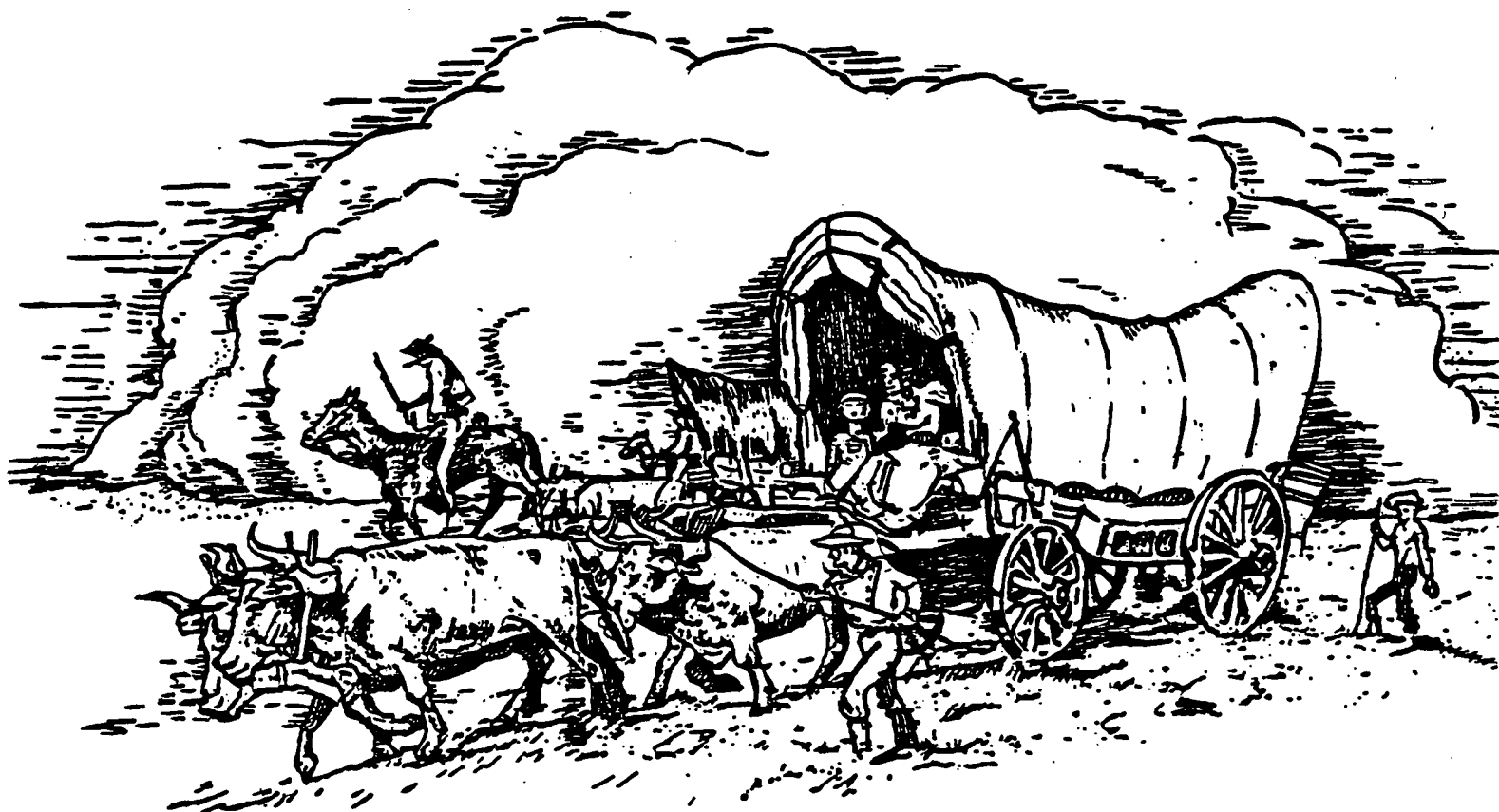


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In the last issue of the Pioneer (Volume XIII, No. 1, Fall 1989), page 39, appeared an entry for Mrs. Heber A. MCKINZIE and her children. According to DCGS member Jackie Kennedy, grand-niece of Mrs. MCKINZIE, the children listed are by a former marriage and have the surname HATCHER, not MCKINZIE.

ALEX MARKS OF MARKS JEWELERS

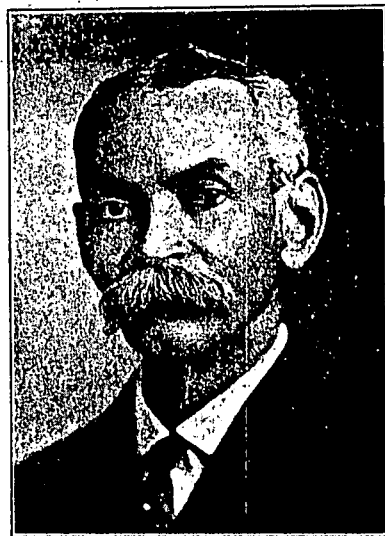
The following article appeared in a supplement to the Lawrence Daily Journal World on December 23, 1913, titled "Lawrence Today and Yesterday." Courtesy of the Watkins Museum.

IN THE JEWELRY BUSINESS FOR MANY YEARS A. MARKS HAS WON AN ENVIABLE POSITION

WHEN A. Marks came to Lawrence in 1858, from Albany, N. Y., at the age of 15, he became an apprentice in the watch and jewelry business of David Prager, who had started here in 1857. After serving four years, Mr. Marks continued to work for his employer another eight months, and then became a partner of the firm, which became known as Prager & Marks. After the Lawrence massacre the senior partner of the firm withdrew and moved to Leavenworth, selling his interest of what little there was left of the merchandise to Mr. Marks.



INTERIOR OF A. MARKS' JEWELRY STORE, 735 MASS. ST.



ALEX MARKS

Undaunted, the junior member began a new career alone, with greater ambition than ever, and by hard work and close attention to business prospered year after year, until he finally had one of the finest jewelry stores in the state of Kansas. The property at 735 Massachusetts Street, in which the store is located, is owned by Mr. Marks and has been occupied by him for forty-two years. A. Marks is one of the Directors of the Merchants National Bank of Lawrence.

