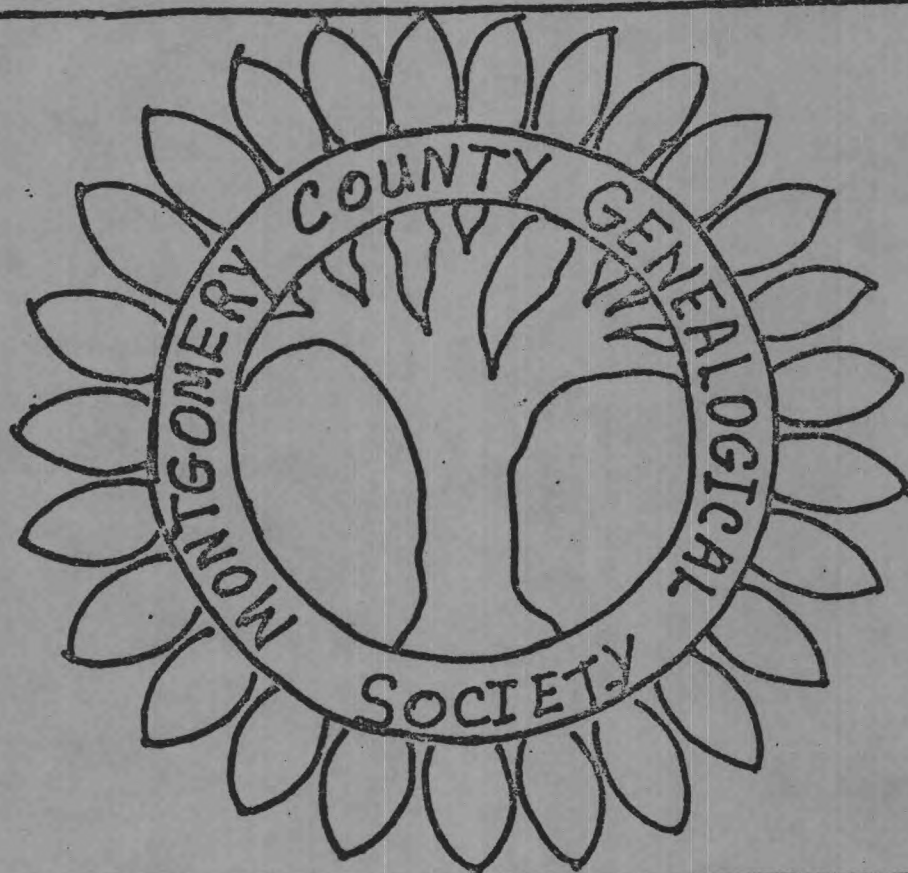


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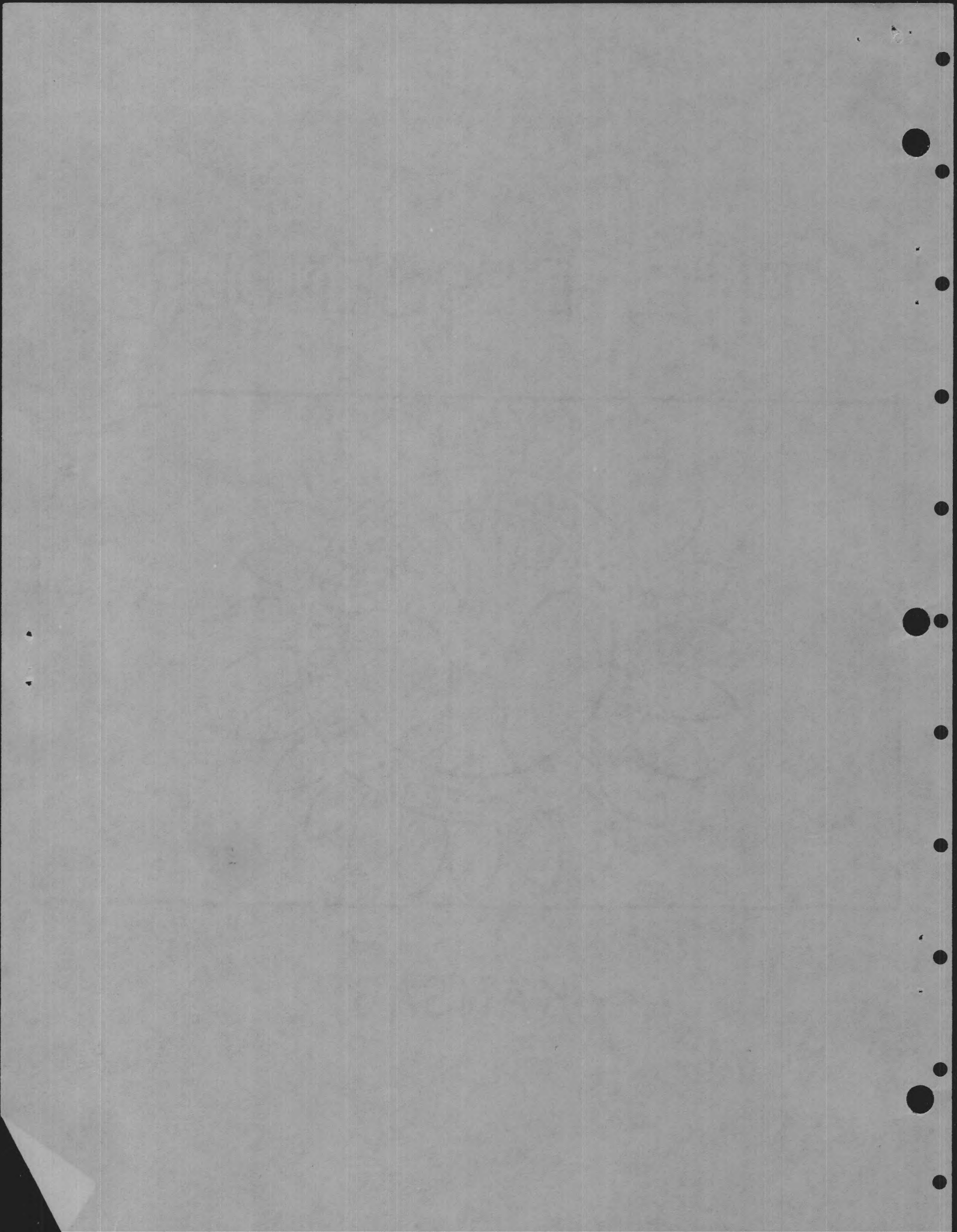
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1870 - 1900. This book was researched by one of our out-of-town members, Mr. Robert VanDyne, of Salina, Kansas. This book is the latest one we have published and includes federal and state census, cemeteries, maps, and histories of people in the Drum Creek Township. Price \$11.00.

THE PRAIRIE PIPE LINE COMPANY

(This information is continued from our August 1985 issue)

ARMBRUSTER, Walter E. Born July 25th, 1888, at Kansas City, Missouri. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company May 1st, 1911, as Laborer on Northern Division. On January 1st, 1915, promoted to fireman and acted in such capacity until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, in the same capacity. On January 29th, 1919, promoted to Tour Engineer, working as such until April 13th, 1922, when he was classed as Blacksmith until December 10th, 1922, when he again was rated as Engineer and at present time is acting in that capacity. Continuous service date May 1st, 1911.

