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#### BUCHANAN COUNTY, MISSOURI

Buchanan County, part of the Platte Purchase, was organized in December 1838. Sparta was the first county seat, but many thought it should be Robidoux's Post. In 1843 a town was platted at that settlement. It was named St. Joseph and was made the seat of the county government in 1846. St. Joseph became the gateway to the west. First, there was the tide of immigrants who settled in Oregon Territory. Then came the "gold rush", and it is said that between April and June 1849, approximately 1500 prairie schooners crossed the river at St. Joseph, - and the county prospered.

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## BUCHANAN COUNTY, MISSOURI ABSTRACTS OF WILLS & ADMINISTRATIONS

from

BOOK "A" 1839 - 1849 & BOOK "B" 1849 - 1857

The abstracts here presented are made from a microfilm copy, filmed by the compilers, of original books of Wills and Administrations in the Probate Office of the Buchanan County Court House at St. Joseph, Missouri.

All names of persons and places stated in the original records are included in these abstracts. If the place is not given, it is understood to be Buchanan County. Please bear in mind that the testator did not always list the names of all of his children in his will. It is obvious that many of the names were misspelled, however, the compilers have endeavored to maintain the original spelling in spite of the apparent errors.

The items of genealogical interest in the administrations are the date the administrator is appointed, the name of the administrator and names of the persons who post bond or security for his performance. Usually application for letters of administration is made within a few days after the death. Moreover, unless a public administrator is assigned by the court, often the administrators and the security (persons who post bond) are relatives, good friends or neighbors of the deceased. When there are minor heirs, there is often a record of the appointment of the guardian, usually a parent or relative of the children.

References to book & page number are as follows: Example - (A-15) Book A, page 15. The page number given here is where the will record begins. Usually the record consists of several pages.

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### Abbreviations used in these records -

Admr., - administrator
Admrs., - administrators

Admrx., - administratrix (female)

Exr., - executor (where there is a will)

Exrx., - executrix (female)

Admr. de bonis non, - the previous administrator or executor had not completed settlement of the estate, and a new administrator is appointed.

Sec., - those who post bond for security of administrator, executor, or guardian.

L/A - Letters of Administration
L/T - Letters Testamentary

### BUCHANAN COUNTY, MISSOURI WILLS & ADMINISTRATIONS

ADAMS, LYDIA, died intestate. Admr., George Adams. Sec., Bartholomew Halley and David Scott. 9 Nov. 1841. (A-32)

ADRAIN, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Nehemiah J. McAshan. Heirs are "the widow of said deceased, and the brothers and sisters who reside in Pennsylvania". 26 June 1857. Sec., S. S. Allen and Thomas McCauley. (B-451)

ALIGREE, JAMES R., - will dated 26 Dec. 1854.

My two sisters, Sarah Francis Aligree and Mariah Jane Aligree of Franklin Co., Mo., equally divided between them. A note endorsed by Elizabeth J. Harlow 5 Mar. 1850 due 1 Apr. 1851.

"Whereas sundry notes and accounts due upon the store books at DeKalb, Buchanan Co., are charged and due in my name while doing business for Elizabeth J. Harlow, at present wife of Achilles Lamme, I hereby give to said Achilles Lamme, her husband, all right, title, and interest I may have in and to said notes", etc. Exr., my friend, Achilles Lamme. Wit: Henry Tutt and William N. Oliver. Recorded 5 Mar. 1855.

Achilles Lamme, exr. Sec., W. G. Burton and Berry S. Davenport. (B-33)

ALLEN, WRIGHT, decd. Admr., Mary Allen. Sec., Silas McDonald and James Curl. 13 Oct. 1841. (A-31)

ALLENDORFF, PETER, died intestate. Admr., Washington Jones. Sec., Bela M. Hughes and William Ridenbaugh. 9 July 1851. (B-85)

ANDERSON, JOHN, decd. Admr., Lawson H. Powell. Sec., George W. Campbell and William C. Maddox. 4 Mar. 1850. (B-33)

ANDREWS, AUGUSTUS, decd. Admr., William Hebron. Heirs are Joseph Andrews, Charles Andrews and Sarah Andrews. 3 July 1855. Sec., George W. Nixon and James Self. (B-346)

ANNO, WILLIAM, decd. Sec., Prince L. Hudgins. Sec., Barney B. Harper and Isaac Best. 8 Dec. 1840. (A-23)

ARMSTRONG, JOSHUA, and Elizabeth, his wife, of the one part, and Benjamin K. Dyer, of the other part.... That the said Joshua Armstrong and Elizabeth, his wife, for and in consideration of one new Bible, two suits of clothes, to be worth forty dollars, and ten dollars in lawful money of the U. S., to be paid by the said Benjamin K. Dyer, party of the first part to Nathaniel Boidston, infant son of the said Elizabeth Armstrong, and step-son of the said Joshua Armstrong....to be given him at age twenty one years...bind said Nathaniel, now near 5 years old, to said Benjamin K. Dyer, until he is 21, and Dyer agrees to furnish said Nathaniel Boidston, suitable clothing, boarding, lodging and washing, and teach him the (cont.)

Armstrong, Joshua, cont. - employment of farming. Wit:Abijah Means. Written 6 Jan. 1840. Recorded 18 Mar. 1840. (A-16)

ARNOLD, ADAM C., of Crawford Twp., will dated 31 Oct. 1855. Wife, Elizabeth Arnold. Four children, America, Benjamin Franklin, Elijah, and Mary Louisa Arnold. Exr., Curran M. Cox. Wit: James F. Martin and Elijah Russell. Recorded 12 Nov. 1855. Admr., Curran M. Cox. Sec., James F. Martin and Elijah Russell. (B-366)

ATKINSON, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., Robert G. Kercheval. Sec., James M. Rector and Franklin B. Kercheval. 19 June 1847. (A-177). Admr., de bonis non, Adam Dittemore. Sec., Jacob Lower and Alexander H. Dunning. 4 July 1848. (A-234)

BAKER, ANDREW J., died intestate. Admr., Zebediah Baker. Sec., Hiram Rogers, George W. Taylor, and John Brown. 4 Mar. 1851. (B-64). Admr., de bonis non, William Kirkman. Heirs are: Roberta Baker, widow of said decd., and children Thomas Baker and two daughters, whose names admr. is not able to give. 4 Jan. 1854. Sec., Floid Baker and Charles Hurst. One Zebediah Baker had been admr., but died before having completed the administration. (B-257) (\*Baker, Zebadiah - see p. 51)

BALDWIN, JOHN A., died intestate. Admr., Perman Henderson. Heirs are: John A. Baldwin, Senr., Samuel Baldwin, the heirs of Sarah Tenant, Esther Baldwin intermarried with Jordan Gray, the heirs of Asa Baldwin, Elias Baldwin, Enoch Baldwin, the heirs of Mahala Baldwin intermarried with John Harper, and Silas Baldwin. Sec., Elias Baldwin and William Thompson. 17 June 1852. (B-160)

BALL, THOMAS W., died intestate. Admrx., Nancy Ann Ball. Sec., William Chapman and Scion Singleton. 16 Nov. 1850. (B-56)

BANSBACH (BANCHBACK), ANTONE, died intestate. Admr., George Gartner. He says heirs are Louisa Bansbach intermarried with George Gartner, Adam Bansbach, a daughter of Valentine Bansbach, Valentine being a son of said decd., Joseph, John and Barbery Bansbach. 18 Apr. 1853. Sec., John Singer and Joseph Zigler. (B-219). Admrx., de bonis non, Louisa Gartner. Heirs are Louisa Gartner, Barbara Banchback, John Banchback and Joseph Banchback, all of whom reside in Darnstatt, Germany, except the affiant. 7 Feb. 1855. Sec., Augustus Vegley and George P. Elbert. George Gartner had been exr., but died before settlement completed. (B-324). Admr., de bonis non, Lewis Hax. He says heirs are Louisa Hax, Barbara Bansback, John Bansback and Joseph Bansback, all residents of Darnstadt save Barbara Bansback and Louisa Hax. 9 Jan. 1856. Sec., Allen McNew and John Kichle. Louisa Gartner had been appointed to administer the estate, and has since married Lewis Hax, and her letters were revoked. (B-375)

BARADA, EDMOND, - will dated 19 Nov. 1849.
Property in St. Joseph, Mo., and in Carondelet, St. Louis Co., and elsewhere. Brothers, Anthony Barada, Adolph Barada, Julis Barada and sister, Josephine Barada. Admrs., to be guardians of said brothers and sisters...for their education and support during their minority. Wit: J. C. Robidoux and E. J. Knapp. Recorded 8 Dec. 1849. (B-21). Exr., Julius C. Robidoux. Sec., Felix Robidoux and Patrick L. McLoughlin. 13 Dec. 1849. (B-21)

BARKER, SILAS, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Barker. Heirs are Alexander Jackson Barker, Reuben Northern Barker, Margaret Barker, and the widow of the said decd., all of Buchanan Co. 24 May 1855. Sec., Elisha Barker and Christopher E. Horn. (B-339)

BARNES, EDWARD, - will dated 30 Dec. 1851.
Wife, Mary Ann Barnes. "My heirs" (not named). Exrs., Mary Ann, wife, and Thomas Mifter. Wit: William D. Barnes and James H. Harris. roved 24 Jan. 1852. (B-124)

BARNES, JOSEPH B., died intestate. Admr., Alexander H. Dunning. Sec., Henry Dittemore and John Grace. 12 Oct. 1846. (A-140)

BARNETT, JESSE R., died intestate. Robert W. Donnell appointed admr. 23 July 1841. Sec. for Robert W. Donnell, Harvey Jones and William M. Denny. (A-28 & 29)

BATES, JOHN, died intestate. Admrx., Ann Bates. Sec., Henry Smith and James Smith. 11 Sept. 1851. (B-103)

BATES, WILLIAM H., died intestate. Admr., Washington C. Bates. Heirs are Nancy Bates, Mary P. Bates, Erastus F.Bates and James Bates, children of said decd. 23 Apr. 1852. Sec., Arthur R. Frogg and Evan R. Richardson. (B-153)

BRANDON, BENJAMIN, died intestate. Admr., Levi T. Carr. Sec., Joseph C. Hull and Benjamin F. North. 26 Apr. 1847. (A-163)

BRINTON, RICHARD V., died intestate. Admr., Bryant Brinton. Sec., Bartley M. Duncan, Constantie S. Brinton, and Martha Janette Brinton. 15 Aug. 1851. (B-96)

BRITAIN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Jesse Keith. Sec., George W. Gabbert and George Britain. 20 June 1846. (A-130)

BROCK, HIRAM, died intestate. Admrs., Mary Brock and James Cotter. Sec., James M. Rector and Henry Yeakley. 23 Oct. 1846. (A-141)

BROMLEY, ELIZABETH, died intestate. Admrx., Scarlet Madding. Sec., James W. Hayes and Robert I. Boyd. 1 Nov. 1849. (B-12)

BROOKS, GEORGE, died intestate. Admr., Edward M. Davidson. Sec., B. C. Powell and Jonathan Levy. 2 Mar. 1852. Heirs of decd. are Caroline Brooks, widow of decd., and Lucinda Brooks. (B-142)

BROWN, WILLIAM S., died intestate. Admr., William W. Brown. Heirs are Alexander Brown, Sarah Holland, Mary E. Morris, granddaughter of said decd., William W. Brown, Susan Morris, Polly A. Howard, Margaret Connor, Penelope Brown, Belinda Brown, and William S. Brown, all residing in Platte Co., Mo. 5 Aug. 1853. Sec., John T. Martin and Alexander Brown. (B-230)

BRUNER, JACOB, - will dated 21 Aug. 1847. Wife, Maria Bruner. My child and four step children. My daughter, Johanna Bruner, and step children: Joseph Kessler, Sebastian Kessler, Humbold Kessler and Leana Kessler, to be divided equally. Exr., Joseph Kessler. Wit: Ephraim Bowen and Joseph Witmeier? Recorded 8 Sept. 1867. Exr., Joseph Kesler. Sec., Isaac Deppen and Wolfgang Beck. 7 Oct. 1847. (A-197)

BRYAN, ANN T., died intestate. Admr., James P. Bryan. Sec., William Hope and William O. Baughman. 10 Mar. 1851. (B-68)

BUNDY, ALEXANDER S., died intestate. Admr., Abraham F. Mier. Heirs are Susan Bundy, widow of decd., and Henry Bundy, Amanda Bundy, Sarah Bundy, John William Bundy, Lucinda Bundy, Allen Bundy, Margaret Bundy, Milton Bundy and George Bundy, all of Buchanan Co. 12 Mar. 1855. Sec., Henry Mire, Achilles Lamme, and George F. Mire. (B-329)

BUNTING, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Simon Kemper. Sec., James Highley and Elias F. Wells. 10 May 1844. (A-75)

BURNSIDES, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Robert S. McWilliams. Sec., Morgan Dryden and Eli G. Cummins. 6 July 1846. (A-132)

BUSH, ELIJAH, died intestate. Admrx., Jane Bush. Sec., Henderson Smallwood, John B. Howard, and James J. Keeton. 7 July 1851. (B-83). Admr. de bonis non, Mace Pendleton. Heirs of decd. are Jane Pendleton, late Bush, William Bush, and George Bush, all of Buchanan Co. Sec., John Angel and Hugh D. Louthon. -- June 1854. Letters of adm. originally granted to Jane Bush, now Jane Pendleton. (B-281)

BEAN, LEROY, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Ann Bean. Heirs are this affiant, the widow, and David I. Bean, Frenetta A. Bean, and Elizabeth F. Bean, children of decd. 2 Oct. 1857. Sec., James Noland and David Black. (B-469)

BEAUCHAMP, JOSHUA, died intestate. Admr., James A. Anthony. Sec., Henry H. Moss and William B. Almond. 5 July 1842. (A-41)

BECHER (BEECHER), FREDERICK, decd. (Will not found in book). It was proved by wit., John Wilson and George C. Catlett, 22 Dec. 1853. (B-252). Exrx., Julia Beecher, 12 Jan. 1854. Sec., William N. Carter, Henry Remenshider, and J. C. Twombly. Admr., de bonis non, Francis M. Wright. He states heir is Julia A. Wright, late Julia A. Becher. 6 Dec. 1854. Sec., William M. Carter and Milton H. Wash. (B-306)

BECKET, BENJAMIN, JR., died intestate. Admr., Nelson Witt. Sec., James Courtney and John Huntsucker, Senr. 16 Apr. 1846. (A-121)

BECRAFT, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admrx., Jane Becraft. Sec., Samuel Johnson and William Curl. 9 Sept. 1839. (A-11)

BEDFORD, WILLIAM H., - will dated -- May 1852, Nebraska Terr.

"Being of the uncertainty of my recovery from my present state of ill health: my sole heir, Mary E. Bedford, all money and property, including \$2850 I have along with me in cash, also a note on O. H. P. Craig...firm of Bedford & Craig." Refers to brother, Thomas J. Bedford, now enroute to Calif. Brother, John C. Bedford holds a note for \$350 which must be paid out of estate. Wit: T. J. Bedford and O. H. P. Craig. Recorded 5 June 1854. (B-279)

BELL, SARAH, died intestate. Admr., John Wilson. Heirs are Winchester Bell, Franklin Bell, and an infant whose name is not known, all of Buchanan Co. 4 June 1855. Sec., David P. Ringo and Augustus Mark. (B-342)

BENDER, AUGUSTUS, died intestate. Admr., Henry Bender. Heirs are Clara Bender, the widow, and David M., Bryce F., Angeline Amanda, Joseph, Willard and Margaret Bender, children of decd. and residents of Buchanan Co. 7 Apr. 1857. Sec., William B. Hall and William Ridenbaugh. (B-445)

BENIGHT, THADEOUS, died intestate. Admrx., Abigail Benight. Sec., Robert C. Moseby and Samuel D. Overstreet. 24 Dec. 1850. (B-59). Admr., de bonis non, Calvin W. Benight. Says heirs are William A. Smith and Sarah L. Smith, his wife, Calvin W. Benight, Mary Force married to Daniel M. Force, Samuel Benight, Benjamin W. Benight, Phoebe G. Benight, and Susan E. Benight. 16 Feb. 1855. Sec., Daniel M. Force and Elijah C. Patee. Abigail Benight was originally appointed admrx., but since then has died. (B-325)

BENNETT, ELY, - will dated 20 Sept. 1849.
Son, Alfred Bennett; daughters, Elizabeth Armstrong, Matilda Dougherty, and Catharine Bennett. Wife, Catharine Bennett. Exr., friend, Leander T. Ellis. Wit: George A. Pearcy, Joseph Mark, and Augustus Mark. (B-17). Exr., Leander T. Ellis. Sec., Joseph Mark and Augustus Mar. 4 Dec. 1849. (B-20) (cont.)

Bennett, Ely, (cont.) - Admr., de bonis non, Catharine Bennett. Sec., Augustus Mark and Alfred Bennett. 3 June 1851. L/T originally granted to Leander T. Ellis, who resigned without having fully executed said will. (B-78)

BENOIST, FRANCIS, died intestate. Admr., Duncan McDonell. Sec., Elias H. Perry and Bela M. Hughes. 4 Feb. 1850. (B-30)

BERNHEIMER, BERNHART, died intestate. Admr., Benedict Spacer and Joseph Kessler, and Frederick C. Lynch. 6 Nov. 1848. (A-247)

BILDERBUCK, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., Washington Jones. Heirs are unknown at present. 9 Sept. 1857. Sec., John A. Chambers and Preston T. Moss. (B-468)

BLAIN, JOHN L., died intestate. Admr., Absalom Kent. Sec., Joseph B. Kent and Stephen Reeves. 7 Jan. 1843. (A-47) Admr., de bonis non, John Townsend. Sec., Joseph B. Kent and Hiram Roberts. 6 Nov. 1843. (B-62)

BLEDSOE, AUSTIN, died intestate. Admr., William Bledsoe. Heirs are William (then blank space), John, Willard, Alexander, and Elvira Bledsoe, children of said Austin Bledsoe, all of Buchanan. 25 Aug. 1856. Sec., John Bretz and James Gibson. (B-408). John Burnett, admr. de bonis non. Says heirs are William, Corena, John, Willard, Alexander, and Elvira Bledsoe, all children of the decd. Alexander, John and William reside in Holt Co., Mo., and the others in Buchanan. 30 Mar. 1857. Sec., Charles Fletcher, James Fuller, and C. B. Huddleson. William Bledsoe had been appointed admr., but has since died. (B-439)

BLEDSOE, NANCY, died intestate. Admr., Ransom Bledsoe. Sec., Alexander Bledsoe and Jesse Bledsoe. 27 Oct. 1857. Heirs are Keziah Bledsoe, who resides in Buchanan Co., Sally Bledsoe, Jesse Bledsoe, Amos Bledsoe, William Bledsoe, all residents of Buchanan, Peter Bledsoe and Leonard Bledsoe, residents of DeKalb Co., and Anthony Bledsoe, resident of California; the children of Austin Bledsoe, residents of Buchanan; and the undersigned, Ransom Bledsoe, of Buchanan. (B-472)

BLEDSOE, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., John Burnett. Heirs are Nancy Bledsoe (the widow), Kiziah Ginn, Sarah Cobb, Peter Bledsoe, Anthony Bledsoe, Amos Bledsoe, Jesse Bledsoe, Leonard Bledsoe, and the children of Austin Bledsoe. Anthony Bledsoe resides in California, Peter and Leonard in DeKalb Co., Mo., Amos Bledsoe in Kansas Terr. and the others in Buchanan. 30 Mar. 1857. Sec., Charles Fletcher, James Fidler, and C. B. Huddleston. (B-437)

BOLDIN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Jordan Ray. Heirs are John A. Boldin, Samuel, Elias, Enoch, and Silas Boldin, (cont.)

the children of Sarah Tenant whose names are unknown to this affiant, Esther Ray, Elihu Boldín, and George Boldin, children of Asa Boldin, decd., Napoleon Hooper, child of Mahala Hooper decd. 4 Oct. 1853. Sec., Edward M. Trotter and Linneus B. Page. Perman Henderson had been appointed admr., but letters were revoked, and estate remains unadministered. (B237)

BOND, JOHN, - will dated 6 Aug. 1838. To grandson, Joshua Bond. Wit: John Robinson. Recorded 6 July 1839. (A-6)

BOYD, JAMES M., died intestate. Admrx., Martha Boyd. Sec., Richard Hancock and A. C. Patton. 10 Sept. 1841. (A-41)

BOYDSTON, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., Nathaniel Boydston. Sec., John Dryden and Samuel Boydston. 2 Apr. 1849. (A-258)

BOYER, PETER, - will dated 18 Nov. 1855.
Wife to have her dower according to laws of Mo. Son Henry
Boyer what he has already got and no more. Balance to be
divided among 2 sons, Jacob and George, and five daughters,
Lydia, Sally, Mariah, Matilda and Alcinda. To my son Monroe
\$5.00 and no more. Exrs., sons Jacob and George. Wit: J. S.
Sullivan and John Bretz. Recorded 15 July 1856. (B-400)

BOYHEN, MATHEW, died intestate. Admr., Joseph Fisher. Sec., John Copeland and James Connell. 9 July 1851. (B-88)

CAMPBELL, GEORGE W., died intestate. Admr., Charles H.Powell. Sec., Morgan Dryden and Samuel Hill. 8 Aug. 1850. (B-46)

CAMPBELL, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Thomas D. Wood. Sec., John Wood and William Landis. 24 Dec. 1847. (A-207)

CARMICHAEL, HIRAM, of Rush Twp., will dated 22 Apr. 1852.

