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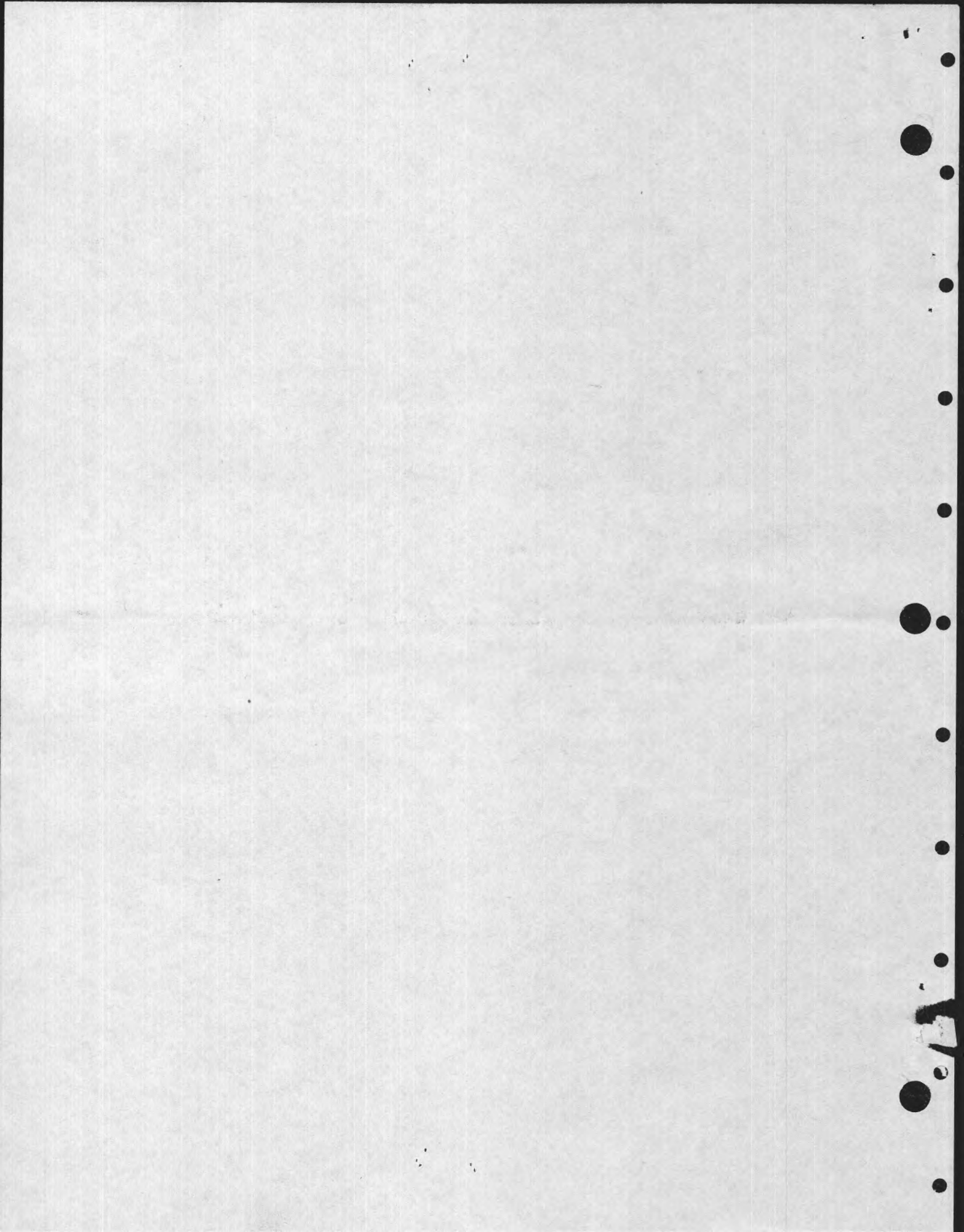
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Ahnentafel or Ancestor Table of the Haworth Family

Mildred Elaine Haworth, b. Endee, Quay co. New Mexico
m. 1939 Wichita, Kansas to George London

- I 1. Edgar Sylvester Haworth, 1880-1959 Hamilton.co.
to Wichita, Kansas
Ellen Rebecca Humfeld, 1884-1936 Kansas
- II 2. Stephen Haworth, 1852-1900, Hamilton Co., Indiana
3. Mary Ellen Robbins, 1853-1935, Hamilton Co. Indiana
- III 4. William Haworth, 1828-1910, Clinton Co., to
H Hamilton Co. Ind.
5. Huldah Carey, 1832-1902, Highland co., Ohio to
Hamilton co. Ind.
6. Joel Robbins, 1824-1913, Randolph co., N. C.
to Hamilton co. Ind.
7. Cyrena Barker, 1828-1866, Randolph co. N. C. to
Hamilton co. Ind.
- IV 8. Jonathan Haworth, 1798-1867, Tenn., Ohio, Hamilton
co. Ind.
9. Esther Evans, 1804-1874, Highland co., Ohio to
Hamilton co. Ind.
10. Zenas Carey, 1803-1876, Va., Ohio, Hamilton Co Ind.
11. Lydia Haines, (1802?)-1842, Warren co., Ohio, to
Hamilton co. Ohio
12. George Robbins, _____-1851, Randolph co., N. C.
13. Miriam Rich, 1806-1870, Randolph co. N. C. to
Hamilton co. Ind.
14. Nicholas Barker, 1795-1869, Randolph co. N.C. to
Hamilton co. Ind
15. Fanny Low, 1797-1870, Randolph co. N.C. to Hamilton
- V 16. James Haworth, 1752-1827, Frederick co. Va., to
Hendricks co. Ind.
17. Mary Rees, 1767-1850, Frederick co. Va. to Hamilton
18. Evan Evans, 1754-1847, Burl co. N. J., Culpepper Co
Va., Highland co. Ohio
19. Patience Antrim, N. J., 1764-1830 Culpepper Va.,
Highland co. Ohio
20. Jonathan Carey, 1781-1847, Bucks, co., Pa., Va.,
Ohio, Ind.
21. Ruth Bond, 1781- _____, Frederick co., Va., Ohio,
to Hamilton co. Ind.
22. Enos Haines, 1770-1864, N. J. Va., Highland co. Ohio
23. Mary Evans, 1779-before 1847, N.J., Va., Highland
co. Ohio
24. John Robbins, 1764-_____, Randolph co. N. C.
25. Elizabeth Towery, Randolph co. N.C.

To be continued.

GLEANINGS FROM INDEPENDENCE by Virginia
Continued from Vol XIII No. 4 Descender, November, 1980

MARRIED - Watkins/McCarter 12th inst, residence of bride's mother
by Rev. Stoddard. W. H. Watkins - Miss Nannie McCarter all of Independence

IOOF OFFICERS October 18, 1971.
Sol Miller of White Cloud, G. W. Martin, Junction City; H. A. Learned,
Lawrence; S. F. Burdett, Leavenworth; J. C. Crow, Leavenworth;
L. Empie, Burlingame

October 25, 1871
MARRIED 5th inst. at the residence of the bride by Rev. R. H. Grimstead,
Mr. W. S. Buchanan to Miss Lucy A. Fisher.

November 8, 1971, Wednesday
MARRIED Hand/Reed on the 5th inst. at Independence, Kansas by Judge
Watkins, Alex Hand to Miss Amanda Reed of Montgomery County.

November 22, 1871, Wednesday
LETTERS HELD AT POST OFFICE FOR POSTAGE

John Turner	Comfort Baldwin	Molly Keller
Pailo Bernett	John Lawton	Charles Wiler
Chas Raupples	G. W. Schuenley	A. Johnson
Dr. O. P. Phelps	Harrison Olms	C. May

November 29, 1871, Wednesday
DIED in Independence on Saturday, November 24 of typhoid fever,
Rebecca, wife of L. N. Wise, aged about 30 years--leaves infant child
burial in Illinois

Monday night near Independence, November 20th of lung fever, Mr.
Benjamin Sperry, aged about 65 years.

MARRIED at Oswego on Sunday, November 26, 1871, Mr. John Foust of
Independence and Miss Katie Wilkins.

December 27th, 1871, Wednesday
MARRIED Chapin/Chenoweth - 24th day of December 1871 in the residence
of the bride in Independence, Mr. J. C. Chapin to Matilda E. Chenoweth

Whistler/Ceiver - on the 10th inst. at the residence of John Ceiver
near Elk City, Thomas Whistler to Miss Elizabeth Ceiver.

January 3, 1872, Wednesday

BUSINESS DIRECTORY
Printing houses: South Kansas Tribune
Independence Republican
Kansas Democrat

Jewelers: S. A. Truby
E. S. Brower
John Truby

Independence Gleanings, Contd.