ASHBA, Daniel. Born December 29th, 1889, at Rogers, Arkansas. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company July 1st, 1913, as Operator on Northern Division, continuing as such until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, in the same capacity, and has been continuously in service up to the present time. Continuous service date July 1st, 1913.

BABCOCK, David L. Born May 2nd, 1850, at Leonardsville, New York. Entered service of National Transit Company April 10th, 1887, as Engineer, continuing with that Company until December 8th, 1890, when he entered the service of The Southern Pipe Line Company, in the same capacity, and worked continuously until December 20th, 1897, at which time he went with Standard Oil Company, as Engineer. On July 15th, 1905, he entered the service until August 1st, 1921, at which time he was retired from active service and placed on the Annuity Pay Roll of this Company. Continuous service date April 10th, 1887.

BAHAN, Thomas R. Born March 25th, 1870, at Cattaraugus,

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New York. Had service with Buckeye Pipe Line Company, Southwestern Pennsylvania Pipe Line Company and National Transit Company, in various capacities, from April 22nd, 1887, to August 1st, 1910, when he severed his connection with these companies and entered the service of The Texas Company. Entered the service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company August 11th, 1911, as Engineer on Southern Division. On March 1st, 1913, promoted to Gauger and worked as such until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, in like capacity, having been continuously employed as Gauger, Operator, Engineer, Engineer and Operator and at the present time is Operator in F. D. No. 3. Continuous service date August 11th, 1911.

BAKER, George B. Born December 7th, 1877, at St. Marys, Ohio. Entered service of the Company February 1st, 1915, and has been continuously employed in various Districts as Laborer, Assistant Engineer and at present is Machinist's Helper in F. D. No. 3. Continuous service date February 1st, 1915.

BAKER, James M. Born December 19th, 1864, at Smiths Ferry, Pennsylvania. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company May 1st, 1906, as Laborer on Northern Division. January 1st, 1907, promoted to Fireman. June 2nd, 1914, promoted to Tour Engineer and was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company February 1st, 1915, in like capacity, and has been employed in that capacity up to present time. Continuous service date May 1st, 1906.

BALDWIN, Melvin M. Born May 3rd, 1891, at Williamsfield, Illinois. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company March 1st, 1910, as Laborer on Northern Division, leaving the service on November 1st, 1910, of his own accord. Reentered service April 1st, 1911, as Laborer on Northern Division. June 1st, 1916, promoted to Fireman. April 15th, 1918, to April 28th, 1919, had service with United States Army. Reentered service of the Company

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April 28th, 1919, as Fireman on Northern Division and has been continuously employed in that capacity to present time. Continuous service date April 1st, 1915.

BANKS, James O. Born January 3rd, 1889, at McNeil, Arkansas. Entered service of the Company January 1st, 1918, as Fireman on Arkansas Division. June 1st, 1918, promoted to Engineer. January 21st, 1931, promoted to Chief Engineer, in various districts, and has been continuously employed as Chief Engineer and Tour Engineer, at present time being Tour Engineer on Panhandle Division. Continuous service date January 1st, 1918.

BANKS, Newton A. Born September 23rd, 1899, at DeQueen, Arkansas. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company January 1st, 1913, and was employed as Laborer, Telegrapher and Linewalker until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, as Telegrapher in General Office at Independence, Kansas. August 13th, 1919, promoted to Engineer-Operator and has been continuously employed as Engineer-Operator, Operator-Gauger and at present is acting as Electrician on Southern Division. Continuous service date January 1st, 1913.

BAPTIE, James A. Born February 2nd, 1873, at Fagundus, Pennsylvania. Had broken service with Ohio Oil Company, The Prairie Oil & Gas Company, Tidewater Pipe Company and Producers Transportation Company from September 1st, 1907, to January 1st, 1911, in various capacities. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company January 1st, 1911, as Operator in F. D. No 1, and worked as such until August 1st, 1912, when he entered service of The Standard Oil Company (California) in like capacity. Reentered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company August 1st, 1913, as Engineer-Operator at Tulsa, Oklahoma, and continued with that Company until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The

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The Prairie Pipe Line Company contd.

Prairie Pipe Line Company, in like capacity. January 1st, 1916, promoted to Gauger and at present time is working in that capacity in F. D. No 3. Continuous service date January 1st, 1911.

BARBER, Harry L. Born September 13th, 1883, at Aiken, Pennsylvania. Had broken service with Bellville Oil Company and Hazelwood Oil Company from August, 1900, to March, 1905, in various capacities. March 1st, 1905, entered service of Ohio Oil Company, as Pumper, and was employed by that Company until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to Illinois Pipe Line Company as Laborer, continuing with that Company as Laborer, Operator, Engineer and Gauger until August 26th, 1918, when he came to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, as Connection Foreman in F. D. No 15. December 8th, 1926, transferred to The Prairie Oil & Gas Company, in like capacity. January 5th, 1928, transferred back to service of The Prairie Pipe Line Company, as Connection Foreman, in F. D. No. 15. Continuous service date March 1st, 1905.

BARNES, Will L. Born April 30th, 1886, at Hamilton, Texas. Entered service of the Company May 27th, 1918, and has been continuously employed as Laborer, Truck Driver, Oiler, Engineer, Linewalker, Chief Engineer and at present is Engineer on Oklahoma-Texas Division. Continuous service date May 27th, 1918.

BARR, Bruce V. Born October 7th, 1885, at Dayton, Ohio. Had continuous service with Indiana Pipe Line Company, Buckeye Pipe Line Company, Ohio Oil Company, Bedford Pipe Line Company and Standard Oil Company (Louisiana) from May 1st, 1904, to January 1st, 1909, in various capacities. January 1st, 1909, entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company and was employed as Commissary Clerk, Laborer and Gauger until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to the service of The Prairie Pipe Line Company, as Gauger. Entered service of Standard Oil Company (Indiana) November 1st, 1915, as Superintendent Storage and Construction.

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March 1st, 1919, reentered service of The Prairie Pipe Line Company as Line Foreman. December 1st, 1919, appointed Foreman of F. D. No 26. Continuous service date May 1st, 1904.

BARRETT, Hunter. Born November 17th, 1880, at Waldron, Arkansas. Entered service of the Company August 4th, 1918, and has been continuously employed as Laborer, Stabber, Connection Foreman and at present is employed as Truck Driver in F. D. No. 18. Continuous service date August 4th, 1918.

BARTLETT, Don C. Born May 13th, 1878, at Marietta, Ohio. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company March 10th, 1906, as Engineer-Operator, continuing as such until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company and has been continuously employed since that time as Engineer-Operator in F. D. No. 3. Continuous service date March 10th, 1906.

