. Hall of the Congregational Church of Parker was in town yesterday.

The bridge across Elk River is about to be started and will be one of the best investments made by the county.

Our enterprising millers, Messrs Durr & Oswald have nearly completed their new and expensive flouring mill.

Mr. Walschmidt has enlarged and improved his mill.

Frank Willis has necessary blanks for filing Declaratory statements at the Humboldt Land Office.

Mrs. C. R. Shelly and Anna Dawson, Dressmakers have opened a shop over Dr. Arter's Drug Store.

June 21, 1871 Contd.

Mr. W. A. Stevens has opened an ice cream stand next door to Pages Band.

Judge LeLong & Osbun Shannon have opened a Law and Land Office.

Lodge of Good Templars installed Mr. A. W. Sewell, W.C.T.
Miss Mahala Dawson, W.V.T.; George Beard, Sec'y.

Mr. B. A. Cox is now open in his new Bank Bldg

Mr. J. C. Leonard opens this week in Lee's building on Penn Ave
Banker.

WEDNESDAY, June 28, 1871.

Mr. William Liggett has left in our office a specimen of his oat crop
which is four feet high and head measuring 8".

Mr. Lewis Conner has sold the Independence house to Mr. Wolverton of
Kentucky for \$2,000.

MARRIED: Independence, Ks June 25, 1871 at the house of the bride's father
Rev J. B. Lee, Mr. W. L. Hollingsworth & Miss Myrtilla M. Vansandt both
of this city.

Post Office instablished Valley Spring, Montgomery County with
George E. Dennison, P. M. A. H. Morre in Independence succeeds Mr.
Irwin who resigned.

To be continued next issue.

EVENING STAR, INDEPENDENCE, Ks, Friday, Jan 3, 1919

G.H. Bechtel, administrator of the estate of James F. Harding, deceased
has filed final report

Jan 31, Friday, 1919

Mr. J. H. O'Brien of Starfield, Mo was a business visitor in our city yesterday.

Jan 30, Thursday, 1919

Mr. Charles Lett formerly of this city passed on at Buffalow, Ks day before
yesterday following short illness. Mr. and Mrs. Lett moved from her to
Liberty and from there to Buffalo. Left husband and three children. Funeral
at Liberty.

Wednesday, Jan 29, 1919

The funeral of J. C. Baker, father of County Commissioner Baker was held at
Liberty this afternoon conducted by Rev. J. A. Shuler, Burial at Liberty.

BLACK JACK OR PLEASANT HILL CEMETERY

T - 35 - S, R - 14 - E, section 10

Montgomery county, Kansas; 3 miles east of Caney on old highway, 1 mile north, on east side of road, just north of a destroyed brick building, probably an old school. Also 3 miles west of Tyro, Kans, and 1 mile south.

Abbott, Mary J., dau of W. P. and Nancy Wilson; Mar. 27, 1899, Apr. 2, 1904 (on Query lot)

Beck, James B., Dec. 25, 1899; Jan. 5, 1978; "uncle" just outside Smyth bordered lot in the bend by addition

Beck, Rose A., 1872 - 1939 (on Smyth lot)

Beck, William; 1853 - 1928 (On Smyth lot)

Blower, Ralph A., 1859 - 1936 (same stone as Sarah Alice)

Blower, Sarah Alice; 1869 - 1925 (on same stone with Ralph A., "his wife")

Bradley, Charley; Oct. 28 1894 - July 19 1895

Bradley, Claude; son of M. & E. Bradley, died June 26, 1890, aged _____ m. 26 ds.

Bradley, Harald; May 9, 1897 - Aug. 22, 1914.

Bradley, Hazel; Aug. 28, 1896 - Sept 1, 1896

Canady, baby; 1884 (in bordered small lot but with a small footstone beside it marked "father")

Canville, Cecil; son of Paschal F. and Stella Canville; Apr. 10, 1898 - Oct. 26, 1911

Canville, Paschal F.; Nov. 7, 1856 - Oct, 13, 1908

Christian, (? almost illegible) Jack; died Dec. 27, 1852 aged 65, 2(?) m. 5 das.

Cornthwaite, "children of"; Little Pete; born Sep. 8, 1894; died Aug. 23, 1895. On same stone as "infants, baby boy and baby girl" died Sep. 8, 1891.

Cornthwaite ?; "E. E. C." on side of Newt Cornthwaite stone.

Cornthwaite ?; "J. N. C." on side of Newt Cornthwaite stone
Cornthwaite, Newt ; 1861 - 1900; (initials J. N. C. and E. E. C. on sides of stone) also two small loose markers leaning against this stone, one says "Mother".

Cornthwaite, Rhoda A. "his wife" 1828 - 1902 (same stone as Thomas Cornthwaite)

Cornthwaite, Thomas 1824 - 1897 (same stone with Rhoda)

Cornthwaite, Wallace T., son of E. F. 7 A. Cornthwaite; June 1, 1904, aged 1 yr, 6 mo.

Cornthwaite, Walter, A.; born Nov. 13, 1856 - died Feb. 12, 1888.

DeVoss, William S., son of J. A. and M. F. DeVoss, died Dec. 26, 1908

Dial, Lenoria M. dau. of James & Alice Dial, died Aug. 23, 1881, (rest of stone buried too deep to read without injury to stone)

Dixon, Harlon, May 23, 1841; Feb. 24, 1907. (bronze U. S. war veteran marker, and A. C. U. W. in shield on stone, same stone with Mary J. Dixon.)

Dixon, Mary; "Mother", Mar. 2, 1845 - May 23, 1919 (same stone with Harlon Dixon)

Dixon, Nellie M., dau. of H & M.J. Dixon, born Jan. 2, 1882, died Mar. 11, 1897.

Downey, Mattie A. dau. of W. H. & M. B. Downey, born Nov. 5, 1879 - died Oct. 12, 1892.

Dunn, Sarrah E.; wife of H. Dunn; died Aug. 20, 1888; aged 24 yrs - 5 ms - 20 ds.

Durst, Mae; Aug. 28, 1889; Feb. 28, 1942. (Footstone "God Bless our Mother" in concrete and marbles.)