A GENEALOGY OF MARTHA BOYD METCALF OF LAWRENCE

The following is extracted from "Genealogical and Personal History of Fayette and Greene Counties, Pennsylvania," edited by John W. Jordan, L.L.D., and James Hadden, Volume II (Lewis Publishing Co., New York, 1912), pages 352-385. Submitted by Chris Kraft, the editor, who just happened across it at the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, Utah, while looking for Ohio Boyds. The library's call number is US/Can 974.88 D2j.V2. Please note that when the book says "now living" or some other current term of reference, it was published in 1912.

The BOYDS came to Fayette county from the Shenandoah valley of Virginia, the family seat being near Winchester. They were an influential family, and of frequent mention in Virginia records. The founder of the Fayette county family was William BOYD, who moved from the Shenandoah valley to Fayette county, Pennsylvania, in 1784, settling in Bullsken township; there he founded the BOYD family, made illustrious by his sons, grandsons and great-grandsons. His farm "Springhill," on "Mount's Creek," consisted to two hundred and forty acres, which was patented to him in June, 1786, by the government, is yet owned in the family. He bore a commission as justice of the peace, dated 1792. He was a man of education, and held high positions in the township. He was a slave owner, and brought with him from Virginia several slaves, and six negro children were registered as having been born to these between 1795 and 1809. He died in 1812 and was buried on the homestead farm. He married and had issue: Thomas, John, Robert, James, William, Jeremiah and a daughter. The eldest son, Thomas, married Nancy RICE, inherited the homestead, and died in 1855. John died in 1857. Robert became a prosperous farmer of Menallen township, was appointed associate judge of Fayette county in 1841, serving until 1845. James died in Tyrone township. William moved to Ohio. Jeremiah became a physician.

(II) James, son of William BOYD, was a farmer of Tyrone township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania. He married and had male issue.

(III) George W., son of James BOYD, was born in Tyrone township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania, where he became a prosperous farmer, retiring late in life to Mount Pleasant, Pennsylvania, where he built a large brick house which was his residence until death. He was a member of the Baptist church and a man of influence. He married Martha SMITH, February 18, 1846; she was also a Baptist. Children: 1. James Smith, of whom further. 2. Catherine May, born 1848; married George SHRADER, a farmer, and moved to Ohio; both living. 3. Emily, born March 3, 1851; deceased; married John MOCK, now a farmer of Ohio. 4. Smith, born April 25, 1853; married and now living in West Virginia. 5. Mary, born March 11, 1855; married Peter LACAS, of Scottdale, whom she survives. 6. Demsey, born August 17, 1857; married May McMASTERS; he is a merchant of Merrittstown, Pennsylvania; both living. 7. Martha, born February 7, 1860; married John METCALF, a traveling salesman, now residing at Lawrence, Kansas. 8. George M., born December 24, 1861; married and died in Joplin, Missouri.

(IV) James Smith, son of George W. and Martha (SMITH) BOYD, was born near Morgan Station in Upper Tyrone township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania, December 23, 1846. He attended the local public school and grew to manhood on the home farm. After his marriage he lived two years on his father's farm, then until February, 1855, lived at Detwiler's Mills as manager of Grandfather Detwiler's farm, and also did the mill hauling. In 1855 he moved with his family to near Cawker City, Kansas, where he purchased one hundred and sixty acres of land. He prospered, and in 1893 purchased an additional two hundred and forty acres on which he moved and lived until 1906. In that year he sold his one hundred and sixty acre farm and bought one hundred acres near Wichita, Kansas. He has devoted

himself mainly to raising alfalfa, that wonderful crop that has brought prosperity to the west. He also conducts a line of general farming operations on his two farms. He is a Republican in politics and has served on the school board for many years. He is a member of the United Brethren church, as is his wife. He married Susan Catherine DETWILER, born at Detwiler's Mills, Bullskin township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania, January 13, 1852, daughter of Samuel. Among his children, the eldest, Albert Mason BOYD, was ten years of age when the family moved to Kansas, where he completed his studies in excellent public schools. He attended Cawker City high school, where he was graduated in 1894. He then attended Kansas State Normal at Emporia and taught school for three terms. He returned to Fayette county in 1898. Harry Ellsworth BOYD, born October 3, 1875, now living on his father's two hundred and forty acre farm in Kansas; married Della CRAM. Anna Josephine BOYD, born September 12, 1886, married Mark BOHRER, a tinner, now residing at Smith Center, Kansas.

J.C. METCALF AND W.R. EVANS OF THE EVANS-METCALF COMPANY

The following "article" appeared in a supplement to the Lawrence Daily Journal-World titled "Lawrence Today and Yesterday," dated December 23, 1913. The original can be found at the Watkins Community Museum. Researched by Judy Sweets and Chris Kraft.

The same supplement lists Mrs. Martha B. METCALF as Second Reader, First Church of Christ, Scientist.



J. C. METCALF

TWO MEN—"WITH BUT A SINGLE
THOUGHT"
THE BEST IN THEIR LINE FOR ALL



W. R. EVANS

The EVANS-METCALF Company is recognized as a factor in the implement and vehicle line. Before entering the retail trade, J.C. METCALF travelled for a number of years for different manufacturers and jobbers of implements and vehicles. W.R. EVANS, after clerking for seven years in a hardware and

implement store in Sterling, Kansas, was for five years connected with the Avery Planter Co., now known as the Avery Co., of Kansas City, Mo. Afterwards he was for twelve years Secretary and Treasurer of the Ferguson Implement Co., of Kansas City, Mo.

These are the men who, with their wives as business partners formed in 1908, the corporation now known as the EVANS-METCALF Company, succeeding the BELL-METCALF Implement Co., which was incorporated in 1907. They have since then enjoyed a successful business. J.C. METCALF is President and W.R. EVANS is Secretary and Treasurer of the company. Occupying the two-story double building originally erected by G.R. GOULD in 1882, the EVANS-METCALF Company is recognized as the oldest established implement and vehicle concern in Lawrence, but with an eye single to a growing clientele they have kept pace with the progress of the times and are ever ready to serve their patrons to the best of their ability. Among the leaders carried in stock by this establishment are Oliver plows and cultivators, Mitchell wagons, Staver buggies, Stickney gasoline engines, DeLaval cream separators, White sewing machines, Caloric fireless stoves. They also carry a staple line of hardware. Both are from Missouri and glad to "show you."