BASE, Daniel D. Born November 2nd, 1887, at Pawnee Rock, Kansas. Entered service of the Company August 1st, 1917, and worked continuously as Laborer and Watchman until May 1st, 1918, when he entered the service of U. S. N. Pipe Line Unit for duty in Scotland. Reentered service of The Prairie Pipe Line Company January 1st, 1919, and has been continuously employed as Laborer, Linewalker, Assistant Gauger, Gauger, Relief Gauger and at present is Laborer in F. D. No. 15. Continuous service date August 1st, 1917.

BATES, Ralph W. Born June 17th, 1874, at Golden, Missouri. Entered service of The Prairie Oil & Gas Company November 1st, 1914, as Laborer, and worked in that capacity until February 1st, 1915, when he was transferred to The Prairie Pipe Line Company, as Engineer. October 1st, 1917, promoted to Gauger and has been continuously employed as such, in F. D. No. 2, up to present time. Continuous service date November 1st, 1914.

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FROM WHENCE WE CAME

A Little History of Hewins, Kansas

Submitted by Herman GUY

(This book was published in February 1983. The material was gathered by Esther LEONARD with editing and additions by Joseph LEONARD.)

THE BLACK DOG TRAIL

(This article was taken from the Sedan Times-Star, 19 May 1976. It was written by Margo BOULANGER.)

(On May 15 and 16, 1976, a re-enactment of the route of the Trail of the Osage Indians through southeastern Kansas, took place. The trail began near Baxter Springs, Kansas, and ended near Oxford, Kansas. It included stops near Chetopa, Coffeyville, on Caney River near Elgin and Hewins; on Buck Creek in northern Oklahoma; Ozro Falls, (west of Hewins;) Rock Creek; and on to Oxford, Kansas.

The story of the Trail is an excerpt from the book, "The Black Dog Trail" by Tillie Karns NEWMAN of Coffeyville. (The author is the mother of Jane NEWMAN, publicity chairman and coordinator of the present event.) Further information can be gotten from "Early Trails of Kansas" map, which appeared in the Bicentennial Issue of "Kansas Facts" published by the Secretary of State, Elwill M. SHANAHAN, in Topeka. Sylvester TINKER, Principal Chief of Osage Indian Nation, and his wife, Alice, were guests of honor at the Baxter Springs ceremonies on Sunday. First of all, a little about the old Black Dog Trail:

Chief Black Dog was a grown man in 1834, when George CATLIN, famous American artist, painted his picture. During the reigns of Chief Black Dog I, and Chief Black Dog II, warriors became civilized Americans. Poor, illiterate Indians became a wealthy tribe. Chief Black Dog I labored long and hard for the benefit

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of his tribe, the Osages, and this work was carried on to an even greater extent by his son, Chief Black Dog II. These two chiefs made the Osage Indians the wealthiest Indian tribe in the country.

Chief Black Dog was regarded as a natural leader by his people. It was he who conceived and engineered the Black Dog Trail, which the Osages used for hunting and mourning parties. The Black Dog Trail was wide enough for thirty horsemen to ride abreast, if need be!

Leaving Baxter Springs, the Black Dog Trail was started near their camp. Some grubbing was done; grass patches were burned in places; trees and rocks were marked with characters and signs. By the end of the first week of work, they had accomplished five miles of well-defined trail, making it a living, moving thing.

The next three weeks, they traveled westward, and camped on the Neosho River bank near the present-day Chetopa, Kansas. This was a pleasant location with big cottonwood, walnut, oak, and elm trees. They found plenty of wild strawberries and onions. The hunters made side trips as far north as the present town of Oswego, and brought deer and bear meat, which was common in that location in the early 19th century. The Neosho River stayed within its banks during May of this trail-making year, and thus the Osages made merry, and good progress with their project.

Near what is now Bartlett, they camped by a fine spring of water in a wooded section; then they continued on to the present site of Coffeyville, (on what is now U. S. Highway 166,) and camped on Onion Creek. Here they stayed many weeks, as it was pleasant and cool in the valley, and their needs were well-supplied.

At times, they made side trips over the Osage Trace, which took them near to what is now Cherryvale, and as far north as Humboldt. One of their camping sites southeast of Cherryvale is still clearly marked on huge rocks. The carvings are of double hearts, and horses.

Continuing westward from Onion Creek, their next camp was near the Caney River near Elgin, in the Prairie Chicken country.

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Since the grass was somewhat shorter near the river, and the brush not so thick, they made more progress with the Trail, and found less work than to the East.

Moving on to the low hills near Cedar Vale, they found plenty of larger game, and it is here that the Trail shows evidence that it was much-used. It has been traced down south Buck Creek to main Buck Creek, to the north side near the old Carpenter Ranch, (a log house.) In this vicinity the Trail crosses to the south side of Buck Creek again, and down the ridge between that creek and Pond Creek.

It has also been traced through the Caney bottoms, (near Hewins) to the Ozro Falls (just west of the present Earl LEMERT farm.) Then it follows Rock Creek, as is evidenced by hundreds of squaw patches and bottoms that had been burned, and grubbed.

It is thought that the Trail forked (as it did at Rock Creek) for two purposes: it was safe from the rigors of the elements, with no likelihood of washouts; this route was always used in May, while they were on their way to the buffalo hunting grounds. They returned from the Spring hunt in July, in time to take care of any green corn which they always dried for winter use. Then, too, the Green Corn Festival came at this time, which was always one of their chief celebrations.

From Rock Creek, the Trail skirted the east side of Lookout Mountain, near Cedar Vale, which led to the Big Spring. Often the Black Dog band camped at this spot, when they were too weary to continue to their regular camp on Cedar Creek.

From Lookout Mountain, the Trail took a northwesterly direction to what is now Oxford, situated near the Ninnescha River.

Chief Black Dog was born to an Indian Chief and his wife near St. Louis, about 1780. He was a fine child, and grew rapidly into a strong, healthy lad. His name was Zhin-ga'wa'ca wa'ca, (it is a very old Indian name which is not translatable, since the last part is archaic, and the meaning lost.)

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As a lad, Zhin-ga'wa'ca wa'ca received an injury to his left eye. All help was to no avail; the eye was lost. Shortly after the accident, the Osages moved to the Neosho River country in Southeastern Kansas. When he was sixteen, he was the largest Indian in the Tribe. At twenty, he measured seven feet tall in his deerskin sandals, and weighed three-hundred pounds. His limbs were full, but not fat. Standing erect and towering above all others in the Tribe, he made a startling picture. He was greatly liked and admired by his people.

THE END

NEW AT THE LIBRARY

(Coffeyville Public Library)

Submitted by Betty HYER

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1789 - 1866

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An abstract of public and other materials for all KNIGHT families in East Tennessee.

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Ira A. GLAZIER, Editor

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1632 - 1800

Compiled by Clayton TORRENCE

RESEARCHING OLD NEWSPAPERS

By Carl RAUCH

This third in a series of articles about the ever expanding use of our old newspapers for researching the past, will continue with this story from the COFFEYVILLE (KS) JOURNAL, 22 September 1877. The first part of this story concerning "Coffeyville--Its Business, Merchants, and Institutions as Seen by a Former Resident" appeared in the last article of this series in the August 1985 issue of THE DESCENDER. Note that one of the features of the following story describes the business houses that occupied the area known as the plaza block,--these frame buildings in the "square", later all burned in 1885--and it also describes the businesses that surrounded that block.