Durst, Baby Polly Ann; funeral marker only

Durst, Sylvia; Jan. 21, 1913 - Apr. 7, 1928

Edens, Ethel May; "daughter" Sep. 6, 1908 - Aug. 16, 1909 (on lot with Oscar & Ollie P.)

Edens, Ollie P. 1888 - 1954 (on lot with Oscar Edens)

Edens, Oscar; 1887 - 1958 (On lot with Ollie P.)

Ellis, Christopher T.; Jan. 26, 1828 - Jan 11, 1918 (on stone with Mary Ellis and "Father")

Ellis, Mary; wife of Christopher T. Ellis; Oct. 31, 1835 - July 7, 1923 "Mother"

Ellis, Sidney M.; son of C. T. and Mary Ellis; born Oct. 15, 1875, died Mar. 15, 1885

Ford, Minnie J. 1876 - 1929; "Mother" on same stone with Wm. S. Ford.

Ford, William S.; 1868 - 1945; "Father" (with Minnie J.)

Graves, Mary W.; 1849 - 1905 (on same enclosed lot with Frank Russell, north end)

Gray, _____ (illegible), dau. of Hiram Gray; died Aug 16, 1882; aged 56 ys, 5 ms, 28 ds.

Greenwell, Robert H. ; died May 8, 1887, aged 40 ys, 4 ms. 3ds. 3rd Ill. Cav.

Hall, Zola A.; born Dec. 19, 1892; died Mar. 10, 1904 (brick border on family lot, 2 yucca plants elsewhere in the border)

Hamilton, H. H. ; Died Nov. 13, 1873; aged 24 ys, 1 mon 13 ds

Harris, Donald H.; June 5 - July 26 - 1928

He _____, Ada B.; (On Hepner lot) broken stone 1854 - 1929

Hepner, Charley A.; May 23 1856 - Sept. 20, 1950

Hepner, John G. ; "our father"; Nov. 9, 1827 - July 30, 1904 (also small loose stone J. G. H.)

Inabnit, W. M. _____ (illegible) - 1903; funeral marker and sandstone slab)

Kellems, _____ (illegible); son of T(?) R. & A. Kellems, Jan 6. 1890 - Sept 1, 1891

Kellems, James A. son of T(?) & A. Kellems; born Dec. 27, 1885, died March 24, 1887

Keller, Norman A. ; son of J. W. & Manda Keller; died Aug. 2, 1884; aged 1 yr, 4 mos, 3 das.

Kier, Hettie; July 18, 1871 - Oct 18, 1965. (on same stone with Willie and William D.)

Kier, Willie; Jan. 28, 1903 - Oct. 3, 1904 (on stone with
 Hettie & William D.)
 Kier, William D.; May 2, 1866 - Aug. 20, 1936 (on stone
 with Hettie and Willie)
 "unknown" inside the family lot with the Kier marker)
 Lamb, Rebecca; wife of A. E. Lamb; died Feb. 13, 1886,
 aged 66 yrs - 5 mos - 20 ds.
 Leedham, Eli; born Mar. 14, 1836.; died July 30, 1897
 Looney, Artie; born 1909, died 1922; (concrete and marbles
 headstone)
 Looney, Eddie; born Aug. 6, 1882; died Sep. 9, 1949
 Looney, Eva Mae; born Dec. 21, 1892; died Jan. 13, 1943
 (on stone with Eddie Looney)
 Lucas, Alice C.; July 10, 1861; July 5, 1935
 Lucas, Gladys; Aug. 18, 1902; July 7, 1904
 Lucas, Lucy Ann; 1826 - 1916 (on stone with Orange Lucas)
 (six yucca plants seem to be headstones markers on
 this family lot)
 Lucas, Orange; 1829 - 1877; U. S. veteran bronze marker
 (same stone as Lucy Ann Lucas)
 Lucas, Sumner E.; Sept. 18, 1858; July 25, 1925
 Mahaffy, Alexander; 1829 - 1892 (on stone with Ann
 Eliza Mahaffy)
 Mahaffy, Ann Eliza; 1829 - 1912 (on stone with alexander)
 Massey, Julia A., wife of W. F. Massey; died Aug. 1, 1852;
 aged 21, _____ (illegible)
 Miller, Ida R.; wife of W. C. Miller; died Nov. 29, 1888;
 aged 34 ys. 4mo. 14 ds (illegible line with "James")
 Miller, Irene G.; Feb. 19, 1890 - Dec. 5, 1906
 Miller, Oscar; born Oct. 14, 1861 - died Jan. 24, 1892
 Mills, infant son of J. R. & E. Mills; June 28, 1885,
 died July 20, 1885
 Mills, Ella G.; April 11, 1858 - Oct. 8, 1923; "Mother"
 Mills, Goldie C.; Aug. 25, 1891 - June 3, 1920
 Mills, John R.; Dec. 9, 1853 - Apr. 28, 1943; "Father"
 Orr, Rilda I.; dau. of J. W. & D. E. Orr; May 17, 1906,
 Aug. 17, 1906
 Parks, Sophia J.; wife of W. A. Parks; born Feb. 1, 1850,
 died Nov. 9, 1881
 Parks, William A.; Died Aug. 18, 1884; Aged 50 yrs, 3 ds.
 (broken stone)
 Pollet, George F.; 1875 - 1958; on stone with Lottie M.
 Pollet, Lottie M.; 1881 - 1933; on stone with George F.
 Pollett, Opal May, 1916
 Porter, infant dau. of Mr. & Mrs S. M. Porter; born & died
 June 25, 1885
 Querry, Gladys Nadeen; dau. of Joseph & Mattie Querry;
 May 18, 1907 - Mar. 11, 1908
 Querry, Goldie Alleen; dau. of Joseph & Mattie Querry;
 May 18, 1907 - Dec. 27, 1907
 Querry, Joseph; Sept. 2, 1880; Nov. 29, 1907
 Querry, Martha M.; Mar. 24, 1877 - Apr. 28, 1913 (Woodmen
 circle)