"Being in very infirm state of health". Wife, Martha Carmichael, all real and personal estate so long as remains his widow. At her death to his four daughters: Mariah L. Avery to have her portion under the control of executors; Missouri A., Nancy J., and America Carmichael to have their portions as they come of age. Son, William N. Carmichael; son Hiram W. Carmichael, until he comes of age. Appoints wife, Martha Carmichael, and the Probate Court joint exrs. Wit: Henry Judah and Samuel M. Taylor. Recorded 28 June 1852. (B-164)

CHILTON, ROBERT, died intestate. Admr., Ennis Burris. Sec., James J. Reynolds and Joseph Gilmore. 7 Feb. 1842. (A-36)

CLARK, DANIEL K., - will dated 6 Dec. 1852.
Wife Clarann K. Clark, all personal and real estate. Four sons: George, Powers, Wesley, and Greenwood K. Clark after death of wife. Daughters: Anna Gidens, Polly Gidens, Caroline Stephens, Adelena, Amanda and Luviza K. Clark. Exrx., (cont.)

Clark, Daniel K., (cont.) - Claraann K. Clark and George K. Clark. Wit: Isham Nance and Samuel R. Trower. Recorded 8 Jan. 1852. (B-122)

CLARK, WILLIAM J., died intestate. Admr., Barnes Clark. Sec., Rebecca Clark, Jesse A. Clark, and Elizabeth Clark. -- Feb. 1851. (B-63)

CLARK, WITTEN J., died intestate. Admrx., Nancy Clark. Sec., George M. C. Moor, Elbert Sevier Gann, and Thomas Kirkman. 15 May 1848. (A-220). Admrx., Nancy Clark. Sec., John Gann and Hiram C. Clark. 5 Apr. 1849. (A-263)

CLASBY, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Edwin N. Hurt. Heirs: Sarah W. Clasby, the widow, and Thomas, Samuel, Duncan, Walter, Hayden, and Elizabeth Clasby and one other child whose christian name is not remembered, all of Buchanan Co. Sec., William Irvine and Christopher N. Hurt. 4 Oct. 1852. (B-181)

CLEEK, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Jacob Cleek. Sec., James Riley and Matthew S. Cleek. 6 Jan. 1850. (B-25)

CLINE, GEORGE W., died intestate. Admr., Abraham Cline. Sec., William McVey and Lazwell Parr. 29 Sept. 1851. (B-106)

CLOUSER (CLOWSER), JOHN, died intestate. Admrs., Jane Clouser and James Hanan. Sec., Elisha Davis, Daniel Devorss, and Jesse R. Allen. 5 Oct. 1846. (A-137). New admr., David Clowser. Sec., Ephrain Porter and Daniel Devorss. 2 Nov. 1847. (A-201)

CONNER, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., James Craig. Sec., Edward J. Harper and D. J. Heaton. 8 Aug. 1851. (B-95)

CONNER, MICHAEL A., died intestate. Admr., Bela M. Hughes. Sec., Jesse Holladay and Reuben Middleton. 3 Dec. 1849.(B-19)

COOK, JAMES H., died intestate. Admr., George Brubaker. Sec., Israel Landis and Simon Kemper. 4 Sept. 1849. (B-2)

COPELAND, ELI, died intestate. Admr., Hugh Smith. Heirs are Merriman Copeland, age 27, David, aged 25, William ag 23, John, age 21, Jane Loveland, age 17, and George Copeland aged 15. 26 July 1855. Sec., Josiah Jones and Merriman Copeland. (B-348)

COPELAND, JARMIN, died intestate. Admr., Eli Copeland. 3 Mar. 1847. Sec., Abner Copeland and Eli Crumply. (A-156)

CORNELIUS, JAMES B., died intestate. Admr., Benjamin Cornelius. Sec., John Blakely and Andrew J. Walker. 27 Mar. 1848. (A-215)

CORSON, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Isom S. Gardner. Heirs of decd. are Sarah A. Corson, widow of decd., who now (cont.)

resides in Platte Co., Mo., and who is the only heir personally known to this affiant, but he is informed and believes that the decd. has a father and mother, brothers and sisters whose names he is unable to give, residing in Illinois. 19 Sept. 1853. Sec., Elias Ogden and William Thurman. (B-234)

COX, JOSEPH, SENR., - will dated 15 Aug. 1857.

"To each of my children Jonathan Cox, Elizabeth Thomas, and Nancy Henderson". Children and heirs at law of my son Benona Cox, decd. Son Isaac Cox and children and heirs of my son, Thomas Cox, who is dead. Wife Sarah Cox. Son Joseph to reside on the farm and look after the wife, Sarah. Exr., son Joseph Cox. Wit: Robert B. Thomas and J. B. Cox. Recorded 7 Sept. 1857. (B-461)

COX, THOMAS, died intestate. Admrx., Minerva Cox. Sec., Jonathan Cox and Joseph Cox. 3 Nov. 1845. (A-103) Admr. de bonis non, Jonathan Cox. Sec., Guilford Montray and Samuel G. B. Kavanaugh. 7 June 1847. (A-172)

CROMWELL, LEVI, died intestate. Admr., Joseph Cromwell. Sec., Walker Smith and James F. McCubbin. 14 Mar. 1847. (A-212)

CROUCH, ABRAM, died intestate. Admrx., Ann Crouch. Sec., Daniel Devorss, David McMunn, and James W. Galloway. 20 Nov. 1847. (A-204) Admr. de bonis non, Thomas F. Wilson. Sec., Daniel Devorss and James W. Hayes. 4 May 1848. (A-219)

CULP, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Henry Culp. Sec., John H. Henry and Isaac Sparks. 22 June 1847. (A-178)

CUNNINGHAM, CHRISTOPHER, died intestate. Admr., states heirs are Martha Cunningham, widow of decd., and William Cunningham, John Cunningham, Mary Boydston, David Cunningham, Archibald V. Grable, Keziah Seals, Elizabeth McKibben, Charlotte Cunningham, Avey Cunningham, Nilinda Cunningham, and Moses Cunningham. 10 Mar. 1852. Admr., John Cunningham. Sec., John M. Arnold and Daniel Seal. (B-147)

CURD, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., John Curd. Sec., William M. Carter and Thomas Wildbahn. 5 Mar. 1851. (B-66)

DANIEL, JEREMIAH, died intestate. Admr., William C. Maddox. Sec., Morgan Dryden and Richard A. Conn. 3 Sept. 1850 (B-51)

DANIEL, JOHN, of Platte Twp., will dated 23 Mar. 1850.
"Old but in good health". To wife, Elizabeth Daniel. At end of her widowhood or life, my son James T. Daniel. Three sons: William, Owen and James Daniel. Sons, Henry H. Daniel, and John Daniel. Grandson, Francis M. Williams. Grandchildren, the heirs of Jeremiah Daniel. Daughters, Elizabeth Wise, Malinda Hite, Sarah Maddox, Nancy Tinsley, Melitty Madox (Maden?), Emeline Clarkon. Appoints Henry H. Daniel and (cont.)

Daniel, John, (cont.) - Warner W. Daniel, exrs. Wit: R. A. Conn, Luda Martin, George Swim, and David N. Gilbert. Recorded 27 May 1852. Morgan Dryden applies for L/T 23 July 1852. Sec., John Dryden and Ludy Martin. Henry H. Daniel and Warner H. Daniel declined to exr. (B-168)

DAVIS, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., John Devorss. Sec., George W. Taylor and Joseph Devorss. 25 Nov. 1844. (A-86)

DAVIS, JOHN D., died intestate. Admr., Francis D. Bowen. Sec., William Galbreath and Robert M. Stewart. 3 Sept. 1849. (B-1)

DAY, VALENTINE, died intestate. Admr., Henderson Linville. Sec., David Brown and David Burris. 28 May 1846. (A-124)

DELOGE, JOHN B., of St. Joseph, - will dated 24 Oct. 1852.
All to wife Clara Deloge, exrx. Wit: F. H. Doyon and F. M. Wright. Recorded 2 Nov. 1852. Exrx., Clara B. Deloge. Sec., Francis H. Doyon and Francis M. Wright. (B-192)

DENNY, ELI, died intestate. Admrx., Ruth M. Denny. Heirs are Ruth M. Denny, widow of decd., Martha C. Denny and Mary Allen. 31 Mar. 1855. Sec., John Patee. (B-336)

DESPAIN, LEWIS, died intestate. Admr., Aaron Lewis. Sec., John Copeland and Alexander Cowhick. 3 July 1849. (A-276)

DEVORSS, DANIEL, - will dated 21 Jan. 1844.

Sons Joseph and Daniel. Real estate in Ohio to son John. Son William and daughter, Ann. Ann's part to be laid out in land for her during her natural life, then belong to her 2 sons, namely B. Jasper and Daniel. Grandson James Devorss, son of Joseph Devorss. Daniel Devorss, son of John Devorss. Remainder of my little affairs to Edee Devorss, except my chest and that to Rebecca Devorss. Exrs., my son John and my son William. Wit: R. E. Daugherty and Elijah Robertson. Recorded 1 Apr. 1844. (A-73)

DEVORSS, JOHN, died intestate. Henson Devorss, admr. Sec., William Devorss and Simon Davis. 6 Dec. 1847. (A-205)

DEVORSS, JOSEPH, - will (undated)
Wife, Mary. Sons, Thomas, James, - "if both are without children, that portion to all my surviving sons and daughters and
the wives of my two sons, Thomas and James (if any they have),
share and share alike". Sons, John and Daniel, and daughters,
Silvina Shanks, Ruthann Mead, and Mary Ann Doherty. Wit: James
M. Gibson and Simon Davis. Recorded 4 Nov. 1845. Exrs., John
Devorss and Thomas Devorss. Sec., James W. Hayes, George W.
Taylor, James A. Cochran and Abram Crouch. (A-107)

DEVORSS, SAMUEL, died intestate. Admr., Minerva G. Devorss. Sec., Richard Shirley and James Black. 26 Dec. 1850. (cont.)

Allen H. Vories, de bonis non, admr. Heirs: Minerva Devorss, widow of the decd., now Minerva Scott. Estate now remains unadministered. 5 Oct. 1852. Sec., William Ridenbaugh and Benjamin S. Whorton. (B-182)

DEVORSS, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Joseph Devorss. Sec., Hanson Devorss and Francis Lattun. 6 Mar. 1849. (A-256)

DILLIN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Abraham Dillin. Sec., Harvey Dillin and Thomas J. Cox. 30 Dec. 1849. (A-252)

DIMMITT, JAMES H., died intestate. Admrx., Sarah J. Dimmitt. Heirs are Luemma Dimmitt and James Dimmitt, children of said decd., and Sarah J. Dimmitt, all of Buchanan Co. 26 June 1856. Sec., R. A. Brittain, S. Davis, Barne Clark, and John H. Minor. (B-401)

DINWIDDIE, MARTIN, died intestate. Admrx., Sarah Dinwiddie. Sec., Aaron Lewis and Lasater Copeland. 8 July 1851. (B-84)

DITTEMORE, GEORGE A., died intestate. Admr., Leander T. Ellis. Sec., Thomas Dittemore and Thomas Potter. 1 Apr. 1850. (B-36)

DIXON, ELIZABETH, died intestate. Admr., John C. Russell. Sec., Elijah Russell and Philip Bohart. 4 June 1844. (A-44)

DIXON, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Harvey Jones. Sec., George W. Rector and Silvester Smith Hughlett. 3 Mar. 1846. (A-116)

DIXON, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Dugan Fouts. Sec., Robert W. Connell, Ambrose D. McDaniel, James Muncy, and George Smith. 14 Dec. 1846. (A-149)

DONALDSON, JOSEPH, died intestate. Admr., John W. Blakely. Heirs are Armelda Donaldson, the widow, and Henry Donaldson, the child of said decd., both of Buchanan Co. 28 June 1855. Sec., Benjamin Cornelius and Thomas Slaughter. (B-345)

DONALDSON, THOMAS H., died intestate. Admr., Elijah McCrary. Heirs are John Donaldson, the heirs of Joseph Donaldson, Stephen Donaldson, Dollyroy Reed's heirs, Jane Hays, Ellander Bryan, and Elizabeth Thomas. 4 Sept. 1856. Sec., W. P. Short-ridge and John M. Donaldson. (B-410)

DONNELLY, EDWARD, died intestate. Admr., Joseph B. Smith. Heirs are Martha Donnelly, the widow, and Martha Jane Donnelly, Sarah C., James and Ann Eliza Donnelly, children of decd. 22 Aug. 1856. Sec., Wilson C. Gordon. (B-407)

DONOVAN, ALFRED G., died intestate. Admr., James Donovan, 3 June 1847. Sec., Jonathan Levy and Robert J. Boyd. (A-169)

DOWDALL, BERNARD W., died intestate. Admr., Lawson H. Rowell. Heirs are Francis Dowdall, widow of the decd., and (cont.)

Dowdall, Bernard W., (cont.) - Minerva E. Powell, Sarah Mumford, William T. Dowdall, George W. Dowdall and Lucy Dowdall, all of Buchanan Co. 5 Mar. 1855. Sec., William McDonald and Ludy Martin. (B-328)

DRISKELL, DAVIS, died intestate. Admr., Abraham Martin. Sec., Samuel Martin and John Thurmon. 3 Nov. 1845. (A-104)

DULZSEKKY, CHARLES, died intestate. Admr., Robert W. Donnell. Heirs: widow of decd., and two children, none of whose christian names are now known to this affiant, all of whom reside in St. Joseph. Sec., A. M. Sexton and Eli E. Denny. 29 May 1854. (B-278)

DUN, MARTIN, died intestate. Admr., James G. Karnes. Sec., Alexander Fudge and Conrad L. Peters. 7 July 1845. (A-94)

DUNCAN, ROBERT, died intestate. Admr., Mary Duncan. Sec., William Ray and John Copeland. 7 Aug. 1851. (B-94) James W. Whitehead, admr. de bonis non. Heirs of decd. are Mary White, late Mary Duncan, and Joseph B. Duncan, Marcus A. Duncan, and Louisa J. Duncan. 4 Apr. 1854. Sec., William Ray and William W. Reynolds. L/A had been granted to Mary Duncan. Whereas she has since intermarried with James W. Whitehead, letters were revoked, and the above appointed. (B-273)

DUNLAP, JAMES, SENR., - will written of Montgomery Co., Ky., 1 June 1841.

Five sons, James, Andrew, Alexander, John, and Thomas James, and daughter Elizabeth Elison, one dollar each. Daughter, Sally Wills, one dollar. To son, William, all the rest of my property. Wit: Henry West, Samuel G. Dunlap, James C. Dunlap. Recorded Platte Co., 9 Oct. 1844. Exr., William Dunlap. Sec., William Curl and James C. Dunlap. (A-81 & 82)

DUNN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., James G. Karnes. Sec., Alexander Fudge and William Dunn. 7 Aug. 1850. (B-45)

DUNN, POLLY, died intestate. Admr., James G. Karnes. Sec., William Dunn and Isaac Miller. 2 July 1849. (A-275)

DUNN, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Comrad L. Peters. Heirs: Benjamin F. Dunn and Eliza J. Peters, late Eliza J. Dunn. (doesn t give relationship). 28 Apr. 1852. Sec., Andrew J. Walker and Alexander Russell. (B-154)

DUNSTER, THOMAS, - will dated 7 Jan. 1855.
As soon as possible after my death executors are to sell my real and personal estate in Buchanan Co., and also my town lots in Pensacola, Florida, and after paying expenses, give \$500 to father, George Dunster of Cantown, New Jersey, and the balance to be equally divided to decd's four brothers, Isaac Dunster, (now in California), Edmond Dunster, John Dunster, and Henry

Dunster. Wit: J. B. Howard and O. B. Knode. -- Jan. 1855. (B-312). Exr., William J. Taylor. Sec., A. M. Saxon and William M. Carter. (B-313)

DYER, JOHN M., died intestate. Admr., John Jones. Sec., Robert J. Boyd and Levi Walker. 10 June 1847. (A-175)

EARIXSON, WILLIAM J., died intestate. Admr., Weston J. Everett. Sec., William T. Crockett and Price B. Guess. 9 Dec. 1843. (A-66\_

EBERMAN, FIELDING, died intestate. Admr., William Ridinbaugh. Sec., Willie M. English and Simeon Kemper. 5 July 1848. (A-236)

EBERMAN, FRANKLIN, died intestate. Admr., William Ridenbaugh. Sec., Willie M. English and Simeon Kemper. 5 July 1848. (A-235)

EDGAR, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., William H. Edgar. 14 Oct. 1847. Sec., Joseph C. Hull and William P. Richardson. (A-200)

EDIE, ROBERT J., died intestate. Admr., John P. Thompson. Sec., Eli Watson and Josiah Howard. 4 Nov. 1851. (B-113)

EDWARDS, CHARLES W., died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Edwards. Heirs are Elizabeth Edwards, the widow, and Levi Russell Edwards, son of decd., both of Buchanan Co. 11 Mar. 1856. Sec., Ephraim Bowen and Moses Simmons. (B-391). Moses Simmons, admr. de bonis non. Heirs are Elizabeth Edwards, the widow, and Levi Edwards the son, both of whom now reside in Ohio. 5 Nov. 1856. Sec., Ephraim Bowen and George Boyer. Elizabeth Edwards had been appointed admrx., but has left the state of Missouri permanently; therefore Moses Simmons is appointed admr. (B-414)

EDWARDS, JAMES P., died intestate. Admrs., Nancy Edwards and Andrew J. Walker. Sec., William Landis and Roberson B. McMillin. 7 Nov. 1848. (A-248)

ELLIOTT, WILLIAM H., died intestate. Admr., Morgan Dryden. Sec., John Tobin and Thomas Boydston. 5 Mar. 1845. (A-90)

EMBREE, MARTIN L., - will dated 27 July 1854.
Wife, Elizabeth, house I now live in and the piece of land bought of Calvin Graves. Rest of property to be sold and divided equally between wife and child, Sarah Alice. Enough taken out to prosecute J. P. Blanks. Wishes wife to keep and retain charge of McEavender L. Vanhook until he is 21, giving him a good common English education, provided he remains with wife. Appoints Charles W. Campbell and Israel Christy exrs. Wit: Isham Nance, James T. Morton, and Samuel R. Trower, Sr. Recorded 4 Aug. 1854. Exrs., Israel Christy and Charles W. Campbell. Sec., Robert C. Moseley and Albe M. Saxton. (B-292)

ENGLISH, CHARLES, died intestate. Admr., Willis M. English. Sec., William King and John Patee. 14 Apr. 1848. (A-217)

ESTES, LITTLEBERRY - will written in 1856.
Wife, Eliza Estes. Two sons John M. and Robert Franklin, and two daughters, names not given. Until my youngest son is 21.
Wit: Peyton W. Estes and Benjamin Moore. Recorded June Court 1856. Exrs., Jacob Boyer and George Boyer. Sec., John Bretz and J. S. Sullivan. (B-398) Admr., de bonis non, John W. Ellis. Heirs are Eliza A. Ellis (late Estes) widow of decd., Ellen Smith, late Ellis, Susan Mary Estes, John M. Estes and Robert F. Estes, all of Buchanan Co. 7 Sept. 1857. Sec., Joshua Deer and Samuel Hill. (B464)

EWELL, JOHN A., died intestate. Admr., George W. Hudspeth. Sec., William Thompson and James Ellison. 2 July 1849. (A-274)

EWELL, LAYTON, died intestate. Admr., John E. Pitt. Heirs: Eliza Jane Ewell, Martha Ewell, James R. Ewell, Pleasant Ewell, and America Ann Ewell. 29 July 1853. Sec., B. R. Martin and M. G. Young. (B-229)

FARLEY, NIMROD, died intestate. Admr., Charles A. Farley. Sec., James C. Smith and Samuel Martin. 23 July 1847. (A-189)

FAUNTLEROY, DAVID E., died intestate. Admrs., James F. Fauntleroy, and John Bell. Sec., James Hamilton and Charles W. Davis. 3 Nov. 1845. (A-105)

FAUNTLEROY, JOHN HUNTER, formerly of Kentucky, but late of Missouri. - will dated 5 Dec. 1846.
Proceeds of the sale of his estate to be invested in a piece of land for "my sister Eliza Davis, the deed of which is to be given in her own name". Wit: J. B. Shearer and A. M. Reece. Recorded 4 Jan. 1847. Exr., Francis D. Davis. Sec., John D. Davis and Abraham M. Reece. 4 Jan. 1847. (A-150)

FAUNTLEROY, JOHN T. G., died intestate. Admr., Charles W. Davis. Sec., John Bell and John Thurman. 5 Aug. 1845. (A-95)

FEE, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Washington Jones. Heirs are Rebecca Fee, Caroline Dillin and several others whose names are unknown, all of whom reside in Kansas Territory. 9 Sept. 1857. Sec., John A. Chamber and Preston T. Moss. (B-467)

FERRELL, MATTHEW C. - made Public Admr. of Buchanan Co., 7 Mar. 1843, for two years. Bond, Thomas J. Ferrel and James A. Anthony. (A-50) Sec., Ross Wilkerson and Henry W. Baker. (A-92)

FISHER, SARAH, died intestate. Admr., John M. McCormick. Heirs of decd. are Charles Fisher, James D. Fisher, Amanda Willhite, and the heirs of Synthia A. Deer, formerly (cont.)