CONTINUING:

South of the Eldridge House in the square, is our old friend EVARTS, of furniture fame; he has a large building and a nice, stylish store.

South of EVARTS is another of the standbys, Antoine MARTIN, who keeps the City Bakery and also deals in confectionary.

Just south of this is the real estate office of C. D. SHIPMAN. Here we learned that although Coffeyville suffered so severely in tornadoes, fires, panics and grasshoppers, her real estate and that of the surrounding country, is in an improved condition. Mr. SHIPMAN looks for a good increase in this line soon.

On the corner of Eighth and Walnut streets, south of Wells Bros., is

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a first-class grocery kept by J. M. HEDDENS. Mr. HEDDENS is also an old timer, being formerly of the firm of BARRON & HEDDENS.

Next to this place is the drug store of FRAZIER & SELBY. This store is fitted up in good style and well stocked with the best of goods. Its customers find Dr. FRAZIER a pleasant man to trade with.

Luther PERKINS, police judge, attorney, insurance agent and school trustee, invited us to make ourself at home in his office. He is one of the liveliest men here.

Geo. SLOSSON's drug store is also one of the features of importance in business. George is from Lawrence, and his store and its appointments do credit to himself and his former home.

The clothing and dress goods house of Mr. W. S. UPHAM is still on a line of good trade, and keeps up a good stock. Trade is good with him.

At the post office, our old friend, Mr. S. B. HICKMAN, the present postmaster, proved himself to be an obliging gentleman, by dealing out a goodly number of letters and papers to us. He runs in connection with the post office a neat little book store.

READ Bros., corner of Ninth and Walnut, run a first-class clothing and dress goods store. They have a good location are are apparently doing well.

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Facing the square on Ninth street we find an old and enterprising firm, J. BARRICKLOW & Co., keeping one of the best appointed clothing, dry goods, and boot and shoe stores in Southern Kansas. Mr. BARRICKLOW is a Greenbacker, and the nominee on their county ticket for treasurer.

On Union street, east side of the square, Mr. J. J. BARNDOLLAR, of the old firm of BARRON, BARNDOLLAR & Co., hold out with a first-class grocery. This house was burned out in 1873, by the "big fire," but was promptly rebuilt.

Here, also, is the hardware store of J. T. ISHAM, formerly HALE, ISHAM & Co. This house was also burned in '73, but was rebuilt, and is now the leading hardware store in the city.

Next is the Flag Drug Store, kept by Dr. Jno. FLEMING, one of the veterans of the place, and city treasurer for four years past. The Doctor's store and stock were completely destroyed by the tornado of '72, and he was burned out by the fire of '73. He is on his feet now, with one of the best buildings and stocks in the city, and is doing a lively business.

FORD & LANG, dealers in dry goods, have a good stock on hand, and are doing a brisk trade.

The above mentioned houses are all we can find space to speak of, there being

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many others that we should be pleased to mention, but type, we suppose, cannot be condensed nor paper stretched; therefore we must go on to other matters.

The Journal, office, situated on Eighth street, is one of the prominent features of the place. The Journal is published by Hon. W. A. PEFFER, assisted by two of his sons, and is a very neat and well conducted paper.

The public school building is, to use a common phrase, "a big thing." It is one of the finest in Southern Kansas, is a handsome piece of work, and is well appointed in every respect. Hon. W. A. PEFFER, of the Journal, is principal for the present school year. Among the curiosities gathered for the school by the children are a few stickfuls of old type, formerly used in the printing of Ross' Paper, which establishment was destroyed by the tornado of 1872. This type was picked up from the prairie north of town.

Coffeyville has also two churches, in which services are held regularly. They are neat, well-built structures, and are a credit to the city.

Politics in this city are mixed, by reason of local officers being chosen without regard to party lines. But looking over the list we observe that the inhabitants of Coffeyville hit upon a great many staunch Democrats as fittest

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officers for the city government. Republicans are sadly divided on National matters, and our senior Senator's speech at Ossawatomie is spoken of with considerable head-shaking and the like.

Outside of the city one of the most prominent features is the stock yards, south of town. These are reviving an increase of patronage this year, and have been improved by a few pair of scales for the weighing of stock.

On the Verdigris, southeast of the city, are MOBLEY's flouring mills, which have been enlarged and improved for the fall trade. These mills are run by water power.

Col. COFFEY's mills, north of town, on the Verdigris, are not very lively just now, as his water power was badly damaged by the spring freshets.

The country around Coffeyville is being rapidly developed; and with this, and her other specialties, we are confident by the pluck and enterprise heretofore exhibited, that she will keep up a good growth and one day become an important point.

The city of Parker, which did such a dashing business seven years ago, is "teetotally gone up." Most of the buildings of any account were moved to Coffeyville and the town property was apportioned out to the resident farmers, and where were busy streets and traders such a short

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time since, can now be seen fields of tall corn. Parker was three miles southeast of Coffeyville.

What did you learn from reading the above article? Some of the more obvious things would include the word picture that the writer gives to us about the various merchants, lawyers, and doctors, with their relative location to each other. With these facts, coupled with the devastation of a tornado and a fire, a rather definite scene starts to take place when we locate these business houses in the square and on the four named streets. With the addition of the names of the mayor, police judge, city treasurer, postmaster, editor, and school principal, this description continues to improve.

The mention of ROSS' PAPER is a very interesting note. Edmund G. ROSS, ex-senator from Kansas, came to Coffeyville in 1871 to re-enter his former profession--the newspaper business. This was after he had ruined his political career by voting his own conscience during the impeachment trial of President Andrew JOHNSON, in the U. S. Senate in 1868. What is thought to be a complete file of his 1 December 1871 to 21 October 1872, ROSS' PAPER from Coffeyville have been microfilmed by the Kansas State Historical Society.

The depot is mentioned, but not the name of the Railroad Company. It can be determined from other sources that it was the Leavenworth, Lawrence and Galveston Railroad. The stock-yards alluded to were located at the end of the track which was terminated "south of Coffeyville" near the Onion Creek bridge.

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ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CEMETERY

(Cherryvale, Kansas)

These stones were read in June and July 1985.