Artist: J. H. Concannon
Banks: J. C. Leonard
J. Q. Page
C. A. Hull
Dentist H. A. Bender
Physicians: J. Moon
W. A. McCulley
H. W. Miller
B. W. Nelson
B. F. Masterman
D. Stahl
J. A. Throll
W. E. Chapman
W. W. Pritchard
Attorneys York & Humphrey
G. R. Peck
Grass & Helphingstine
McCue & Ziegler
L. B. Hasbrouck
Smart & Foster
DeLong & Shannon
Clate Ralstin
W. H. Watkins
Harrison & Willis
Black & Showalter
J. D. Hill
Jas Kemp
B. M. Armstrong
W. R. Bartlett
Bennett & Gamble
G. Wright and J. D. Emerson
E. Herring & L. M. Andrews
Dry Goods: Moch & Leach
W. T. Bishop
Kincaid & Root
Miller & Allison
Camenga & Anderson
J. Stuckle
G. Y. Smith
Milleners & Smeltzer & Dunham
Dressmakers: Mrs. A. D. Miller
Mrs. St John
Mrs. M. L. Brush
Clothing: W. C. Robinson & A. Bottlieb
S. Blum & L. Goodman
H. C. Lunt & J. Plonsk
Boots & Shoes: Kincaid & Rood
Camenga & Anderson
Miller & Allison
Mock & Leach
A. Gottlieb & G. Y. Smith
W. T. Bishop & Swallow & McCullough

Independence Gleanings, Contd.

Groceries, Wholesale:	J. I. Crouse McKenzie	M. J. Paul Jewett & Sullivan
Drugs:	J. H. Pugh J. W. Blackburn	A.H. Arter Swallow & McCullough
Retail Grocery:	M. J. Paul A. Brinkman McKenzie W. T. Bishop Swallow & McCullough Gray & Cary G. H. Williams Ulmer & Marston	J. M. Nevins G. W. Dalton J. I. Crouse G. Y. Smith Thomas Bronson Eastburn & Lewis Jewett & Sullivan E. Howe-Bartlett Warner & Prentiss H. E. Gill
Furniture:	Samuel Craig	
Hardward - Stoves:	Warner & Prentiss	
Implements- Agri:	B. F. DeVore	
Blacksmith:	Allen Bros Roop & Johnson Gordon	Hay & Hoobler Reeder & Jones
Wagonmaker:	J. Kerr Roop & Montgomery	Allen Bros
Restaurants:	P. Brown Galvin & Davidson B. Shabe	Jno Cranon J. W. Powell Brodie Bros Sutherland & Bros
Bakers:	Brodie Bros J. A. Shwedde	
Stables:	Fairleagh & Pillars Lenhart & Willis	Wilson & Gamble
Hotels:	Caldwell House Indep. House City Hotel Montg. House	Larimer & Allen Noble & Ebert Mrs. Kemp C. Gude
Saddles:	Culleyford & Harrison J. Cramer	
Shoemaker	J. Shank	Bishop P Dumphy
Butcher:	Underwood & Jackson Bruin & Charlton	Jasper & Boniface
Cigars :	Henry Baden	Morris Lears
Saloons:	Bascom Bros E. J. Jacobs Ramage & Co F. F. Taylor N. Brown	Hotchkiss & Co H. Jamison Luddington House Maban Price
Liquor dealers:	Judson & Saylor Jewett & Sullivan	McKenzie & Co

MARRIED by Esq. W. S. Rentfro on the 25th ult at the home of Mr. O'Neal
in Elk City, Mr. Matthew Powers to Miss Sarah A. Smith

On the 10th ult. by Esq D. W. Young, Mr. C. Bulgamore of Howard to
Miss Mary E. Pitts.

HARMONY CEMETERY

Located center of Section 30, T32S, R17E, Montgomery County, KS.
 Read by R. L & Mildred Edwards, June, 1980

MEGREY, Anna Virginia	--	1901	---	--	1902
STOVALL, George W. & Emily Pearl	--	----	---	06 Jul	1882
MILLER, Benj. F. Sergt. Co. A. 107 Ill.	--	----	---	----	----
(Civil War Marker					
JONES, Myrtle A (5y 5m 20d)	--	----	---	03 Oct	1873
(dau of A. J. & L. E.)					
JONES, Andrew J. (1y 10d, son of A.J.& L.E)	----	---	---	15 Oct	1875
DANGLEY, Fred W. (31y 2m 15d)	--	----	---	02 Apr	1878
DANGLEY, Lizzie C. (dau of Fred W & C	--	----	---	18 Dec	1876
(31y 10m 4d)					
KEEP, Oliver D.		14 Jul	1816	---	20 Mar 1904
KEEP, Lucena H. (w. of O. D. 57y 4m 15d)		----	---	06 Nov	1878
CONREY, Ralph "W. D."		07 Apr	1875	---	12 Apr 1875
CONREY, Baby "Kingdom"		03 Aug	1875	---	03 Aug 1875
FRILEY, Stephen W. (son of C.)	--		1883	---	1884
FRILEY, Susan E. "Mother"		01 Dec	1837	---	19 Aug 1919
FRILEY, Viola (16d dau. of S. E.)	--	----	---	18 Oct	1872
FRILEY, Plesantine (11y 11m 7d, dau of S. E.	----	---	---	18 Aug	1872
BROWNING, Edna (dau. of C. E.)		20 Jun	1879	---	18 Jul 1879
BROWNING, Ethel (dau. of C. E.)		11 Apr	1880	---	11 Apr 1880
BROWNING, ---- "gone but not forgotten"		----	---	----	1878
LEROY, E. M. Leroy		----	---	----	----
LEROY, C. B. Leroy		----	---	----	----
LEROY, M. C. Leroy		----	---	----	----
HELT, Michael A. (7m 11d, son of C.M. & J. F.)	----	---	---	02 Nov	1878
HELT, Infant son of C. M. & Julia F	--	----	---	22 Aug	1879
FRILEY, Willis Grass		12 Jul	1894	---	04 Mar 1896
FRILEY, Willard		12 Jul	1894	---	13 Jul 1894
PEEL, John F., son of J & J 28y 2m 24d	--	----	---	30 Nov	1890
HOWARD, Eva B. (dau. of A. H. & B. Grass)		----	---	22 Aug	1887
(21y 5m 26d)					
GRASS, Alfred H (46y 5m 24d)	--	----	---	31 Mar	1873
GRASS, Belinda (his w., 76y 4m 23d)	--	----	---	28 Mar	1908
GRASS, Alfred (son of W. S. & S 5y 11m 7d)	----	---	---	07 Sep	1884
GRASS, Hattie (dau of A. H. & B. 1 y 1m 24d)	----	---	---	18 May	1873
OVERTURF, John M "Mitch"	--		1875	----	1906
BERENTZ, Infant dau. of Loyd & Genta	--	----	---	15 Feb	1909
BERENTZ, Cubam, dau of G. W. & F. M.		21 Dec	1888	---	24 Jul 1889
NORRIS, Clyde		28 Jun	1883	---	27 Jul 1963
NORRIS, Alice "Mother"	--		1862	---	1923
NORRIS, Orbis F. "Father"	--		1859	---	1939
MOORE, Peter S.		17 Jun	1837	---	11 Dec 1918
"Woodmen of the World Memorial"					
MOORE, Elizabeth E. (w. of P. S.)		22 Oct	1838	---	25 May 1906
MOORE, May D. (dau. of P. S. & E. E. 12y 4m 15d)		----	---	22 Sep	1887

Harmony Cemetery, Contd.