Synthia A. Fisher, that said Sarah Fisher died without a will. 14 June 1854. Sec., Henry Deer and William Davis. (B-283)

FLAD, FRANCIS, of Marion Twp., - will dated 9 Sept. 1853. To daughter Mariann Flad - her mother Agatha Flad. My daughter Helena Flad so long as she resides with her mother. To my wife Agatha Flad, use of property for life and she to take charge of and maintain, clothe and educate my four smallest children, namely, Terressa Flad, John Flad, Willhelmina Flad, and Jacob Flad. After death of said wife, property is to be divided among all my children, namely, Mary Ann Flad, Walpurga, Helena, Therressa, John, Wilhelmina, and Jacob Flad. Exr., friend Joseph Hepler. Wit: Ephraim Bowen and Daniel Bermond. Recorded 3 Dec. 1853. Exr., Joseph Hepler. Sec., Jacob Degle and Fidel Kepler. (B-250)

FLANARY, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., James V. Bunten. Heirs are Mary Broomfield, John Flanery, Matilda E. Flanery, all residents of Kansas Territory. 3 Mar. 1857. Sec., E. M. Fenton and J. B. Griffin. (B-429)

FLANARY, JOHN B., died intestate. Admr., William E. Flanary. Sec., Cornelius McGuire and Henry C. Haggard. 18 Mar. 1848. (A-213)

FLESHMAN, JOHN R., died intestate. Admr., Levi Walker. Sec., John Jones and Thomas Jones. 10 June 1847. (A-174)

FLETCHER, CHARLES, died intestate. Admr., Nelson Witt. Heirs are Rebecca Fletcher, the widow, and Solomon, Hulda A., David, Nancy, Sena Vina, George Minerva, and one other child whose name is unknown now, all of Buchanan Co., except Solomon who resides in Texas. 13 Apr. 1857. Sec., Weston J. Everett and Thomas Housh. (B-443)

FRAKES, NATHAN T., - will dated 3 Jan. 1849.
Wife, Sydney Ann. Children: Winnefred, wife of James Gibson; william, Hannah T. Allen, Joseph T., Willis C., daughter Lucinda Jane, wife of Richard Sampson; daughter Phebe Ann, wife of Joseph Norman. My four youngest children: Jackson, Samuel, Mary Ann, and Lettitia. Exr., son William. Wit: James H. Ashbaugh, James Gibson, William Frakes, and Peter Rhodes. Recorded 24 Apr. 1849. Exr., William Frakes. Sec., Willis C. Frakes and James Gibson. 24 Apr. 1849. (A-260)

FRIZELL, MARTIN, died intestate. Admr., Thomas Brooks. Sec., Simon Davis and John Ledgerwood. 6 Jan. 1851. (B-61)

FUCHS, HENRY L., died intestate. Admr., Jesse Holladay. Sec., Philander Thomas and Joseph C. Hull. 37 May 1850. (B-42)

FULTON, DUNCAN, died intestate. Heirs are Mary Fulton, Richard Fulton, and Elizabeth Fulton; and Lodusky Fulton, widow (cont.)

Fulton, Duncan, (cont.) - of decd. 23 Feb. 1852. Admr. John McGauhey. Sec., James J. Reynolds and William Wade. (B-140)

FUNK, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admrx., Mary L. Funk. Heirs are Mary Funk, the widow, and Alice Funk, both residents of Buchanan Co. 27 Dec. 1854. Sec., Bartholomew O'Driscoll and Simeon Kemper. (B-310)

FUQUA, DANIEL A., died intestate. Admr., James V. Bunten. Heirs are Synthia Jane, the widow, and Martha Jane Fuqua, his daughter, both of Buchanan Co. 6 July 1857. Sec., J. J. B. Griffin, Alfred Fenton, and Thomas J. Stratton. (B-454)

GAGGERT, GEORGE, died intestate. Admr., George W. Gabbert. Heirs are George W. Gabbert, Eli Gabbert, Ransom Gabbert, James Gabbert, William Gabbert, Sarah Hamner, Joseph M. Gabbert, Nathan C. Gabbert, and Jesse Gabbert, and the children of Thomas J. Gabbert, decd. 20 Aug. 1855. Sec., Edmond Lewis and Joseph Mark. (B-351)

GABBERT, THOMAS J., died intestate. Admr., Eli Gabbert. Sec., Thomas J. Gabbert and John Brittain. 7 Nov. 1844. (A-84) Admr., George W. Gabbert. Sec., Jesse Keith and Eli Gabbert. 6 Aug. 1849. (A-277)

GALLOWAY, DANIEL, died intestate. Admr., William Galloway. Sec., James Galloway, Sarah Galloway, James A. Cochran, and Abram Crouch. 6 Aug. 1845. (A-96)

GALLOWAY, LANDON, died intestate. Admr., James M. Rector. Sec., Thomas Moore and John Price. 13 Oct. 1848. (A-242)

GANN, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., Isaac W. Gann. Sec., Hiram C. Clark, Ephraim Porter, and Witten J. Clark. 7 Aug. 1846. (A-134)

GARFIELD, HENRY H., died intestate. Admrs., Benjamin S. Whorton and Hannah P. Garfield. Sec., Daniel G. Keedy and Isadore Paulin. 21 Mar. 1851. (B-69)

GARNETT, HUGH, died intestate. Admr., Joseph J. Dixon. Sec., William P. McCubbin and James M. Brady. 5 Nov. 1856. Heirs are Margaret Garnett, Laura Julian, and Leonidas Garnett, all of Buchanan Co. (B-415)

GARNETT, REUBEN, died intestate. Admr., Moses A. Lovelady. Heirs are Sally A. Garnett, the widow. 25 Oct. 1856. Sec., Nathan Newly and Melvin McKee. (B\_413)

GARTNER, GEORGE, died intestate. Admrx., Louisa Gartner. Heirs are Louisa Gartner, widow of decd., and Edward Gartner, son of said deceased, residing in Buchanan Co. 7 Feb. 1855. Sec., Augustus Vegley and George P. Elbert. (B-322)

GARTON, ZACHARIAH, SENR., of Bloomington Twp. - will dated

7 Aug. 1852.

To wife Polly Garton. After death of wife, the land willed to wife, to go to son William Garton. "To each and every one of my sons and daughters, one dollar", (not named). Exrs., sons Uriah Garton and William Garton. Wit: B. Barnes and Sarah Michael. Recorded 17 Oct. 1852. Exr., William C. Garton. Sec., Covington Dix and Thomas Simmons. (B-188)

GEORGE, WHITSON, died intestate. Adrms., Nicholas Roberts and John Ledgerwood. Sec., Benjamin Cornelius and William E. Holman. 18 Oct. 1843. (A-59)

GIBSON, ARTHUR, died intestate. Admr., Thomas G. Gibson. Heirs are Jane Gibson, his widow, and Thomas G. Gibson, Rachael Wilhelms intermarried with Levi Wilhelms, Lewis Gibson, Francis M. Gibson, James A. Gibson, Nancy Gibson, Clarrissa Gibson, William R. Gibson, and George W. Gibson, all residents of Buchanan Co. 10 Sept. 1853. Sec., Lewis Cobb and Charles Fletcher。 (B-231)

GIBSON, JAMES, - will dated 5 May 1851. Wife, Winnifred N. Gibson. Three children: William Campbell Gibson, Nathan T. Gibson, and Joseph T. Gibson. Wit: J. T. Frakes and John Gibson. James Ashbaugh testifies that he signed the testator's name to the will at his request. Will recorded 11 Sept. 1851. (B-104)

GIDDENS, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Joseph Laymon. Sec., Edward C. Brown, Jesse Miller, William Giddens, John Giddens, and Eli Giddens. 8 Sept. 1846. (A-136)

GILLIAM, APAPHRODITUS, died intestate. Admr., Jesse Gilliam. Sec., Robert Duncan and Hugh Maxwell. 13 Apr. 1842. (A-37)

GILMORE, JOSEPH, died intestate. Admrx., Martha W. Gilmore and James J. Reynolds. Heirs are Martha W. Gillmore, widow of decd., Fanny E. Gilmore intermarried with Moses Buriss, Synthia A. Gilmore intermarried with Elisha Burris, Nancy W. Gilmore, Samuel J. Gilmore, Martha J. Gilmore, Robert M. Gilmore, Malinda E. Lilmore, and James R. Gilmore, all residing in Buchanan Co., save Fanny E. and Synthia A. who reside in Nodaway Co. 23 Dec. 1852. Sec., William W. Reynolds and Yerba W. Reynolds. (B-203)

GILMORE, ROBERT, - will dated 26 Dec. 1853. Wife, Rebecca. Oldest son, Milford, one-eleventh part of estate. Each of following heirs, one-eleventh part: heirs of daughter, Polly, decd, who married William McDowell (that is to say, Sary McDowell, Robert Modrell McDowell, and John H. McDowell, each 1/3 of 1/11th); son, James J. Gilmore; son, Robert M. Gilmore; daughter, Eliza E., married to James (cont.) Gilmore, Robert, (cont.) - McDowell, decd; daughter, Jane, married to Constantine Brinton; son, Samuel D. Gilmore; dau., Adaline married to George Jesse; son, William M. Gilmore; dau., Catherine Gilmore; son Benjamin F. Gilmore. Sons, Samuel Gilmore and William McDowell, to be guardians to manage lands willed to heirs of my daughter, Polly, decd. Son, James J. Gilmore guardian for estate of daughter, Eliza E., during her widowhood. Exr., Milford Gilmore. Wit: William W. Renolds and William Wade. Recorded 16 Jan. 1854. Sec., James J. Gilmore and Robert M. Gilmore. (B-167)

GILMORE, SAMUEL M., made Collector of Revenue for County and State. His sec., James Gilmore and Frederick Waymire. 6 May 1839. (A-5)

GIPSON, WILLIAM H., died intestate. Admr., William M. Carter. Sec., John Curd and Lewis Tracy. 1 Jan. 1850. (B-24)

GIRARD, DAVID, - will dated 2 May 1850.
To father, Martin Girard, 20 acres of land and a lot in St.
Joseph. Residue of property to wife, Marie Louise Girard, and
Leon David Girard, our son. Wit: Daniel G. Keedy, Simon Davis,
and William P. Loan. Recorded 3 Jan. 1852. (B-121) Exrx.,
Marie Louise Girard. Sec., Joseph Robidoux and Edmond Michat.
20 Mar. 1852. (B-148). Admr., de bonis non, 18 Jan. 1853.
Sec., Joseph Robidoux and Edward Micheau. L/T had been
granted to the widow, Mary Louise Girard, who has become incompetent to the execution of said trust and letters were revoked,
resulting in above appointment. (B-207)

GLENN, HUGH, died intestate. Admr., William P. Lewis. Sec., George Jeffers and Green R. Cordry. 7 Feb. 1848. (A-210)

GLENN, JOHN M., - will dated 8 Mar. 1850. Entire estate to Susan Glenn, my wife. Wit: David Mack, Senr. Recorded 27 Sept. 1850. (B-57)

GOOD, JOHN A., died intestate. Admr., Benjamin F. Loan. Sec., Michael Rogers, Daniel G. Rudy, and William Landston. 3 Sept. 1849. (B-3)

GOODMAN, PETER, died intestate. Admr., Caswell Goodman. Heirs are Caswell Goodman, John Goodman, Jacob Goodman, Barbara Jane Goodman, Caroline Goodman, William Goodman, and Mary Ellen Goodman, all of Buchanan Co. 29 July 1854. Sec., Merrill Willis and Francis G. Hughes. (B-291)

GOODWIN, ISAIAH, - will dated 22 May 1854. Wife, Millie (Milla) Goodwin. Mentions land purchased from William Burnett. Wife to keep younger children and raise them and educate them as far as their means admit. My six children: Delilaan, John and Keziah Smith, Tobias, Samuel Mitchel, and Sarah Catharine, all of which I claim to be my children and

lawful heirs. Wit: William Burnett and Warner W. Daniels. Recorded 16 Jan. 1856. Exr., Nelson Witt. Sec., Cornelius Roberts and Absolum L. Creal. (B-384)

GORDON, GILLMAN, died intestate. Admr., John H. Rode. Heirs are Sophiah Gordon, widow of decd., Stephen Josiah Gordon and Gillman Henry Gordon, all residing in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co. 17 Feb. 1853. Sec., George Merlatt and James Self. (B-209)

GORE, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., Henry Gore. Heirs are Mary F. Gore, the widow, and Henry K. Gore, son of said decd., both of Buchanan Co. 21 Feb. 1857. Sec., Lewis Gore and Green V. Gore. (B-422)

GRABLE, JACOB, - will dated 25 Mar. 1848.
Wishes to be buried on son Paul's place. Son John Grable, son-in-law George Palmer, son Paul Grable, son Joel Grable, the carding machine at John Brentz', son Volney Grable. To establish in St. Joseph, Library called Jacob Grable's Infidel Library of St. Joseph. Much about this. Exrs., Paul Grable and Joseph Grable. Wit: Joseph Grable, Golden Silvers, and Robert Wilson. Recorded 5 June 1848. Sec. to exrs., Robert Wilson, Charles Grable, John Britz, Golden Silvers and Ethel D. Campbell. (A-223)

GRABLE, JACOB, died leaving a will and appointed Joseph Grable, exr., and Jane Grable exrx. L/T revoked. John Bretz appointed admr. 5 Dec. 1853. Sec., Joel Grable and William L. Matney. (B-248)

GRAVES, BOSTON, - will dated 9 Sept. 1845.
Wife, Elizabeth Graves. Son and daughter, Calvin M. Graves and Malvina Graves. Daughter, Sarah McConel, land in Andrew Co. Daughter Louisa Jesse, wife of Robert Jesse. Daughter, Martha Jane Garten. Exr., friend, Robert Jesse. Wit: James F. Beaty, Martin Adams, and John W. Cowan. Recorded 14 Mar. 1846. (A-126). Wit., John W. Cowan, made his affidavit in Pulaski Co., Ky. Exr., Robert Jesse. Sec., Harvey Gains, David C. Montgomery, John Cosby, and David C. Ewing. 4 June 1846. (A-129)

GRIGGS, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., William Ellis. Sec., Aquolla J. Morrow and Daniel Z. Ellis. 29 Nov. 1850. (B-58)

GRIMES, GEORGE, died intestate. Admr., Morgan Dryden. Sec., John Dryden and Nathaniel C. Boydston. 5 Feb. 1847. (A-154)

GUINN, REBECCA, died intestate. Admr., David E. Fauntleroy. Sec., John Thurman, Daniel Hurt, and Charles W. Davis. 7 June 1844. (A-76)

HAGGART, HENRY C., died intestate. Admr., Nimrod Pendigrass. Heirs are Martha Haggart, Ellen Haggart, Mary Jane (cont.)

Haggart, Henry C. (cont) - Haggart, Nancy Elizabeth Haggart, and John Henry Haggart. 7 Aug. 1855. Sec., James Taylor and Alfred D. Hartsack. (B-349)

HALL, PHILLIP, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Hall. Sec., William B. Hall and William Chapman. 10 Feb. 1851. (B-62). Admr., William Chapman. Sec., Charles Snelling and Joseph Frakes. 5 May 1851. (B-76)

HALLORAN, LUKE, died intestate. Admr., John Corby. Sec., John D. Richardson and John Curd. 11 Nov. 1847. (A-203)

HAMILTON, THOMAS. Admr., Samuel Stewart. Sec., David G. Thorp and James C. Dunlap. 15 Dec. 1845. (A-112)

HARDING, JOHN, died intestate. Admrx., Rebecca Harding. Sec., Alexander Fudge and Frederick Rantel. 19 Sept. 1843. (A-55)

HARDING, POLINA, died intestate. Admr., Alexander Fudge. Sec., Lincon Kemper and Peter Allen. 25 Jan. 1844. (A-70)

HARDING, ROBERT, died intestate. Admr., Alexander Fudge. Sec., Hasselton Compton, Humberton Lyon and James G. Karnes. 19 Sept. 1843. (A-54)

HARDY, JOHN S., died intestate. Admr., David C. Ewing. Sec., Alexander Fudge and George W. Symms. 1 Jan. 1849. (A-253)

HARDY, THOMAS, decd. Admr., Charles S. Hardy. Heir is James T. Hardy. 10 June 1855. Sec., Colby C. Gordon and James Dysart. (B-343)

HARGROVE, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., William S. Brown. Sec., John T. Martin and Alexander Brown. 7 June 1847. (A-171)

HARNESS, LEWIS, - will dated 8 Feb. 1851.
Children: Elizabeth Gist, David Harness, Mary Turner, Elmyra Harness, Rhoda Hubble, James A. Harness, Catharine Roderick, Abraham Harness, Nancy Harness, Miss Ann Harness, Andrew J. Harness, Senica Harness. Wife, Rachael Harness, exrx. Wit: William M. Lecompte and Charles Boyer. Recorded 1 Jan. 1856. (B-373). Rachael Harness, exrx. Sec., Ezra Hubble, Peter Gist, and Thomas Young. 8 Jan. 1856. (B-378)

HARRIS, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, - will dated 10 Feb. 1857. Wife Barbara, and two infant children, John Harris and Missouri Bell Harris. Wit: Tillman Harper and Warren Harris. Recorded 18 Feb. 1857. (B-424) L/T to Cornelius Day. 17 Mar. 1857. Sec., William Sutton and William Plank. (B-436)

HARRIS, WILLIAM T., died intestate. Admrx., Jane G. Harris. Sec., Simeon Kemper, James Hily, William Irwin, Henry B. Morris, and Isaac Miller. 6 Oct. 1851. (B-108)

HARTMAN, NATHAN, died intestate. Admr., Solomon Grimshaw. Heirs are wholly unknown to the affiant now. 25 Aug. 1857. Sec., Peter Kirschner, Samuel S. Allen, and James W. Whitehead. (B-463)

HARTSOCK, SAMUEL, died intestate. Admrx., Mahala Hartsock. Sec., John S. Davis and James V. Bunton. 22 July 1847. (A-187)

HENDERSON, SIDNEY C., died intestate. Admrx., Phoebe Henderson. Heirs are Louisa Elizabeth Ann Taylor Henderson, Nancy Elleanor Henderson, and Phoebe Henderson, widow of decd., all of Buchanan Co. 17 Mar. 1853. Sec., Auliff Hyde and William N. Thompson. (B-212)

HERRINGTON, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., David S. Collins. Sec., George A. Pearcy and George W. Miller. Heirs are Lydia Ann Harrington, widow of the decd., Perry Harrington, Harriet, Mary Francis, and Permelia Harrington. (spelled Harrington & Herrington). 6 Dec. 1851. (B-116)

HICKS, GEORGE W., - will dated 13 Dec. 1853.

Appoints admr., Robert W. Donnell. Asks that Robert W. Donnell be appointed guardian for his infant son, James L. Hicks. If he deems it best to sell all property and proceeds be in trust for son until age 21, or such time as he thinks he is capable of managing it. Admrs. to collect following debts justly due him: Penelope Landers \$5.; William Gordon \$4.50, James Willis \$1.00, John Landers 50 cents, Heskiah Landers \$4.00, Wylie Williams acct - I have a receipt showing amt due me from the estate of Robert Duncan \$27.00. Wit: W. Carson, J. D. Carson, and Samuel Beall. Recorded 19 Dec. 1853. Exr., Robert W. Donald. Sec., Erasmus F. Dixon. (B-254) (Called Hix in some records.)

HILL, RICHARD, died intestate. Admr., Samuel Hill. Heirs are the children of Betsy Hixon, decd., Nancy Hinxton, Samuel Hill, Joseph Hill, Eliza Ballou, Lucinda Catlett, Jane Anthony, and the children of Emaline Gardenhire, decd. 16 Dec. 1856. Sec., James A. Anthony and R. M. Burchall. (B-421)

HINKSTON, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Bartley Duncan. Sec., James W. Talbot and William W. Reynolds. 2 Sept. 1850. (B-50)

HOLMES, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., John M. Holmes. Sec., Posey N. Smith and Henry W. Hanson. 3 Feb. 1847. (A-153)

HOOVER, ELIZA JANE, died intestate. Admr., Henry F. Hoover. Sec., Dugan Fouts and Joshua Deer. 8 Jan. 1846. (A-114)

HORN, CHRISTOPHER, died intestate. Admr., Golden Silvers. Heirs are Mahala Barker, Mary Barker, Sally Ann Lancaster, (cont)

Horn, Alexander, (cont.) - Alexander Horn, Lutitia F. Hamline, Margaret J. Letcher, and Christopher E. Horn of Buchanan Co. and Reuben A. Horn of Clinton Co., Mo. 20 Mar. 1855. Sec., David Vestal and James Cannon. (B-333)

HORTON, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., John Devorss. Sec., Joseph Devorss and Posey N. Smith. 1 Mar. 1847. (A-157)

HOWARD, MARTIN W., died intestate. Admr., Maxamilla Howard. Sec., John Scott, John Copeland, and Elijah Gladden. 22 Mar. 1849. (A-257)

HUFFINGTON, JOSHUA B., died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Huffington. Sec., Silas McDonald and John Fee. 14 Apr. 1851. (B-71)

HUGHES, ABRAHAM, died intestate. Admr., John Gann. Sec., Henry Watkins and Hiram C. Clark. 25 Feb. 1850. (B-31)

HUNGERFORD, ANN, died intestate. Admr., Williamson Atterberry, Sec., William Curl and John Perdue. 3 Nov. 1845. (A-102)

HUNTER, ANDREW J., died intestate. Admr., Robert Duncan. Sec., John Hill and Hugh Maxwell. 14 Sept. 1840. (A-17)

HURST, ROBERT, died intestate. Admr., James V. Bunten. Heirs are Susan Hurst (then left a blank space of a couple lines perhaps for other heirs, which were not listed.) 6 July 1857. Sec., Jesse B. Griffin, Alfred Fenton, and Thomas J. Stratton. (B-456)

HUTCHINSON, ANDREW, - will dated 23 July 1856.
To Mary Hutchinson, widow of my brother Nathaniel Hutchinson, decd., and their children, Joseph C. Hutchinson, Mary Ann Smith, Horace Hutchinson, Amanda Hutchinson, Ellen Hutchinson, and William Hutchinson all of my estate, to share and share alike. Thomas R. Smith, exr. Mentions land near the city of Booneville in Cooper Co., title to which was given him by his brother N. Hutchinson, decd. Wit., John Calhoun and George G. Hoagland. Recorded 8 Aug. 1856. Exr., Thomas R. Smith. Sec., Mary Hutchinson and Amanda Hutchinson. (B-104)

INSKEEP, JAMES M. C., - will dated 9 Nov. 1849.
To wife, Augusta, house and lot in St. Joseph. Daughter
Florence. Wit: William V. Inskeep and John R. Peters. Recorded
7 Jan. 1850. Exr., Henry M. Voris. Sec., James A. Anthony
and Robert W. Donnell. 9 Jan. 1850. (B-26)