By G. Herman GUY

ABELE, Joseph	14 Aug 1835	---	27 Dec 1919
ABELE, Joseph (son of J. & E.)	17 Oct 1880	---	9 Aug 1902
ALVAREZ, Julia 4 m, 17 d.	---	---	27 Nov 1922
ALVAREZ, Julio 4 m, 17 d.	---	---	27 Nov 1922
(Children of Alejandro & Maria)			
ALVAREZ, Julio Belarmino	1 Jul 1929	---	26 Jan 1930
ALVAREZ, Maria	6 May 1923	---	27 Oct 1923
(dau of Celestino & Maria)			
ALVAREZ, Tomas Valle y 19 y.	---	---	4 Apr 1912
ANDERSON, Wm. F.	1905	---	1906
AUGUSTINE, Michael	1869	---	1957
AUGUSTIN, Anna (buried side by side)	1882	---	1963
AUGUSTINE, Earl E. (Father)	1889	---	1958
AUGUSTINE, Mary E. (Mother)	1895	---	1975
AUGUSTINE, Peggy Ann (dau of Wm. J.)	---	---	1955
AUGUSTINE, Steven	---	---	1960
? , ---es	1962	---	?
AVILA, Micaela R. de 35 y.	---	---	1 Feb 1926
(wife of Caciano)			
BANNON, Peter 78 y.	---	---	20 Aug 1907
BANNON, Barbara A. 79 y.	---	---	5 Jul 1907
BATES, Marie	18 Aug 1898	---	22 Oct 1904
(dau of W. E. & Kate)			
BAUER, <u>empty</u>			
BAUER, Augustus (Father)	1862	---	1945
BAUER, Christophe F.	1886	---	1939
BAUER, Fanora Treasa	1894	---	1938
BAUER, Geo. F., Sr.	1862	---	1954
BAUER, George F., Jr. (Father) "Vet"	1896	---	1970

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St. Francis Xavier Cemetery contd.

BAUER, John A.	1891 ---	1970
BAUER, Louise (Mother)	1866 ---	1923
BAUER, Mary (Mother)	1893 ---	1945
BAUER, Veronica	1862 ---	1960
BERND, _____ (Infants)	---	19 Sep 1943
(See ZORN, Michael Allen and SHOFSTALL, Marie S. Bur on BERND family plot)		
BERND, Andrew	1 Jan 1843 ---	28 Mar 1926
BERND, Anna E.	1879 ---	1920
BERND, Bertha G.	1879 ---	1977
BERND, Charles J.	1877 ---	1949
BERND, Donald Eugene	14 Dec 1942 ---	13 Feb 1944
BERND, Grace Warner	1913 ---	1970
BERND, Henry N.	1879 ---	1951
BERND, Joseph A.	6 Dec 1903 ---	30 May 1985
(See HAMILTON, Grace BERND)		
BERND, Leo Eugene	1910 ---	1975
BERND, Susana (his wife-Andrew)	17 Apr 1842 ---	26 Mar 1922
(See TALLEY, Irene - same burial lot)		
BIRD, George Alvie	28 Jan 1903 ---	20 Jan 1907
BIRD, Jesse "Vet"	9 Dec 1872 ---	15 Mar 1952
BIRD, Thresa (Mother)	20 Aug 1848 ---	<u>buried ?</u>
(wife of Rose.)		
BIRD, Roseberry "Vet" (Co. D. ---)	---	---
BLAES, Anna E.	1887 ---	1971
BLAES, Anthony	1866 ---	1957
BLAES, Barbara	1866 ---	1937
BLAES, Cornelius	1881 ---	1958
BLAES, Edith Margaret	30 Oct 1897 ---	10 Mar 1982
BLAES, Elizabeth (wife of Jacob)	10 Nov 1828 ---	23 Dec 1904
BLAES, Henry A.	1858 ---	1938
BLAES, Jacob	24 Dec 1818 ---	19 Jan 1902
BLAES, Joseph Martin	29 Apr 1898 ---	12 Jul 1975

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BLAES, Joseph Martin, Jr.	24 Jan 1924	---	25 Jan 1924
BLAES, Leo V. "Vet"	1896	---	1965
BLAES, Mathias	1856	---	1937
BLAES, Susanna	1873	---	1957
BLAES, Theresa	1866	---	1947
BOLES, Curtis J. (on lot with COLES)	1891	---	1970
BRADY, Eilleen M.	1884	---	1965
BRADY, James A	1876	---	1955
BRODERICK, Mary E.	7 Dec 1856	---	26 Mar 1945
BRODERICK, Thomas M.	25 Dec 1852	---	13 Jul 1910
(BRADYS & BRODERICKS on same plot)			
BULGER, Ed.	15 Oct 1883	---	21 Feb 1950
(Same plot as COYLE, Jas Russell)			
BULGER, James	17 Oct 1871	---	23 Jul 1954
(Same lot as BIRD, Roseberry & Thresa)			
BULGER, James William	---	---	1946
(Same plot as COYLE, Jas. Russell)			
BULGER, Laura	24 Jun 1880	---	29 Mar 1965
(Same lot as BIRD, Roseberry & Thresa)			
BURNS, Matilda Rebecca	1888	---	1953
BURNS, Robert Emmett	1885	---	1964
BURT, Edgar (Father)	24 Dec 1853	---	29 Jan 1917
BURT, Mary A. (Mother)	4 Dec 1853	---	20 Oct 1907
BUTLER, Joseph H. (Father)	1854	---	1926
BUTLER, Kate (Mother)	1848	---	1928
BUTLER, Margaret A.	1883	---	1943
BUTLER, Mary Edith	30 Jul 1881	---	18 Apr 1965
BUTLER, Nicholas W.	13 Feb 1872	---	28 Dec 1958
CALDERON, Jose	1899	---	1970
CASTORENA, John	28 Oct 1888	---	5 Apr 1973
CASTORENA, Martha (m 20 Nov 1919)	5 Feb 1898	---	---
CASTORENA, Salvador P.	17 Mar 1929	---	22 Sep 1968
CLARK, Catherine Marie	11 Jan 1900	---	21 May 1975

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CLARK, James	17 Jan 1897	---	24 Nov 1967
COLE, Col. A. C.	1880	---	1962
COLE, Carl J.	1908	---	1976
(Bur beside MANGAN, Thomas & Elsie Mary)			
COLE, Dora E. 11 y, 7 m, 17 d.	---	---	25 Dec 1918
COLE, Martin 5 y, 8 m, 2 d.	---	---	17 Dec 1918
COLE, Winifred Mangan	1881	---	1975
COYLE, Catherine	1832	---	1913
COYLE, Eidath (dau of T. J. & R.)	21 Feb 1895	---	6 Apr 1898
COYLE, Jas, Russell	8 Aug 1909	---	2 Dec 1916
(son of Mr. & Mrs. M. J.)			
COYLE, John J.	1824	---	1913
COYLE, Marten (son of T. J. & R.)	13 Feb 1908	---	6 Mar 1913
COYLE, Rosetta (wife of Thomas)	26 Apr 1870	---	30 Nov 1918
(COYLES bur with BULGER, Ed. & Jas. Wm)			
DARLAND, Anne	1879	---	1910
DARLAND, Frank	1876	---	1910
DAVIDSON, Teresa (wife of W. R.)	28 Jun 1869	---	16 Jan 1905
DAVIS, Linda Sue	---	---	2 Aug 1955
DEVINE, Danny (My Boy & Partner) 26 y.	---	---	---
(Co B 353 Inf 89 Div) Fell in the Argonne, France			
DEVINE, J. H. (Father)	6 Jan 1849	---	9 Feb 1929
DEVINE, Mary (Mother)	18 Feb 1855	---	25 Jul 1916
(wife of J. H.)			
DIAS, Carolina (dau of G. & Josefa)	4 May 1926	---	24 Sep 1926
DOUGHERTY, Brian	1880	---	19--
DOUGHERTY, Bridget	1866	---	1947
DOUGHERTY, Mary	1875	---	19--
DOUGHERTY, Thomas J.	1868	---	1907
DRODEJOZ, Mary (dau of L. & Mary)	30 Jan 1910	---	7 Jul 1910
DUROY, Pat	1934	---	1949

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MONTGOMERY COUNTY POST OFFICES

By Ivan L. PFALSER

(Continued from the August 1985 "The Descender")

FAWN (15 January 1886 - 18 October 1893)

The original name was "Fawn Creek". The first postmaster was George W. BROWN. The town relocated to the Missouri Pacific Railroad lines and was renamed Tyro.