MOORE, Clara Bell (dau. of P. S. & E. E. 22y 3m 26d)	22 Apr 1887
MOORE, Maggie S. (13y 10m 14d, dau. of P. S.)	---- --- 27 Aug 1887
MOORE, Joseph N (son of P.S. 20y 6m 28d)	---- --- 22 Sep 1887
MOORE, Samuel N (son of P.S. & E. E.)	17 Jul 1861 --- 08 Dec 1890
NORRIS, Mary E. (w. of J. H. 28y 1m 15d)	---- --- 18 Feb 1882
NORRIS, Samuel	20 Dec 1794 --- 11 Feb 1879
(Iron 5 point star VET 6165 market)	
NORRIS, Joseph	21 Jun 1804 --- 24 Jan 1873
NORRIS, David C.	29 Jun 1833 --- 17 Mar 1884
NORRIS, Mae	-- 1891 --- -- 1972
GIBSON, John H.	09 Mar 1858 --- 29 Jan 1926
GIBSON, Sarah E. "at rest"	03 Jun 1862 --- 09 Apr 1953
GIBSON, Coy C. "at rest"	13 Sep 1903 --- 02 Feb 1955
WILSON, Elizabeth	15 Oct 1818 --- 21 Dec 1896
NICHOLSON, Daniel O	-- 1858 --- -- 1901
NICHOLSON, Sarah M. wife of D. O.	-- 1859 --- -- 1920
HOPKINS, Stephen	-- 1854 --- -- 1909
HOPKINS, May Infant	-- ---- --- ----
HOPKINS, Annie M. Infant	-- ---- --- ----
HOPKINS, John H.	-- 1894 --- -- 1917
HOPKINS, Harley H.	--- 1901 --- -- 1926
HOPKINS, Jennie H.	--- 1864 --- -- 1932
HOPKINS, Joe D.	--- 1905 --- -- 1953
HOPKINS, Ray C.	--- ---- --- ----
HOPKINS, Florence Moore	-- 1882 --- -- 1972
VAN DYNE, Matthew M. "IOOF Marker"	05 Apr 1847 --- 05 Apr 1912
VAN DYNE, Minerva E. "his wife"	04 Feb 1852 --- 09 Jul 1891
VAN DYNE, John M. (69y 5m 20d)	-- ---- --- 30 Nov 1887
VAN DYNE, Eleanor (w. of John 60y 8m 10d)	---- --- 02 Aug 1878
VAN DYNE, Ralph W.	-- 1901 --- -- 1910
SPENCER, Joseph H.	27 Sep 1846 --- 25 Apr 1913
SPENCER, Sarah J. "his wife"	01 Dec 1844 --- 01 Dec 1920
SPENCER, Edmond (son of J.H. & S. J 3y 7m 6d)	--- 01 Jan 1880
SAWYER, Edward Lewis	14 Aug 1875 --- 02 Aug 1908
SAWYER, Mary Charlotte (w. of E. L.)	08 May 1875 --- 09 Jan 1940
SAWYER, Edna Lola (dau.)	30 Nov 1903 --- 11 Jul 1974
SAWYER, Infant son & dau b. & d.	--- Aug 1882
SAWYER, Elam Lyman	07 Mar 1841 --- 08 May 1906
(Co. D. 91st & Co. G. 28th Ill. Vol. Inf.)	
SAWYER, Amelia A.	01 Aug 1848 --- 25 Jul 1916
SAWYER, Charles Arthur "son"	24 Nov 1868 --- 14 Mar 1949
SAWYER, Mary Rebecca "dau"	25 Sep 1871 --- 28 Feb 1959
THOMPSON, Nancy E. (dau. of A. & N. 27y 1m 16d)	--- 10 Mar 1872
THOMPSON, S. M.	-- ---- --- 1875
(Thompson graves enclosed by 8 ft x 8 ft iron fence)	
COOPER, Oliver P. "Father"	18 Apr 1849 --- 10 Apr 1913
COOPER, HAROLD D	02 Oct 1901 --- 06 Jan 1907

Harmony Cemetery, Contd.

COOPER, Ida M.	10 May 1873	---	08 Oct 1893
COOPER, Ernest O.	07 Jan 1897	---	03 Mar 1899
COOPER, Eliza M. Reavis (w. of O. P.)	06 Aug 1852	---	25 Aug 1890
WILKINSON, Roy G.	-- 1885	---	1911
WILKINSON, William	-- 1857	---	1893
GORDON, Richard (father, 54y)	--	----	14 Dec 1888
GORDON, Sarah (mother, 67y) same stone	----	---	08 Feb 1899
BRANNAN, William H. "Father"	15 Jan 1824	---	30 May 1896
BRANNAN, Mary "Mother"	15 Feb 1841	---	28 Jan 1918
BRANNAN, Maggie (dau. of W. H & M. 21y 5m 23d)	----	---	19 Nov 1886
BRANNAN, John W. (son of W. H. & M 19y 28d)	----	---	06 Jul 1878
THORNTON, Francis M.	10 Dec 1828	---	16 Feb 1920
THORNTON, Nancy E. (w. of F. M. 50y)	01 Mar 1827	---	31 Jul 1877
VAN CLEVE, Fay	--	----	----
VAN CLEVE, Donald (children of J. P. & M.)	----	---	----
REED, Ferby, (son of R. R. 40y)	--	----	23 Oct 1874
MOREY, E. H. (27y 9m 19d)	--	----	19 Jan 1875
MOREY, Manuel (60y 6m 4d)	--	----	03 Mar 1875
MOREY, Malisa (w. of M.)	--	----	12 Dec 1874
HORNBECK, Cyrus (29y 10m 8d)	--	----	10 Nov 1881
HORNBECK, Claude (son of C. & S. 11d)	--	----	21 Dec 1881
HORNBECK, Infant dau. of Cyrus & Sarah	--	----	16 Jul 1875
GOAD, Jacob	16 May 1804	---	05 Jul 1879
RADFORD, Mary P. dau. of J.G. & M 16y 1m 19d	----	---	09 Aug 1874
LYTLE, William (59y 9m 5d)	--	----	16 Oct 1881
LYTLE, Martha A. (26y 9m 12d)	--	----	25 Oct 1879
BERENTZ, Henry 35th Ill. Vol. Mt.	02 Apr 1833	---	08 Jun 1906
BERENTZ, Catherine "mother"	28 Jul 1938	---	08 Oct 1932
THOMAS, Harry p.	15 Sep 1867	---	14 Sep 1900
BERGMAN, Noble H.	18 Jun 1912	---	17 Feb 1913
BERGMAN, May	29 Sep 1907	---	29 Sep 1907
(ch. of G. A. & Effie)			
BERGMAN, Gustaf A.	-- Sep 1870	---	May 1950
BERGMAN, Effie E.	-- Jun 1878	---	Feb 1966
BARKER, Noah "Father"	-- 1835	---	1916
BARKER, Lee Grundy "Father"	-- 1855	---	1920
BARKER, Anna M.	-- 1864	---	1948
CRANE, Arthur	-- 1880	---	1960
CRANE, Audie	-- 1884	---	1972
MURRAY, Cathrine Drane	-- 1853	---	1952
BEAVER, Otis, son of J & M.E. 19y 7d	--	----	20 Jan 1877
OLNEY, Rosey May (w. of W. R.)	02 Jul 1869	---	18 Feb. 1902
(dau. of Owen & Sarah J. Randolph)			
KIDD, Charles E. "Father"	-- 1859	---	1941
KIDD, Ida M. "Mother"	-- 1859	---	1944
KIDD, Gale G. "son"	-- 1884	---	1970

Harmony Cemetery, Contd.

MARTIN, Jennie M. (w. of J. F.)	25 Feb 1877	---	25 Jan 1901
HOWARD, Ben H.	--	1886	--- -- 1954
HOWARD, Tena L.	--	1889	--- -- 1978
HOWARD, T. B. (broken stone piece, flat)			
HOWARD, Nora	--	1874	--- -- 1926
HOWARD, Henry H. (KS Pvt ICL 352nd Inf)			---- -- 18 Oct 1941
HOWARD, Ben H.	--	1888	--- -- 1923
HOWARD, James H.	--	1838	--- -- 1901
HOWARD, Nancy S.	--	1848	--- -- 1930
HOWARD, ETHEL	--	1884	--- -- 1895
OWENS, Willie B. (son of B. G & B. M.)	19 Dec 1890	---	16 Oct 1895
BRADEN, Edward	05 Jun 1804	---	24 Sep 1882
BRADEN, Mary	--	----	--- -- 1916
ROGERS, Infant	--	----	
ROGERS, John	22 Oct 1838	---	06 Mar 1915
ROGERS, Francis C. (his wife)	11 Dec 1849	---	23 Jul 1924
ROGERS, Marion	29 Jun 1872	---	03 Jun 1889
NOBLE, Elizabeth (w. of T. H.)	05 Mar 1853	---	12 May 1899
MORAIN, Pamila D. (dau. of J. H. & M.E	14y 1m 8d)	---	20 Oct 1891
HOWARD, Park C.	--	1845	--- -- 1929
HOWARD, Caroline E.	--	1857	--- -- 1929
DOOP, Lottie B. (dau. of J. H. Snyder)	03 May 1894	---	11 Nov 1917
DOOP, Angie L same stone	17 Oct 1917	---	17 Oct 1917
NICHOLS, Martha A. Oaks	--	1831	--- -- 1908
McWHIRT, Nellie M.	14 Dec 1901	---	09 May 1973
McWHIRT, Mary Louis	--	1925	--- -- 1930
LITTLEFIELD, Viola V. "grandmother"	--	1868	--- -- 1945
LITTLEFIELD, Bruce A. "son"	--	1917	--- -- 1937
LITTLEFIELD, Baalis Eugene "Father"	--	1890	--- -- 1926
SWANSON, Jean Littlefield	--	1915	--- -- 1979
(SSGT US Army W W II)			
VEEDER, Henry W. (aged 4m)	--	----	--- -- ----
VEEDER, Mary C. (w. of N. E 27y 8m 5d)			---- -- 22 Jul 1873
GIBSON, Hiram	11 Mar 1822	---	13 Jun 1896
PORTER, John M.	--	1857	--- -- 1913
GEBHART, J. E.	02 May 1867	---	13 May 1900
DOOP, David W.	25 May 1836	---	18 Jun 1917
DOOP, Charlotte, "his wife" same stn	13 May 1841	---	--- -- ----
DOOP, Andrew B. (22y 10m 28d)	--	----	--- -- 08 May 1896
DOOP, Ida V. (w. of A. B. 23y 10m 28d)	--	----	--- -- 15 Jul 1898
DOOP, H. A.	07 Oct 1879	---	04 Apr 1924
DOOP, Jane	04 Apr 1845	---	29 Sep 1921
DOOP, John	18 Jul 1840	---	14 Oct 1894
DOOP, Edna F.	16 Oct 1886	---	07 Aug 1897
DOOP, Jesse M.	02 Mar 1879	---	02 Nov 1882
DOOP, Ada C. (dau. of Simon & Cynthia)	19 Nov 1871	---	18 Sep 1873
DOOP, Trosby E (son of C. W. & Hannah)	10 Apr 1870	---	17 Sep 1871
DOOP, Mary C.	13 Sep 1846	---	21 Oct 1887