A BRIEF AND INCOMPLETE ACCOUNT OF THE HARTS IN DOUGLAS COUNTY, KANSAS

Written and submitted by David L. Hart, 4001 Jean Ave., Bethpage, NY 11714.

More than 103 years ago my grandfather, Halleck Floyd HART, was born in the vicinity of Douglas County, Kansas. His exact date of birth is February 20, 1886. He was born at Lecompton, and he was the eleventh of thirteen children (4 boys and 9 girls) born to Samuel Calvin and Lucy Emma HART, who resided in that city (it is believed) from at least 1883-84 to around 1907-08. There they bore three other children: Geneva Beatrice, born December 1, 1884; Alice Waif, born November 8, 1887; and Helen Frances, born May 2, 1891. The other nine children were all born in Washington County, Kansas between October 1869 to January 1883. Three of those children died within the first two years of their innocent lives. One male child died at birth.

One of the surviving children was my great uncle, Calvin Wild HART, who was born January 22, 1883 and who died at the tender age of 22 1/2 years on July 15, 1905 at Lecompton from "appendicitis" (then undiagnosed) according to an 84 year old niece of his currently living in California. Calvin, a sister Estella Eugenia (HART) WILSON (1877-1964), and another niece, Lenore W. CARLYLE (1905-1984) are all buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery at Lecompton. All three graves are together.

On October 2, 1895, Viola Willit HART, Samuel's and Lucy's second child, was married to a man named Charles E. DUMMER at Lecompton. They had a farm, according to information I've gathered, which is now the site of a Dupont plant.

Sometime around 1905, "Floyd," as my grandfather was called, moved to Colorado Springs, Colorado, where he is known to have shared a room with older brother Carlos Maedon HART (1879-1847) for a while. A letter dated September 21, 1905 was written by Floyd HART to his mother, Mrs. Lucy E. HART, from that city. This letter mentions "Carl," as he was known, and his success at his bookkeeping studies. In any case, no envelope accompanies the letter and there is no indication whatsoever as to where it was sent. However, it is presumed that the remnants of the HARTs (the remaining members) still resided in Lecompton at this time.

On November 14, 1907, Geneva Beatrice HART married a man named Arthur Henry PLATT at Lecompton, KS. He was the manager of the J. THOMAS Lumber Yard there. The PLATTS lived in Kansas a while and later removed to California. "Neva," as my great aunt was called, and Arthur PLATT had two daughters, Wanda and Beatrice, who presently reside in Manhattan, Kansas.

Sometime around 1907-08 it is believed that Sam and Lucy HART and at least two daughters also relocated to Colorado Springs due, it is said, to a bad case of asthma he suffered from. For reasons of Samuel's health the HART family was compelled to find a cooler climate in which to live.

As for my grandfather, H.F. HART, he married Evelyn St. JOHN on May 4, 1912 at Colorado Springs. Together they had three boys, Harold (my father), Homer and Roy (1913, 1915, 1917 respectively). Floyd HART died on December 20, 1953 (about a year and a half after my birth), was cremated, and laid to rest with his parents and youngest sister, Helen Frances ANDERSON, in the family plot at Colorado Springs, Colorado. The other HART family members (Floyd's brothers and sisters) are buried in California, Missouri and various parts of Kansas. Two, as I stated, are known to be at rest in Lecompton, Douglas County, Kansas, where the HART family once called "home."

CLAIMS OF CITIZENS OF KANSAS - GEORGE W. HART

The following claim appears in "Miscellaneous Documents, The House of Representatives, 2nd Session, 35th Congress 1858-1859," Vol. 2 (James B. Steedman, Washington, 1859), pages 112-113, located at the Spencer Research Library, University of Kansas, Federal Records call number 1017. Researched by the editor.

CLAIMS OF CITIZENS OF KANSAS No. 63

To Hon. H.J. STRICKLER, commissioner for the auditing of claims under the provisions of an act to provide for the auditing of claims, and the act supplemental thereto, passed and approved February 23, A.D. 1857.

Your petitioner, George W. HART, of Douglas county, Kansas Territory, respectfully shows: That your petitioner, hereinafter stated, was engaged as master carpenter in said county; that on the 21st day of May, A.D. 1856, your petitioner then living in said county; that on the day and year above mentioned there was taken from the possession and destroyed of your petitioner, by some men who were said to belong to what was commonly known as the territorial militia, whose names are entirely unknown to your petitioner, the following, which is more fully set forth in a schedule hereto annexed, and valued at two hundred and sixty-seven dollars; and your petitioner further states that he has not received any pay from any person or persons for the same. Your petitioner therefore prays that he may receive the sum of two hundred and sixty-seven dollars for the loss sustained by him, as is set forth in the foregoing petition, and that the same may be paid therefor, pursuant to the statutes made and provided in such cases, and for such further relief as your petitioner is entitled to in the premises. GEORGE W. HART.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, on this 16th day of November, A.D. 1857. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notorial seal at Lawrence, the day and year above written. D.H. WEIR, (L.S.), Notary Public

SCHEDULE.

One overcoat, \$25.00; One vest and one pair of pants, \$18.00; Two coats, \$10.00; Five books on agriculture, \$12.00; One grindstone, \$12.00; One lot of tools, \$20.00; One buffalo skin, \$8.00; One carpet, \$25.00; One saddle, \$12.00; Ladies' clothing, \$125.00. Amount..... \$267.00.

TERRITORY OF KANSAS, Douglas county.

Joel GROVER and F.A. BAILEY, of said county, being duly sworn, say that they have heard the foregoing petition and know the contents thereof, and the facts therein contained are true, according to these affiants' knowledge and belief, and these affiants further say that they know that on or about the 21st day of May, A.D. 1856, the above named petitioner sustained the above loss of property, in the manner in said petition described, in the sum of two hundred and sixty-seven dollars (\$267,) the said property being the same as is stated and specified in the schedule which is hereto annexed; and further these affiants say not.