TYRO (18 October 1893 - present)

Mr. Addie A. DILLEHAY was the first postmaster. The town name was selected by the railroad and means "novice".

FOREST GROVE (28 April 1875 - 27 July 1881)

The town name was probably derived from a grove of trees. It was located a short distance east of the present town of Sycamore. (S 19-R 16 E-T 31 S). The first postmaster was William JAMES.

FRIENDLAY (14 March 1878 - 2 September 1879)

The unusual spelling of this name makes one wonder if it should have been "Friendly" or the "lay" had some other conjector. Its postmaster was Joel HOBSON.

GRASS (25 February 1880 - 24 May 1886)

Located seven miles west of Independence. It is suspected that the name may have been a family name. The 1881 Montgomery County Atlas (4) shows a Daniel GRASS as State Senator. The first postmaster was John E. GREER.

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Montgomery County Post Offices contd.

HARRISONVILLE (5 April 1871 - 2 November 1887)

It is suspected that this post office was named after President HARRISON. (1) John J. BEGGS was the first postmaster and it was located one mile north and three miles east (4) of the present community of Wayside. (S 30-R 15 E-T 33 S)

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QUERIES

McBEAN-PETERS-SEARLE-SHOOK

Trying to locate dau of Emma (McBEAN) PETERS. Grandmother was Sarah Emma (SEARLE) McBEAN, d 1929 in Coffeyville. Mother, Emma Sarah (McBEAN) PETERS. Father, William C. PETERS. Dau., Barbara, married name unknown. Children: Arthur, George, Leslie, Charles, William, Samuel, Sarah, Mary, and Jannet. Which one married Albert SHOOK? Mrs. Patricia KOSACHUNIS, P. O. Box 45, Cumberland City, TN 37050.

WINCHESTER-BROWN

Looking for Frederick C. WINCHESTER who was a cooper and a union soldier from KS. My grandmother, Dora WINCHESTER, b in KS, 1868. Her mother's maiden name Elizabeth BROWN. Carol McNEELY, 30906 151st Ave SE, Kent, WA 98042.

BURT-GIVENS-TEPFER-MILLER-CALLAHAN

Need info on Cyrus and Edgar BURT who resided in Independence and Cherryvale during the late 1800's. Their related families; GIVENS, TEPFER, MILLER, and CALLAHAN. Susanne DANUBIO, 3008 Viewcrest Dr. NE, Bremerton, WA 98310.

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Queries contd.

MATNEY-LAWSON-TALLEY

Seeking descendants of William M. MATNEY and Emma Jane MATNEY. Their mother was Nancy Jane LAWSON. Who m Benoni C. (B. B. or Ben) TALLEY in 1873. M in Douglas County, KS. Went to Independence with the two step-children, William and Emma Jane. Ages 14 and 10. Need info and will corres. Mr. Lloyd M. TALLEY, 2020 Emerald Dr., Lawrence, KS 66046.

FIELDING-SMITH-CHILDERS-WOOD

Desire corres with descendants of Andrew FIELDING b 15 Feb 1829, Fayette Co., Ind., d 24 Apr 1861, Tipton Co. ? M Margaret Jane SMITH, 26 May 1853, Tipton Co. After Andrew's death, Margaret m Reuben CHILDERS of Tipton Co., 30 Nov 1862. Known child of Andrew and Margaret FIELDING: Jane, age 12, on the 1870 census (in Reuben CHILDERS household) with her mother, Margaret Jane FEILDING CHILDERS and the CHILDERS family, also listed was Susanna WOOD, 77, b KY. May have moved to KS with Robert B. FIELDING fam and Asbury Hill FIELDING fam. Will refund postage and share info. Marily ENGLISH, 717 Grand Ave, Connersville, IN 47331.

SEABOLT-ROSZEL-VANCLEVE-ROBINSON

Info needed on parents of Elizabeth SEABOLT ROSZEL, B 22 Apr 1860, Bradaville, Iowa. Mother: Mary Jane VANCLEVE SEABOLT, dau of J. H. VANCLEVE. Lived in Liberty area. Father ? SEABOLT. Mother remarried man named ROBINSON. Moved to Mo. Where in Mo. did she live and die? Joan ROSZEL, 1222- W 2nd, Coffeyville, KS 67337.