Ray, Francis M.; son of J. H. & M. Ray; died Nov. 2, 1891,
 aged 7 ys. 3 ms. 18 ds.
 Ray, J. H.; "Father"; May 2, 1837 - Jan. 12, 1913, (with
 Mary Ray)
 Ray, Mary, "Mother"; Oct. 30, 1844 - May, 4, 1909 (with
 J. H. Ray)
 Ray, Paul; born Nov. 30, - 99; died Feb. underground
 Russell, Edith; ug. 16, 1868 - Apr. 3, 1872
 Russell, Frank S.; July 24, 1868; Jan. 31, 1926. (on
 same enclosed lot with Mary Graves at south end)
 Russell, G. S.; April 14, 1838; Sept. 24, 1903; "Father"
 Russell, Lou; Sept. 27, 1844; Aug. 29, 1881
 Russell, Sile; Sept. 9, 1871 - July 19, 1872
 Sherburne, James Eugene; Feb. 9, 80; Nov. 4 82
 Smith, Adelaide and infant son; 1878 - 1902; (in Smyth lot)
 Smith, Archie; 1900 - 1901; (on Smyth lot)
 Smith, Beaula; Borne 27 day of April 1909; died Aug. 6,
 1909; aged 3 months 10 days
 Smith, Hannah J.; wife of W. S. Smith; born Aug. 6, 1860;
 died Nov. 27, 1900 (on stone with W. S. Smith)
 Smith, James B.; 1857 - 1942 (on Smyth lot)
 Smith, Jerry; Aug. 29, 1849 - July 30, 1920, "father,
 husband"
 Smith, John E.; infant son of Jerry and India Smith, aged
 7 mo. 12 ds.
 Smith, Julia A.; died Feb. 7, 1879; aged 25 ys, 9ms, 11 ds.
 Smith, Matilda C.; 1864 - 1936 (on stone with Stroder
 Smith)
 Smith, Silva T.; 1905 - 1921
 Smith, Stroder A.; 1860 - 1933 (with Matilda C.)
 Smith W.; died July 7, 1889, aged 68 ys. 7 ms. 8 ds. (bronze
 U. S. war veteran marker) (on stone with Hannah J.)
 Smith, Wm Roy; Feb. 15, 1893 - Apr. 8, 1970
 Smyth, Archibald; 1810 - 1877; (on lot with 8 graves,
 concrete block border), wife Nancy Orrilla
 Smyth, Nancy Orrilla; 1829 - 1909 (wife of Archibald
 in Smyth lot)
 Smyth, William; 1868 - 1961 (on Smyth lot)
 Tasker, Ella; 1866 - 1945; "Mother" on stone with H. W.
 Tasker.
 Tasker, H. W.; "Father" 1856 - 1932; on stone with Ella
 Tasker
 Tasker, Lydia H.; wife of James Tasker, born Strand,
 England, Feb. 11, 1819, died Dec 16, 1893
 Tittsworth, Carl; Aug. 13, 1896 - Sep. 23, 1898 (on
 stone with Claud)
 Tittsworth, Claud; Aug. 15, 1894 - Sep. 16, 1898 (on
 stone with Carl)
 Thompson, Victor H.; son of W. A. and Lillie Thompson,
 born Sep. 9, 1898; died Nov. 24, 1898
 Totten, Nellie; 1875 - 1905; "Wife of C. Totten" "Mother
 at rest"

Totten, Orlando; Jan. 13, 1869 - Jan. 16, 1940; (FLM in three links on stone) (Nellie, wife on same stone)
 Tucker, Gracie J.; died ug. 5, 1890, aged 3 mo. 3 dys.
 Vinson, Betty, dau. of J.M. & E. A. Vinson, Oct. 19, 1880, aged 1 yr. 9 mo. 19 da.
 Whitcomb, Fally; wife of Henry Whitcomb; died Sept. 10, 1885, aged 79 yrs. 4 ms. 25 ds. (on stone with Henry and ruth)
 Whitcomb, Francina Otis; "wife", 1859 - 1918, (on stone with S. C. Whitcomb)
 Whitcomb, Henry "our father" Died Nov. 18, 1892, aged 85 yrs. 10 ms. 25 ds. (Front of stone; other on stone are Ruth and Fally (This is a white metal marker in perfect condifion)
 Whitcomb, Ruth; died Oct. 19, 1871 (91?) aged 87 yrs. 10 ms. 13 ds. (on stone with Henry and Fally)
 Whitcomb, S. C., "M. D.", 1848 - 1938 (on stone with Francina Otis Whitcomb)(bronze U. S. war veteran marker)
 Williams, _____ " wife of S. M. Williams" , nothing else
 Williams, Alice M., dau. of W. A. and M. J. Williams, died July 30, 1878, aged 2 ys, 10 m. 28 d. (on stone with Clara C.)
 Williams, Clara C., dau. of W. A. Williams, died Jan 9, 1882, aged 13 ys. 2m. 14 d. (on stone with Alice M)
 Williams, Rachel M., apr. 12, 1867 - Sep. 4, 1904.

Partially Marked Stones

Sandstone marker with A. L., with 2 other unmarked sandstones leaning on huge cedar

Concrete block border with small stone "Father".
 2nd small stone in same border "1884 baby Canady"

_____, Catharine, broken marble slab leaning on H. Gray stone

I. M. small marker beside Daonald Harris and James Kellems (_____, illegible), James, very old, broken marble slab on lot with Ida Miller

Graves but no Identification

unknown - stone enclosure 6'x6' no markers
 _____ illegible, broken old marble slab
 _____ broken marker between Paul Ray and Beaula Smith

6 sandstones markers without any information

19 graves marked by yucca plants, nothing else

one sunked grave, no marks or plants

CEMETERY
TRINITY LUTHERAN (over gate) or
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN IMMANUEL

Montgomery county, Kansas; one mile west of Tyro, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile south, on east side of road. T-35-S, R- 14-E, section 10.