JACKSON, LEVI R., - will dated 27 Sept. 1848.
Wife, Mary Jackson. Entire estate to wife for use and benefit of herself and children. Exrs., wife, Mary Jackson, and Chas. Kinard. Wit: Bernard W. Dowdall and Jesse R. Allen. Recorded 28 Oct. 1848. Sec., Morris Pile and John Shearwood. 28 Oct. 1848. (A-245)

JACKSON, SAMUEL B., died intestate. Admr., Edwin Toole. Sec., John W. Freeman and James Herring. 1 July 1839. (A-3)

JAMES, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., David James. Sec., Calvin James and Charles Ramsey. 27 Feb. 1845. (A-88)

JAMES, JAMES, - will dated 5 Mar. 1856.
Wife Caroline James. Brothers, David James and Calvin James.
Sisters, Ann Toffenmeuer, Polly Vessar, Barbary James, Susan
Shalaver, and Lucinda Sreves. Wit: T. C. Yallerly, Everhart
Antle, and Jacob Degle. Recorded 31 Mar. 1856. (B-394)

JARRETT, DAVID, died intestate. Admr., Enoch Lite. Sec., Peter Goodman and Henry Keyes. 28 Mar. 1845. (A-93)

JENKINS, GEORGE W., died intestate. Admr., James Noland. Heirs are Rebecca Jenkins, the widow, Heziah Jenkins and Charles Thomas Jenkins, children of said decd. 3 Sept. 1855. Sec., William Dunning and John Saunders. (B-354)

JOHNSON, SAMUEL, died intestate. Admr., his son John K. Johnson. Sec., Isaac Miller and James G. Karnes. Heirs of Samuel Johnson: John K. Johnson of Buchanan Co., Alexander Johnson who lives in DeKalb Co., Cynthia Ann Johnson who lives in Buchanan Co., William R. Johnson who resides in California, county unknown; Mary Burnett, formerly Mary Johnson, who married David H. Burnett who resides in Buchanan Co., Nancy Lykins, formerly Nancy Johnson, who married C. B. Lykins, Malinda Maxwell, who both reside in Buchanan Co., and Sarah Johnson, the widow of said decd. who resides in Buchanan Co. 13 Dec. 1851. (B-118)

JONES, HARVEY, died intestate. Admr., Robert W. Donnell. Sec., Dugan Fouts and George Smith. 27 Nov. 1846. (A-147)

JONES, JAMES H., died intestate. Admr., William C. Moore. Heirs are Elizabeth Jones, widow of decd., William T., Joseph, Mary, Alfred and three other children whose names he is not now able to give, all of whom reside in Buchanan. 5 Jan. 1853. Sec., Edwin N. Hart, Achilles Lamme, and Hugh Lewis. (B-205)

JONES, MARY ANN, died intestate. Sec., Hiram Shartzer. Sec., Robert Jesse and Calvin M. Graves. 4 Sept. 1848. (A-240) Admr., Calvin M. Graves. Sec., Robert Jesse and Edward M. Jordan. 7 May 1849. (A\_268)

JONES, MELVINA, died intestate. Admr., Samuel L. Jones. Sec., Robert W. Donnell and William Lewis. 7 Dec. 1847. (A-206)

JONES, SAMUEL G., died intestate. Admr., Robert Jesse. Sec., William Gartin, John Corby, and Joshua Dear. 23 June 1848. (-233)

JONES, SAMUEL L., died intestate. Admr., William P. Lewis. Sec., William W. Reynolds and George Jeffers. 15 Oct. 1850. (B-55) Admr., Calvin M. Graves. Heirs: Elizabeth Melvina Jones. (No relationship given). Sec., Dugan Fouts and Jacob S. Kelly. 4 May 1852. (B-155)

JUDAH, ELI, - will dated 2 Nov. 1842.
His wife, Melinda Judah. Two sons, Levi J. and Samuel Judah.
Daughters, as they stand in need of it or as they become of age. Wants children educated. Wit: John Bell and William Hickman. Recorded 6 Feb. 1843. (A-48) Exrx., Melinda Judah. Sec., Martin R. Judah and John Bell. 29 June 1843. (A-51)

KAESAR (KAISER), BARNARD, died intestate. Admrx., Mary L.

Kayser. Heirs are Mary Louise H. Kaesar, Charles Edmond

Kaesar, and Mary L. Kaesar, the widow of decd., all residents
of Buchanan Co. 30 Dec. 1854. Sec., H. Frederick Schmidt,

Felix Robidoux, and William M. Carter. (B-309). Admr., de bonis
non, John B. Albrecht. Heirs are Mary L. Albrecht, late Kaeser,

Henrietta Kaser and Edward Kaeser. 6 Nov. 1855. Sec., John
Horn and John Huber. Former admrx. having married John B.

Albrecht, her papers revoked. (B-365)

KAUGHMAN, FRANCIS, died intestate. Admr., Allen A. Whittington. Sec., Robert J. Boyd and James B. O'Toole. 23 Oct. 1848. (A-244)

KEEDY, DANIEL G., died intestate. Admrx., Melinda A. Keedy. Sec., Simeon Kemper and Joseph C. Hull. 7 Aug. 1851. (B-93)

KEITH, JESSE, died intestate. Admr., George A. Pearcy. Sec., Augustus Mark and George W. Gabbert. 23 Dec. 1854. No mention of the heirs. (B-308)

KENT, ABSALOM, died intestate. Admrx., Isabel Kent, and Joseph Kent. Sec., Benjamin Cornelius and Stephen Reeves. 14 Oct. 1843. (A 57)

KERCHEVAL, SAMUEL, died intestate. Admr., Franklin B. Kercheval. Heirs are Nancy Kercheval, the mother of the decd., Joseph C. Hull and wife, and this affiant, all of Buchanan Co. 21 Oct. 1856. Sec., Joseph C. Hull and Robert F. Maxwell. (B-411)

KESSLER, SEBASTIAN, died intestate. Admrs., Jacob Boyer and Ephraim Bowen. Sec., John Stoybaugh, Henry Boyer, and Peter Boyer. 10 Nov. 1845. (A\_111)

KNAP, ALFRED, died intestate. Admrs., George W. Blankenship and Jane Knap. Sec., George S. Nelson, Benjamin K. Dyer, and Richard Miller. 9 Sept. 1839. (A-13)

LAJWAY (LAJOIE), LOUIS, of St. Louis Co., Mo. - will dated 17 Mar. 1845. To be buried in some Catholic yard. (cont.)

To every one of my children, Margaret, Charles, Joseph, Oliver, Malinda, Louis, Henry, Margaret Dosetta, Octavia - one dollar to each. Remainder of estate, both real and personal to beloved wife, Susanna, and for all her kindness and good care which she has towards me. Wife Susanna, sole exrx. Wit: John Evans, S. S. Harris, and Edward Drobt. Examined in St. Ferdinand Twp., St. Louis Co., before Golben Music, JP. John Evans and Sydney S. Harris testified in same county. 3 Nov. 1852. Will recorded in Buchanan Co. 24 Nov. 1852. Name then entered as Lajoie. (Lajway would be spelling according to French pronunciation). Susannah Lajoie applied for L/T in Buchanan Co. 24 Nov. 1852. Sec., Aaron Quick and Francis Lajoie. (B-199)

LAMB, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Dugan Fouts. Sec., George W. Campbell, Samuel Hill, and Reuben Middleton. 17 Apr. 1850. (B-38)

LANCASTER, AARON, died intestate. Admr., Elisha Powell. Says heirs are Sarah Ann Lancaster, widow of said decd., George H. Lancaster, David Lancaster, Mary C. Lancaster, and Aaron Lancaster, all of Buchanan Co. 23 Nov. 1854. Sec., John Powell and Lewis L. Williams. (B-304)

LANDIS, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Erasmus F. Dixon. Sec., Robert Jesse and Emanuel H. Rauch. 23 July 1850. (B-45)

LANGSTON, JESSE, died intestate. Admr., Thomas D. Wood. Sec., Daniel B. Henderson and William H. Dooley. 3 Nov. 1849. (B-16)

LANGSTON, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Sampson Langston. Sec., John Modrell and David C. Montgomery. 3 Mar. 1846. (A-117) Admr., Jesse Langston. Sec., John Modrell and Wilson Modrell. 4 Aug. 1847. (A-103)

LANGSTON, SAMPSON, died intestate. Admr., Daniel B. Henderson. Sec., Bird Wood and Landon Bagby. 24 July 1847. (A-190)

LATTA, WILLIAM, - will dated 5 May 1848.
Wife, Anney Latta (also called Anna). Exrs., wife, and
Cornelius Roberts. Wit: William Shearer, Henry Cook, and John
Maxwell. Recorded 23 June 1848. (A-231). Exrx., Anny Latta
and Cornelius Roberts. Sec., John Bohannon and John Mars.
9 Aug. 1848. (A-231)

LAWLESS, EDWARD, - will dated 19 Jan. 1843.
My beloved and faithful friend, John Oldakers, to be executor.
To my mother. Brother Jesse. Sister Mary. Sister Susy.
Brother Rubin. Brother William. Brother John. Brother James.
5 shillings to each, except two dollars to mother. Balance to wife, Margaret. Wit: Everhart Antle, Adam Kernes, Jr., and Absalom Kernes. Recorded 19 Aug. 1844. (A-79). Exr., John Oldakers. Sec., James James and James Loney (Lowry). (A-80)

LEACHMAN, JAMES, - will dated 1 Mar. 1851.
Wife, Matilda Leachman. When children marry or come of age.
Mentions slaves. Exrx., wife Matilda. Children not named.
Wit: John P. Thompson, B. G. Wells, and Henry Woolrey. Recorded
30 Apr. 1851. Exrx., Matilda Leachman. Sec., Perman Henderson,
Benjamin G. Wells, and John P. Thompson. 30 Apr. 1851. (B-73)

LEATHERMAN, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., William Allison. Sec., John H. Allison and Perman Henderson. 10 July 1850. (B-44)

LEDGERWOOD, JOSEPH, died intestate. Admr., John Ledgerwood. Sec., Thornton S. Talbot and Allen Pearson. 10 July 1847. (-183)

LEMMON, MARY, - will dated 4 Dec. 1841.
To niece, Sary Jane Lemmon. To niece, Sarah Baker. To brother John Lemmon. To brothers, Elisha Lemmon and Alick Lemmon, and Elizabeth Anthony, my sister, and John Baker and Sarah Baker, my "nefue" and niece. Exr., John Lemmon. Wit: Peter Price and David Price. Recorded 30 May 1842. (A-38)

LEWIS, JEREMIAH, died intestate. Admrx., Amy Lewis. Heirs of decd., are Amy Lewis, widow of decd., Clia Lewis intermarried with Lester Copeland, Sarah Lewis intermarried with Burtis McCall, Henry Lewis, Jeremiah Lewis, William Lewis, James Lewis, Thomas Spencer Lewis, all of Buchanan Co., except Henry Lewis who resides in Morgan Co., Mo. 16 Nov. 1852. Sec., Harvy Dillon and Lester Copeland. (B-197)

LIEVER, JOHN B., died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Liever. Heirs are Virginia Guys, Stainslaus Liever, Celeste, all of St. Joseph except Stanislaus Liever who lives in Calif. 17 June 1856. Sec., John B. Albrecht, Henry Gronweg, and Antoine Guys. (B-396). Admr., de bonis non, John B. Albrecht. Sec., William Kneer and A. Switzbacher. 10 Apr. 1857. (B-442)

LILLY, DAVID R., died intestate. Admrs., Joel Burnam of Clinton Co., and Ann Lilly of Buchanan Co. Sec., Morgan Dryden and Thomas Boydston of Buchanan. 13 Jan. 1841. (A-41)

LOAR, PETER, died intestate. Admr., Henry Williams. Sec., John W. Williams and John P. Baughman. 9 Sept. 1851. (B-100)

LONG, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Solomon Long. Sec., Henry Long and David Brown. 7 June 1847. (A-170)

LONG, LEWIS, died intestate. Admr., Aaron England. Sec., Hiram Rogers and Cornelius McGuire. 3 Oct. 1843. (A-56)

LOWER, JACOB, - will dated 27 Nov. 1850. Wife, Sarah Lower, Eldest son Andrew Lower. My four (cont.) sons and 3 daughters, to wit: Henry Lower, John Lower, Jacob Lower, Jr., and Isaac Lower, and my daughters Martha Graves, Rosa Blevins, and Lutisha Thomson. Wit: Zachariah Hooper and Benjamin Thornburgh. Recorded 14 Aug. 1852. Exr., Henry Lower. Sec., Benjamin Thornburgh and Cornelius Roberts. (B-174)

LYNCH, DAVID, died intestate. Heirs of decd.: Frederick C. Lynch, Jr., Thomas Lynch, Zuriah Lynch, Matilda Lynch, Lucinda Lynch, George W. Lynch, and John A. Lynch. Admr., Thomas Lynch. Sec., Frank Thompson and Frederick Lynch, Jr. 7 Sept. 1852. (B-178)

LYON, UMBERSON, died intestate. Admrs., Alexander Fudge and Leonard Brasfield. Heirs of decd.: Synthia Lyon, widow; James Lyon, Artimesia Lyon, Mary A. Lyon, Leonard B. Lyon, Stephen D. Lyon, Julia A. Lyon, and Virginia E. Lyon, all of Buchanan Co. 27 Jan. 1852. Sec., Henry Cook and John K. Johnson. (B-126)

MAGILL, SAMUEL, died intestate. Admrs., Margaret Magill and Nicholas C. Owens. Sec., James Curl and Henry W. Hanson. 3 May 1851. (A-27)

MANNS, WADE, died intestate. Heirs are Martha Manns, the widow, Tabitha Star?, Lucinda E. Mann, William B., John McS., Mary A., and Martha J. Manns. 12 Oct. 1855. Sec., Augustus Mark and Chalres Snelling. (B-363)

MARSH, DANIEL, died intestate. Admr., Morilla Marsh. Sec., Richard Hancock and Henry Sibert. 29 Mar. 1847. (A-160)

MARSHALL, JAMES J., died intestate. Admr., Daniel Vestal. Sec., Matthias Cline and John Gann. 4 Sept. 1845. (A-97)

MARTIN, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., John Martin Sec., Christopher Martin and Elijah Smith, Sr. 5 Apr. 1841. (A-25)

MARTIN, JOHN, died intestate. Admrx., Nancy Martin. Sec., Thomas Wright and Silas McDonald. 28 Aug. 1848. (A-239)

MAY, DAVID, died intestate. Admr., James Ellison. Sec., Uriah Garten and Isaac May. 6 July 1846. (A-131)

MAY, ELIZABETH, died intestate. Admr., Caleb May. Sec., Isaac May and George D. Tolle. 2 Aug. 1847. (A-191)

MEADOWS, FRANCIS J., died intestate. Admr., Josiah Elliott. Sec., Robert B. Thomas, Robert R. Bush, and James W. Campbell. 6 Mar. 1851. (B-67)

MEANS, JAMES C., - will dated 13 June 1851. Wife, Elvirah Means. Son, John Wiley Means, providing he remain with his mother until he is 21. To son (cont.)

Means, James C., (cont.) - James L. Means, same provision. My wife Elvira to educate my little children. When youngest child becomes of age. (Other children not named.) Exrx., wife, Elvira. Wit: William Kirkman and William E. Riley. Recorded 5 July 1851. (B-86). Exrs., Elvira Means and James Raney. Sec., George Raney, Martin Hersch, and Jessee Yocum. 22 July 1851. (B-92)

MELTON, ARCHIBALD J., died intestate. Admr., John Bretz. Sec., John Conner and John L. Page. 6 Apr. 1847. (A-161)

MERRILL, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., John Gooding. Heirs are Mary Merrill, widow, John Merrill resident of Calif., Martha Merrill, Perline Merrill, residents of Buchanan Co. 9 Dec. 1855. Sec., Albe M. Saxton and Samuel Lockwood. (B-371)

MILLER, ARCHIBALD, - will dated 22 May 1847.
Wife, Mary Ann Miller. My daughter and only child, Mary
Francis Miller. Exrx., Mary Ann Miller. Wit: Samuel S. Jones
and Nathaniel Garten. Recorded 5 July 1847. (A-188)

MILLER, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., David G. Brooks. Sec., Thomas Brooks and Isaac Deppin. 6 June 1842. (A-40)

MILLER, JESSE, died intestate. Admr., Granville P. Livermore. Sec., Elijah Livermore and Emery Livermore. 4 Feb. 1847. (A-155)

MILLER, MATHIAS, - will dated 22 Oct. 1851.
To nephew Michael Anderson and his oldest son, George D. Anderson, farm on which I reside in Buchanan Co., also bounty land due me for my service in War of 1812...when his son George D. becomes 21. Wit: Edward M. Davidson and Jonathan Jones. Recorded 4 Nov. 1851. (B-112). Exr., Edward M. Davidson. Sec., Robert Thomas and Wallace Davidson. 25 Dec. 1851. Michael Anderson declined to be executor. (B-119)

MILLER, MICHAEL, died intestate. Admr., Isaac Miller. Sec., Alexander Fudge, James G. Karnes, and Henry B. Morris. 17 Nov. 1849. (B-18)

MINOR, JOHN, - will dated 13 Apr. 1853.

Son Benjamin Franklin Minor, land purchased from William Chaney. Son William. Daughter Fanny Ellen Trice and Samuel Trice, her husband. Elder daughter Louisa R. Minor. Daughter Emarine B. Lewis and John D. Lewis, her husband. Daughter Elizabeth Shortridge and William Shortridge, her husband. Son John H. Minor. Son William Minor. Son James H. Minor. (a considerable estate). Exrs., William P. Shortridge and William E. Minor. Wit: Elijah McCrary, George Young, and Absolum Scott. Recorded 12 Jan. 1856. (B-381). Exrs., William Shortridge and William E. Minor. 15 Jan. 1856. Sec., Simeon Kemper and Benjamin Minor. (B-379)

MITCHELL, FREDERICK, died intestate. Admrx., Rebecca Mitchell. Sec., Thornton S. Talbot and John Ledgerwood. 20 Oct. 1845. (A-101)

MODRELL, JANE, - will dated 5 Dec. 1843.

To my granddaughter, Jane Montgomery, my riding mare, Whirley". To my granddaughter, Rebecca Cowen, daughter of Isaac Cowen...

To my two sons, John Modrell and Wilson Modrell. To my nephew, James Gilmore. To Mary Cowen, Elizabeth Cowen, Nancy Cowen, and Robert Cowen, children of Elizabeth Cowen, the decd. wife of Isaac Cowen. Exrs., nephew James Gilmore and son, John Modrell. Wit: Nicholas Ownby and James P. Edwards. Recorded 2 Jan. 1844. (A-66)

MODRELL, ROBERT, - will dated -- Jan. 1842.
Wife Jane Modrel. Children of my daughter Elizabeth, decd.
wife of Isaac Cowan. To son John Modrel. To Wilson Modrel,
son. To Isaac Cowan's son, Robert M. Cowan. My two sons,
John and Wilson. Exrs., son John Modrel and James Gilmore.
Wit: Aurey Ballard and Nicholas Ownby. Recorded 4 Dec. 1843.
(A-64)

MODREL, WILSON, died intestate. Admr., James J. Gilmore. Heirs are Mary Modrel, the widow of decd., and John Modrel and Robert Modrel, children of decd., all of Buchanan Co. 15 Nov. 1855. Sec., Daniel E. Miller and James W. Poteet. (B-369) Admr. de bonis non, David C. Montgomery. Heirs are Mary Modrel, John Modrel, Robert, and Rebecca Jane Modrell, all of Buchanan Co. 2 Mar. 1857. Sec., William Carson and John T. Menifee. James J. Gilmore had resigned his L/A. (B-428)

MONROE, WILLIAM, - will dated 21 July 1840.
Oldest son, Thomas Monroe. Second son, Daniel Monroe. Oldest daughter, Eleanor Douglass. Second daughter, Susan Burris.
Third daughter, Frances Reynolds, - her husband, Reuben R.
Reynolds. Heirs of fourth daughter, Elizabeth Ruark. Fifth daughter, Nancy Thorp. Third son, Samuel Monroe. Fourth son, Peter Monroe. Exr., Samuel Monroe. Wit: C. M. Johnson and John W. Samuel. Recorded 2 Oct. 1840. (A-19). Sec., Robert Elliott, John W. Samuel, Prince L. Hudgins, and C. M. Johnson. 30 Sept. 1840. (A-21). Executor states William Monroe died 18 Sept. 1840. (A-22)

MONTRAY, GUILFORD, died intestate. Heirs are Mahala Montray, widow, and John Montray, William Montray, George Montray, Angaline Montray, Meriett Montray and two others whose names admr. is not able to give at present. Admr., John W. Davidson. Sec., Robert B. Thomas and John F. Cowen. 8 Mar. 1852. (B-143) Admrx., de bonis non, Mahala Montry. Says heirs are Mahala Montry, widow of decd., and John W., William R., George M., Louisa E., Angelina, Merritt Y., and Mary B., all of Buchanan Co. 7 June 1852. Sec., Benjamin McCrary and Robert W. Donnell. (B-158). Admr., de bonis non, Jacob B. Cox. Heirs of (cont.)