JOEL GROVER, (L.S.)

F.A. BAILEY, (L.S.)

Before me, D.H. WEIR, notary public, duly commissioned and sworn, in and for said county, personally appeared before me, Joel GROVER and F.A. BAILEY, whose names appear to the above affidavit, and after being duly sworn depose and say that the contents of said affidavits are true as they verily believe.

Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of November, A.D. 1857, at Lawrence, Kansas.

D.H. WEIR, Notary Public, Douglas county

I hereby certify, in the foregoing claim of George W. HART, of \$267, there is proved of a private class, \$267; and I hereby award to said George W. HART, the sum of two hundred and sixty-seven dollars. H.J. STRICKLER, Commissioner.

LAWRENCE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1911

The following descriptions of the members of the Lawrence High School class of 1911 were printed in the "Commencement '11 Budget," Vol. XVIII, No. 5, Lawrence High School, Lawrence, KS June 1911. The original annual was copied by the Editor at the Watkins Community Museum in Lawrence. The spelling and printing errors are reproduced as they appear in the original.

Mabel Wilma ARNETT, "Billie," came to this earth Nov. 4, 1893 and ever since has continued to grow. Really that is all that has been happening all these years and now she is the tallest girl in High School. Her one ambition is to get fat so if that ambition is realized, we'll probably hear of her traveling with some show. She has been on several high school programs and besides, has remarkable talent as an artist. She will spend the most of her time next year still higher - on the hill.

John Lambert BAXTER was unfortunate to the extent of being born in Missouri, but he says that he is going to try to live it down. The date of his arrival is June 10, 1894 and the place Kansas City. He came to Lawrence last year. Since he has been among us he has exhibited a strong tendency toward the gentle art of posey, but he does not intend to become a poet for some time yet. His program for this summer is printing in Topeka (why Topeka?) and for next winter college on the hill.

Frank G. BENEDICT, "Stub," was born Dec. 22, 1892. The most important event in his life is yet to come - that is, getting out of high school. His motto is, "You 'rim' the high school or they'll 'rim' you." Stub has been accused of being lazy, but that is an unjust accusation, for his rapid growth upward has used up the most of his energy and there is no superfluous vitality left for his studies. Next year he expects to take the engineering course.

Jessie Eleanor BORG lives in Lawrence, and in fact has lived here for years and years. She is very quiet and has another accomplishment besides, that of playing the piano. Not everyone knows of her talent as she does not believe in telling what she can do. She expects to teach next year.

Hattie Beach BROWN was born in 1892 although she is very apt to tell you 1492. She came from Missouri, but she doesn't have to be shown, much to her credit. She's been here only a year, but we've found her greatest accomplishment is singing tenor. She expects to go on the hill next year.



THE THIRTY-SEVENTH
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Lawrence High School

FRIDAY, JUNE SECOND
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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Homer Howden BROWN, "Jack," was born Nov. 25, 1893 at Skidmore, Missouri. He lived in Baldwin a little while but when he heard of the class of 1911 at L.H.S. he made a quick rush for Lawrence and got here just in time to spend a year with us. We are glad he came, for he helped to win the championship for our basketball team, but we can't help being a little afraid of his short, business-like manner and that severe expression of his. He going with the rest of us to K.U. next year.

Olve Irene BROWN was born July 25, 1892 in Lawrence and has always lived here. The boys all well remember the good banquets she helped prepare in the domestic science department. She will attend the University next year and take the college course.

Wallace BROWN doesn't know when he was born except that it was the same time as his twin sister was. He lived in Meadville, Mo., but came here a year ago. He has always been very fond to say the least of Athletics and is quite a football shark. Next year he is going to enter the Engineering school at K.U.

Nellie BRYANT was born in Illinois but she wouldn't tell when for the world. Anyway she came to our fair city four years ago and graced L.H.S. with her presence. She is always a joy to have around, for whether the joke you tell has a point or not, she is kind enough to laugh. As to what she will do next year she has not decided.

Helen Elizabeth BUCK, "Buckie," was born in Nebraska, but she can't count back far enough to tell when. She lived in Kingman, Kans., till she came here seven years ago. She's the shorty of our class but she has energy enough to make up for her deficiency in height. Next year she will either teach or get married. If she teaches, won't the kids need our sympathy?

Dorothea Graham BUNN, August 5, 1892. Tho living in a suburb, so to speak, of Lawrence, she has attended school in town. You all liked her in the Senior Play so nothing needs to be said about that. If appearances count, Dorothea is "tagged" already and it's a shame too that she should be so young. She intends to go on the hill next year and take elocution, which will eventually land her on the stage.

Herbert Rockwood COLEMAN, "Bus Herbie," condescended to come to this earth in 1890. He landed in California, but three years ago he found Lawrence on the map and that settled it for him. We have found out pretty nearly everything he ever did or could do, but we aren't quite sure how long he has been in high school. He is noted for his chapel speeches and so many other things that there is not room to narrate them, but if you want to know, ask Herbie.

Clyde S. CONSTANT was born on Feb. 1, 1893 in Lawrence, Kansas, but it is said that he was completely finished the last time a girl smiled at him. His dandy little car has won his way into several girl's hearts. He says that he will go on the hill next year.

Lyman Alvah CORNS was born in Bennington, Kansas on the fourth of March, 1893. He came to Lawrence to go to L.H.S. in 1909. This spring he suddenly showed that he was an actor by carrying one of the principal parts in the Senior Play. Lyman sings, too. He has thought of teaching next year, but he will probably go on the hill.

Corrine Ruth CROWLEY was born Oct. 17, 1893 at Council Grove. She came here five years ago. Since then we have learned that that frown so often on her face does not mean anything dangerous, for a smile comes out in the midst of it. The most important event in her life was when she cut herself on a test-tube in Chemistry and everybody thought she would faint. She expects to go on the hill next year.

Jonathan Mahaffie DOW was born in Olathe, Kansas June 6, 1893 but came to Lawrence in time to see part of the big flood of 1903. Since he has been in high school he has been on several chapel programs. He was a member of the debating club, President of the Life Problem Club and Editor-in-chief of the Budget this year.