Harmony Cemetery, Contd.

RANDALL, John C. (23y 3m 24d)	--	----	---	13 Sep 1846
MALCOM, Velva (dau. of L. L. & M. A.)	18 Sep 1905	---	25 Aug 1915	
MALCOM, Sarah E.	--	----	14 Oct 1930	
MALCOM, James G.	18 Oct 1866	---	07 Mar 1935	
MALCOM, Sadie E.	22 Mar 1870	---	04 Jan 1946	
PURKEY, Buddy Damon	--	----	03 May 1968	
RYAN, May D.	--	1874	---	1974
RYAN, Robert A.	--	1875	---	1965
RYAN, Anna Cora	--	1898	---	1976
DOOP, Catharine	10 Nov 1814	---	24 Dec 1904	
DOOP, Nellie (w. of A. T. 19y 7m 10d)	--	----	16 Aug 1886	
BERENTZ, Emma (w. of H. E.)	08 Jul 1870	---	29 Nov 1894	
ROBERTS, B. F. (32y 4m 6d)	--	----	11 Feb 1886	
BENSON, Nancy Ann	25 Jul 1824	---	16 Jun 1905	
SHOCKLEY, Mary E. (w. of L. T. 31y 11m.)	----	---	21 Apr 1888	
VAN DYNE, Nancy E.	--	1858	---	1935
VAN DYNE, Nancy E. "Mother"	--	1858	---	1935
VAN DYNE, James L. "Father"	--	1861	---	1947
VAN DYNE, Florence	--	1895	---	19--
VAN DYNE, Harry R.	--	1887	---	1869
GILES, LaFayette	--	1875	---	1959
GILES, Maud	--	1883	---	1947
CUMMINGS, John B.	07 Dec 1913	---	29 Sep 1970	
MALCOM, Catharine Mary	21 Oct 1906	---	19 Dec 1975	
Eytcheson, Sarah	---	----	---	----
HELT, Julia	---	----	---	----
HOPKINS, ----- (Civil War Marker)	---	----	---	----
JONES, Infant	---	----	---	----
PITTENGER, Earnest	---	----	---	----

WILL OF THOMAS WHITMORE, SR

Recorded in Probate's office, Hartford, CT.

The last will and testament of Thomas Whitmore Senior, aged about sixty and six years, being at present under some considerable weakness of body, yet having through the mercy of God, the comfortable use of my understanding as formerly, is as followeth:

After committing my soul to God as to a faithful creator, and my body to a decent burial, I do here leave this as my last Will and testament for the disposal of that portion of worldly estate which God hath given me, amongst these my children and relations which I shall leave behind me, as followeth:

I give to my son John Whitmore a part of my lot in the boggy meadow quarter. That is twenty rods wide of that part of the land within the fence that now is to lie on the south west side that lot and to go from that fence as far east as my land goeth. Moreover, I give to my said son three quarters of my great lott that lyeth westward from the town, to

Whitmore will, contd.

take the whole breadth, half the length, beginning at the farther end and likewise the half the breadth of the other half next the town and to take it on the North Side. And my will is that my son Beriah shall have the other half of that part next the town. Moreover, it is my will that said son John shall have all my proportion and interest in the three mile lott on the east side of the great river, that is the farther three miles on that side eastward, Moreover I give my said son a part of my meadow at Wauggunk being that piece which lying athwart east and west and from the north side of it on the east of my meadow to Jeacon Allyn's meadow.

I give to my son Thomas Whitmore my long meadow lott lying on the north side, Moreover I give to my said son Thomas half my lott at Longerchunk and the other half to my daughter Hanna Stow to be equally divided between them as they shall agree or if they agree not, as indifferent men which they shall choose shall judge equal.

I give to my son Samuel Whitmore a parcell of land on the North Side of the three Mile River which I bought from Goodman Savage by exchange of land being about ten acres lying at the west end Goodman Savage's lott, only Reserving fourteen acres of the land for my Daughter _____ if she survive me, Moreover I give my said son two acres of meadow lying in the farther neck; and a piece of swamp in the Round meadow swamp being one acre and sixteen rods lying between Capt. Harris's swamp and swamp which was Thomas Hubbards. Moreover I give my said son Round Meadow lott being near six acres only Reserving and Willing a third part of it to my daughter Abigail if she survive me or else to Reamin to Samuel.

I give to my son Izrahiah Whitmore my upland lott, on the east side of the Great River being about twenty and two acres lying in the half mile lott, also a piece of meadow at Wauggunk adjoining to his Brother John's line from John' North to a piece of meadow we call Flee Meadow, as also four acres in the pond on the east side of the Great River between Ensign Cheeny and Mr. Nathaniel Collins's meadow. I give my said son one parcell of land in the last half mile division on the east side of the Great River, that is all I have in that division on that side.

I give my son Beriah Whitmore that piece of meadow at Wauggunk called the Flee Meadow, and it is my will herein that my sons that have meadows there shall all of them allow each other a lane highway, as shall be needful to come to thier land there. Moreover I give ot my said son that parcell of upland in my westernmost lott by his brother John's as above specified. Moreover I give to my said son one acre of my home lott next the Great River, on this condition that he come settle upon it but if not he shall not have it, but it shall remain to the lott for them I shall appoint that lott to. On further consideration, I see not cause to give my said son that acre of my house lott.

I give ot my son Nathaniel Whitmore half my land in the boggy meadow quarter of that which lyeth without the fence as it now standeth and the other half to my son Joseph Whitmore Northward to be on the north side that land and Joseph on the south side and the other part within the fence which is not disposed of to John Whitmore, I give to Nathaniel and Joseph to be delivered qually between them. Nathaniel on the north side, and Joseph next John, and it is my will herein, to reserve a piece of land in Nathaniel's part of two acres which lyeth witin the compass of the swamp, to be for my wife, as long as she liveth, and in order hereunto to do ap-

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point and it is my will herein, that Joseph and Nathaniel and John, shall clear and break up that to fit it for improvement, Moreover I give to my said sons Nathaniel and Joseph part of my boggy meadows, That is all the Westernmost and coming down to the head of John Stow's answering the Crook of the River, and I do herein engage on it I doe interest in that meadow not to hinder each other for water courses through the land where shall be for the good of the whole.

I give to my Daughter Sarah Whitmore and my son Josiah Whitmore and my Daughter Mehitable, my great lott at the Straits Hills to be equally divided among them three, Sarah first, Josiah next, and Mehitable last from the home side.

I give Katheren my loving wife the rest of my home lott, with all the housing thereon, during her natural life as also, the one half of my long meadow on the south side of that lott and a parcell of land which I have at Paschoug on the east side the the Great River, and the remainder of my boggy meadow to be divided between my wife and my son Thomas, and after my wife's decease, my will is that my son Thomas shall possess as his own. My homelott, that is all but that disposed of and the other half of my long Meadow and also my land at Pascouchoug. Moreover I gige to my loving wife my field lott during her life or until Benjamin fulfill the age of twenty-one years and then it shall be settled on him as his, moreover as I received of my wife Katheren twenty poinds of her estate, six pounds whereof I have already paid her, yet I appoint and my will is that twenty be paid her out of my estate in household stuff and stock, so as may be most convenient to her and not hurtful to the estate. Moreover I give to my loving wife two cows, the two cows to be part of the twenty pounds above specified.