Montry, Guilford, (cont.) - said decd.: Mahala Cox, late Mahala Montry, widow of decd.; John Montry, William Montry, George Montry, Elizabeth Montry, Angeline Montry, all residing in Buchanan Co. He died intestate. Estate has not been administered. 1 Nov. 1852. Sec., Samuel Burgess and Curran M. Cox. (B-191)

MOORE, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Joshua Deer. Heirs are Samuel Moore, Calvin Moore and three others whose names the affiant is now unable to give, all children of said decd. and all residents of Buchanan Co. 13 Nov. 1856. Sec., Franklin W. Gray and William Tadlock. (B-416)

MOORE, THOMAS, died intestate. Admrx., Sarah Moore. Heirs are Sarah Moore, widow of decd., Uriah C. Moore, Samantha Mary Moore, now intermarried with Nelson Hawley, Elizabeth Moore, Enos Moore, Nancy Moore, and James Moore. 3 Oct. 1853. Sec., John Robertson and John H. Mattingly. (B-235)

MORE, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., James Ellison. Sec., John Ellison, Hovington M. McKenzie, John Bell, David Brown, and Dudley McKinney. 1 June 1846. (A-125)

MORRIS, BENJAMIN J., died intestate. Admr., John Morris. Sec., Henry Yeakley and Henry Dittemore. 4 Aug. 1847. (A-195)

MOSS, BENJAMIN F., died intestate. Admr., Henry H. Moss. Sec., John Townsend, Henry W. Hansen, James A. Anthony, and Charles Moss. 18 Sept. 1843. (A-52)

MOSS, RICHARD, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Ann Moss. 14 July 1847. Sec., Anliff C. Hyde and William Sparks. (A-184)

MULKEY, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., James Ellison. Sec., George D. Tolle and Oliver Norman. 6 July 1847. (A-182)

MULKY, DANIEL, died intestate. Admr., James Ellison. Sec., David Brown, John Ellison, and John W. Berry. 8 Apr. 1847. (A-164)

McATEE, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Abraham Cline. Sec., William McVay and Luzwell Parr. 29 Sept. 1851. (B-107)

McCANE, ROBERT, died intestate. Admr., William Kirkman. Sec., John McGaughey, Thomas Kirkman, Peter C. Templeton, William Wade, Joseph Rice, and David McCarthy. 1 Sept. 1851. (B-97)

McCLARY, BENJAMIN F., died intestate. Admr., George W. Taylor. Sec., John J. Devorss, William N. Thompson, and Ross Wilkerson. 3 June 1850. (B-43)

McCLURE, WILLIAM P., died intestate. Admr., Benjamin R. Baxter. Heirs are Amanda M. McClure, the widow, and (cont.)

McClure, William P., (cont.) - Emery McClure and an infant unnamed, children of decd., all residents of Buchanan Co. 23 July 1857. Sec., Albe M. Saxton and William K. Richardson. (B-360)

McCONNELL, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Alexander M. Smiley. Heirs are Margaret McConnell, the widow, Sarah J. Smiley, Elizabeth McConnell, Alexander McConnell, Joseph B. McConnell, James W. McConnell, and Thomas C. McConnell, all of Buchanan Co. 25 Feb. 1857. Sec., James Mathers and Joseph Mathers. (B-426)

McCORKLE, ALEXANDER, - will dated 6 May 1851.
Wife, Elizabeth McCorkle. George F. McCorkle. My children or their heirs, as follows: Barbary Ann Hartman, Uriel Jackson McCorkle, Alexander Marion McCorkle, Catharine Wiles, Cynthia Jane McCorkle, Nelson Monroe McCorkle, and John Lovel McCorkle. Exrx., wife Elizabeth McCorkle. Wit: Benjamin F. Loan, William T. Harris, and William P. Loan. Recorded 14 June 1851. (B-79) Admr., Urial J. McCorkle. Heirs are George McCorkle, Barbara Ann Hartman, Uriel J. McCorkle, Alexander Marion McCorkle, Catherine E. Wiles, Synthia J. McIninch, Nelson M. McCorkle, and John L. McCorkle. 17 Sept. 1855. Sec., Evan R. Richardson and Washington C. Bates. (B-355)

McCRAY, ELISHA, died intestate. Admr., Daniel McCray. Heirs are Phillip Henry McCray. 1 May 1857. Sec., Charles McCray and John McGaughey. (B-446)

McCUBBIN, JAMES F., died intestate. Admr., Francis D. Bowen. Heirs are Leonidas McCubbin and an infant whose name is unknown to affiant. 2 June 1856. Sec., David Brown and Robert E. Moseley. (B-395)

McCUBBIN, JOHN A., died intestate. Admr., Rice S. McCubbin. Sec., James F. McCubbin and Barnabas Cohoon. 8 June 1847. (A-173)

McDANIEL, WILLIAM, died intestate. Frances McDaniel, his widow appointed admrx. 10 May 1839. Sec., Benjamin Cornelius and Jeremiah Burns. (A-1)

McDONALD, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Simon McDonald. Heirs are Joseph, John, Edward, Zachriah, Daniel, Silas, Simon McDonald, Nancy McDonald intermarried with Thomas L. Bennett, Mary McDonald intermarried with Hardin Peter, Melvinah McDonald intermarried with Lewis McMertry, Elizabeth McDonald intermarried with Samuel Peter, Flissanna McDonald intermarried with Ruben Peter. 14 Apr. 1853. Sec., Silas McDonald. (B-215) Admr. de bonis non, Silas McDonald. States heirs are Silas McDonald, Joseph McDonald, Alexander McDonald, sons of John McDonald, decd., Edward McDonald, Zachariah McDonald (cont.)

McDonald, William, (cont.) - Daniel McDonald, Nancy Bennett, Mary Peter, Melvina McMurtry, Felicina Peter, the heirs of Elizabeth Peter, decd., whose names are unknown to affiant, and Elizabeth McDonald, widow of Simon McDonald. 13 Nov. 1854. Sec., Robert I.(J) Boyd and Preston T. Moss. (B-302)

McDOWELL, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., James J. Gilmore. Sec., Milford Gilmore and Robert M. Gilmore. 11 Sept. 1851. (B-102)

McKEEVER, WILLIAM, - will dated 24 Feb. 1850.

Title covering a piece of property sold to Joel Weddle shall be perfected. Sorrel colt to friend Daniel Barnard (or Bannand). To William Bates Gates (an orphan boy now living in my family) and John Russel, lands, etc., to be equally divided. Share for William Bates Gates to remain with executors until he is 21, and proceeds to "learn him reading, writing and arithmetic as far as the rule of three". Residue of estate not otherwise disposed of, to my 3 friends, William Bates Gates, John Russell, and Daniel Bannard. Wit: Thornton S. Talbot and Fidel Kessler. Recorded 24 Feb. 1850. Exrs., Ephraim Bowen and Henry Boyer. Sec., Jacob Boyer and Moses Simmons. (B-34)

McKENZIE, BRIDJET, died intestate. Admr., Louis E. Roy. Says heir is Benjamin R. McKenzie. 31 May 1855. Sec., Michael Rogers and Cecil Tyo Roy. (B-341)

McKINNEY, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Charles M. Foster. Sec., Jesse Allen and Abel Copeland. 14 July 1846. (A-133)

McLAUGHLIN, JOHN, died intestate. Admrs., John Patee and Michael Rogers. Sec., John Corby and John J. Intfield. 8 Feb. 1848. (A-211)

McLAUGHLIN, JOHN, - will dated 14 Apr. 1841 in Maury Co., Tenn. To my brother, Thomas McLaughlin, all my estate. Exr., Thomas Gowdy. Wit: Patrick Farrell and James P. Lyons. Recorded 28 Apr. 1848. Affidavits from Maury Co., Tenn. for two witnesses, returned 5 May 1848. Exr., Thomas Scanlan. Sec., John Corby and James Riley. 8 June 1848. (A-226)

NEWBY, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., Alexander Newby. Sec., William Harrington and Isham Nance. 26 Mar. 1851. (B-70)

NISSKERGEN, HERMAN, died intestate. Admr., James Ellison. Sec., William H. Taylor and John Binegar (signed Johan Binicker). 5 July 1847. (A-180)

NOBLE, JOSEPH V., died intestate. Admr., William Herrington. Heirs are Margaret Noble, John D. Noble, Sarah A. Noble, and Margaret F. Noble, all residents of Buchanan Co. 28 Feb. 1854. Sec., William D. Noble and Henry Long. (B-272)

NOBLE, WILLIAM, - will dated 20 Nov. 1849.

To nephew Levi Johnson who has been residing with me. Wishes his friend Russell H. Wrinkle to have the care, guardianship and education of said nephew Levi. He is also to be Exr. Wit: Valencourt Tullar and Charles Murry. Recorded 3 Jan. 1856. Valancourt Tullar cannot be located and Charles Murry is believed to be dead. William Ridenbaugh testifies to their signatures. On 3 Jan. Henry M. Vories testifies that he wrote the will for William Noble. Exr., of will, Russell H. Wrinkle. Sec., Scarlet W. Madding and John Wells. (B-387)

NORMAN, ISAAC, died intestate. Admrx., Martha J. Norman and William A. Smith. Heirs are Margaret Ann Smith, Phebe Jane Norman, Perry Norman, Henry Norman, and Laura Virginia Norman. 6 May 1854. Sec., Jonathan Huffman and William W. Reynolds. (B-276)

NORMAN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., David Vestal. Sec., John Silvers and John Vestal. 27 Nov. 1844. (A-87)

NORRIS, DAVID, died intestate. Admrx., Martha E. Norris. Heirs are Martha E. Norris and Viola Ann Norris, both of Buchanan Co. 30 May 1857. Sec., Henry Cook and Henry Tutt. (B-450)

NORRIS, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., James V. Bunten. Heirs are: the widow (name not given here), and John K. Norris, J. B. Norris, Jackson Norris, Susan Hurst, Sabra Stilwell, Elizabeth Sutton, Peggy Hinton, and Louisa McKinney. 22 Apr. 1857. Sec., Elijah Watson and F. M. Pepper. (B-444)

OFFICER, WILLIAM E., died intestate. Admr., James Donovan. Sec., David J. Heaton and George W. Nixon. 3 Nov. 1849.(B-13)

OGLE, THOMAS, - will dated 28 Apr. 1851.

To two sons, William Ogle and Henry Ogle farm on which I now live. Wife, Elizabeth, should she outlive me. To son Harklas Ogle. My children: Sons, Joseph, John, Harklas, William, and Henry Ogle, and my daughters: Jane Ogle intermarried with James Agee, and Francis Ogle intermarried with William Agee, and Matilda Ogle, intermarried with Tobias Goodwin, and my daughter, Sarah Ogle having intermarried with George W. Hunter, heirs of said Sarah Hunter who is deceased, to receive her share. Two sons, Joseph and William, exrs. Wit: Nelson Witt and William Burnett. Recorded 17 July 1851. Exrs., Joseph Ogle and William Ogle. Sec., Nelson Witt and Alexander Newby. (B-80)

OLDHAM, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., Thornton S. Talbot. Sec., Jackson Clark and Rebecca Oldham. 15 May 1847. (A-168) Admrx., Rebecca Oldham. Sec., Barnes Clark and Isaac Thornton. 23 Jan. 1849. (A-254)

OWENBY, POWELL S., died intestate. Admr., John Butler. Sec., Sampson Langston and David C. Montgomery. 6 Jan. 1846.(A-113)

OZENBURGER, JACOB, died intestate. Admr., Albert T. Thoroughoman. 14 Mar. 1856. Sec., Bela M. Hughes and James Craig. Admr. states he does not know names of the heirs. (B-392)

PALMER, E. L., died intestate. Admr., Thomas H. Christopher. Heirs: Sarah Palmer, widow of decd., Amanda Palmer, Isaac N. Palmer, Philander Palmer, and Adaline Palmer. 21 Sept. 1852. Sec., James Noland and George W. Jenkins. (B-179)

PARISH, JOHN C., - will dated 26 June 1854.

All property to wife, Mary Ann, so long as she remains my widow. No other heirs mentioned. Wit: P. C. Templeton and Robert Loveland. Recorded 1 Mar. 1855. (B-327)

PARROT, EVAN, died intestate. Admr., Robert Jesse. Sec., David Ewing and William B. Lewis. 5 June 1848. (A-222)

PATE, SABE, died intestate. Admr., John Bell. Sec., James Blackston and William D. Osburn. 3 Aug. 1848. (A-193)

PATTON, A. C., died intestate. Admr., Thomas H. Irvine, says heirs are Margaret Jones, Ambrose Patton, Martha Davers, Thomas Patton, Nancy Patton, Amanda Patton, Emaline Patton, Mary J. Patton, and Nancy Patton, widow of decd., all residents of Buchanan Co. save Ambrose who lives in Oregon Territory. 14 Dec. 1852. Sec., William L. Irvine and C. J. Hart. (B-202)

PATTON, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., John Patton. Heirs are the children of Anderson C. Patton, decd., and the children of Robert Patton, decd., Catharine Rhodes, Charles Patton, Matilda Brown, Mary Patton, and John Patton. 9 July 1857. Sec., Gideon L. Brown and Alfred H. Squires. (B-458)

PENNINGTON, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Silas H. Kerns. Sec., John Oldakers and John Belk. 25 Nov. 1844. (A-85)

PENNINGTON, ROYAL, died intestate. Admr., Robert Pennington. Heirs: Caroline, James, Robert, Thomas, Jeremiah Pennington, Emeline Boyer, Mary Ann Denny, Nancy Pea's child, and Prior Pennington. 3 Sept. 1855. Sec., Jesse S. Sullivan and James Karnes. (B-352)

PIERCE, JAMES C., died intestate. Admr., Bela M. Hughes. Sec., Joel J. Penick and Smith McDonald. 23 July 1839. (A-7)

PILAND, QUINCY, died intestate. Admr., Chesley Woodard. Heirs are unknown to affiant. 1 Mar. 1857. Sec., John Long and Enos Woodard. (B-432)

PILAND, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Chesley Woodard. Heirs are unknown. 1 Mar. 1857. Sec., John Long and Enos Woodard. (B-433)

PORTER, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Scion Singleton. Heirs are Sarah Porter, the widow, William Benjamin, Amanda, Deborah Catharine, Elizabeth, Thomas John T., and James A. Porter, children of the decd. 30 May 1857. Sec., William Porter and William Vinyard. (B-448)

POTEET, JAMES W., died intestate. Admr., James M. Jeffries. Heirs are Jane Poteet, widow, Catharine Poteet, Elizabeth Poteet, William James Poteet. 9 Mar. 1857. Sec., Wilson C. Gordon and Benjamin H. Dixon. (B-435)

POTTER, ABRAHAM G., died intestate. Admr., John Gossett. Sec., Robert W. Donnell and Birden G. Smith. 6 Nov. 1843. (A-61)

POTTER, EPHRAIM, died intestate. Admr., Thomas Potter. Sec., Oliver Norman and Joseph Potter. 18 Mar. 1848. (A-214)

POTTS, MARTHA, died intestate. Admr., William Critchfield. Heirs: William Potts, James Potts, George Potts, Samuel Potts, Serenah Potts intermarried with William Harness, Mary Potts intermarried with Alexander Christason, Artemesa Potts intermarried with Harvey Collier, Tebitha Potts intermarried with George Stuart, and Genetta Potts intermarried with William Critchfield. 6 June 1853. Sec., E. M. Davidson and Amos Critchfield. (B-226)

PRESCOTT, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., Henry Smith. Sec., John Curd and William R. Waller. 27 Nov. 1848. (A-251)

PRESCOTT, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Henry Smith. Sec., John Curd and William R. Waller. 27 Nov. 1848. (A-250)

PRICE, THOMAS, died intestate. Heirs are Permelia Merlatt, James A. Price, Sarah Price, Stephen R. Price, Harriet L. Price, Williamson S. Price, Elias H. P. Price, and Lucy Price, widow of the decd. 3 Feb. 1852. Admr., George Merlatt. Sec., James A. Price and Allen McNew. 2 Feb. 1852. (B-129)

RAUCH, SOLOMON, died intestate. Admr., Emanuel H. Rauch. Sec., Isaac Deppen and Isaac Thornton. 25 Apr. 1850. (B-39)

RAY, JOHN, - will dated 2 Aug. 1851.
Wife, Elizabeth. Four children: May, Catharine, George and Elizabeth. Wit: Triphone Kirklan, Drusilla Holland, John Potter, and Benjamin Holland. Recorded 3 Feb. 1852. (B-128) Exrx., Elizabeth Ray. Sec., Robert Prather and Benjamin McCrary. 3 Feb. 1852. (B-135)

RAY, MARK, - will dated 22 Jan. 1852. Wife, Mary Ray - home farm, and also part of land I got from Daniel McRay. If my son Chesly Ray, now in California, returns. Son Iven Ray, son Columbus Ray, son Hamlin and John Thomas Ray, daughter Cassandy - my five sons and one daughter:(cont.) Ray, Mark, (cont.) - Chesley, Ivin, Columbus, Hamlin, John Thomas and daughter, Cassander. Wants Ransom Ridge to attend to business until son Chesly Ray returns from California. Wit: Isham Nance and Martin Embree. Recorded 9 Feb. 1852. Exr., Ransom Ridge. Sec., Joshua Deer and Robert W. Donnell. (B-131)

RECTOR, ALFRED M., died intestate. Admrs., Alexander H. Dunning and James M. Rector. Sec., David Fulton and Elijah Robertson. 10 May 1847. (A-167)

REDFERN, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., William N. Thompson. Heirs are Nancy Redfern, the widow, and Nancy, John, Margaret, and James Redfern, children of decd., all residents of Buchanan Co. 17 Dec. 1856. Sec., E. W. Lewis and John Garrett. (B-420)

REESE, GIRD, died intestate. Admr., Henry W. Hensley. Sec., Robert J. Boyd and John Curd. 24 June 1847. (A-179)

REEVES, STEPHEN, - will (no date)
Wife, Rebecca Ann Reeves, all estate. If she shall not live
to raise her children that are under age, they shall be raised
from the proceeds. To my two sons William Reeves and James H.
Reeves, after death of their mother and the raising of the
infant heirs, all my real estate. To my daughters: Lucinda
Buck and her heirs; to Margaret Modrell and her heirs; to
Rebecca Reeves and heirs; to Elizabeth Reeves and heirs; to
Martha Reeves and her heirs; to Henrietta Reeves and her heirs
- money to each of the above to be paid by 2 sons when they
come into possession of estate. Wit: William P. Lewis, James
B. Irwin, and Isaac Auxir. Recorded 17 Oct. 1851. (B-109)
Exr., William Reeves. Sec., Rebecca Ann Reeves and George
Buck. 17 Feb. 1852. (B-136)

RENFRO, MARK, - will dated 7 Jan. 1847, written at Santa Fe. To brother, Peter Renfro. Two deceased brothers, Stephen and Albert. Appoints Thomas Oldham to convey to brother all "my things which I have bequeathed to him - things in Santa Fe." Wit: John B. Cook and William D. Weir. Archibald Gay states the will was written by him in Santa Fe, New Mexico, at request of Mark Renfro, and they left said Cook, witness, near Santa Fe sometime about 16 Feb. 1847. Recorded 17 July 1847. (A-185). Exr., Benjamin Cornelius. Sec., John Ledgerwood and Isaac Thornton. (A\_186)

RENFRO, MARY, died intestate. Admr., James Lyon. Sec., Humberson Lyon and Henry W. Hensley. 2 Nov. 1855. (A-83)

RENFRO, MARY, died intestate. Admr., Stephen Lyon. Heirs are Green Renfro, Stephen Renfro, Marquis Renfro, Alverton Renfro, Peter Renfro, and James Renfro. 5 Apr. 1853. Sec., Alexander Fudge and Benjamin Cornelius. (B-213)

REYNOLDS, JAMES, died intestate. Admrs., Wm. W. Reynolds and John W. Reynolds. Sec., Wm. D. Gipson and Joseph Gilmore. 10 Nov. 1851. (B-114)

RICHARDSON, WILLIAM P., died intestate. Admrx., Mary D. Richardson. Heirs are this affiant and Anna Hall, married with Willard P. Hall. 23 Feb. 1857. Sec., Isaac Curd and Joseph C. Hull. (B-425)

RICHARDSON, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admrs., Henry W. Wells and John Richardson. Heirs are Mary Richardson, the widow, Louisa Hackett, Mary A. Wells, Tilitha Wright, John Richardson, Chany Drace, Green Hackett, Cowey Hackett, Amanda Hackett. 12 Nov. 1857. Sec., J. A. Minter and James Vestal. (B-474)

RIHERD, ANN, died intestate. Admr., Joel Moore. Heirs are Victoria, Mary, and William Riherd, all of Buchanan Co. 4 Sept. 1854. Sec., James J. Gillmore and Jaques W. Johnson. (B-298)

RIHERD, SANDFORD, died intestate. Admr., Joel Moore. Says heirs are Victoria, Mary Elizabeth, and William H. Riherd. 9 Aug. 1854. Sec., Thomas J. Ament and Martin Miller. (B-297)

RITCHIE, ISOM, died intestate. Admr., John Bell. Sec., James Blackstone and William D. Osburn. 3 Aug. 1847. (A-192)

RITCHIE, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., William Ritchie. Sec., Bernard W. Doudle, Thomas Story, John Silvers, Francis Ducate, and Anthony Christian. 4 Nov. 1854. (A-106)

ROBIDOUX, FARRAR A., died intestate. Admr., Joseph Robidoux. Sec., Julius C. Robidoux and Francis B. Robidoux. 13 Aug. 1844. (A-78)

ROBIDOUX, ISADORE, died intestate. Admr., Felix Robidoux. Says heirs are Mary Robidoux. No relationship given. 6 July 1852. Sec., John Angel and James B. Pendleton. (B-166)

ROBIDOUX, JOSEPH F., died intestate. Admr., Mitchell Robidoux. Sec., William Langston and Felix Robidoux. 11 Mar. 1847. (A-158)

ROBIDOUX, MICHEL, surviving partner of the late firm of Michel Robidoux & Co., - closing affairs. Admr., Michel Robidoux. Sec., Joseph Robidoux and Felix Robidoux. 4 June 1852. (B-157)

ROBB, SAMUEL, - will dated 15 Apr. 1849. Wife, Lydia Robb. Entire Estate. Wit: Henry W. Baker and Robert B. Thomas. Recorded 8 Aug. 1850. (B-52)

ROBERTS, JOHN, - will dated 18 Aug. 1855.