- ANDERSON, Dale - June 6, 1913, May 20 1979, masonic emblem
BEYEN, Anna M. - 1870-1924, "Mother";(on stone with Habbe H. BEYEN)
BEYER, George E. -1913-1930
BEYEN, Glessna S. - 1892-1940;(on stone with Henry BEYEN)
BEYEN, Habbe H. - 1854-1927, "Father";(on stone with Anna M.)
BEYEN, Henry - 1888-1957;(on stone with Glessna BEYEN)
BOHLEN, Infant son of Minnie and Samuel BOHLEN Nov. 23-1927
DANTON, (DENTON?), Connie Sue- D. Feb. 20, 1955
aged Oyrs. Omos. Ods.
FICHTL, Frank - Jan. 5, 1908, ----- married Oct. 27, 1957 (on stone with Lena SIEBELS FICHTL)
FICHTL, Lena SIEBELS - May 5, 1914, -----
married Oct. 27, 1957 (on stone with Frank FICHTL)
FICHTL, Ralph B. Son of Frank & Lena FICHTL
June 13, 1955
GROTHER, Peter - 1872-1933
JONES, Arthur - Dec. 20, 1910 (on stone with Emma L. JONES)
JONES, Emma L. - June 18, 1917 (on stone with Arthur JONES)
KAMPS, Fred - 1872-1952 (on stone with Lena KAMPS)
KAMPS, Lena - 1877-1938 (on stone with Fred KAMPS)
LESSMAN, Adolf B. Kansas Cpl. Army Air Force World War II
Aug. 29, 1904 - May 2, 1974 (U. S. War Veteran bronze marker)
LESSMAN, Carl D. Florida Pvt. Cas. Det. Sta. Com. World War II March 30, 1902 - Aug. 11, 1971 (U. S. War Veteran bronze marker)
LESSMAN, Fredrekia - 1879-1970 (on stone with Gerhard LESSMAN)
LESSMAN, Gerhart- 1871-1944 (on stone with Fredrekia LESSMAN)
LESSMAN, Henry M. - March 3, 1910 - Dec. 23, 1977
LESSMAN, Richard Garrett - Aug. 10, 1942
MILLER, Anna M. - 1908, ---- married Oct. 28, 1934
(on stone with Wayne V. MILLER)
MILLER, Wayne V. - 1905, ---- married Oct. 28, 1934
(on stone with Anna M. MILLER)
NITZ, August - 1866-1958 "Father" (on stone with Otilja NITZ)
NITZ, Emil J. - 1903-1966

TRINITY, or EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN IMMANUEL CEMETERY

- NITZ, Martin - Oklahoma Pvt. Btry.Fg. Fld. Arty. World
War I March 13, 1901- April 14, 1966 (U. S.
World War I - 1917-1918- bronze marker)
- NITZ, Nora A. - 1912, ---- "Mother" (on stone with
Emil J. NITZ)
- NITZ, Otilja - 1879-1931 "Mother" (on stone with
August NITZ)
- PIERCE, Anna BEYEN - 1895-1934
- SIEBELS, Berend- July 13, 1865 - May 5, 1953 (on stone
with Maria SIEBELS)
- SIEBELS, Habbo - 1898-1934
- SIEBELS, John - 1904- 1930
- SIEBELS, Maria - Nov. 11, 1870 - March 18, 1939 (on
stone with Berend SIEBELS)
- SIEBELS, Maria - 1870-1937 "Mother"
- STOLP, Albert M. - Nov. 11, 1913 - March 19, 1979
(U. S. War Veteran bronze marker)
- STOLP, Elizabeth M. - 1869- 1950 (on stone with Johan
C. STOLP)
- STOLP, Henry J. - 1898- 1975
- STOLP, Johan C. - 1861- 1928 (on stone with Elizabeth
M. STOLP)
- WELLNER, Herman W. - 1913, ---- (on stone with Irene
R. WELLNER)
- WELLNER, Irene R. - 1918- 1978 (on stone with Herman
W. WELLNER)
- UNMARKED GRAVE --under huge cedar at East side of cemetery,
funeral metal marker, empty.

Early Citizens of Montgomery co., Kansas

The following biography is of an early settler and appeared in the History of Montgomery County, Kansas, published by L. Wallace Duncan, Iola, Kansas, 1903.

PETER H. FOX

Among the well known farmers of Fawn Creek township and a gentleman who has taken a lively interest in practical agriculture in Montgomery county, is Peter H. Fox, of this sketch. For near a score of years he has planted and harvested of the crops indigenous to Southern Kansas soil, and nature and industry have rewarded him in the possession of a valuable estate.

Mr. Fox is a native of Lower Paxton township, Dauphin county, Pa., and was born July 13, 1836. He is a descendant of one of the old German families of the "Keystone State" --- Fuchs, who settled there many generations ago. Henry B. Fox (changed from Fuchs) was his father, and Lydia (Miller) Fox his mother. Both were born in Pennsylvania and passed their lives on the farm. The father died at the age of seventy-six and the mother at fifty-six, being the parents of two children, son: John A. and Peter H. Owing to their surroundings the sons were farm lads and pupils while growing up, in the district school. John A. died in 1897 and to Peter H. is left the responsibility of perpetuating the family name.

Our subject was the first born, and after leaving the country school, attended the Harrisburg Academy several terms. Next he enrolled in the Burr & Burton Seminary, in Vermont, and, later on, entered Rensselaer's Polytechnic college, where he graduated in the three years' course. His education finished, he joined the engineering corps on the Northern Central Railroad, and had charge of the same for one year. He spent a year then superintending U. S. Sen. Cameron's farms, and then returned to his line of railroad work, where he continued for fourteen years. Leaving this service in 1884, he went to Nebraska, but the following year came to Kansas and settled in Montgomery county. He owns a farm of more than three hundred acres, six and one-half miles west of Coffeyville, which he has developed into an estate, at once an abundant reward for the effort it cost. His residence and other improvements indicate the thrift and progress of the owner, and his fuel, which comes from a thousand feet underground, is one of the conveniences and luxuries rarely enjoyed.

December 30, 1867, Mr. fox married Emma J. Meese, who died February 17, 1899, at fifty-four years of age. Mrs. fox was born in Pennsylvania, and left three children, namely: David M., a traveling salesman; Joseph H. and Lydia M.

Mr. fox has a fondness for and an interest in family antiquities. To him there is an inherent value to some heirloom or relic of former generation and he is in possession of his mother's childhood hymn-book purchased in 1820, and of his grandfather's wedding vest of homespun, and colored with walnut bark. Inanimate though they are, these objects speak chapters to us on the progress of modern times, and stimulate one to reflection on the interesting, but primitive, past. Mr. Fox was on terms of professional intimacy with Senator Cameron, and with his famous father, Simon Cameron, he had the honor of an acquaintance. He has filled the offices of Justice of the Peace and Treasurer of his township, and has been a number of years a member of the County High School board.