I give to my Daughters, Sarah, Mehitable, Abigail and Hannah, Junior six pounds apiece out of my estate and to my youngest daughter Hannah one piece of land twenty acres lying near the straits on the west side of the Great River. To my other three daughters I give ten shillings apiece as a Remembrance of me, they being already disposed of and provided for.

Further I give Thomas and Joseph my carpentering tools between them. Moreover it is my will to leave my loving wife and my son John my sole Executores of this my last will and testament appointing that when my just debts are paid out the estate and the legacies likewise paid also, if then, the Estate arise to leave anything more my will is that my Executores shall have the one half of that as theirs and the other to be divided equally to my children which are yet unmarried to be paid to them at their mother's death, or at her marriage if she marry again.

Further is is my will that my son Thomas at my decease shall enjoy one acre of my home lott next the great river of his present use with the housings that are there upon it, and I intend herein and it is my will that my son Thomas shall take care of the orchard to look after it, and that his mother and he shall part the fruit as they shall agree, as also Thomas shall have the liberty to make use of a part of the barne for his own use and this is my full intent in this MY last Will and Testament, I testify by setting to my hand and fixing my seal July 20th, 1681.

THOMAS WHITMORE SENIOR

SEALED

WILL OF JAMES HOVEY

In the Name of God Amen I James Hovey of Mansfield In The County of Windham and Colony of Connecticut, being In good health of body and of perfect sound mind and memory praife be Therefore given to Almighty God but calling to mind the mortallity of my body I do Therefore make and ordain This my last will and Tefftament in manner & form following that is to Say, first and principally I commend my Soul into the hands of God That gave it and my body I Committ to the Earth to be decently buried att the Difcretion of my Executor Hereafter named nothing doubting but att the General re-furection I Shall receive The same again by the almighty power of God, and as Touching Such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give demise and dispose of the same as followeth. Imprimis, I give all my goods and Chattels to be divided in Equal proportion to Thosse of my Children That shall Servive me only to my Edlest son a double in Case he shall Servive me. This only to Contain what is proper moveable Estate without rights Credits or monys.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Daniel Dimmick Asa Dimmick and Abigail Dimmick the Children of my Daughter Priscilla Dimmick to each of them as they come of age twenty shillings olf Ten bills according to its present vallue.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Abigail Curtis, the daughter f my daughter Abigail Curtis Deceased the sum of Ten pounds old Ten bills according to its present vallue, to be paid her by my executor when she shall come of age or marriage which shall first happen.

Item. I gige and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my estate real and personal Viz lands rights and credits the whole vallue thereof to be equally divided vetween my five sons viz James Edmond John Joseph and Daniel and my two daughters viz Deborah Huntington and Mary Austin which are now living togather with the children of my late son Thomas deceased, who are to share equale with one of my children, in such proportion that the children that he had by his first wife shall have the one half of his rights Each to receive their part as they shall come of age and my will further is that if any of my children afforenamed shall die before me, their children shall receive their parents portion as they shall come of age.

and my will further is that such receipts from my children in part of their portions shall be in my hands att my decease shall be considered allowed and accounted to them in part or in whole of their portions.

Finally I nominate and appoint constitute and ordain my beloved son John Hovey of Mansfield to be the sole Executor of This my last will and Testament by my in any way before made, ratifying this and no other to be my last will and testament in witness whereof I do hereunto sett my hand and seal this ___ day of April in the year of our Lord 1752 in the 25th year of his majesties Reign.

signed James Hovey

In presence of Joseph Walden
Paul Hebard
Samuel Gray.

INDEPENDENCE CITY DIRECTORY contd

INDEPENDENCE FURNITURE, C E Ryan 119 w Main
INDEPENDENCE HOSPITAL & SANITARIUM 620 s 5th, Nano Hickey supt
INDEPENDENCE ICE plant No 1 cor Myrtle & Waldschmidt ave
plant No 2 cor Myrtle & 20th John Hebrank; John Bertenshaw; G. T. B
Guernsey; T. C. Truman.
INDEPENDENCE ICE CREAM CO w Laurel, 4 blks w of Mo P depot
S O Kurz propr
INDEPENDENCE IRON WORKS 1315 w Main, John Finley; W D O'Neill.
INDEPENDENCE LAUNDRY CO 212 w Main, Free Owen mgr
Independence Mable & Granit Works F W Garlinghouse; J C Harmon
INDEPENDENCE PARK & IMPROVEMENT Beldorf Theater bldg A P McBride
Independence Plumbing Co 207 w Maple S T Walker prop
Independence Pressing Co 204½ n Penn Denny & Stoppard proprs
Independence Shirt Co (Robt Kincaid C M Flora 203 n Penn
Independence Tailoring Co 203 n Penn Robt Kincaid propr
INDEPENDENCE TRANSFER 112 e Main F L Sawyer pres James Paton vpres & mgr
Independence City Water Works Keystone blk A G Harper supt
Independent Paper Co es Virdigris River nr Main st bridge J F Ellsworth
Inge, Luther C trav r 517 w Laurel.
Inge, Nona student r 415 n 10th
Inge, Wm r 415 n 10th
Inman Harry glass wkr rms 1016 n 8th
Inscho, Bessie clk rms 217 w Main
Inscho Clyde E clk Prairie O & G Co rms 805 n 8th
INSURANCE CO OF N AMERICA of PA 101½ w main, James A Otto agt
IOEGER, Agnes M r 800 w Locust
IOERGER, Felix W carp 1120 n Penn
IOERGER, George W team r 800 w Locust
IOERGER, Harry H team r 800 w Locust
IRBY, Chas W r 320 s 9th
IRBY, Silas W r 414 s Penn
JACKSON, Lizzie, laundress, THE INDEPENDENCE LAUNDRY, r. 809 Railroad
JACKSON, Mack, 4 706 n 11th
JACKSON, Roy, concrete wkr r 605 s 10th
JACKSON, RUSSELL Glen mach rms 406 w Main
JACKSON, Saml r 1114 w Laurel
JACOBY, JAMES M. mgr Wstrn Union Tel. 111 w Myrtle r 800 w Main
JAKOWSKY, John L. propr Palace Clothing Store 101 e Main r 209 s 3rd
JAMES, Eula r 423 n Penn
JAMES, Frank b 112 s Waldschmidt
JAMES, Geo L meat ctr Goodell & Johnson r 817 w Pine
JAMES, Geo W janitor r 210 w Hickory
JAMES, Henry D lab r 614 n 13th
JAMES, HORACE G. editor & prop Indep. Daily Reporter, r 216 w Laurel
JAMES, Ida cashier Palace Clo Store rms 423 e Main
JAMES, Mittie dom r 204 r 11th
JAMES, Wm E foreman r 919 Edison
JAMESON, Thos J blksmith r 524 s 13th

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JARVIS, Wm E blksmith r 406 n 5th
JARRETT, Geo B lab r 1206 w Laurel
JASPER, Amanda A wid John r 301 s 6th
JAY, Russell R 4 1100 no 10th
JAY, SmI N sec mgr Midland Glass Co 4 1100 n 10th
JEFFERSON, Jennie teach r 415 s 8th
JEFFERSON, JOSEPH (c) porter rms 418 s 3d
JEFFERSON, Reuben r 415 s 8th
JEFFERSON, Sarah (c) wid Joe r 810 w Maple
JENKINS, David J drilling contr 212 n 9th
JENKINS, Elijah E lab r 1403 w Locust
JENKINS, Henry S new & 2nd hand furniture 214 w Main
r 218 w Main
JENKINS, J. Earl clk Harrison & Hebrank r 210 s 8th
JENKINS, Pearl milliner r 212 n 9th
JEWELL John meat ctr Tabron & Co r Laurel Hotel
JEWETT, Homer C. r 704 w Pine
JEWETT, Winnie M. r 704 w Pine
JIENCKE, Harry pres Ks Cracker Co 400 RR r 600 n Penn
JOHNSON, Anna wid James R r 107½ w Main
JOHNSON, Alfred D r 818 e Myrtle
JOHNSON, Asenath, Mrs r 725 n 8th
JOHNSON, Audrey nurse Indep Hosp
JOHNSON, Augusta r 107½ w Main
JOHNSON, A. Frank (Goodell & Johnson) r 214 s 8th
JOHNSON, Blanche r 414 s 15th
JOHNSON, Chas A r 915 w Myrtle
JOHNSON, Chas P student r 214 s 8th
JOHNSON, Chas lab r 708 n 12th
JOHNSON, Christina wid Louis r 401 s 2d
JOHNSON, Earl L carp contr 701 n 13th
JOHNSON, Ellis carp contr 711 w Sycamore
JOHNSON, Elijah (c) lab r 512 s 20th
JOHNSON, Elmer B team r 818 e Myrtle
JOHNSON, E. Harvey gas ftr Chicago Plmb Co r 421 s 13th
JOHNSON, Freda r 419 s 8th
JOHNSON, Geo N carp r 716 w Cottonwood
JOHNSON, Geo glass blower b Heckman House
JOHNSON, Gertrude pack Ks Cracker Co
JOHNSON, Henry (c) cuffer Hotel De Hoss
JOHNSON, Henry T S Rev (c) pastor St John's Chapel, r 306 e Main
JOHNSON, Irma r 414 s 15th
JOHNSON, J. A. jeweler watchmaker, r 419 s 8th
JOHNSON, James B r 414 s 15th
JOHNSON, Jesse L r 529 s 15th
JOHNSON, Jesse W lab r 708 n 12th
JOHNSON, John F foreman r n s SF tracks & 13th st
JOHNSON, John R pres Midland Glas Co r Pittsburg, PA
JOHNSON, Joseph C blksmith r 406 s 11th