One dollar to each of my children and they shall have nothing more. To wife Mary Ann Roberts all lands, estates, etc. her lifetime and to the heirs of her body by me begotten, and then to be equally divided between my following named children:

Mary Ann Maxwell, Rebecca Crook, James T. Roberts, and Matilda Roberts. I have already given to Jemima Sparks (cont.)

Roberts, John, (cont.) - and Ralph Roberts all I desire them to have. Wit: J. J. Wyatt and James Noland. Recorded 8 Sept. 1855. (B-360). Exr., James Noland. 28 Sept. 1855. Sec., William L. Irvine and Jacob Cogdell. (B-358)

ROBERTSON, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Hugh Robertson. Sec., Alfred M. Rector and James M. Rector. 4 Mar. 1845. (A-89)

ROBERTSON (ROBINSON), WILLIAM F., died intestate. Admr., Golden Silvers. Heirs are Mary A. Robertson, widow of decd., James R. Robinson, Thomas H. Robinson, and William C. Robinson, all of Buchanan Co. 24 Sept. 1855. Sec., James Robinson and Daniel Vestal. (B-357)

ROCKHOLD, ASA, died intestate. Admr., Nelson Wit. Heirs are Mary Rockhold, widow of decd., David, John, Everilla, Abram, and Jane Rockhold and 2 others whose names he is not at present able to give. 24 Mar. 1852. Sec., Thomas Housh, Zebediah Baker, and Martin L. Embree. (B-151)

ROGERS, RICHARD, died intestate. Admrx., Mahala Rogers. Sec., Samuel J. Singleton, Scion Singleton, and Thomas J. Gabbert. 17 Apr. 1846. (A-122)

ROGERS, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Lorenzo J. Barnes. Sec., James Wilson and Ellis Wilson. 31 May 1851. (B-77)

ROUNDTREE, SAMUEL, - will dated 10 May 1849.
Wife, Susannah A. Roundtree. Son Columbus H. Roundtree if he returns home, but if he never returns, to my 2 grandsons Robert Roundtree and James K. Polk Bever. Refers to "my legal heirs". No others named. Exr., Edward M. Davidson. Wit: C. M. Cox (Curan M. Cox) and William H. High. Recorded 4 June 1849. Exr., Edward M. Davidson. Sec., Hugh R. Smith and John W. Davidson. (A-270)

ROY, JEAN BAPTISTE, - will written in St. Louis (in French), August, 184- (part of date is missing). Says he is leaving to go up the Missouri to "treat" with different savage tribes and wanting to put affairs in order in case of death. Mentions wife Cecile Tayon and two children, Louis Roy, his son, and Brigitte, his daughter, who is wife of Henry McKee. Estate to be divided in four equal parts; two for his wife and one each for his son and daughter. The latter cannot sell her part before decease of her mother without consent of mother, and her part is to go to her children and not to her husband, etc. Son Louis to be exr. Wit: Eugene Jaccard, Theodore Papin, and M. P. Leduc. 17 June 1852, in Buchanan Court, Joseph Robidoux and Michel Robidoux testify to the signature of the two witnesses and that will is in handwriting of said Leduc. (Will was signed with an X). Recorded 17 June 1852. Louis Roy applied for L/T in Buchanan Co. that day. Sec., Joseph Robidoux and Michel Robidoux. (B-161)

RUSSELL, ELISHA, died intestate. Admrx., Sarah Francis Russell. Heirs are Sarah Francis Russell, widow of decd., and Mary A. Russell, both residing in Buchanan Co. 19 Feb. 1853. Sec., Joseph T. Russell and Allen Russell. (B-153)

RUSSEL, JAMES, died intestate. Admrx., Susan Russell. Sec., Hiram Clark and Isaac Gann. 20 Oct. 1843. (A-60).

RUSSELL, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., George W. C. Moor. Sec., Ephraim Porter and Phillip Bohart. 7 Oct. 1846. (A-138)

SALE, JAMES, died intestate. Admrx., Susannah Sale. Sec., William Payne and Matthew C. Ferrell. 23 July 1846. (A-135)

SAUNDERS, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., William Dunning. Heirs: James Saunders, Nancy A. Saunders, and the widow of said decd., who reside in Buchanan Co., and some children who reside in Tenn., whose names are not known to the affiant. 9 Nov. 1852. Sec., Henry Lower and Robert J. Boyd. (B-195)

SAUNDERS, ORRIS B., died intestate. Admrx., Eliza A. Saunders. Sec., Simeon Kemper, Frederick W. Smith, and Edmon W. Lewis. 2 Sept. 1851. (B-99)

SCOTT, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Levi A. Piercy. Sec., George A. Piercy and David Burris. 7 Nov. 1842. (A-44)

SCOTT, JOHN, died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Scott. Sec., Sinclair K. Miller and William Langston. 1 Apr. 1850. (B-37)

SEAL, DANIEL, died intestate. Admrs., John M. Seal and Joel Grable. Heirs of Daniel Seal: Catharine Seal, widow, Henry A. Seal, Sarah D. Seal intermarried with Joel Grable, John M. Seal, Sally Seal, Josiah Seal, Mary A. Seal, and Daniel Seal, all residing in Buchanan Co. 24 Aug. 1842. Sec., William Cunningham and Joseph Grable. (A-177)

SHALAVEL, JACOB, died intestate. Admr., David James. Heirs are Susan Shalavel, widow, and some brothers and sisters, all of whom except the widow, reside in some state in Europe. (Name also given as Shavel). Sec., Calvin James and John H. Cox. 15 May 1852. (B-156). Admr., de bonis non, Calvin James. 2 May 1853. Sec., John Slaybaugh and James Kerns. Estate remains unadministered. (B-221)

SHERWOOD, ABSOLUM, - will dated 22 July 1852.
Wife, Cedonia, 400 acres on which we now live. Also, right and title to house and lot in Platte City, Platte Co., as long as she remains his widow. At her death to children. (not named). Exrs., Hartwell Sherwood of Buchanan Co., and Richard P. Gaines of Platte Co. Wit: James Kay and Cary B. Whitehead. Codicil - to mother, Susan Sherwood, of Carroll Co., \$45.00 annually. Directs executors to sell land in Buchanan Co.(cont.)

Sherwood, Absolum, (cont.) - and Platte Co., and all personal property, except slaves, and proceeds are to be used for support of family. Recorded 9 Aug. 1852. Exr., Richard P. Gains, Hartwell Sherwood refusing to qualify. Sec., Samuel Hill and Thomas Henry. (B-171). Richard P. Gaines of Platte Co., who was executor has died without having fully administered. Admr., de bonis non, Lewis W. Gains. Says heirs are Sidonia Sherwood, widow of said decd., Sophronia Sherwood, Jennett Sherwood, and Absolum B. Sherwood, all of Buchanan Co. 7 Oct. 1854. Sec. Sidonia Sherwood and James Kay. (B-301)

SHERMAN, ELEANOR C., died intestate. Admr., John W. Ringo. Heirs are Anna L. Sherman, Levi Sherman, and Rebecca C. Ringo. 15 Sept. 1853. Sec., William H. Richardson and Amos W. Riley. (B-233)

SHULTZ, MARTIN, died intestate. Admr., Jacob Shultz. Sec., Ransom Ridge and James J. Gilmore. 4 Mar. 1851. (B-65)

SILVERS, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Golden Silvers. Sec., Daniel Vestal and David Vestal. 8 Dec. 1846. (A-148)

SIMMONS, JOHNSON, died intestate. Admr., Peter Simmons. Sec., Thomas Simmons and Abner D. Simmons. 7 Sept. 1850. (B-54)

SINGER, JOHN, - will dated 2 May 1853.
Wife, Julia Singer, entire estate. Wit: Alb. Audriane, H. R. Remensneider, Michael Purcell, O. B. Knode. Recorded 16 May 1853. Exrx., Julia Singer. Sec., Bernard Kaeser and John Horn. (B-225). Frederick Becher, Admr., de bonis non. Says name of heir of decd. was Julia Singer. Said Julia was exrx. of will, but has since married Frederick Becher and her letters revoked. Sec., John Bivert and Charles Schriber. (B-238). Exrx., now, Julia A. Becher (Beecher). Says heir of John Singer is Julia A. Beecher. 12 Jan. 1854. Sec., William M. Carter, H. Remensnider, and J. C. Twombly. Frederick Becher had been appointed admr. de bonis non of John Singer, and after that, died. (B-265).

SINGLETON, LEWIS, - will dated 3 Sept. 1845.
Son John Singleton. Daughter Mahalah Rogers. Daughter Susan Thompson. Son William Singleton, a note of \$100. To son Prior Singleton, a note of \$100 with interest notes that I hold against the two. I bequeath all the rest of my property to Scion Singleton, Samuel J. Singleton, and Ira King, an infant son of my daughter Sarah King, equally between them. Money for said Ira King to be loaned at interest till he is of age. Exr., Samuel J. Singleton. Wit: Eli Gabbert and Ellis Wilson. Recorded 11 Apr. 1846. Exr., Samuel J. Singleton. Sec., Eli Gabbert and Ellis Wilson. (A-118)

SITES, ANDREW J., died intestate. Admr., Henry Slack. Heirs are Ann E. Sites, widow of decd., and Martha Sites. 5 July 1852. Sec., John Copeland and Charles W. Thoroughoman. (B-165)

SKAGGS, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Levi J. Balis. Sec., Cornelius Roberts and William H. Taylor. 2 Nov. 1847. (A-202)

SMITH, DAVID, died intestate. Admr., David C. Ewing. Sec., Jonathan Huffman and Jesse Reams. 20 Sept. 1849. (B-9)

SMITH, GEORGE, - will dated 7 July 1849. Wife, J. Eliza Smith, lots in St. Joseph, etc. Negro Molly to be set free when she becomes 21. To daughter Sarah Jane Smith \$6000 to be handled by her guardian, and to be used for her support and education. To son Nelson Pepper Smith lot in St. Joseph, to be handled by his guardian until 21, also money for education and support. To daughter Georgiana Smith, \$6000 to her guardian for her support and education, principal, as above, to be paid when she is 18 years. In case wife should have a child by him after his death, same amount for its or their support and education. To sister Jane Catharine Sarah Robidoux, \$4000 and if she should die before she receives it, it is to go to her children. Also black boy slave, Oliver, until 21 when he is to be set free. To my half-sister, Mariah Louisa Tilden, \$3000. In case of her death, to her children. To my much esteemed aunt, Peninah Booth of Centreville, Kentucky \$500. To my cousin, William H. Booth of Andrew Co., Mo. \$100. To Sunday School at the Presbyterian Church called the St. Joseph Sunday School \$150.00 - to the officers to purchase a library for it. Also \$150 to the officers and trustees of the Sunday School kept by the St. Joseph Methodist Church, \$75.00 to be used for books. Appoints John Tilden and Samuel C. Davis, guardians for his children. Exrx., Ebenezar Richards, John Tilden, and Samuel C. Davis. Wit: Henry M. Vories and William H. Bedford. Recorded 7 Sept. 1849. Approved as exr. John Tilden. Sec., Joseph Robidoux, Felix Robidoux, William H. Bedford, and Milton Tootle. (B-5)

SMITH, JACOB, - will dated 6 Jan. 1855.

To the wife of my deceased brother, John Smith 1/7 of the proceeds of my real and personal estate; to Margaret Smith, the daughter of my deceased brother, William Smith, 1/7th; to Ludweig Wolfe, my brother-in-law 1/7th; to Matthias Smith, my brother, 1/7th; to Henry Hensel 1/7th; to Peter Stepp, my brother-in-law, 1/7th; and to Philip Peter Biszant, my brother-in-law, 1/7th. My friend Kirschner to be exr. Witnesses J. M. Bassett states that he subscribed the testator's name at his request. Wit: Menard Bachle and John D. Lampier. Recorded 5 Feb. 1855. Exr., Peter Kirschner. Sec., John Horn and Joseph Kechle (or Kuchle). (B-318)

SMITH, JACOB, died intestate. Admr., James Foreman. Sec., John Crouch and William Galloway. 10 June 1848. (A-230)

SMITH, JONATHAN W., died intestate. Admr., John N. Smith. Heirs are James B. Smith of Tennessee, and Robert B. Smith, son of Bird Smith, decd., also of Tennessee, Elizabeth Vanbebber, D.E. Morris, Ann Whitson, John Smith, Catharine Lynch, all of Buchanan Co., save Catharine whose place of residence is unknown. 19 May 1857. Sec., Nicholas Vanbebber and William M. Whitson. (B-447)

SMITH, PETER, died intestate. Admrx., Mary J. Smith. Heirs are Comedore P. Smith, Benjamin F. Smith, Charles H. Smith, and Mary J. Smith, widow of deceased, all of Buchanan Co. 11 Jan. 1853. Sec., James G. Karnes and Alexander Fudge. (B-206)

SMITH, POSEY N., died intestate. Admr., Henry Smith. Sec., John Curd and Allen McNew. 21 Apr. 1851. (B-72)

SMITH, THOMAS, - will (no date given).
Wife Katherine Smith to be exrx. To wife all estate for her
lifetime and at her death the remainder to my three youngest
sons: Samuel Smith, Thomas Smith, and Wesley Smith. Wit: A. L.
Newman and Fredrick Dean. Recorded 5 Apr. 1853. Exrx.,
Catharine Smith. Sec., Thomas Pace and Silas W. Berry. (B-217)

SNOWDEN, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Martha Ann Snowden. Sec., Abram Womach and Moses Potter. 18 Apr. 1849. (A-259)

SODUSKY, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Thomas Sodusky. Sec., Stephen Bedford and Alexander Newly. Children and heirs at law of James Sodusky: Thomas J. Sodowsky, Margaret Sodowsky, Sarah Francis Sodowsky, and James C. Sodowsky, all except Thomas J. who resides in Clinton Co., reside in Buchanan Co. 1 Dec. 1851. (B-115)

SOLLERS, THOMAS B., - will dated 18 June 1855.
Son Hampton to have no part of estate. Daughter Polly Ellender.
Son James M. Estate of son Henry, now decd., to which the
testator is entitled. Daughter Elizabeth Ann. Wife Margarette.
Wit: Sabert Sollers and Laomi McArthur. Recorded 10 July 1857.
Alexander Davis testified to handwriting of Laomi McArthur.
(B-457)

SORBER, ABRAHAM, died intestate. Admr., Charles Boyer. Sec., Daniel Boyer and Robert Duncan. 2 Dec. 1842. (A-46)

SPENCER, JAMES, died intestate. Admrs., Sarah Spencer and Cornelius M. Burgess. Sec., James O'Toole and Silas McDonald. 6 Jan. 1849. (Feb?) (A-255)

SPENCER, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Daniel C. Hurt. Says heirs are Sarah Spencer, Obediah M. Spencer, John Spencer, D.C. Hurt & wife, C. M. Burgess & wife, Samuel May & wife, A. C. Lacy & wife, Martha A. Spencer, heir of A. Spencer, Josephus Spencer and Columbus Spencer. 3 July 1854. Sec., James B. O'Toole and Thomas Allen. (B-288)

SPRAGUE, CYRUS, died intestate. Admr., Edie Sprague. Heirs are Edie (or Elie) Sprague, the widow and one sister of said decd., whose name is unknown to this affiant. 5 Oct. 1857. Sec., Joseph Devorss and John Garrett. (B-471)

STANTON, WILLIAM A. J., died intestate. Admr., Jesse S. Sullivan. Says heir of decd. is Martha Stanton, the wife of said decd., and she resides in Buchanan Co. 3 Oct. 1854. Sec., Culver Hiatt and Silas H. Karnes. (B-299)

STELTZER, JOHN M., died intestate. Admr., Ephraim Bowen. Sec., William Rambaugh, Caleb Waggonblast, and Michael Ruof. 23 Mar. 1852. (B-150)

STONE, MARY ANN, - will dated 21 Apr. 1849.

To children of my sister Ann Wells. To Louisa Ijams while she is continuing her studies at the Covent of the Sisters of Saint Joseph in Carondelet, St. Louis Co., to pay her expenses. Exr., Benjamin F. Loan. Recorded 3 May 1849. Wit: Thomas Scanlan, R. L. Wood, and Victoria Roberts. Benj. F. Loan, exr. Sec., Daniel G. Rudy and Peter Allendorff. (A-265)

STORY, MARY, died intestate. Admr., John Conner. Sec., John Holland and William Holland. 16 May 1848. (A-221)

STORY, THOMAS, died intestate. Admr., John Conner. Sec., John Ray and John Bretz. 6 Apr. 1847. (A-162)

STULTZ, PHILLIP, died intestate. Admr., Green V. Gore. Heirs are Rebecca Stultz, widow of decd., Francis E. Stultz, James M. Stultz, Sarah Allcorn, Francis F. Gore, Margaret Elizabeth Gore, Eliza J. Andrews, Allice Stultz, and Philip Trower Ready, minor son of Mary Josephine Ready, children of said deceased, all residents of Buchanan Co., save Sarah Allcorn who resides in California, and Francis E. Stultz who resides in Kansas Terr. 23 Mar. 1855. Sec., Henry Gore and Isaac Gore. (B-335)

STUMPFF, JOHNSON, - will dated 8 Aug. 1855.
To wife Rachel Stumpff, all real and personal property including house and lot on which I live in St. Joseph, to hold as long as she remains a widow or until my youngest child is of age. My children: William, Richard J., Sarah F., Jane H., Lazarus P., and Laura A. Wit: Washington Jones and O. B. Knode. Recorded 15 Sept. 1855. Exrx., Rachael Stumpff. Sec., John Stewart and A. L. Creal. (B-361)

SULLIVAN, JOHN O., - will dated 20 Dec. 1848.
Having claim of Bounty lands on Gov. of U. S. for 160 acres and wishing to leave that claim to one of the orphan children of Mich'l Murphy of Dingle, Co. Kerry, baker, decd., I list names of children in order as they stood 20 years ago when I left them. Oldest, Mary Murphy, 2nd, Jeremiah Murphy, 3rd, Joseph, 4th Elizabeth and one born since I left Ireland, (cont.)

Sullivan, John O., (cont.) - Thomas Murphy. Wit: Solomon Dill, David H. McMun, and Phillip McCarrol. Recorded 12 Jan. 1850. Exr., John M. Searcy. Sec., John Copeland and Posey N. Smith. 16 Jan. 1850. (B-25)

SUN, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., John K. Johnson. Heirs are Sarah Sun, widow, and William H. Sun, Everet Sun, and Elliott Sun. Sec., James G. Karnes and Aquilla J. Morrow. 17 Apr. 1854. (B-275)

SWINNEY, ROBERT, died intestate. Admrx., Jane Swinney. Sec., John Dorrell and James Fidler. 5 Oct. 1846. (A-139)

SYKES, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., Washington Jones. Heirs are James Sykes, Agnes Sykes, Mrs. Reed and one whose name is now unknown, and the widow of said decd. 9 Sept. 1857. Sec., John A. Chambers and Preston T. Moss. (B-465)

TABOR (TABER), PAUL T., - will dated 8 Feb. 1852. To wife Elizabeth all real and personal estate whatsoever. Wit: Robert Jesse and Abner Copland. Recorded 9 Mar. 1852. Exr., Abner Copland. Sec., John Copland and Milton H. Wash. (B-146)

TALBOT, JAMES S., died intestate. Admrs., Thornton S. Talbot and James W. Talbot. Heirs of decd: Thornton S. Talbot, James W. Talbot, Sally Payne wife of Silas Payne, and Kitty Burkshire of Buchanan Co., Mo., and Mary Kerlin and Elizabeth Rowland, heirs at law of Mary Young, late Talbot, who reside in Jefferson Co., Kentucky, and John Young one of the heirs of said Mary Young, decd., whose residence is unknown, but who formerly resided in Carrol Co., Ky., and Octavia Kay, wife of James Kay, who resides in Clay Co., Mo. 5 May 1853. Sec., William Ridenbaugh, Emanuel H. Rauch, and Thomas Brooks. (B-222)

TALKINGTON, JACOB S., died intestate. Admr., Alexander Cowhick. Sec., Humberson Lyon and Joseph Davis. 30 Apr. 1849. (A-264) Admr., Joseph G. Wyatt. Sec., Hussleton Compton and Posey N. Smith. 4 June 1849. (A-272)

TATE, JOHN M., died intestate. Admrx., Jane Tate. Sec., Evan R. Richardson, Augustus M. Wylie, James Wylie, Stephen W. Kennedy, Arthur. R. Frogg, and Jackson P. Bates. 9 Oct. 1845. (A-100)

TEMPLETON, NANCY, - will dated 3 Jan. 1851.

Widow of John Templeton, decd. Having no earthly good or property but what has been disposed of by the last will of my deceased husband, with exception of two slaves named Mary and Albert, I leave and bequeath as follows: 1st to my daughter Sarah Marten, the negro woman named Mary provided she pays over \$100, and I leave and bequeath the black boy named Albert to my son Peter Templeton provided he pays over the valuation of the boy with the exception of \$40.00. The \$100 and the amount paid for the boy is to be equally divided among (cont.)