Ray DUNMIRE, Born sometime during the nineties somewhere in Western Kansas. Greatest event in his life is getting through high school without studying. He may take chapel and gym at K.U. next year. If he does, he probably will make things lively in basketball for he took an active part this year in hauling down that state championship.

Agnes Estelle ENGEL was born in 1893. She had always lived in Lawrence until this year which she is spending in Germany at a boarding school. We are truly sorry (as she also must be) that she cannot sit on the stage with the class of 1911 when we receive those hard-earned diplomas. Agnes has always had a peculiar way of knowing her lessons without studying. She expects to return this summer and attend K.U. next year.

George H. FAIR was born in 1894. He is sweet sixteen and the baby (shall we say) of our class. You wouldn't know it, though, for he has an amount of wordly wisdom which exceeds that of most of us. He has lived in Abeline and Emporia and this year joined our Senior class. He was on the Senior Play cast and was a shark debater. Next year he is going to climb the hill.

Erna C.T. FISCHER was born. She thinks that's the only thing of importance that ever happened during her life, but that's because she doesn't know about two youths (very ardent admirers of hers) who had a duel about her not long ago. Erna has made a public announcement that the man she marries must be a millionaire so she can have an automobile and a butler. While she is waiting for this millionaire she will attend the University.

Ray Jesse FOLKS, "Fokie," was born May 21, 1894 in Wellington, Kansas. The most important event in his life was when he came to Lawrence in 1897. If you want to know his highest ambition, ask Bess. She knows. Next year he is going to "bum."

Christine Beatrice FREARK was born July 6, 1890. She has had an exceedingly eventful life, having had narrow escapes from drowning and in other ways of killing herself, but the most important event of her life was when she went to the Junior Prom with - a man. But what is she going to do next year? Ask her.

Frank Eugene GODDING was born in Lawrence on October 23, 1894. He has been on the Budget staff two years, this year as Business Manager. He has had several bad cases since his Freshman year, but has generally recovered. He will probably take the college course on the hill next year.

Virginia Fern GOFF is a new member of L.H.S., but after arriving here she became acquainted right away, and began to take part in things. We are glad to have her with us. She is to go on the hill and take the college course.

Warren HANSEN arrived on July 12, 1891 in Lawrence. His tastes are along the line of drawing and painting and those who have seen his work agree that it is splendid. He has planned to stay in Lawrence this summer.

Gladys Margaret HENRY was born in Lawrence on January 18, 1893. She has always taken an active part in class affairs and has often appeared on class programs. School work is also one of her long suits. This is her fourth year as a special in the music department of the University and she intends to continue her work in the School of Fine Arts next year.

Helen M. HORNADAY was born April 28, 1893 and is the "girl from Abilene." She moved to Lawrence five years ago and immediately everyone was wild about her. "Happy" is a true sport as far as having a good time goes. "The way to a man's heart is thru his stomach." So says Bob, for Helen certainly is a cook. She will go to K.U. next year. We might call her the most popular girl in the class and it would be the truth.

Edna Marie INGELS was born in Hiawatha. In 1908 she moved to Lawrence in order to get the advantage of the fine high school here. She doesn't know whether she will teach next year or not, but seems inclined to go on the hill and take college. She is the most adorable giggler and has four wonderful dimples. Have you noticed them?

Conrad Karl JESPERSEN was brought by the stork to Lawrence, Kansas, U.S.A. October 19, 1891, just a day late to be a birthday present to his mother. He has always attended the schools of Lawrence. One year of his life (1904-1905) was spent in Denmark, so if you run across a Dane, just send him around to Con. and he will talk to him in his native tongue. If you want to know his merits in cooking etc., ask any member of the Life Problem Club. Providing he does not go to K.U. next year, you will probably find him at L.B.C.

Margaret S. KANAGA was born in Hutchinson, Kansas Sept. 3, 1892 but moved to Lawrence when she was seven years old in order to imbibe some of the soothing air. She has had quite a political record, making every class position except President: Secretary of Freshman Class, Treasurer of Sophomore class, and Senior Class, Vice-President of Junior class. She was the Society Editor of the Budget and was the star of the Junior farce. Of all her many cases the one with the man who has the longest name in the Senior Class is the most serious. It is like a bad penny; it always comes back. Ask Sam.

Adelaide Marie KAUZER, (better known as "Della,") was born in Milwaukee, Wis., on the 25th of June 1893. She came to Lawrence in 1906. The quotation that hangs in Pap's office will apply to her: "The reason why people who mind their own business succeed is because they have so little competition." She intends to go on the hill next year.

Marie KETELS was born in Lawrence August 24, 1893. Marie has always been at the head of all class affairs and a strong standby in the chapel programs - you all remember the pretty pieces. In the Class Day program she gave the Class History. It was very original. She will take Fine Arts on the hill next year, but isn't very enthusiastic about it; she wants to go to a girl's school.

Gertrude Agnes KIRCHOFF is a Senior who has already made extensive plans for the future. What are they? Well, ask Gertrude.

Lucile Minerva KREIDER was born on a farm near Oregon, Missouri in 1891. Not many years ago she came to Lawrence and has been attending high school for four years. She has spoken on chapel programs many times and has made a decided hit. The most important event in her life was when she ate ambrosia ice at "Wiedie's." Her motto is always to look on the bright side of life. She will attend K.U. next year.

Victor Robinson LARSEN was born August 25, 1891 at Stockville, Neb. He attended Sherman County High School until he came here in 1908. Singing is Vic's great occupation. Although he denies ever having done anything of consequence everybody knows what a success he has been on the stage several times not only with amateurs but also with professionals. Next year he will continue taking vocal lessons at the Fine Arts School.

Georgia Bessie LAWRENCE start in drawing and the arts connected with it. One of the most remarkable things that has happened lately is the beginning of a case that gives indications of being one of the most serious in school. She is planning to take the college course next year.

Ruth Marie LILLIS was born in Great Bend on the 8th of April, 1893. From there she moved to Dodge City but came to Lawrence in time to graduate with the class of 1911 and we certainly are glad to have her. She says she hasn't decided about the hill yet but we know that she will go there as it is the only place on earth.