TOWNSHIPS IN LABETTE COUNTY, KANSAS

Labette County, Kansas is located in the Southeastern section of the state, along the Oklahoma State Line. It is the first county east of Montgomery County, Kansas. Listed are the sixteen townships with Township and Range lines East of the Sixth Principal Meridian.

Neosho Township	T31S	W 5/6 of R21E
North Township	T31S	R20E
Walton Township	T31S	R19E
Osage Township	T31S and N 1/3 of T32S R18E and E 1/3 of R17E	
Mound Valley Township	S 2/3 of T32S and N 2/3 of T33S R18E and E 1/3 of R17E	
Labette Township	T32S	R19E
Liberty Township	T32S	R20E
Montana Township	T32S	W 5/6 of R21E
Oswego Township	T33S	W 5/6 of R21E
Fairview Township	T33S	R20E
Mt. Pleasant Township	T33S	R19E
Canada Township	S 1/3 of T33S and N 1/2 of T34S R18E and E 1/3 of R17E	
Howard Township	S 1/2 of T34S and N 1/2 of T35S R18E and E 1/3 of R17E	
Elm Grove Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S R19E	
Hackberry Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S R20E	
Richland Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S W 5/6 of R21E	

TOWNSHIPS IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KANSAS

Montgomery County, Kansas is located in the Southeastern section of the state along the Oklahoma State Line. Listed are the twelve townships with Township and Range Lines East of the Sixth Principal Meridian.

Cherry Township	T31S and N 1/2 of T32S W 2/3 of R17E
West Cherry Township	T31S and N 1/2 of T32S E 2/3 of R16E (the Verdigris River forms the West boundary line).
Sycamore Township	T31S and N 1/2 of T32S R15E and W 1/3 of R16E (the Verdigris River forms the East boundary).
Louisburg Township	T31S and N 1/2 of T32S R14E and E 1/3 of R13E
Rutland Township	T33S and S 1/2 of T32S R14E and E 1/3 of R13E
Independence Township	T33S and S 1/2 of T32S R15E and E 1/3 of R16E (the Verdigris River forms the East boundary line of the NE 1/6).
Drum Creek Township	S 1/2 of T32S and 1/6 of T33S W 2/3 of R16E and W 2/3 R17E (the Verdigris River forms the West boundary).
Liberty Township	5/6 of T33S E 2/3 of R16E and W 2/3 of R17E
Cherokee Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S W 2/3 of R17E
Parker Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S E 2/3 of R16E
Fawn Creek Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S R15E and W 1/3 of R16E
Caney Township	T34S and N 1/2 of T35S R14E and E 1/3 of R13E

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Hughie G. Ray, 21, of Independence, Kas and Mollie E. Powell, 18, of Independence, Kas at Choteau School House, South Cherry Township, October 24, 1886 by James B. Gibson, Minister M. E. Church

Dow Wardlow, 24, Havana, Kas. and Rebecca Kilburn, 16 Havana, Kas. at Independence, Kas on October 27, 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Frank W. Crane, 27, of Independence, Kas. and Jessie Bailey, 22 of Independence, Kas. on October 26, 1886 at Mrs. Bailey's by J. S. Grimes, a minister of the Gospel

Abraham Bear, 45, of Liberty, Ks. and Elizabeth Hurtz 40, of Liberty, Kas. on October 31, 1886 by John Cleveland, Minister, at his residence.

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Frank W. Bender, 26, of Independence, Kas. and Emma B. Mills, 19, of Independence, Kas at Independence, Kas. November 3, 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Oscar Wilson, 24, of Independence, Kas and Georgia Rutherford, 23, of Cherryvale, Kas at Cherryvale, Oct. 31, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

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Henry C. Calhoun, 34, of Independence, Kas. and Mattie M. Cavert, 25, of Independence, Kas. by Ananias Cullison at Independence

Dennis J. Crosson, 35, of Coffeyville, Kas and Carrie Parker, 23 of Coffeyville, Kas. by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge at Independence, on Nov. 11, 1886

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Oliver P. Caldwell, 25, of Liberty, Kas. and Mollie Slay 21, of Liberty, Kas at Independence, Kas on November 13, 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

Christian Cahrs, 28, of Independence, Kas. and Elizabeth Barth, 20, of Independence, Kas. at Independence, on Oct. 31, 1896 by Gustave Voit, Lutheran pastor

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James A. skinner, 29, of Sternerton, Kas. and Elizabeth A. Cole, 23, of Neodesha, Kans. on November 3 1886 at home of Tal Cole by David Oliver, minister M. E. Church

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William H. dyer, 23, of Coffeyville, Kans. and Catharine Hickman, 17, of Coffeyville, Kans. at "near Coffeyville" Nov. 17, 1886 by Hugh McBurney, Pastor M.E. Church

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Edward W. Roper, 21, of Girard, Kans, and Hattie Salisbury 20, of Liberty, Kans in Liberty Township on Nov. 7, 1896 by A. P. Forsyth, Min.

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John A. Richarz, 24, of Liberty, Kans, and Mary J. Reiter, 18, of Liberty, Kans. at Liberty, Kans on November 23, 1886 by P. Saholl, Catholic priest

John Adams, 26, of Independence, Kans, and Mary Everett, 18, of Independence, Kans, at Independence, on Nov. 23. 1886 by Rev. P. Johnson

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Edward B. silkwood, 24, of Cherryvale, Kans, and Ona Riggs, 23 of Cherryvale, Kans. at Independence, on Nov. 24, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

Frank L. Terry, 24, of Kansas City, Mo. and Cora B. May, 20, of Independence, Kans. on Nov. 25, 1885 at Independence, by Ananias Cullison

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Guy V. Cadwallader, 34, of Lebo, Kans. and Clara A. Ruble 25, of Independence, Kans at Independence, Kans. on Nov. 25, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

Jeff Steagall, 24, of Independence, Kans and Maria Welsh, 18, of Independence, Kans at Independence on Nov. 25, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

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Albert May, 27, of Coffeyville, Kans. and Fannie Ellis 23, of Fawn Creek township on November 25, 1886 at Ellis residence by Robert M. Cullison

James H. Childress, 24, of Coffeyville, Kans. and Myrtle Luellen, 18, of Coffeyville, on 21 November 1886 at Luellen residence by Alex. Humphries, min.

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Henry Scott, 23, of Cherryvale, Kans. and Fannie Smith, 21 of Cherryvale, Kans at Cherryvale on Nov. 26, 1886 by Rev. H. P. Wigley

Alexander King, 56 of Fredonia, Kans, and Emeline Kemp 45 of Cherryvale, Kans. at Cherryvale, on November 29, 1886 by J. W. Wilson, minister

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Wm H. Atkinson, 23 of Rutland, Kans. and Elizabeth M. Wonderly, 19, of Rutland, Kans, on 2 December 1886 by P. M. Shultz, minister at Wonderly residence

James F. Oliphant, 25, of Cherryvale, Kans, and Ettie Crain, 19 of Cherryvale on 3 Dec. 1886 at Cherryvale by A. H. Beny

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Eugene P. Evans, 23 of Independence, Kans and Persylla M. Watts, 17, of Independence. at Independence on Dec. 5, 1886 by J. W. Ferrell, minister of Christian Church

John C. Hockett, 27, Cherryvale, Kans. and Alpha O. Whelan, 19, of Cherryvale at Cherryvale on Dec. 8, 1886 by Josiah Davis, Minister of the Gospel

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George W. Getrost, 29, of Coffeyville, Kansas and Gracie Pruitt, 23, of Coffeyville, Kans. on Dec. 7, 1886 at Pleasant Vale school house by A. W. Kaufman, M. G.