IRA J. STURTEVANT

One of the largest business enterprises of the county is that of the Coffeyville Furniture Company. Connected with it as a stockholder and as its efficient manager is Ira J. Sturtevant, a gentleman whose sixteen years in the city has won him a host of friends among the urban population.

Mr. Sturtevant traces his people back to early New England stock; indeed, to the very beginning of civilized life in that section, as a relative of the family was one of the men who stepped out of the Mayflower's crowded cabin to the historic Plymouth Rock. On his mother's side he is connected with the noted Blair family, her mother having been a sister of John I. Blair, who attained distinction in New Jersey state Democratic politics.

Shepard T. Sturtevant, father of our subject, born in 1824, married Olivia M. Cooper, and resided for a number of years in Yates county, N. Y. He was a carpenter and cabinet maker and late in life moved to Reed City, Michigan, later, to Mason, Michigan, where he died in 1900, the wife passing away, a year later. They were devoutly and sincerely religious people, life-long members of the Methodist church, in which the father filled all the offices to which laymen are eligible. They reared three children: Frances, now Mrs. William Adams, of Mason, Michigan; Alta F., Mrs C. D. Francisco of Reed City, Michigan, and Ira J., who forms the subject of this brief review.

MARRIAGES IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KANSAS !**%

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Ellsworth H. Herring, 24, of Fawncreek, Ks., and Lucy A Leonard, 19, of Fawncreek, Ks. on Jan. 3rd, 1886 at Fawncreek by G. W. Patchett, Mi. of Gos.

" Four pages taken from here for samples to make a new book, Nov. 25, 1884(sic), signed C. B. Hamilton" (Probably blank pages)

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John H. Etter. 24. of Independence, Ks. and Isabell F. Scott, 20, of same place, on 27 Dec. 1885, "at my office" by Marion J. Simmons, justice of peace.

James H. Hoge, 32, of Blacksburg, Va., and Maggie J. Reese, 20, of Liberty, Ks, on 31 Dec. 1885 at Liberty, Kas., by A. P. Forsyth, minister.

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George E. Hutson, 25, Sternerton, Ks, and Ettie A. Drybread, 15, Sternerton, Ks on Dec. 24, 1885, by O. C. Kenaston, M. G., at Drybread residence.

Oliver Ergenbright, 35, of ^CCherryvale, Kas. and Ella B. Lovejoy, 32, of Independence, Kas. on 25 May, 1885 at Independence, by J. B. Ford, MIN. of G.

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Nathan H. Swalley, 21, of Independence, Kans. and Emma M. White, 16, of same place on 31 Oct. 1885 at Independence, by J. B. Ford. Min. of Gospel.

Charles H. ^Rrowley, 29, of Wichita, Kas. and Katherine Ashenfelter, 19, of Independence, Kas. on 24 May, 1886 (sic) at Independencek by J. B. Ford, Min. of the Gospel.

(This concludes Marriage License Record, Montgomery county, Kas, Book "D".)

Marriage License Record, Montgomery county, Kas, Book "E" starts here.

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Ira B. Thompson, 36, of Columbia, Ind. and Mary E. Sweeney, 24, of Independence, Kas, on 6 Jan. 1886 at Independence, Kas, by A. Coffey, Min. of Gospel.

Newton Bowman, 29, of Independence, Ks and Nora E. Noble
22, Same Place, on 10 Jan. 1885 at Independence Ks.
by Thomas Harrison, probate judge.

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Frank Gergan, 21, of Coffeyville, Ks., and Mary Canider
20, of Coffeyville, on 14 Jan. 1886 by Thomas Harrison
p.j. at Independence, Ks.

Lewis E. Stanley, 23, of Independence, Ks. and Emma
Mikel, 18, of Independence, on 17 Jan. 1886 at Independ-
ence by Thomas Harrison, p. j.

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Henry R. Robinson, 27, of Cherryvale, Ks., Emma May
Cross, 17, of same place on 17 Jan. 1886 at Cherryvale
by C. T. Durboran

Albert Roan, 25, of Coffeyville, Ks. and Mary Counce,
of same place, on 10 Jan. 1886 at Coffeyville by Rev.
Joseph Smith.

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James H. Bales, 23, Havana, Ks., and Anna Musgrave, 19,
Osage Agency, I.T. (Indian Territory) on 7 Jan. 1886
at "my residence" by I. W. Brown, j. p.

Frank E. Ray, 24, Brooks, Kas., and Mollie C. Graham,
21, of Brooks Kas., on 24 Jan. 1886 at home of S. W.
Daughtery by John D. Rush, minister

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George W. Berentz, 23, of Cherryvale, Kas., and Florence
A. Morris, 19, of same place on 26 Jan. 1886 at the
home of M. J. Stamper by J. H. Vancleave, preacher in
the Methodist Church

Alfred B. Pearson, 29, of Cherryvale, Kas., and Sarah
C. Murphy, 25, of same place on 1 Feb. 1886 at Independ-
ence, Ks. by Thomas Harrison, probate judge.

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William S. Perry, 20, Independence, Ks., and Nellie
Slater, 19, of Independence, on 6 Feb. 1886 at Independ-
ence by Thomas Harrison, P. J.

John McNally, 23, of Earlton Ks. and Elfie D. Prather,
18, of Havana, Ks., on 4 Feb. 1886 by J. C. Pearce,
minister of the Gospel at the home of the bride's
father

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Noah Cannon, 27, of Independence, Ks., and Rebecca
S. Kelley, 16, of same place on 1 Feb. 1886 at residence

of W. G. Kelley by Caleb Fogle, preacher of the Gospel

Burton Babcock, 26, of Longton Kas., and Mollie E. Denney, 21, of Geneva, Kas. on 12 Feb. 1886 at Independence by Thomas Harrison, probate judge

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Francis A. Brock, 24, of Independence, Ks., and Alice M. Young, 19, of Eee, Ks. on 13 Feb. 1886 at Independence, by Thomas Harrison, probate judge

Monroe Fields, 20, Elk city, Ks., and Martha Howard, 15, of La Fountain, Ks. on 2 Feb. 1886 at bride's home by J. T. Swinney, Baptist minister.