Rebecca Enola LONG came to L.H.S. from Madison, Kansas not long ago, but had to leave school in May on account of sickness in her family. She has planned to take the college course on the hill.

Louise Anna LUCKAN was born August 3, 1892 in Lawrence. Like her sister she is awfully bright. She has been a staunch supporter of the Bible Class and an all round fine girl. She will attend K.U. next year.

LaDora Grace LUPHER was born in DeWitt, Nebraska August 2, 1893. Isn't it funny how they all come to Lawrence? Her call was in 1900. She is a gun in German and is scheduled to win the Carruth scholarship. Besides that she is a fine cook; just ask the Normal girls if she isn't.

Holly Avery MANROSE was born Somewhere in Nebraska on Oct. 30, 1893. He came to Lawrence four years ago and since then has been going to high school. Holly made his mark this year on the debating team. He is booked for K.U. college.

John Ruthven MARCH was born on July 5, 1892 in Jefferson City, Missouri. John has had a good many things on hand for a long time. He has been prominent in class affairs - part of the time as an official. This is his second year as Athletic Editor of the Budget. He taught some classes in drawing for a while this year, and was one of the actors in the Senior Play. Next year he intends to take law.

Maribelle McGILL has a reputation for her age, but whether its on account of her youth or otherwise we don't know. This is her first year with us, but we have already found that she is free from worry, free from care and has fun almost anywhere. Like many other Seniors her program for next year includes the college course at K.U.

Charles Lewis Callaway MILTON was born on the 24th day of November in the year 1891 in McPherson, Kansas, but came to Lawrence not long ago. Like all of the Miltons, he has been a fine football player. Was captain of the team this year. The only class office he remembers of having was that of "Sergeant-at-Arms" of the Freshman class. You would hardly recognize "Charlie" by this long name at the top, but it is the same man nevertheless. Charlie has a faculty for intermittent cases.

Alexander Baldwin MITCHELL was born in this city on October 21, 1893. He has played football considerably, and played well too. He can also play the piano and sing when he wants to. He was president of the class of 1911 during its Junior year and has held the position of one of the parties in a most serious case for years. Next year he expects to go on the hill. His ambition to be of course a great lawyer.

William Randall MYERS was born on December 14 in the year 1892 or 1893. He came to Lawrence when he was seven years old. Here he has been known as "Ching," although this name sounds Chinese. Next year he will probably be seen on the hill.

Avery Fincher OLNEY, "Little Pap," was born August 19, 1893 in Lawrence and has lived here ever since. Thinking to start the class of 1911 in the right way, he secured the presidency of the Freshman Class and thinking to close it in the right way, he was President this year. He was on the track team two years, on the Budget staff, on the last chapel program, and has been a star debater. K.U. will have his political and athletic services next year.

Frances PENCHARD was born on July 17, 1892 in Lawrence and has remained true to her town. One remarkable thing about her is the number of years she has attended Sunday school without missing. Everyone expected her to teach as she was in the Normal Class, but she informs us that she intends to rest next year. She is a gun in German and a "Gute, Fraulein," always follows her recitations.

Nettie May PHILLIPS has fallen into the habit of studying. This year she has been applying herself to the Normal Course and to the Budget in the local department. She is on the Commencement program. She has already secured a school for next year.

Frank Arthur PREYER is a jumper. The fact is that he is some jumper. On two different occasions this year he has cleared the bar at five feet six inches - the L.H.S. record. Pole vaulting is another of his specialties. K.U. will have him next year.

Lila REECE was born February 25, 1892 on a ranch. Ranch life has not made her brawny and big as it does some people. Her highest ambition is to teach but if she ever does there is danger that the "youngins" will run over her unless she has a protector.

Mabel Jennie RICHARDSON is another of the promising teachers L.H.S. is sending forth this year. It is not hard to imagine that under her school work would be a genuine pleasure. Anyway let us hope so for the sake of the little kids who will go to her school.

Albert Clayton ROSS was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma in 1893 - he has forgotten the date. Soon after this he moved to Lawrence and for the past two years has been a star on the track team. L.H.S. certainly owes him a lot. Many people were very much surprised at some things that took place at the Senior picnic but perhaps this first case will not be serious.

Kathryn Marie SAILE was born November 5, 1893 in the good old town of St. Joe. She moved to Lawrence sixteen years ago. When she graduated from the grade schools she won the scholarship and now on leaving L.H.S. her record is still excellent. She has been taking the Normal Course this year and will teach next: otherwise she would have taken the Carruth Scholarship prize, we know.

Eva Lena SCHRADER was born in 1893 in Missouri. She came to Kansas nine years ago. She has been taking the Normal course. If she passes in that terrible examination, she will consider that as the most important event in her life. Next year she will impart some of her great store of knowledge to ornery kids in some school.

Karl B. SPANGLER, known as "Sprecken," has been one of the Business Managers of the Budget this year and has occupied himself with "chasing ads." Karl is noted for his walk, for when he starts to go somewhere he gets there at a 2.40 gait. He will be seen next year going up Mount Oread.

Ralph D. SPROULL was born on Teddy's birthday in 1892 in Pittsburg, Kansas. He came to Lawrence in 1909 and jumped into athletics at L.H.S., principally basketball and baseball. He was something of a shark in chemistry this year, getting his lab work done in a hurry. He intends to take college on the hill next year.

Allan STERLING, "the jumping kid," was born in Lawrence, August 27, 1892. He has been on the track team for three years and has annexed many points for L.H.S. We saw the beginning of a case in his Sophomore year, but guess that he put it aside in order to shine all the more brightly in athletics and he certainly has made good.

Myra STEVENS is a story writer. She took one of the prizes for a Christmas story in 1909 and has been on the Budget staff for two years, this year as Literary Editor. Next year she can be found at K.U. in the college.

Florence Mabel STRAHAN was born August 27, 1893 in Mindenmines, Missouri. For those who don't know where it is, I will say that it lies a few miles north-west of Kansas City. After moving around the country many times she at last settled in Lawrence three years ago and graduates on the honor roll. She is on the Commencement program. The college course at K.U. is her destination for next year.