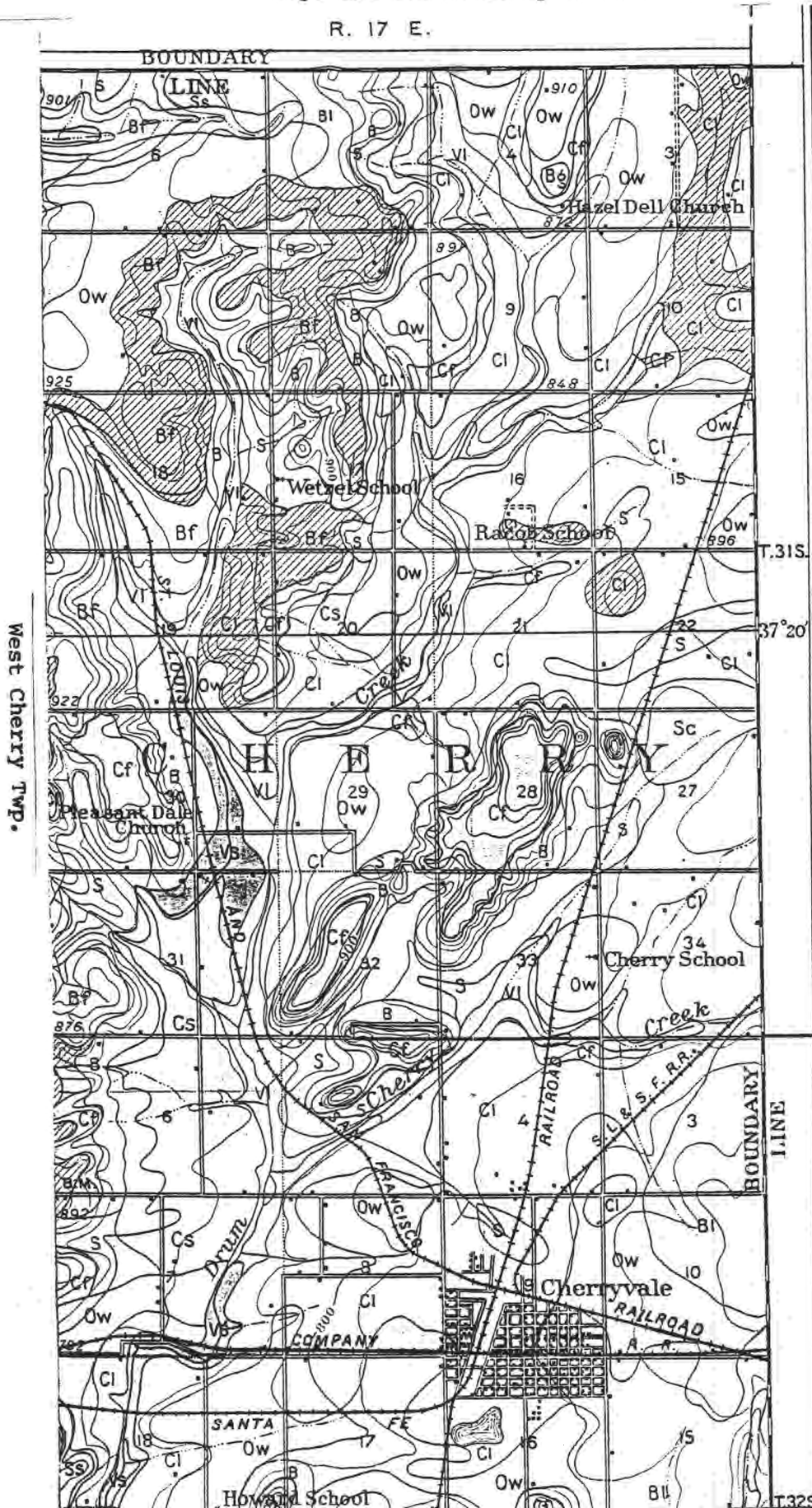
McLAREN

Any info appreciated on Hugh McLAREN, w Mary, both b Canada, lived in Ridge township, Dickinson Co., KS. Children: Bessie, Maria, Ettie, Aggie, Lorin, and Robert. Hugh and Mary McLAREN migrated to KS in approx 1873. Joan ROSZEL, 1222- W 2nd, Coffeyville, KS 67337

This is the third group of 3 sections, in a series to total 9 sections, that, when they are put together, will form a 1913 soil map of Montgomery Co., KS. Many old schools are to be found on the map.