Charles E. Kirwin, of Neodesha, Kans aged 24 and Louise Thornton, 23 of Radical City, Kans. on Dec. 11 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge at Independence

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Nelson Carter, 26, of Coffeyville, Kans, and Sallie Lewis, 38, of Coffeyville at Coffeyville, on Nov. 26, 1886 by J. G. Wilson

Howard J. Stewart, 30, of Coffeyville, Kans and Eliza J. Benadum, 23 of Coffeyville, at Coffeyville on Dec. 8, 1886 by W. B. Chamberlin

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Wm. B. Freeman, 24 of Havana, Kans. and Emma F. Needles, 17, of Havana, Kans. at Independence on 16, Dec. 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

William T. Brown, 24, Neodesha, Kans. and Mary Hazen, 19, of Neodesha, Kans. at bride's home on December 22, 1886 by W. W. Curnutt, M. G.

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Thomas Jones, 45, of Brownsville, Kansas and Barbara Robertson, 45 of Brownsville, Kansas at their home in Chautauqua, Kansas, December 19, 1886 by S. Walters, J.P.

George X. Wendling, 25, Appleton, Kans, and Inez A. Cross 25, of Elk City, Kans..at Elk city on December 17, 1886 by J. G. Wilson

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George F.(T?)Lord, 23, of Cherryvale, Kans. and Catherine H. Bunch, 22, of Cherryvale, Kans. at Cherryvale on 19 Dec. 1886 by A. H. Berry

J. F. Bender, 22, of Caldwell, Kans. and Mattie E. Eastburn, 20, of Independence, Kans. at Independence, on December 22, 1886 by J. W. Ferrell

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Alfonzo C. Van Camp, 30, of Coffeyville, Kans and Lillie J. Boone, 18, of Coffeyville, Kans, at William VanCamp's Residence on December 20, 1886 by Rev. C. T. Ellis

Charles L. Clifford, 30, of Crane, Kans, and Sarah J. Verbrick, 20 of Crane, Kans at Independence, Kans. on December 26, 1886 by Thomas Harrison, Probate Judge

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Archibald T. Snouffer, 18, of Elk City, Kans. and Lydia C. French, ___ of Elk City, Kans. at Col. Palmer's on 24 October, 1886 by William Gable, minister.

John D. Lyons, 37, of Chautauqua Springs, Kans, and Sarah Traylor, 36, of Chautauqua prings, Kans on 29 December, 1886 by Thomas Harrison Probate Judge at Independence, Jans.

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David W. Perkins, 20, of Independence, Kans. and Georgia Paige, 19, of Independence on Dec. 23, 1886 at minister's residence by W. H. McVey, minister of the Gospel

Frank H. Shoptaugh, 23, of Cherryvale, Kans. and Lida J. McLees, 19 of Coffeyville, Kans. at Coffeyville on Dec. 30, 1886 by H. McBurney, Pastor M. E. church

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Samuel H. Conner, 20, of Independence, Kans. and Mary C. Cline, 20 of Independence, on 26 December 1886 at Mr. Cline's by Rev. Caleb Fogle

James L. Sloan, 23 of Elk City Kans. and Thella Hansford, 19 of Elk City, Kans. on Dec. 24, 1886 at Elk City by Eld. WM Gable

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George W. Edmonds, 29, of Independence, Kans, and Martha E. Stevens, 31 of Independence, Kans. at Independence on Dec. 30, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

Albert A. Wilson, 38, of Independence, Kans. and Marion R. Navarre, 20, of Independence at or near Independence, on December 29, 1886 by Ananias Cullison

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William H. Berry, 29, of Cherryvale, Kans. and Mary E. Renick, 18 of Cherryvale, Kans. at Cherryvale on 23 Dec. 1886 by Mr. Lowe, min.

Aaron C. Enos, 23 of Comersville, Indiana and Flora Paige, 18 of Independence, Kans. at Paige residence on 29 Dec. 1886 by Nathan J Mills

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Mark E. Goldsmith 25, of Coffeyville, Kans. and Sarah French, 17, at Coffeyville, Kans. on Jan. 1, 1887 by Luther Perkins, J. P.

Oliver M. Roach, 22, of Cherryvale, Kans. and Sarah H. Thorwell, __, of Cherryvale, Kans. at Cherry Cherry township on Jan. 2, 1887 by G. D. Dennis, J. P.

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William E. Hinton, 22, of Caney, Kans. and Nora Blake 20 of Havana, Kans. at Blake residence on 1 Jan. 1887 by J. Blake, Minister

W. Freeman Hall, 21, of Independence, Kans. and Fannie Bates, 19, of Independence at home of Fannie Bates on 5 January, 1887 by J. D. Grimes, pastor Presbyterian church

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A. S McCowen, 42, of Fawn Kans. and Lucy V. Hall, 20 of Fawn Kans. at the bride's residence on January 3, 1887 by Rev. Robt. M. Cullison

Charles Burch, 30, of Independence, Kans. and Isabell Birch, 23, of Colfax, Kans. at Colfax, Chautauqua (County?) on Jan. 1, 1887 by W. A. Tanksley, J. P.

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EARLY CITIZENS OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KANSAS

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JAMES F. BLACKLEDGE

No other county in the state owes its phenomenal development to the fire and snap of youth to a greater extent than does Montgomery. Here, in the years immediately succeeding the great Civil War, settled men whose youthful fiber had been steeled by war's exacting duties, and who are now referred to as "old settlers." Though still active, they have gradually given way to the younger element, whose educational equipment fits them to take up the more complicated work of advancing civilization. Among this number the gentleman whose name initiates this paragraph is noted as a leader, adding to the restless energy of youth the sound judgment that comes from successful contact with the business world in various capacities.

James F. Blackledge is the present efficient cashier and manager of the Caney Valley National Bank of Caney City. The place of his nativity was Rockville, Indiana the time October, 1869. He is the youngest son of William and Phebe (Johns) Blackledge, his parents belonging to that sturdy class of artisans which has made the "Hoosier State" famous in the field of labor. The parents are natives of Ohio, the father born in 1832, and upon arriving at manhood becoming a builder and contractor in Indiana. In this state he passed his early manhood and cheerfully laid aside the implements of peace to wield the sword in the glorious cause of freedom during the three long years of the Civil War. In 1879, he cast his lot with the "Sunflower State" settling first in Oswego, then at Coffeyville, where he and his wife now reside, honored members of society. Seven children were born to them, three boys and two girls yet living.

A lad of but ten years when he first looked upon Kansas prairies, Mr. Blackledge lays claim to being a Kansan "to the manor born" the entire formative and educational period of his life being passed within the borders of the State. The foundation of his excellent education was laid in the district schools, from which he passed to a course in Salina College. At nineteen, after passing a creditable examination in the Civil Service he received an appointment in the railway mail service as

clerk, his first run being on the Ft. Scott & Webb City R.R., from Ft. Scott to Webb City. The facility which he rapidly acquired in the service and a fine grasp of the more intricate problems which came up for solution almost daily, soon marked him for promotion, and he was tested in many different positions in the succeeding five years, in all of which he proved efficient.

The marriage of Mr. Blackledge, in 1890, had thrown him into contact with a master of finance in the person of his father-in-law, E. P. Allen, president of the Bank of Independence, and with whom, in 1893, he became associated in a banking venture in the then village of Caney. Joint purchasers of stock in the Caney Valley Bank, they operated it as a state bank until 1900, when it was incorporated under the name now known, with a capital of \$25,000.00 Under the splendid management of Mr. Blackledge, this bank has become one of the solid financial institutions of the county, with a working deposit of nearly \$100,000.00 If one thing more than another has contributed to Mr. Blackledge's success in the business world, it is his absolute fidelity to a trust, and the careful consideration he gives to the minutest detail of work.

Politics, as such, proves of but little interest to Mr. Blackledge. He votes with the Republican party, and, yielding to the solicitation of friends, has served his municipality in the board of councilmen. To this he adds the sinecure of city treasurer.

The home life of our subject has been peculiarly felicitous, Miss Mattie H. Allen, daughter of E.P. and Mary Allen, becoming his wife as stated above, in 1890. To this union have been born four bright children --- Ralph T., Paulina, Gwynne and Mercedes.

Mr. Blackledge is a member of Masonic Blue Lodge, a K. of P. and an M. W. A. and Mrs. Blackledge is a member of the Presbyterian church.

JOHN J. KLOEHR

One of the best known citizens of Southern Kansas is John Kloehr, proprietor of an extensive livery business at Coffeyville. He is full of snap and energy of youth and gives promise of many years of active and vigorous life.