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George F. Boswell, 26, of Coffeyville, Ks., and Alvina Burk, 23 of same place on 7 Feb. 1886 at Coffeyville by Hugh McBirney, pastor M. E. church.

Charles E. Moyer, 21, of La Fountain, Ks., and Mary E. Dooty, 21, same place, on 11 Feb. 1886 at home of bride in Montgomery county Ks. by Jesse Williams, Deacon M.E. church

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Louis m. Juby, 25, Caneyville, Ks., and Susannah M. Maddox, 18, of Caneyville; Ks. on 13, Feb. 1886 at Caney by S. T. White.

John Warren, 25, of Caneyville, Ks. and Charlotte E. Dunn, 20, Caneyville, Ks on 13 Feb. 1886 at Caney by S. F. White .

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Stephen M. Benson, 31, of Cherryvale, Kas., and Emma Phillips, 18, of same on 16 Feb. 1886 at Cherryvale, Ks., by J. R. Baldwin, Baptist minister.

Lilburn B. Arnold, 31, of Morehead, Kas. and Joanna Haney, 22, of same place, on 9 Feb. 1886 at residence of bride's mother, by Isaiah Bowker

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Theodore Kimball, 30, of Independence, Ks., and Mary E. Nolte, 24, on 16 Feb. 1886 in Rutland township by Calvin Murchison, M. of G.

Charles E. Davis, 22, Wapakoneta, Ohio and E. Maud Whiteman, 21, of Independence, Ks., on 17 Feb. 1886 by R. B. Henon, ordained Minister, at Independence.

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John M. Cunningham, 28, of Independence, Ks., and Rose I. Brown, 20, of same place on 18 Feb. 1886 at Independence by R. B. Herron, ordained minister

Wallace Coast, 23, of Mortimer, Kas., and Sarah Brooks, 18, of same place, on 22 Feb. 1886 at Independence, by Thomas Harrison, probate judge.

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Shem, Henry D., 22, of cherryvale, Ks. and Voorhees, Emma E. 17, of Cherryvale, Ks. on 23 Feb. 1886 at Cherryvale, Kas. by C. T. Durboraw.

Coats, Heenan J. 25, of Cherryvale, Kas. and Anderson, Nettie, 18, of Cherryvale, on 20 Feb. 1886 at Cherryvale Kas. by C. T. Durboraw.

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Buskirk, William W., 22, of Independence, Ks., and Palmer, Sarah A., 21, of Independence, Kas. on 27 Feb. 1886 at Independence by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Overfield, Charles E., 30, of Independence, Kas. and Cammack, Mina H., 30, of Independence, Kas. on 28 Feb. 1886 at Independence, Kas. by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge.

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Walborn, Daniel D., 68, of Coffeyville Kas., and Woolis Elizabeth, 46, of Coffeyville, Kans. on 13 Feb 1886 at "my residence in Cherokee, t. P." by Alexander Humphries Minister of the Gospel

Dodd, Bret, 30, of Coffeyville, Ks., and Cippa, Becky, 24, of Coffeyville, on 17 Feb. 1886 at Coffeyville, by Rev. J. Dodd.

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Ferrell, James, 26, of Coffeyville, Ks. and Davis, Kate, 21 of Coffeyville, Ks. on 20, Feb. 1886 at "my residence" by J. H. Luse, minister

Cook, James Franklin, 25, of Sternerton, Ks. and Callaghan, Catherine, 23, of Sternerton, Ks. on 24 Feb. 1886 at Sternerton, Ks. by E. D. Yates, minister of the Gospel

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Frost, T. Benjamin, 37, of Neodesha, Kas. and Hall, Amy C. 30, of Elk City, Kas, on 28 Feb. 1886 at Elk city, Kas. by William Gable, Minister

Davis, Ion, 22, of Grenola, Kas, and Corser, Ida, 21, of same place on 4 Mar. 1886 at Independence Kas by Thomas Harrison, probate judge.

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Schaeffer, David, 24 of Elk City, Kas. and Edwards, Mallissa C., 18, of Elk city, Kas on 25 Feb. 1886 at home of bride by Jesse Williams, Deacon in M. E. church

Wagstaff, Andrew L., 25, of coffeyville, Kas. and Boswell, Sarah L. age ___ of Coffeyville, Kas., on 28 Feb. 1886 at coffeyville, Kas. by H. McBirney, Pastor M. E. church

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Minnick, Cornelius R., 40, of Cherryvale, Kas. and Behner, Mary E., 24, of cherryvale on 28 Feb. 1886 at Cherryvale by C. T. Durboraw

Morgan, Francis B. 25 of Elk City, Kas. and Kemp, Mary A. 18 of Elk City, Kas. on 4 Mar, 1886 at Elk City by William Gable, minister

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Campbell, William 23, of Mortimer, Kas. and Fenton, Carrie, 18, of Mortimer, Kas, at Mr. Brackin's near Bcup(?) school house by A. D. Bailey

Cole, Charles B. 40, of Neodesha, Kas. and Clanton, Laura C. 26, of Neodesha, Kas. at William Clanton's by Geo. W. Davis, Justice of the Peace

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May, William A., 27, of Fawn Kas. and Cochran, Clara, 20, of same place on 4, Mar. 1886 at Fawn by G. L. Bank, J. P.

Pieper, John, 24 of Independence, Kas. and Morris, Emma, 19, of Independence, Kas. on 7 Mar. 1886 at Independence by Thomas Harrison, probate judge

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Evans, William B., 22 of Bartlesville, I. T. and Nidy, Ellen, 25, of Bartlesville, I. T. on 15 Mar. 1886 at Independence, Kas. by Thomas Harrison, probate judge

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Surber, James M., 23, of La Fontain, Kas. and Minton, Louisa, 16, of same place on 18 Feb. 1886 at the home of the bride by Jesse Williams, Deacon in M. E. church

Counsil, Charles, 25, of Elk City, Kas. and Cnover, Belle, 22, of Elk City on 16 Mar. 1886 at Elk ity by T. J. White, justice of the peace

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McCaleb, Samuel, 26, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Jones, Elizabeth C., 30, of coffeyville on 18 March 1886 at Independence, Kas by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

White, William A., 29, of Coody's Bluff, I. T. and Moon, Mary A., 25, of Prairie Center, Kas. on 18, March, 1886 at Independence, Kas by Thomas Harrison Probate Judge

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Keller, Thomas M., 21, of Liberty, Ks. and Shelby, Luzena May, 16, of same place on Mar 13, 1886 at Kaloch school house by J. L. Masters, C. M.