Maps are furnished by Maxine Dick

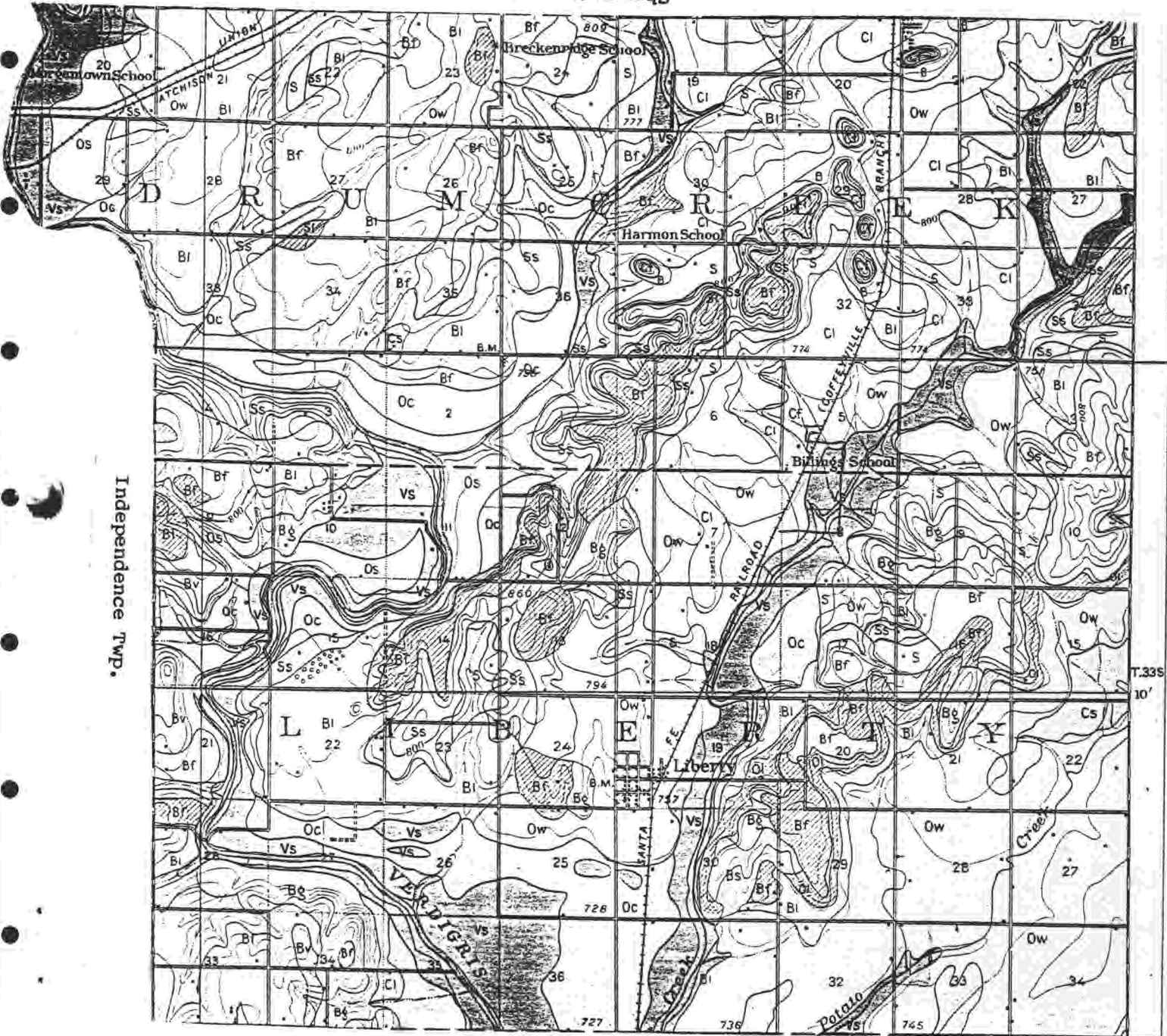
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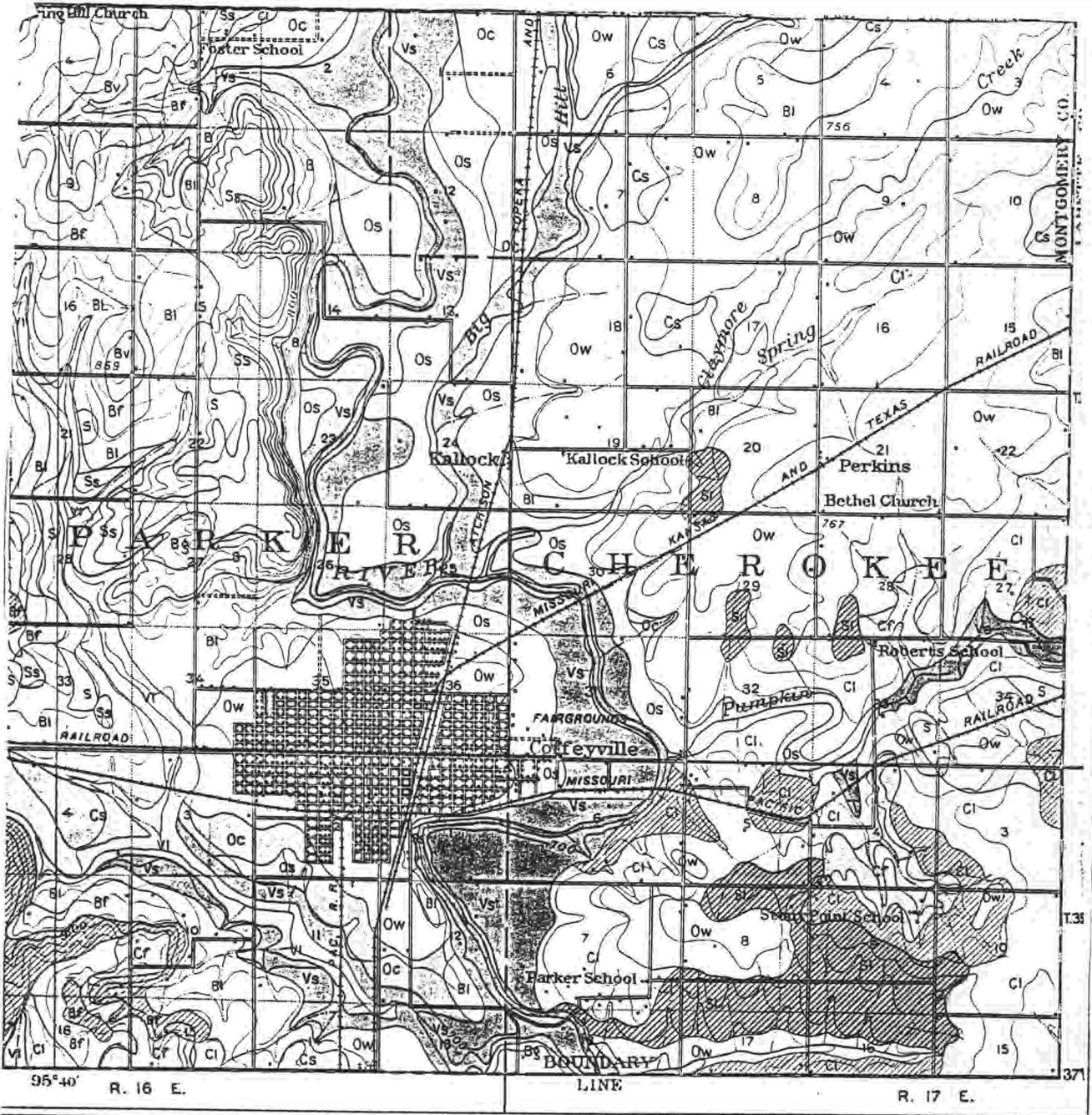
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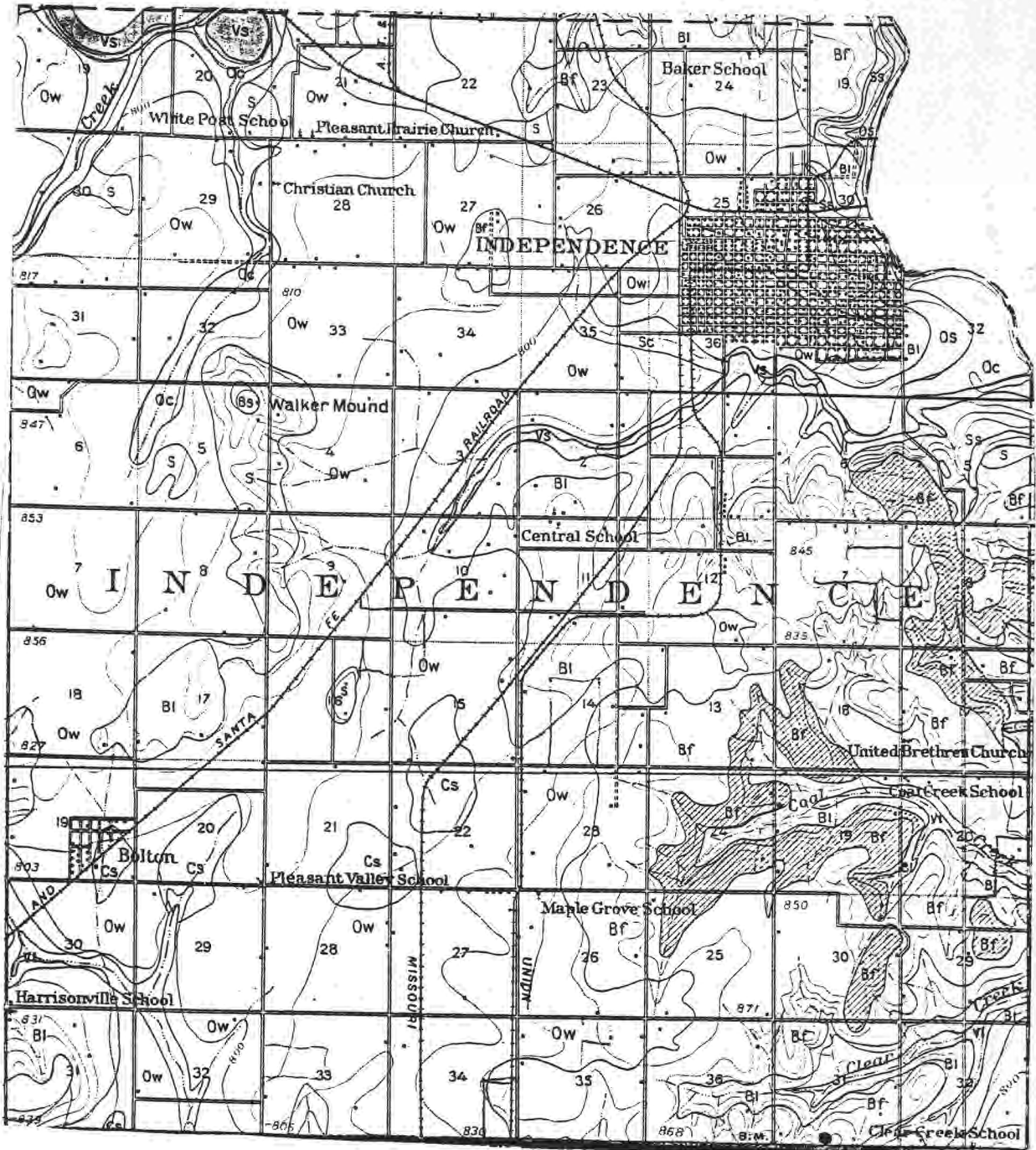


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Sycamore-West Cherry Twps.

Rutland Twp.



Drum Creek-Liberty Twps.

Fawn Creek Twp.

This extra map is to replace the map in the August Descender, that was ran on the back of page , for those wishing to remove maps and put together.

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