Templeton, Nancy, (cont.) - my following named children: Lewis T. Templeton, Gemima Hill, Soloman Templeton, Wiley J. Templeton, Peter C. Templeton, Mary A. Wilburn, Sarah C. Marten, and John W. Templeton. Wit: David Dollison and Hugh Copeland. Recorded 22 Sept. 1853. Exr., Peter C. Templeton. Sec., Robert H. France and William Kirkman. (B-240). Peter C. Templeton, exr. Sec., Robert H. France and William Kirkman. 14 Oct. 1853. (B-243)

TEMPLETON, JOHN, - will dated 11 Aug. 1850.
Wife, Nancy. At her death the piece of land on which I now live to my son Peter C. Templeton, except a part to Richard Matten. Exr., Peter C. Templeton. Wit: David McCarty and H. Copland. Recorded 20 Sept. 1851. (B-105)

THOMAS, HOWELL, died intestate. Admr., Philander Thomas. Sec., D. J. Henton and Allen McNew. 20 Oct. 1849. (B-11)

THOMAS, PHILANDER, - will dated 8 May 1852.
To nephew Philander T. Young, now of Fountain Co., Indiana;
Sarah Thomas Smith, daughter of the late Posey N. Smith of
Buchanan Co., Mo.; Rebecca Catherine Creal of Saint Joseph. No
other person is to have any part. Philander T. Young is the son
of my deceased wife's brother, John Young. Exrs., to be Joseph
C. Hull and John Curd. 8 May 1852. Wit: Ben Hughes and J. M.
Bassett. Recorded 8 Jan. 1854. Exrs., John Curd and Joseph C.
Hull. Sec., J. M. Bassett and E. Livermore. (B-259)

THOMAS, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., William Dunlap. Sec., John Ellison and Matthew C. Ferrell. 29 Sept. 1845. (A-99)

THOMASON, REUBEN T., died intestate. Admr., John Thomason. Sec., William N. Thomason and William Glaze. 13 Mar. 1847. (A-159)

THORNTON, LEVI, died intestate. Admr., James Thornton. Sec., Benjamin C. Powell and William Barnett. 16 Nov. 1848. (A-249)

TROWER, JOHN C., died intestate. Admr., Samuel A. Trower. Sec., Ephraim Bowen and William J. Clark. 5 Nov. 1849. (B-15)

TURNER, G. W., Jordan Silvers, Golden Silvers, and David Linch - Article of agreement with Mary Turner, for \$500.00 to furnish her with house, furniture, cooking utensils, etc., firewood, cow, and \$25.00 annually her lifetime. Wit: James Curl. Dated 19 Oct. 1839 and recorded 23 Jan. 1840. (A note written on corner of paper, says 74 years old.) (A-279)

TURNER, NATHAN, died intestate. Admr., Golden Silvers. Heirs are Washington A. Turner and Mary Silvers of Buchanan Co., Synthia Ann Silvers, of DeKalb Co., Mo., Nancy Lynch of Clay Co., Mo., Thomas A. Turner, Eliza Turner, Rachael (cont.)

Turner, Nathan, (cont.) - Arminda Turner, Surilda Jane Turner, Talton Turner, and Catharine Turner of Oregon Terr. 2 Apr. 1855. Sec., Andrew J. Wright and Robert Wilson. (B-338)

TURNER, SILAS G., died intestate. Admr., Joseph B. Smith. Heirs are Greenville T. Turner and several brothers and sisters whose names or residences this affiant is not now able to give. 7 Feb. 1855. Sec., James Highley and James E. Hewlett. (B-321)

TURPIN, ALFORD, died intestate. Admr., John Wood. Sec., Aaron Lewis and George K. Elliott. 10 Oct. 1848. (A-241)

TYLER, ABEL, died intestate. Admr., Lafayette Tyler. Sec., Henry W. Hensley and Presley Tyler. 15 Jan. 1848. (A-209)

TYLER, PRESLEY, of Bloomington Twp., - will dated 4 June 1852. All real and personal estate to wife Mary Ann Tyler, during her life or widowhood. To each of my boys now living at home, William, Levi, Edward, John, Sidney, and James Marion, horse, saddle and bridle to each when they arrive at age of 18. To daughter, Margaret Ann Tyler, the same I have already given to my daughter Emily, one bed and bedding, cow and calf and spinning wheel. To daughter Emily a saddle. After death of wife or remarriage, equally to two daughters, Margaret Ann and Emily, and seven sons. Exr., John Bingham of Platte Co., Mo. Wit: Charles W. Davis and Joel Southard. Recorded 14 Oct. 1852. Sec., Charles W. Davis and Joel Southard. (B-173)

TYLER, SIDNEY, died intestate. Admr., John Morris. Sec., William H. Taylor and Thomas M. Hickman. 28 Dec. 1849. (B-23)

UNDERWOOD, PETER, died intestate. Admr., William Dunning gives names of heirs: Jackson Underwood, Elvira Wood, Kesiah J. Underwood, Melsena Caymer, Eliza A. Roark, Hepsy J. Austine, William J. Underwood, David W. Underwood, Peter V. Underwood, Thomas G. Underwood, Louisa Underwood, and Jane O. Underwood, widow of said decd. That Jackson Underwood, Melsena Clymer, and William J. Underwood now reside in California, and one heir now resides in state of Kentucky, and some reside in Jackson Co., and the remainder in Buchanan Co., Mo. 9 Nov. 1852. Sec., Henry Lower and Robert J. Boyd. (B-196)

VANHOUTEN, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Henry Vanhouten. Sec., Stephen W. Kennedy and Thomas Campbell. 5 Mar. 1845. (A-91)

VASSAR, SAMUEL H., died intestate. Admrs., Samuel C. Hall and Cynthia Vassar. Sec., James Camron and William Langston. 24 Oct. 1846. (A-142)

VINEYARD, JAMES, died intestate. Admr., William Vineyard. Sec., Louis Vineyard and Charles Snelling. 5 Sept. 1849. (B-4)

WADSWORTH, WILLIAM M., - will dated 7 Feb. 1852.
Wife, Elizabeth Wadsworth. Wants executor to sell land, personal property, etc., and divide proceeds among heirs as follows: Wife, Elizabeth; Sarah Catharine Wadsworth, Mames Marshall Wadsworth, Mary Jane Wadsworth, John Morrison Wadsworth. Appointed Stephen Bedford and James J. Gilmore exrs. Wit: Absolum Deakins, Joshua Dear, and F. W. Gray. Recorded 23 Feb. 1852. Exrs., Stephen Bedford and James J. Gilmore. Sec., Absolum Deakin and Joshua Deer. (B-137)

WAGONBLAST, JOHN MICHAEL, died intestate. Admr., Ephraim Bowen. Heirs are John G. Wagonblast of Buchanan Co., John George Wagonblast of the Kingdom of Wurtemburg, John Wagonblast of Australia, Christian Wagonblast of California, Jacob Wagonblast of Buchanan Co., Catharine C. Steltzer of Buchanan Co., Mo., Michael Rouf and Christena his wife of Buchanan Co., John Hagerman and Frederica Hagerman his wife of Andrew County, Mo., and Louisa Wagonblast of Shelby Co., Mo. 23 Jan. 1855. Sec., Michael Ruof and John G. Wagonblast. (B-314)

WALKER, ANDREW J., died intestate. Admr., Solomon L. Leonard. Heirs are Margaret Walker, Marthy Walker, Wythe Walker, Frances Walker, William Walker, and the widow of the decd. 13 Apr. 1853. Sec., Alexander Fudge and William Ridenbaugh. (B-214)

WALKER, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., Samuel Wade. Heirs are Lessetta Walker, the widow, Owen Walker and Eliza Walker, and four others whose names are unknown at present. 6 Mar. 1857. Sec., John Wells and William Ridenbaugh. (B-431)

WALLACE, MICHAEL, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Wallace. Sec., Robert Gilmore and Aurey Ballard. 19 Sept. 1845. (A-98)

WALLER, DOMINICUS, died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Waller. Sec., Ephraim Bowen and Joseph H. Miller. 8 May 1850. (B-40)

WALLER, JONATHAN, died intestate. Adrmx., Florella Waller. Heirs of decd. are Florrella Waller, Mary E. Waller, Sarah C. Waller, Thomas H. Waller, Robert M. Waller, children and heirs of said decd. all of Buchanan Co. 30 Jan. 1854. Sec., Charles Daily. (B-270)

WARD, HENRY B., - will dated 11 Sept. 1839. My Mother, my brothers and sisters to have my land in Texas, and all other property. Wit: John E. Whitsitt and Harvey Jones. Recorded 23 Nov. 1840. (A-22)

WATERS, LORENZO, died intestate. Admr., Duncan Fulton. Sec., James J. Reynolds and Daniel Waters. 6 July 1847. (A-181)

WATKINS, JESSE, died intestate. Admr., William Kirkman. Sec., Robert McCain and Hugh Copeland. 11 Feb. 1843. (A-49)

WATKINS, MARY, died intestate. Admr., Robert Swinney. Sec., John Darrell and John Belcher. 1 Apr. 1844. (A-72)

WAYMIRE, ISAAC, died intestate. Admr., John H. Cox. Sec., Taylor Sargeant, Philander Thomas, and William T. Harris. 23 Jan. 1847. (A-152)

WELLS, ELIZABETH, - will(date not given). Being weak and feeble in body. Debts include a judgment against her by Harvey Dillin for about \$25.00 before William Hughes, Esq., a JP of Washington Twp., and the balance of note by her to John Corby she believes is not just and should not

The remains of her father, Jarred Gladden and of her mother, Mary Gladden, are to be removed from their burial place in Clinton Co., Mo. and be interred "on the top of the hill where the ridges cross each other on the Reserve, and that neat and suitable tombstones be erected" and that she shall be buried at same place, etc., and if her present husband Elias F. Wells shall die in or near St. Joseph, it is her desire that a similar tombstone be placed over his grave. The lot she calls the "Reserve" is in the Wells Addition to the town of St. Joseph. Leaves property (land) to husband Elias F. Wells for life unless he should remarry, in which case it will cease. Elias to care for graveyard, etc.

To Benjamin F. Loan property in Clinton Co. and in Buchanan Co. Rebecca Gladden, wife of John Gladden, \$500.00. Heirs of decd. brother Joseph Gladden shall not inherit in any way.

Exr., Benjamin F. Loan. Wit: John Curd and William Ray. Recorded 20 June 1854. Benjamin F. Loan, Exr., Sec., William Fowler and Theodore A. Fowler. (B-284)

WELTMER, DANIEL, - will dated 30 July 1851. All real and personal property to wife Nancy until her death.
After her death to be equally divided among my several children,
Elizabeth Mary Henry Jacob David Samuel Sarah (no punctuation). Exrx., Nancy Weltmer. Wit: Henry Weltmer and Adam Loudermilk. Recorded 16 Oct. 1852. Exr., John Bretz. Sec., William Ridenbaugh and James Roberts. Nancy Weltmer had refused to execute. (B-186)

WESLEY, OLIVER, died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Wesley. Heirs are widow, Elizabeth Wesley, and Presly Scott Wesley. 25 Feb. 1852. Sec., John T. Thompson and James V. Brinton. (B-141)

WHITE, CHARLES, died intestate. Admr., Morgan Dryden. Sec., Richard A. Conn and John Huntsucker. 4 Apr. 1848. (A-216)

WHITE, PATRICK, died intestate. Admr., John Conner. Sec., Daniel Vestal and David Vestal. 10 Aug. 1848. (A-238)

WHITE, SAMUEL S., died intestate. Admr., Erasmus F. Dixon. Sec., Daniel McCray and Jackson Deer. 5 Aug. 1847. (A-196)

WHITSON, ALEXANDER, died intestate. Admr., Geales D. Whitson. Sec., William B. Powe and John McNemee. 7 July 1851. (B-81)

WHITSON, JESSE, died intestate. Admr., William M. Whitson. Heirs are Elizabeth Whitson, the widow, and William M. Whitson, Alexander Whitson's daughter, Martha Hix, Matilda Burke, and Catharine Whitson, children of the decd. and all residents of Buchanan except Martha Hix who lives in Tennessee. 17 Nov. 1856. Sec., William Powe and Nicholas Vanber. (B-418)

WHITSON, WILLIAM, died intestate. Admr., David P. Campbell. Sec., James H. Campbell and William R. Campbell. 1 Jan. 1848. (A-208)

WHITTINGTON, WILEY W., died intestate. Admr., Allen A. Whittington. Sec., Benjamin B. Whittington and Andrew Parnell. 29 Apr. 1847. (A-165)

GARDENHIRE, JAMES B., appointed Public Admr., 6 May 1847. Sec., William Ray and Benjamin C. Powell. (A-166)

WIGGINS, BENJAMIN, died intestate. Admrx., Mary Ann Wiggins. Sec., Frederick W. Bainbridge and William Hesse. 1 Nov. 1851. (B-111). James R. Merrill, admr., de bonis non. Decd. has following heirs: Mary Ann Merrill, late Mary A. Wiggins, widow of said decd. Richard Wiggins; William Wiggins, and Mary Elizabeth Wiggins. 17 Oct. 1853. Sec., Thomas E. Tottle and H. W. Hudnall. Mary A. Wiggins had been appointed admrx., but has since intermarried with one James R. Merrill, so L/T revoked. (B-244)

WILLHELM, ANDREW, died intestate. Admrx., Margaret Willhelm. Sec., William Guthrie and John W. Troutman. 27 Jan. 1844. (A-71)

WILKINSON, AUGUSTUS S., died intestate. Admr., Silas M. Veach. Sec., David B. Welding and Posey N. Smith. 21 Oct. 1848.(A-243)

WILKERSON, ROSS, died intestate. Admr., Noah Curtis. Heirs are Margaret Wilkerson, the widow, and Lucinda Curtis, Elizabeth Riskes, Priscilla Cogdell, William Wilkerson, Jane Dixon, Martin Wilkerson, Ann E. Kimball, Van Wilkerson, and Ross Wilkerson. 4 Dec. 1855. Sec., Madison C. Terill and Jacob Cogdell. (B-370)

WILLETT, NIMROD C., died intestate. Admr., David Burris. Sec., Ennis Burris and John Norris. 14 Oct. 1842. (A-43)

WILLIAMS, HENRY, died intestate. Admr., William H. Williams. Sec., Hiram J. Hurst, WilliamAA. Burk, and James Vestal. Heirs of Henry Williams are: Esther Bush, William H. Williams, Sarah Vestal, Hana Hurst, Jenkin Williams, and George Williams, his children, and Hana Williams, his widow, all of Buchanan Co. 1 July 1857. (B-453)

WILLIAMS, JENKINS, died intestate. Admr., John W. Williams. Sec., Henry Williams and John P. Baughman. 9 Sept. 1851.(B-101)

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM, and Easter Williams, his wife of Buchanan Co. Give power of Attorney to John W. Williams, attorney, to sell land in Lawrence Co., Ky. 7 Aug. 1839. Wit: H. Williams. (A-9)

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM, - will dated 19 Aug. 1846.
To wife, Easter. To my six grandchildren known by names as follows: William Morrow, John Morrow, Easter Ann Morrow, Rebecca Morrow, Elizabeth Morrow, and Logan Morrow. To my several children (now living) to make each equal with the other. Repeats this several times but doesn't name them. Appoints his 3 sons, Henry Williams, Jenkins Williams, and John Williams, exrs. Wit: James Strong and William Williams. Codicil, leaves to Jesse S. Morrow sum of \$5.00. 28 Oct. 1846. Wit: James Strong and William A. Bush. (A-143). Exrs., Henry Williams and Jenkins Williams. Sec., Sanford Fielding and Gideon S. Brown. 11 Nov. 1846. (A-146)

WILLIS, ARCHIBALD, died intestate. Admr., Darius Willis. Heirs are Caroline Willis, the widow, Charlotte Willis, John D. Willis, and Mary Jane Willis, all of Buchanan Co. 31 July 1856. Sec., William Dunning and William Holmes. (B-403)

WILLIS, FOSTER, died intestate. Admr., Erasmus F. Dixon. Sec., Robert W. Donnell and Philander Thomas. 13 May 1850. (B-41)

WILSON, ELIZABETH, died intestate. Admr., Eli Gabbert. Heirs are James, Zadoc, Charles, John, Andrew Wilson, and Eunice Masters. 13 July 1853. Sec., Samuel J. Singleton and William Hamner. (B-227)

WILSON, GEORGE, died intestate. Admr., Hugh Smith. Heirs are Joseph E. Wilson, Abram Wilson, Elizabeth Wilson, Mary Wilson, Nancy Wilson, William Wilson, Sarah Wilson, Jane Wilson, and Francis M. Wilson. Said Elizabeth Wilson has married Jackson Davenport, Mary Wilson has married Alfred Lunsford, and Nancy Wilson has married Thomas Spratley and now "resides" in the state of Iowa, and Abram resides in Kentucky, and all others reside in Buchanan Co. 14 Aug. 1854. Sec., Albe M. Saxton and Joseph E. Wilson. (B-295)

WILSON, MARTIN, died intestate. Admrx., Elizabeth Wilson. Sec., William M. Hammer and Joel Wilson. 2 June 1849. (A-269)

WINKLER, DAVID, died intestate. Admr., Lewis Harness. 25 Sept. 1841. Sec., Thomas Ledington and William McVay. (A-30)

WITHERS, THOMAS H., died intestate. Admr., Francis D. Bowen. Sec., David Brown and Robert C. Mosely. 7 July 1851. (B-82)

WITMEIER, JOSEPH, died intestate. Admrs., Michael Witmeier and Ephraim Bowen. Sec., Joseph Miller and Fidel Kessler. 3 Nov. 1849. (B-14).

WOLLEN, LEVIN, - will dated 30 Oct. 1841.
Wife Abigail. Son, Robison Wollin, daughter Rebecca Wollen.
Appoints Elijah Robison and his wife, exrs. Wit: Alfred M.
Rector and Peter Price. Recorded 7 Dec. 1841. (A-33)

WOMACK, ALLEN, died intestate. Admr., William Womack. Sec., Allen Womack and Abraham Womack. 5 May 1846. (A-123)

WOOD, JEREMIAH, died intestate. Admrx., Martha Wood. Sec., Wilson Modrell and Bird Wood. 8 Aug. 1850. (B-49)

WOOD, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Benjamin Moore. Sec., Robert Jesse and John Herring. 27 Oct. 1851. (B-110)

WOOD, JUBEL, died intestate. Admr., William Curl. Sec., James McGuire and James Hall. 1 Feb. 1846. (A-115)

WOOD, MARY, died intestate. Admr., Bird Wood. Heirs are John Wood, Nancy Turner's children, Mary Wilkison, Demartha Campbell, Wesley Wood, Henry Wood, Jeremiah Wood's children, Thomas Wood's children, and Bird Wood. 5 Dec. 1854. Sec., John Modrell and George W. King. (B-305)

WOOD, THOMAS D., died intestate. Admrx., Mahala Wood. Sec., Roberson B. McMillin and Daniel B. Henderson. 8 Aug. 1850. (B-57)

WRIGHT, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Henson Devoss. Heirs are Rutha Wright, widow of decd., Nancy Wright, Lycurgus Wright, William Wright, Lydia Wright, Ann Wright, and Lauretta Wright, all residents of Buchanan Co. 17 Jan. 1855. Sec., Cyrus Sprague and William Devoss. (B-314)

WYATT, JOHN, died intestate. Admr., Jonathan F. Wyatt. Heirs are Virginia Wyatt, widow of the decd., Jonathan F. Wyatt, James L. Wyatt, Samuel B. Wyatt, Mary C. Wyatt, William W. Wyatt, Albert Wyatt, Chesley M. Wyatt, Jefferson Wyatt, and George Wyatt, all of Buchanan Co. 6 July 1854. Sec., Absolum L. Creal and Robert M. Stewart. (B-289)

WYLIE, JAMES H., died intestate. Admr., Evan R. Richardson. Sec., William R. Frogge and Arthur R. Frogge. 3 May 1848.(A-218)

YORK, CORNELIOUS, died intestate. Admr., Scion Singleton. Sec., Joseph Devorss and David P. Ringo. 9 Oct. 1849. (B-10)

ZURNWALT, CHRISTOPHER, - Joseph Hughart appointed guardian, 9 Sept. 1839, of Christopher Peter Zurnwalt, heir of Christopher Zurnwalt, decd. Sec., Daniel Henderson. (A-15)

BAKER, ZEBADIAH, - will dated 16 Sept. 1853. Wife, Martha. Dau, Elizabeth. Youngest sons, Ratliff & Benjamin. Wife, exrx. Wit: Wm. Kirkham & Floyd Baker. Recorded 22 Oct. 1853. (B-246)

Many of our readers may not have access to an early history of Buchanan County, especially the one published in 1881 by the Union Historical Company at St. Joseph, which includes a chapter giving names of the earliest settlers in each township, and often stating where they lived before coming to Buchanan Co. Since this information might furnish a clue as to the whereabouts or origin of some ancestor, we are offering here a condensed version of the Chapter dealing with the first settlers in the various townships, some of whom moved on to other counties and states.

## PLATTE TOWNSHIP

Judge Weston J. Everett of Clay County, but originally from Tenn. is said to have been the first permanent settler. He had visited the area in the fall of 1836 to select a location for his future home. He returned in February, 1837, and settled on land which had been occupied a short time by Absalom Enyard of Clay Co., Mo. Mr. Enyard having occupied the land before the country was open for settlement, he was dispossessed and driven out by U. S. forces. The land was purchased by Judge Everett. He was one of the most prominent citizens of this portion of Buchanan Co.

Absalom Munkers, a brother-in-law of Judge Everett, and a native of Tennessee, came to the same neighborhood in February 1837. They left Clay County together, but Munkers was detained on the road about a week. It is claimed that the wagons of these two gentlemen were the first to make tracks on the soil of Platte Township. Mr. Munkers was still living in 1881. His son, David, was the first white child born in the township, in April 1837.

Jackson Erickson, also a native of Tennessee, came from Ray County, Mo., in 1837. James Williams came in the year 1837, but later moved to California where he died. Old "Uncle Jack Huntsucker," as he was familiarly called, came from Tennessee in 1837. Peter Bledsoe, also, in 1837 and settled in the northern part of the township. He was still living in 1881.

William Cobb was one of the early settlers from Tennessee. Jesse Fletcher began to improve a farm in 1837, but moved to the Grand River country in Caldwell County and died there. John Fletcher, a son of Jesse, came with his brother-in-law, Asa Rockhold, in the spring of 1837. John Tobin, from Kentucky, was the only settler between the Fletcher and Rockhold places and Matney's Mill. He arrived in 1838. John Dryden settled the same year and settled about a mile north of the Platte County Line.

Thompson Burnham settled in the township in 1837; Charles Kennaird in 1838; Morris Pile in 1838 and was still living in 1881. James Anderson came about this same time. Dr. Samuel Trower arrived in 1838 from Kentucky and was the first physician to practice in Platte Township.