Gladys Allene STRAHAN was born August 20 in the town of Mindenmines in the year 1892. She accompanied her sister on her many travels and like her stopped in Lawrence three years ago in order to assimilate some of the knowledge of L.H.S. As a result of this assimilation, she graduates an honor student.

Ashby Adelbert STREETER was born July 23, 1894 at Hesston, Kansas. By his size one would never suspect that he had seen only sixteen short years. - and that wise look on his face - that would mislead anyone.

Stella STUBBS was born in Mulvane, Kansas July 10, 1894. When you consider that she is some relation to our governor it is no wonder that she is all right. She was Vice-President of the Class of 1911 and had one of the main parts in the Senior Play. She is an honor student and on the Commencement Program. She will attend K.U. next year.

Olga Margaret THUDIUM was born in Lawrence November 20, 1892. She wouldn't tell us anything interesting about her, but we do know one thing without being told - that terrible enduring case. Olga has been a fine student and intends to go on the hill.

Ethel Lenore ULRICH was born June 12, 1893 in Lawrence. It isn't any wonder that she has so many friends with those grand brown eyes. She was Class President in her Sophomore _____ in 1911, and on the Junior Prom committee. She intends to take the college course on the hill next year.

Charles Frederick WALKER was born on January 15, 1893 in Frankfort, Kansas. In 1910 he came to Lawrence and has been attending this high school and getting his lessons very successfully. He intends to join the ranks of the engineers on the hill next year.

Charles Emerson WARD was born in Lawrence on November 11, 1891. He has been a member of the 1910 track team, a member of the High School Orchestra of 1910-11, a member of the High School Glee Club of 1908-9, a member of the debating Club in its infancy before any great debates were pulled off, Vice-President of the Life Problem Club that met at the Y.M.C.A. K.U. College next year.

Arthur Bullene WEAVER came to earth Feb. 2, 1894 but he didn't stay there long at least his head didn't. Just look at his height and see if it isn't true that "Art is long." But of all the handsome men in the class of 1911, we'll gladly give Art the blue ribbon. He has had many little love affairs but has disentangled himself from them all, so that now he can go on the hill next year a free man and open to the highest bidder.

Leo N. WEIBEL arrived in Colony, Kansas on December 1, 1891. In 1906 he came to Lawrence. He has been a faithful member of the class of 1911, especially in chemistry. He expects to attend the School of Engineering on the hill next year.

Justina A. WEST was born February 4, 1893 on a ranch. All her life she has been used to doing nearly as she pleases so when it comes to studying there isn't much doing since that occupation isn't the most pleasing to "Tiny." Nevertheless she expects to go on the Hill next year.

Hazel Emelyn WILSON and Helen Agnes WILSON. "The Class Twins," were born June 19, 1892 on a farm a few miles from Lawrence, but moved here as soon as they were old enough to go to school. You can tell them apart, which is unusual. The cases that these two have had between them are appalling. However, none have been serious. They will puzzle their instructors on the hill next year.

Ida Newell WOOLSEY was born in Cambridge twenty years ago, but on account of the migratory nature of her family was forced to lose out on three years of school, of which we are very glad as it makes it possible for her to graduate with the class of 1911. She has been taking the Normal Course this year and has already secured her school for next year.

**THE KANSAS FARMER AND MAIL & BREEZE DIRECTORY OF FARMERS AND BREEDERS
OF FRANKLIN AND DOUGLAS COUNTIES, KANSAS
1920**

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DOUGLAS COUNTY FARMER'S DIRECTORY

Abbreviations used in this directory:

a--Acres; Ch--Children; O--Owner; T--Tenant or Renter; R--Rural Route; Sec--Section; Maiden name of wife follows directory name in parentheses (); Figures at end of information--year became resident of county. Name of farm follows name of children in quotation marks " ". In case of tenant, the farm owner's name follows the figures giving size of farm.

EXAMPLE: Jones, John R (Vera James) Ch James, Albert; "Sunnyside Farm" Lawrence, R1 Kanwaka Sec 13 016a (1866) Tel. Lawrence Lawrence.

MEANS: Jones, John R -- Farmer's name.

(Vera James) -- Wife's maiden name.

Ch James, Albert -- Children named James, Albert.

"Sunnyside Farm" -- Name of farm.

Lawrence R1 -- Post office Lawrence, R.F.D. 1.

Kanwaka Sec 13 -- Kanwaka township, Section 13.

0160a -- Owner of 160 acres.

(1866) -- Lived in county since 1866.

Tel. Lawrence Lawrence -- Telephone.

MATNEY, S.E., (Maude MITCHEM) "Riverside Farm," Lecompton R3, Lecompton Sec 2E 027a (1870)

MEANS, Hugh, (Anna BURKE) Ch Alta, Ada; Lawrence R10, Wakarusa Sec 8NE 036a (1878) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MEEDER, George, (Hannah BRECHEISEN) Ch Charles, Philip, Nannie, May, Albert, Archie, Florence, Bernice, Cornelia, David; Eudora R1, Palmyra Sec 22NE 0270a (1862) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville

MEEDER, Philip G., (Gertrude BRECHEISEN) Eudora R1, Palmyra Sec 27NE 080a (1893) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville

MEINKE, J.H., Ch Vernon, Etta; Eudora R4, Eudora Sec 34N 010a (1865) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MELVILLE, Edd W., Sr., (M.W. WHITNEY) Ch Edd, Jr., Ellen, Margaret; "Knollwood Farm," Eudora R3, Eudora Sec 7N-8N 0280a (1860) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MESENHIMER, Scheyler C., (Clara STOKES) Ch Orland, Myron, Clifford, Mildred, Edna; Lawrence R4, Wakarusa Sec 7SE 010a (1872) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MERSKER, A.E., (Florence COLE) Ch John, Ruth; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 13NE 0240a (1864) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

METSKER, Henry C., (Mary BARTON) Ch Wegie, Grace, Lottie, Marvin, Ruth, Iva; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec. 11NE 0500a (1861) Te. Bell Lawrence

METSKER, Marvin C., (Beatrice EWING) Ch Mary, Alice; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 11NE T90a (1893) Tel. Bell Lawrence