Kirk, David W., 21, of Elk City, Kas, and Bonebrake, Anna, 22, of Oak Valley, Kans. on 18 Mar. 1886 at Elk City, Kas, by T. J. White, justice of the peace

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Powell, James, 25, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Carson, Louella, 18, of coffeyville, Kas. on 25 March, 1886 at Independence, Kas by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Vance, James G., 19, of Elk City, Kas. and Strong (Stong?) Chloe, 18, of Elk City, Kas. on 21 March at home of the bride by Jesse Williams, Deacon in M. E. Church

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Johnson, Eli E., 25 of Cherryvale, Kas. and Armer, Juna E., 13 of same place on 22 Mar 1886 at the city of Cherryvale, Kas by S. A. Morning, Justice of the Peace

Bettendorf, Michael, 27, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Gers, Kate M. 22, of same place on 27 Mar. 1886 at Independence, Kas by Thomas Harrison

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Clark, Jesse, 21 of Independence, Kas. and Woody, Maggie, 21 of Independence, Kas. on 21 March 1886 at "my residence" by Daniel Cline, J. P.

Rogers, George W., 22 of Liberty, Kas, and Dominy, Sarah M. 19 of Independence, Kas. on 10 March 1886 at residence of Mrs. Dominy by C. F. C. F. Durboraw

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Goodson, George E. R. , 31 of Liberty, Kas. and Blackwell, Cordelia, 25, of same place on 14 Mar. 1886 at the bride's father's by W. P. Livingston Justice of the Peace

Elam, James F., 22, of Bartlesville, I. T. and Mooney,
Ettie, 18, of same place on 15 Mar, 1886 by H. W.
Garrett, minister of the Gospel

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Hammond, Henry A., 27, of Cherryvale, Kas. and Burns,
Maggie F., 24, of Cherryvale, Kas. on 20 March, 1886
at Cherryvale, Kas. by Sherwood W. Griffen, Pastor
of Presbyterian Church

Jones, James H., 26, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Davis,
Amelia M., 21, of Coffeyville, Kas on 24 March 1886
at Coffeyville, Kas by H. McBirney, Pastor M. E. church

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Bridgeman, Michael J., 25, of Radical City, Kas. and
Miller, Eva L., 24, of Cherryvale, Kas on 25 Mar. 1886
at the residence of Robert Miller by Sherwood W.
Griffen.

Sanford, Elisha C., 36, of Independence, Kas. and
Harris, Isabel, 20, of same place on 28 Mar. 1886
at Lizabeth Coons' by G. Levick, a minister of the
Gospel

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Lowe, Thomas, 18, of Caneyville, Kas. and Patterson,
Julia, 15, of Caneyville, Kas. on 3 April, 1886 at Caney
by G. F. White, J. P.

Shoup, Charles J., 29, of Neodesha, Kas. and Stuart,
Minnie, 19, of Cherryvale, Kas. on 5 April 1886 at
Independence, Kas by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Goodwin, Thomas B., 28, of Havana, Kas. and Overton,
Ann, 22, of same place on 28 Mar. 1886 at "my residence"
by J. W. Brown, Justice of the Peace

Dobson, Robert M., 25, of Fawn Creek, Kas. and Godwin,
Lizzie, 23, of same place on 8 Mar. 1886 at Independence
by Amos Jones, Pastor of first Congl. church

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Hess, John H., 32, of Dodge ^DCity, Kas. and Fear, Mrs.
Sallie E., 29, of Cherryvale, Kas. on 4 April 1886 at
Cherryvale, Kas by C. R. Pattee, minister of the Gospel

Helm, James C., 25, of Kansas City, Mo. and Vinson,
Ida, 19, of Moline, Kas. on 13 April, 1886 at Independence
by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Stainbrook, Seward L., 23, of Liberty, Kas. and Burris,
Martha E., 16, of same, on 14 April 1886 at Independence
by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Krout, Frederick, 53, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Roberts, Jane, 51, of same place on 11 April 1886 at Coffeyville Kas. by Hugh McBirney, pastor of M.E. church

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Sines, William M., 21, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Marker, Jennie, E., 22, of Coffeyville, Kas. on 11 April, 1886 at Coffeyville, Kas. by H. McBirney, Pastor M. E. church

Harvey, Jacob E., 23, of Coffeyville, Kas. and Moore, Mary S., 17, of Coffeyville, Kas. on 19 April 1886 at Independence by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Barker, John, 30, of Fawn Creek Kas. and Potts, Rozelle 19, of same on 9 Apr. 1886 at Fawn Creek by G. L. Banks Justice of the Peace

Goldsby, George, 40, of Cherryvale, Kas. and Henshaw, Effie A., 21, of same on 15 April 1886 at city of Cherryvale by Rev. H.P. Wigley

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Lemon, Ferguson, 22, of Coffeyville, Kans. and Rowe, Emma, 21, of Coffeyville, Kas. on 20 April, 1886 at Coffeyville, Kas. by John M. Rankin, Minister, Protestant Episcopal church

Turner, Arista P., 37, of Independence, Ks. and Bowen, Emma, 24, of Independence, Kas. on 22 April 1886 at Independence, Kas. by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Williams, James W., 25, of Independence, Kas. and Wrenchey, Elizabeth, 21, of same on 30 April, 1886 at Independence, Kas. by Thomas Harrison Probate Judge

Lemley, Samuel S., 21 of Radical city, Kas. and Deweese, Florence, 17, of Independence, Kas. on 15 April, 1886 at the house of Mr. Deweese by J. R. Evans, a minister of the Gospel

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Hoel, James A., 20 of Independence, Kas. and Harvey, Elizabeth, 20, of Independence, Kas., on 2 May, 1886 at Independence by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Bailey, Robert H., 39, of Independence, Kas. and Brown, Jennie, 30, of Independence, on 1 May, 1886 at Independence, by Thomas Harrison, probate Judge

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SOME INTERESTING TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS

These three stones are on one family lot and are all handmade of brick, stone and metal with marble and metal panels bearing the inscriptions. They are in the Sunnyside Cemetery in Caney, Kans. (Labette, county).