The historic and picturesque Rhine of the Fatherland

was the place of birth of Mr. Kloehr, the time June 30, 1860. Joseph and Margaret (Bozst) Kloehr were his parents. They were one of the middleclass families, and had been well-to-do millers in that country for generations. In 1870, Joseph Kloehr brought his family to America, settling in Leroy, Kansas, where he went into the packing business. After two years he came to Coffeyville and began a hotel business, being remembered as "mine host" of the Southern Hotel. He, later, built a handsome brick residence on a 220-acre tract near town, where he was living at the time of his demise, February 14, 1901.

Joseph Kloehr was a gentleman who combined in a marked degree the best characteristics of his race --- the Teutonic resoluteness of purpose and the sturdy common sense and absolute honesty which is part of the German training. His wife is still an honored resident of the community, a devout member of the Catholic church, and a lady whose graces of character cause her to be an object of much veneration. The family born to them are as follows: John J., Mollie, Mrs. Robt. Ollonger, of Coffeyville; Joseph V., residing on the home farm; Frances, wife of Samuel Hart, proprietor of the Southern Hotel, of Coffeyville; Charles, who is in the livery business with our subject; two are deceased ---an un-named infant and Barbara, who died at six years.

A ten-year-old lad when the family came to America, John J. Kloehr is a product of Coffeyville, institutions, developing into sturdy manhood amid the influences of a live western town. Having a good knowledge of the Butcher business by the time he had reached maturity, his first business venture was in the conduct of a shop for some two years. He then engaged with the government on the Canadian river in handling cattle for a year, and, after a like period in Colorado, prospecting for precious metals, came back to Coffeyville, "ne'er again to roam." He began buying and selling horses, which finally led him into the livery business. He and his brother have made a handsome success of their stable, and are the leading firm in the city in their line. They are housed in their own building, a brick two stories, 50x111 feet, with stalls for sixty-eight head of stock in the main building and shed room for an indefinite number in addition. They have a complete outfit and keep in active service some thirty horses.

Prior to October 5, 1892, the little town of Coffeyville was an unknown quantity. The events of that day caused it to spring, with ine bound, into national notice and for months it became the cynosure of all eyes. The events of "the Dalton raid" have passed into history and need not be rehearsed here. It is due to John J. Kloehr, however, that the biographer should tell in an "unvarnished

tale" the very prominent part taken by him in that day's exciting events. He was reclining on a cot in the stable when Harris Reed ran in and announced the arrival of the gang. Having no gun at hand, Mr. Kloehr crossed with him to the Boswell hardware store, and, hastily securing an outfit, got into the fight without further delay. For ten minutes the fighting was most fierce, and on count of noses four of the desperadoes were found to have passed the divide, while the bodies of four dead horses lay beside them. For that ten minute's work John Kloehr deserves unstinted praise for the bravery and coolness he displayed, and it was with pleasure that his friends noted the very generous response from those who admired his conduct. Lyman J. Gage, later President McKinley's secretary of the treasury, and then president of the First National Bank of Chicago, was instrumental in raising a fund of a thousand dollars, with which he had manufactured a beautiful gold medal, two inches in diameter and with a costly diamond in the center, and upon which was engraved the following: "John Joseph Kloehr ---the Emergency Arose and the Man Appeared." Upon the opposite side the sentiment: "Presented by friends in Chicago, Ill., who admire nerve and courage when displayed in defense of social order." Besides this came numerous other offerings, among which was a Winchester repeating rifle, a pair of rubber boots, indicative of "wading in," and a handsome hunting jacket.

Mr. Kloehr was happily joined in marriage, in 1884, to Miss Katie Huff, a native of Indiana. Four children have come to them: Jessie, Russell, Franklin, and Nannie.

As intimated in the opening sentences of this review Mr. Kloehr is a citizen of whom Coffeyville may be proud. He takes a keen interest in the life of the town, has served as alderman, school director, and for a period, as deputy sheriff. In social life he holds membership in the I.O.O.F., K. of P., A.O.U.W. and the Woodmen, and when he takes a hand in politics, it is to the aid of the Democratic ticket.

SAMUEL McMURTRY

The subject of this sketch is the efficient clerk of Montgomery county, and has been a factor in the count's affairs for the past eleven years. He is one of the great throng of honorable and creditable citizens who have been filling up Kansas from the "Hoosier State" since the war of the Rebellion and, himself, sought its borders in the year 1887.

Mr. McMurtry was born in Hamilton county, Indiana, September 10th, 1854, and is a son of Ansel McMurtry, who died November 18th, 1854, the year of our subject's birt, at the age of thirty-two. The father was a native of Kentucky, where his parents established themselves on coming to the United States from the British Isles, just after the war of 1812. Samuel McMurtry, grand-father of our subject, was the pioneer ancestor above referred to, and was head of the McMurtry family of this branch in America. About the year 1830, he accompanied several of his children into Hamilton county, Indiana, where he passed away at a ripe old age. He married Elsie Reid, a lady of Irish birth, and reared a large family of children. In business affairs he was a trader and farmer.

Ansel McMurtry grew up in Indiana and there married Polly Burris. She was of English birth and was born February 8th, 1827. She still resides in Hamilton county and is the widow of Thomas Phillips. By her first marriage five children were born, of whom three survive, and seven children were born to her last marriage, only one of whom now lives. The McMurtry children are: Mrs. Maria Wilson, of Arcadia, Indiana; Mrs. Rosa Phillips, of Lawrence, Kansas; Mrs. Sarah Scully, who died in Hamilton county, Indiana, in 1875; and Samuel, of this review.

Orphaned at the age of two months, our subject never knew the guidance and protection of a father. The training of the farm and the rural school fell his lot in boyhood and he finished his education with graduation from the Union High Academy, at Westfield, Indiana.. He took up study of law in Noblesville, Indiana, with the firm of Kane & Davis, and was admitted to the bar in 1879, after a due course of reading. But instead of engaging in the practice of law he took up the work of teaching school and followed it in his native state for ten years.

In 1887, he came out to Kansas with the intention of teaching one year and then taking up the profession of law. An attractive offer was made to him in Kinsley, where he located, to take charge of the city schools, and this caused him to deviate from his original plans, and he presided over the destinies of the schools of the county seat pf Edwards county, as superintendent, for five years. The depression of the times brought business to such a low ebb in western Kansas that, in 1892, he decided to get nearer the center of population, and away from the region of the western plains. He chose Montgomery county for his field of labors and located in Coffeyville where he became associate editor of the Coffeyville Journal, then under the management of the late Capt. D.

S. Elliott. Soon after his arrival he was appointed city attorney of the thrifty town on the border, and performed his public duties in connection with his newspaper work for one year. For four years he occupied the position on the editorial staff of the Journal and then left it to engage in the real estate and insurance business in that city. In this line of activity he was engaged when nominated and elected and finally installed, as county clerk, January 12th, 1903.

Samuel McMurtry was brought up a Republican. His father was a Whig, but his son's political training was left in the hands of others, and it was supplied by teachers of the Republican school. In early manhood he became a factor in local political affairs and his services have always been freely given to his party, as a worker and a speaker. He was nominated for county clerk by acclamation, 1 899, but was defeated by only fifty-four votes, at a time when the Fusionists had quite a substantial majority. In 1902, the Republican County Convention renewed its fealty to him and gave him another nomination by acclamation, with the result that he defeated his opponent at the polls by seven hundred and ninety-one votes.

While Mr. McMurtry is an ardent advocate of Republican policies, and of the cause of its candidates, yet he never fails to manifest a courteous and respectful attitude toward those of opposing beliefs and, as a consequence, his candidacy has drawn heavily from the forces of the Fusionists when he has been in the political race.

December 28th, 1876, Mr. McMurtry married Miss Julia A. Rammel, in Westfield, Indiana. Mrs. McMurtry is a daughter of Rev. Eli and Cassa (Cash) Rammel, and was born in Middletown, Henry county, Indiana. Her parents came to Kansas in 1879, lived on a farm near Coffeyville, and there died, the former October 26, 1882, and the latter August 10th, 1887.

Eli Rammel was a Methodist minister and was a member of the North Indiana Conference for forty years. By his marriage he was the father of ten children, five of whom are living. The children of Mr. and Mrs. McMurtry are: Ansel E., of Kansas City, Mo.; Elmer E. and Gertrude living in Coffeyville; while Vinita died in Coffeyville in 1898 at the age of sixteen years, and Sharley and Carrie died at Kinsley, Kansas in infancy.

Mr. McMurtry is a Mason, a Knight of Pythias, a Modern Woodman and a member of the Fraternal Aid Association

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