Platte Township, cont. Nelson Witt came in the spring of 1838, also from Kentucky. He was the first Justice of the Peace (1839) in Platte Twp., and was at one time a County Judge. His son, Jackson Witt, was still living on the same place in 1881. Daniel Clark came in 1838 and his children remained in the vicinity where he settled. John Berryhill settled in the forks of Malden reek in 1838. James Courtney bought the place which Jackson Erickson originally settled, on the latter's death, and lived in the township until his death in 1876 at age of 71 years, the oldest man in the township when he died.

James Fidler came in 1838. He was from Tennessee and died on the place he settled. The widow of his son, James, was living there in 1881. John G. Elliott said that his father, John Elliott, came from Kentucky in 1833 or 1834 and settled next to the Clinton County line. The country was still in possession of the Indians, so he moved over the line into Clinton County, but farmed in Platte Township.

John Commins, the father of Eli Commins, was also one of the early settlers and is said to have lived in the county several years before the Indians were removed.

The first mill built in the township was the Platte River Mill. or later called Matney's Mill. It was commenced in 1838 by Harrison Whitson, an old settler. Mr. Whitson operated it until 1843, when John Bretz became its owner. Judge John Rohan was the only merchant who sold goods in Platte Township. His store was on his farm.

## JACKSON TOWNSHIP

Among the early settlers of this township was Pleasant Yates, who came in the spring of 1837, and was still living there in 1881, the year of publication of the book from which this account was taken. At the time of his arrival there were no white settlers within seven miles.

Isaac Farris settled in the northern part of the township in 1837. He was a native of Lincoln County, Kentucky, but had moved to Indiana and came to Platte Co., Mo., from there. His father, Isaac Farris, had been a pioneer of Kentucky.

Several families by the name of Holland settled at an early period to the south of Matney's Mill, and their descendants formed a considerable part of the early population of the locality. Levi Jackson, from Kentucky, was one of the early settlers of the township, and Judge Blevins was one of the pioneers, coming in 1837 or 1838. John Johnson came from North Carolina in 1838. Robert Prather came the same year from Kentucky and in 1881 was living in Atchison Co., Kansas. Phillip Walker came about the same time and was still living at age of over eighty years. Robert Wilson, of Ohio, came

Jackson Township, cont. about the same time. He died in 1865. The first to preach at the Mount Pleasant Church, Missionary Baptists, was Rev. Mathias Cline, who came in about 1844. John Ray came from N. C. in 1838; he died in 1857. G. W. Ray, his son, became a merchant of Arnoldsville. Also, in 1838, came Christopher Cunningham; his two sons William and John, moved to Kansas. Benjamin McCrary settled in the township in 1838 and died soon after the Civil War.

Charles Grable came to the township in 1840; still living in 1881. His brother, Anthony Grable, came with him. Eli Arnold came early, and died after the Civil War. William M. Matney became the sole proprietor of what is now known as Matney's mill, in 1857. This mill was then located in Jackson Township, on the Platte River, just opposite the point in Platte Township, where it was first erected in 1838.

## CRAWFORD TOWNSHIP

William Fowler settled in Crawford Township in 1837; William Harrington, also, in 1837. Edward Davidson came from Illinois in 1837. Caleb Bailey settled there the same year. William Guinn came from Illinois in 1837 to Platte Co., but went on to California in 1846; William Lockhart, also, came from Illinois in 1837. Bartlett Curl, from Kentucky in 1837, went on to Oregon. James B. O'Toole was from Illinois in 1837; Harvey Jones, from North Carolina in 1837, and O. M. Spencer from Kentucky in 1837, but was living in Kansas in 1881. Others who came in 1837 were Widdy Henderson, James Curl, William Payne, Guian Brown, Turpin Thomas and Matt Ferrell, all deceased prior to 1881.

The following were still living in 1881: Judge Thomas A. Brown, from Tennessee in 1838; H. W. Baker in 1837 from Virginia; John Hickman from St. Louis in 1837; Levi J. Judah from Indiana in 1839, and Columbus H. Roundtree in 1837 from Kentucky. John, James and Cornelius McGuire who settled here about that time died before 1881.

Capt. William Fowler came in 1837 from Delaware and was the first Circuit and County Clerk of Buchanan Co., having been appointed in 1839. He died in St. Joseph in November, 1880, at age of 82 years.

Dr. Silas McDonald came from Kentucky in the spring of 1838. He later moved to St. Joseph.

Major Sandford Feland came to this township in 1839, purchased a claim east of the town of Wallace, and continued to live there. He stated that when he came to the township, the bark wigwams, which had just been vacated by the Sac Indians, were still standing on the banks of Bee Creek. He was a native of Kentucky and was an officer in the Kentucky militia.

Crawford Township, cont.
Guilford Moultrie, who built the first log Court House at
Sparta, was a resident of Crawford Township, and died at his
home some years before the civil war.

The oldest business center in the township was known as West Point. It was a single store, kept by Loel Pennick on a farm later owned by Milton Murphy. Mr. Pennick came with his family in 1838 and afterwards removed to St. Joseph.

## BLOOMINGTON TOWNSHIP

Among the earliest settlers of what is now Bloomington Township, was Hiram Roberts. He came to the vicinity of DeKalb in 1836, a year before the county was opened for settlement. As soon as it was known that squatters had invaded the county, U. S. troops from Fort Leavenworth were sent to dispossess them. Perhaps, the only man who escaped the vigilance of the military, was Hiram Roberts, who happened to be overlooked, from the secluded location he then occupied. He died in DeKalb, Apr. 25, 1881, at age 79 years. Five days later, his wife, of nearly the same age, was buried. The inscriptions on their monument in the cemetery at DeKalb reads as follows:

"Hiram Roberts, born Dec. 6, 1801; died April 25, 1881, aged 79 years, 4 months and 19 days. Rachael Roberts, born March 18, 1802, died April 27, 1881, aged 79 years,

1 month 9 days."

Isom Gardner, Amos Horn (a native of Lafayette Co., Mo.), John Underwood, Holland Jones, Thomas Hickman, William Hickman, William Ballow, Matt Geer, Hardin Hamilton, Mrs. Sally Davis, F. D. Davis, her son, Thomas Hill, Major F. D. Bowen (died in 1867), Stephen Field, who built the first mill in the township, James Hamilton, and Isaac Van Hoosier (who died in 1879) were all here in 1837.

The Gartens (Zachariah, who died in 1852) with his sons Uriah and John, have lived in Nodaway County since 1842. William, who lived just south of DeKalb, and Stephen came to Bloomington Twp. in 1839. Lewis Garten also came in 1839, but later went to California.

In 1841, Major Francis Drake Bowen, a native of Fairfax Co., Virginia, settled near the town of DeKalb. He bought from James Linville, a claim which he afterwards entered, about 2 miles from DeKalb. He then went to Kentucky where he taught a school five months, returning the same year to this township and resided here until his death on Nov. 13, 1867, aged 73 years. His estate included some of the finest farms in the county and it descended to his two nephews, Peter and William A. Bowen. Major Bowen was at one time an officer in the War of 1812. He never married. John Bowen, a brother, came from Virginia in 1832, with his wife and three sons, William A., Lovell, who was

Bloomington Township, cont. killed in the battle of Pea Ridge fighting for the Southern cause, and Peter O. Bowen. John Bowen died July 5, 1862, age 71, and his wife in July 1879. Francis Drake Davis, a cousin of Major F. D. Bowen, located here in 1837 from Fairfax Co., Va. His mother, Mrs. Sally Davis came out soon after with another son, John, who died on his way to California in 1849. About 12 years later Thomas Davis, a third son, came to Bloomington Township. Mrs. Davis died at the residence of her son, F. D. Davis, at the advanced age of 100 years, having been born in Virginia in Dec. 1773. Thomas Davis died in 1880, age 80. It was said that the Bowens were lineal descendants of Sir Francis Drake. Mrs. Davis had two daughters, Mrs. Bryant and Mrs. Peoples; the former died in Bloomington Twp., and the latter in Lexington, Mo.

Michael Gabbard, who settled here in 1838, died in Dec. 1878, age 79 years. Benjamin Yocum, a farmer from Kentucky, settled in the township in 1839. Fovernor Robert M. Stewart immigrated to Bloomington Twp. in 1839 from New York. In 1845 he moved to St. Joseph. James Ellison was also an early settler, as was also Judge Curl, who at one time represented Carroll Co., Mo. in the Legislature.

William Moore, a son-in-law of James Ellison, came in 1839 and was Deputy Sheriff and Constable for several years. He died in 1847.

Captain William Moore and David Brown were both early settlers. William Clasby came from Calloway Co., Mo. in 1838; Benjamin Sampson and his brother, John, came in 1838. Abraham and Wm. Womack settled here in 1838. Rice McCubin was an early settler, and was living in Kansas in 1881. William Fountaine died before the war and his widow became the wife of P. R. King. Holland Jones and Joel Hedgpeth opened a small store in 1837. John Dairs, a native of Virginia, was the first man to distill whisky in the township, prior to 1843. He died on his way to California. Judge Cornelius Roberts, a brother of Hiram Roberts, settled in the township in 1837, and Judge J. P. Pettigrew came from Mercer Co., Pennsylvania, in 1839. P. R. King came from Montgomery Co., Mo. in 1848.

#### CENTRE TOWNSHIP

Among the first settlers of Centre Township was Richard Hill, who in the fall of 1837, settled in the immediate vicinity of the subsequent town of Sparta. Robert Duncan, William Hunter, and Andrew J. Hunter settled east of Sparta in 1839, and John Richey also came the same year. About the same time came James Donovan of Augusta, Kentucky, John Hill, Samuel Hill and Joseph Hill.

Captain William Fowler, General B. F. Loan, Gov. W. P. Hall, General James B. Gardenhire, Judge Henry M. Vories, Judge Wm. B. Almond and General J. M. Bassett located in Sparta between

Centre Township, cont. 1840 and 1845 and moved to St. Joseph after the removal of the county seat to that place in 1846.

Among the early settlers in this township were: Jesse Reames, Zachariah Waller, Elijah W. Smith, Lucas Dawson, John Croy, John Martin, Thomas Moore. William Farris came from Indiana in 1840; George Raney from Indiana. Other settlers were H. G. Gordan, James Woodward and Robert Donnell, Evan Jordan, Ransom Ridge, Martin Hirsch, and Joseph Mathers and his brother-in-law, Oman Miller. Samuel McCauley settled here in 1840, coming from Lancaster, Pennsylvania. William C. Connett, father of William C., Squire S., and Horace F. Connett, settled here in 1839, from Lexington, Kentucky.

John Copeland settled in 1840. He died in 1873. He was born in North Caroline in 1768, moved to Tennessee in 1829 and in 1840 to this place.

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## RUSH TOWNSHIP

Among the early settlers of Rush Township still living in 1881 was William Allison who came in 1837. John H. Allison also came in 1837; James Canter, in 1837; John Seips and Eli Seips in 1839, and Mitchell Owen in 1839, and also, John Utt. Henry Hays and Sylvester Hays, Morris Baker and James Carpenter (who sold his farm to Burgess Elliott about 1841) came in 1839. The first settler on the quarter section including the town site of Rushville, was John Flannery, who came in 1839. He afterwards sold to Perman Hudson and James Leachman.

#### AGENCY TOWNSHIP

About the first settlements in what was known as Agency Town-ship were John Gilmore and his brother, Robert, who located here in 1837. They were natives of East Tennessee and first settled in Clay County, Mo. Robert Gilmore was the father of James J. Gilmore and brother of James Gilmore, who lived in the Platte count country as blacksmith for the Iowa and Sac Indians, long before it was settled by the whites. James Gilmore died in Oregon.

James J. Reynolds came from Clay Co., Mo. in 1838; Samuel Poteete came from Tennessee, originally, and settled here in 1837. William McDowell, who died in 1874, came from Clay Co. in 1837. Jacob Reese, a native of North Carolina, reached the county about 1838. Benjamin Moore, from Virginia, and Littleberry Estes settled on Pigeon Creek. John McGauhey came from Indiana in 1839, and Bright Martin about the same time. John Lamb came in 1839 and died en route to California. Richard Fulton was one of the early settlers.

## MARION TOWNSHIP

Marion Township, from the fact that the territory occupied the northeastern part of the county, was not so rapidly or thickly

Marion Township, cont. settled as the southern portion. The first settlers generally occupied that portion of the county lying contiguous to the Clinton County line.

Calvin James was one of the earliest settlers of Marion Township. He came from one of the older counties of Missouri in 1837. Benjamin Cornelius, from Clay, came in 1837. Peter Boyer, the father of Jacob and Henry Boyer, was from Pennsylvania. James Blakely came from Kentucky in 1838; Thomas McGowan also came in 1838. Jesse Clark, originally from Tennessee, but came from Clay County to Buchanan in 1838, and Barnes Clark came at the same time. The Markers and Caleb Hasenmeyer came from Ohio. John Ledgerwood came from Clay County in 1839 and Nicholas Roberts and James Roberts in 1838 from Clay Co. James McCorkle, also came from Clay County in 1838. Joseph Kessler was one of the first German settlers.

Among others who came at an early day: John Wunderlich, Wolfgang Beck, John Slaybaugh from Pennsylvania; David Davis, from Ohio; Dr. John Minor, from Kentucky; John Davis, brother of David, from Ohio; Isaac Gibson, from Missouri; Isaac Voohies; William P. Shortridge, from Kentucky; Augustus Wiley and James Wiley.

## WAYNE TOWNSHIP

Peter Price, one of the earliest settlers, came in 1837, and located where Thomas Leisure later lived. James M. Hawley and Stephen Hawley, from Indiana, settled in 1839. Isaac Lower, from Tennessee, came in 1837. William Jones settled where his sons, Levi and Frank later lived.

William Dunning settled in the township in 1839. He was born in Guilford, N. C., in 1794; served in the war of 1812; married in Tennessee in 1821, and moved to Bloomington, Indiana, where he filled several important offices. He died in 1879.

Daniel Devorss, a native of Ohio, came to Missouri from Indiana very early, and Henson Devorss came in 1846, but in 1843 had lived in Washington Township.

## LAKE TOWNSHIP

Lake is the smallest township in the county. The early settlers were mostly from Bartholomew Co., Ind. William McHammer came in 1841, and Henry Sibert, father-in-law of Isaac L. Peck, came in the fall of the same year. Nathaniel Wilson, father of John, came in 1841, as did William McGalliard, James McKinney, John McGalliard, James McGalliard, Thomas McGalliard, James Wilson, and Eli Gabbert, all from Bartholomew Co., Ind.

#### TREMONT TOWNSHIP

One of the first settlers was Ishmael Davis from Kentucky, but a native of Maryland, who came in 1837. His son, R. T. Davis,

born here in April, 1837, is said to have been the first white child born in the county. Ambrose D. McDaniel came from Kentucky in 1837. He was killed at his home in this township during the war of the rebellion. George Jeffers, a native of Tennessee, came from Clay Co. in 1838 and pre-empted the place later owned by his son, James M. Jeffers.

James Gibson settled in 1839 and Harold Miller came with him. He was from Virginia. Robert Irwin was born in Tennessee, but came here from Clay Co. in 1838. He emigrated to Oregon and died there in 1876.

Stephen Bedford was from Kentucky, but had lived in Clinton Co., Mo., before coming to Buchanan. Daniel McCreary, from Tennessee, settled in 1838, as did Joab Schultz, also from Tennessee. Henry Jones came from Clay Co. He was murdered in 1848 by a man named Gibson. Creed Herring, a native of Shelby Co., Ky., settled in 1843. Edward M. Trotter and M. D. Finch came about that time. Wilson P. Mudgett and P. P. Mudgett came in 1839.

## WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

Joseph Robidoux was the first white man to locate within the limits of what is now known as Washington Township. His name is inseparably associated with the history of St. Joseph, from its foundation in 1868, date of his death.

Among the early settlers of this township were John H. White-head and William Whitehead, brothers, originally from Virginia, but who came here from Clay Co., Mo. James H. Whitehead was also an early settler. Henry W. Hanson came from Kentucky in 1837. James Cochran and Frederick Waymire were among the early ones. William Pough, a Kentuckian, came from Clinton Co. in 1837, and Claiborne F. Palmer from Ray County in 1838.

A. C. Hyde came from Kentucky in 1840. Thomas, John and Elisha Sollers, James Highly, Stephen Parker and Isaac and Michael Miller were all early settlers. James G. Karnes came from Monroe Co., W. Va., in 1839. Alexander Fudge, originally from Covington, Va., came from Clay Co. in 1839 and located on the place where he died in January 1875.

Sabert Sollers settled here in the fall of 1839 and Leroy Kaufman in the same year. Benjamin Williams and Jacob Groshon were early settlers. Logan James and Edward Maxwell made settlements in the township in 1837. Other very early ones were Isaac Waymire, John H. Cox, the McCorkles, David Ewing, William Sally, Joseph Davis, George Coughern, Michael Ballew, F. B. Kercheval, Michael Rodgers, and John C. Mansfield.

Simeon Kemper came out in 1839 from Kentucky, but did not bring his family until 1840. Frederick W. Smith came in 1838. Dr. Daniel G. Keedy was the second physician to locate in the county. Gen. Bela M. Hughes, later of Denver, Colo., settled here.

Washington Township, cont.
Other early settlers of this township were Robert I. Boyd,
William T. Harris, Joseph Gladden, John R. Carter, Samuel C.
Hall, Richard Gilmore, John B. Hundley, William P. Richardson,
Isadore Pouline. The township contains a considerable German
settlement. Nicholas Ozenberger was the first German settler.
He came from Wayne Co., Ohio, in 1847.

## Additional Names

Having given an account of some of the old settlers somewhat at length, below is a list of additional names of men who came to Buchanan County between 1837 and 1840. Some of these men moved away in later years.

Anthony, J. A. Asher, Singleton Allen, Wright Austin, Thos. H. Bevens, Walter Brown, David Bonham, Joel Burns, Jeremiah Britton, George Boyd, Robert Brown, Elisha Brinton, Thomas Brooks, George Butler, John Castle, Ozro Cogdalé, William Chilton, Robert Chapman, William Dunn, James Ditimore, George Davidson, E. M. Emory, James M. Edgar, J. A. Eanickson, John Falkner, James Fesher, Henry Flannery, William Gillem, Mitchel Gabbert, Jefferson Gilmore, James G. Hardin, Robert Holman, James R. Hall, Joseph Harris, Betsey Hickman, Thomas Horton, Thomas Hurness, Lewis Jenkins, Joseph Jeffers, George

Argyle, A. A. Anderson, Joshua Agee, James Briton, John Beauchamp, E. A. Brown, Alexander Bond, John Blankenship, Geo. W. Burgess, Stephen Bohanan, John Barnett, Jesse Bonner, John W. Bragg, William Cameron, James Clarby, Wm. H. Carpenter, Whipple Conner, Phebe Coyl, Simeon Dixon, James Dillon, L. H. Deppen, Isaac Eager, John Ellison, John Elliott, Willis Fulks, Henry Fulton, James Fields, William Gaver, James Gilmore, Robert Gibson, Isaac Holladay, Joseph Hunter, A. J. Hancock, Richard Henderson, Guilford Hainlino, Jeremiah Hurst, Daniel Haines, Isaac Jackson, Samuel Jones, Edward

Anno, William Allison, H. P. Agee, Samuel Beckett, Benjamin Baker, Morris Burgess, C. M. Becraft, William Beck, James Belliew, M. B. Buford, Thomas Bohart, Jacob Bridgman, J. W. Bell, John Cunningham, Christo'er Camages, Geo. W. Clark, William J. Cleek, Jacob Dodge, Edwin Davis, Mathew Davis, John S. Ellington, John Edgar, J. England, Aaron Fuller, Miles Fletcher, Charles Foster, A. J. Fielding, Sanford Gaston, Zachariah Gilliam, E. Hughart, Joseph Harrington, William Holman, Daniel Hill, Samuel Hadley, Samuel Hays, Hugh Hooper, Parker A. Johnson, Samuel Jones, David Jacob, Nicholas

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Jones Harvey Kinney, George Kessler, Sebastian Linville, Byram Lewis, Luke Madden, Gabriel McGuire, A. Meville, Nicholas Modrel, John Moss, Henry Michael, Michael Owens, Nicholas Pierce, James C. Parmer, C. F. Potter, Abraham Roy, Lewis E. Rector, James M. Reynolds, Hugh Smith, Anderson Sampson, John Shea, Dudley Scott, James Thompson, James Thomas, William Whisman, John W. Wallace, Mike Williams, Henry Wilcox, Edward Young, William

Jones Ambrose Kirk, Peter Lilly, David R. Lower, Henry McDaniel, William Morris, John Monroe, William Miller, Harrold Marc, Joseph Millett, Nimrod Norris, John Owen, W. M. Price, B. F. Powell, Charles Pearson, Allen Rhover, Upton Robinett, Stephen Smith, Hiram Swaney, Robert Singleton, Samuel Shultz, Joab Sarber, Abraham Tucker, Benjamin Townsend, John Wilson, Aaron Webb, Rufus Wrinkler, David Wade, William Zumwalt, C. P.

Knapp, Alfred Kirkman, Thomas Lemon, Mary Liveland, Robert Mans, George W. Mulkey, Daniel Montray, Gilford Magill, Samuel Moore, William McCubbin, John C. Neubry, Álexander O'Neil, Johnson Price, Nathan Patterson, Green Reynolds, William W. Russell, Andrew Ross, John Strode, John S. Snyder, Edwin Stanley, Joseph Sipes, John Taylor, George W. Tavrance, Lloyd Utt, Henry Walker, Joseph Woods, Alexander Wonderline, Joseph Willett, Nimrod

Names are spelled as they appeared in the original record and not always as they are written at the present time. Sometimes a name will be spelled two or three different ways. Please note that a surname is listed only once for a page although it may occur several times on that page.

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