"Pearidge Arkansas Battlefield, 1862"

"Captain Mason / Near this monument, on March 8, 1862 Captain Richard C. Mason of the 16th Arkansas Cavalry was severely wounded and his horse was killed. Mason was rescued by Frank Colbert, a Chickasaw. Mason served for the duration of the war, and received an honorable discharge. He died July 27, 1897 at the soldiers' home at Little Rock, Arkansas and is buried there in the Confederate Cemetery."

"Mason, Richard Colbert, engineer, scientist, inventor, 1876 - 19__.

Library registered of 19 United States Patents, inventor of many devices for the oil industry. Engineer for the U.S.A. during the World War 2. He conceived the idea of Christ's statue atop Devil's Tower which he dedicated to the Christian World and his mother. So lit little he gave for so much he received. Love. Honor, Friends, God. / The Great Oil Exposition was fathered by R. C. Mason as published in the Tulsa World, July 24, 1949 and Tulsa Star May 12, 1966. God's will Not Mine. (There is also a low relief metal panel showing Devil's Tower with its' altitude and other measurements

Jappa Mason, Educator 1867-1962

Taught school for 75 years. Her pupils included Harry Sinclair, W. E. Disney, Martin Johnson, and many others of prominence. During a very useful and successful life she wrote the school laws for Oklahoma, was a foe of corruption in public office and served as County Superintendent of Nowata county, Oklahoma; Principal of the State Agricultural College at Broken Arrow, Oklahoma and as Principal of many other schools.

SURNAMES LISTS

Members of the Montgomery County (KS) Genealogical Society have listed these surnames as one in which they have the greatest interest or information. Out-of-town members please send in your list to be included in the continued lists in the next issue.

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Wonderly, Hutchinson, Osborn, Stefanski, Martin, Ratcliff, Braden, Certwig, Presnell, Horton, Eisiminger, Spry, Etzold, Wollenschlager, Kent, McNay, McClanahan, Newell and Schmidt.

Mrs. Gene McCain, 1417 McElroy, Crane, TX 79731 ---
Davis, Files, Harlow, LaFaye, McClary, Piper, Richards, Sanders, Stice, Story, Stout, Thornburgh, Turley, Van E Emon, Vanover, Walker, Witham.

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(Telephone 316 - 251 - 7119) --- Bowen, Montgomery, Alfa

Barbara L. Stuart, 1509 W. 6th St. Coffeyville, KS 67337
(telephone 316-251-1472---Spears, Shepherd, Stuart, Armstrong, Reonal.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Neely, 1303 W. 4th, St. Coffeyville, Kasn 67337 (telephone, 315-251-1614). --- Robinson, Blake, Bryan, McAlister, Johnson, Stephenson, Neely, Williamson, Johnston, Earnhart, Oliver, Deatherage, Funk, Llywellyn.

Eugene C. gibbs, 605 Lincoln St. Coffeyville, KS 67337
Button, Zielsky, Haugan, Luebke, Sheffield, Gibbs.

Donald Todd, 402 W 4th St. Coffeyville KS 67337 (tele-
phone 316-251-4363)..---Todd, Berner, "illiams.

Miss Kathreen Norfleet, 712 W. 9th St., Coffeyville, KS
67337 --- Norfleet, Ashby, Stephens, Mullin, Thomason,
Richardson, Condit, Barnett.

QUERIES

HOWARD, WHITE, FRILEY --- Patrick D. Howard, 3636A Morton Road, Fort McClellan, AL 36205. The ancestors whom I am looking for are: Pleasant C. Howard and his wife Catharine (White) Howard, who migrated to Drum Creek Township in March 1870 from Taylor County, Kentucky. William C Howard my Great Grandfather married a Polly A. Friley on February 7, 1876. The oldest living of these persons Parker Howard died in 1929.

MACOUBRIE, DINGLE, KING, MITCHELL, ROSSOMS, ROSSMAN
Miss Jennie Macoubrie, 2001 W 6th St., Coffeyville, KS 67337 would like to hear from descendants of Elizabeth H. (DINGLE) KING, wife of Leroy, dau of Addison and Aletha (MITCHELL) DINGLE, b abt 1838. Also from descendants of Madeline (DINGLE) ROSSMAN or ROSSMAN, w of George H. Both lived in Fayette county, IL.

JUKER, PARKS, TREAKLE --- Wilma JUKER, 273 San Marcos BL. San Marcos, CA 92069. Trying to find Dobbins cemetery. Information on John Madison PARKS, Sr., b 1821 Ohio; d 1909 Oswego, (Labette county) Kansas; buried in Stark county, Ohio; d 1907 Oswego KS.

DAVIS, MCKEE --- Peggy Fuller, 1404 Baugh, Normal, IL 61761. Nancy (DAVIS) MCKEE is buried in the Cherryvale Cemetery. She died 4 Feb 1885 at the age of 43 years. Had two sisters Lucinda and Diana and two brothers, Ed and George. Who were their parents? Does any one know about a McKee family Bible? Would like a copy of the records from the Bible.

BUCHANAN, PAGE, RAINES, LAMB --- Virginia Buchanan, Rt. 1 9090 Marietta Rd. SE, Bremen, Ohio 43107. Would like to correspond with PAGE'S, RAINES*, BENEFIELDS and BUCHANAN'S from Kentucky, Indiana, Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma; poss. migrated from the Eastern states of Virginia and Pennsylvania. Also LAMB from Indiana (Mendotta).

LONDON, STARN, EVANS --- Mrs. George London, R. R. 1, Oakwood Drive, Coffeyville, Kas. 67337. Who was the first husband of Rebecca Starn, (widow) who married as his 3rd wife, Evan Evans 29-10-1836, of Highland county, Ohio? She had a son Conrad George Starn by her first marriage.

LONDON, STEPHENSON RICH --- Mrs George London, R.R. 1 Oakwood Drive, Coffeyville, KS 67337. Need parents of Elizabeth Stephenson, who married as his second wife, Joseph RICH, 7 March 1804, in Randolph Co. N. C. They has 11 children: Miriam, Nancy, Rebecca, Sarah, William, Joseph, Susannah, Melinda, Mary, Daniel and Asenath.