MEYER, Frederic B., (Mary CARNAHAN) Ch Olin; Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 26SE 0160a (1870) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MEYERS, Mrs. Rebecca, (Rebecca SHEPLER) Ch Katie, Anna; Baldwin R1, Marion Sec 1SE 0160a (1876)

MICHAEL, David A., (Cora WILLIAMS) Ch Otto, Leo; Overbrook R1, Marion Sec 14SW 020a (1880) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MICHAEL, George E., Sr., (Bertha BADSKY) Ch George, Jr.; "Sunny Side Farm," Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 6SW 0480a (1874) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MICHAEL, John, (Catherine SHOWALTER) Ch Samuel, Bertha, David, Eva; Overbrook R1, Marion Sec 13SW 040a (1870)

MICHAEL, J.C., (Lydia BLOCHER) Ch Louis, Albert, Joseph, Hylinard, Ralph, Clarence, Glenn, Camilla, Theodore; Overbrook R4, Marion Sec 25SW 0160a (1870) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MIGLIARIO, Mrs. Mary L., Ch Charles, John; Lecompton R2, Lecompton Sec 3 0190a (1856) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MIGNOT, L.B., (Clara BRECHEISEN) Ch Ralph, Emery, Helen, J.E.; Wellsville R1, Palmyra Sec 9SE 0320a (1866) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville

MILBURN, Ernest, (Anna ANTON) Ch Ray, Lilia, Bessie, Jess; "Plainview Farm," Eudora R1, Eudora Sec 10S 0160a (1879) Tel. Eudora

MILLER, Albert, (Lilia McKINNEY) Ch Ethel, Howard, Viola, Lloyd; Eudora R2, Eudora Sec 34N 080a (1873) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MILLER, Cristopher, (Ethel TURNER) Ch Lloyd; Overbrook R4, Marion Sec 20NW T145a W. SIMON (1899) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MILLER, Charles C., (Emma FORD) Ch Carol, Milford, Harry; "Mud Creek Farm," Lawrence R7, Grant Sec 16 040a (1880) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MILLER, Charles G., (Janet CHENEY) Ch Ralph, Leo; Lawrence R6, Grant Sec 9 04a (1890) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MILLER, Christian P., (Elizabeth METSKER) Ch John, Laura, Elva, Tena; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 16NE 0320a (1885) Tel. Alfred Overbrook

MILLER, Frank D., (Edith ARMSTRONG) Ch Delbert, Ruth; Lawrence R1, Kanwaka Sec 1E T160a George R. HURD (1878) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MILLER, George E., (Emma C. EVANS) Ch Mary; Lecompton R3, Lecompton Sec 15E 0200a (1865) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MILLER, George E., (Ella L. BRINDER) Ch William, Harry, John, Lula; Eudora R1, Eudora Sec 16 0305a (1880) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MILLER, George F., (Elsie JOHNSON) Ch Alva, Frances; Lone Star R1, Clinton Sec 25SE T160a J.M. FLORY (1883) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

MILLER, Glenn E., (Ethel SHARP) Ch Glenn, Jr., Earl, Marjorie; Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 26NW 080a (1916) Tel. Mutual Vinland

MILLER, John A., (Laura HILL) Ch George, Jesse, Willis, Frederic, Katherine, Orpha, Oliver, Cristopher, Pearl, Ina; Overbrook R4, Marion Sec 16NE 080a (1892) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MILLER, John C., (Mamie GRIFFIN) Ch Alberta, John; Overbrook R2, Miller Sec 2SW 080a (1887) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook (NOTE: Miller is not a township, probably should be Marion)

MILLER, Melvin, (Ethel TURNER) Ch Loyal, Maxine; Lawrence R4, Wakarusa Sec 30SE T80a P. KOHLER (1918) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MILLER, Robert A., (Mrs. Margaret MILLER, mother) Baldwin R1, Palmyra Sec 18 0383a (1874) Tel. Baldwin Baldwin

MILLER, Vanroy W., Lawrence R2, Wakarusa Sec 5NE T95a William MILLER Estate (1884) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MILLER, Willis O., (Gertrude SMITH) Ch Fay, Pharon; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 15NE T80a J.E. SMITH (1892) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star & Alfred Overbrook

MISENHIMER, Benjamin Franklin, (Addie JENNINGS) Ch Gertie, Arthur, Ethel, Opal, Garnet; Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 27SE T1a William KINGERY (1859) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MISKIMEN, Harvey, (Ruth HALING) Ch Raymond, Esther, Chester; Eudora R3, Palmyra Sec 1N 0240a (1919) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MISKIMEN, Henry, (Ella FRICK) Vinland R1, Eudora Sec 35S 064 3/4a (1918) Tel. Vinland Vinland

MISSER, Noble D., (Margaret ICE) Ch Ralph; Lawrence R4, Willow Sec 11N T13a J.S. FILBURN (1887) Tel. Bell Lawrence & Mutual Worden

MITCHELL, Bert, (Ida MILES) Ch Violet, Goldie, Carl, Arnold, Chester, Cecil, Charles, Johnnie; Lawrence R4, Wakarusa Sec 24S T320a William MEARS (1905) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MITCHELL, Mrs. Frances C., (Frances JOHNSON) Ch Pearlie, John, James, William, Samuel; Lawrence R9, Clinton Sec 19E 049a (1887) Tel. Clinton Clinton

MITCHELL, James H., (Tracy HARVEY) Lawrence R9, Clinton Sec 17NE T200a W.E. MARTIN (1887)

MITCHELL, Owen, (Ray MITCHELL, brother) Lawrence R5, Wakarusa Sec 10NW T147a J.D. MITCHELL (1919) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MITCHELL, Walter A., (Ruth KIZER) Ch Gladys, Solon; Clinton, Clinton Sec 26SE 034a (1900) Tel. Clinton Clinton

MITCHELL, W.J., Lawrence R5, Kanwaka Sec 20N 0160a (1867) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MOHLER, Frank B., (Maggie BIDERGER) Ch William, Otto, Benjamin, Emma; Baldwin R5, Willow Sec 16N 040a (1919)

MOHLER, Otto C., (Mrs. Mary A. MOHLER, mother) Ch Irene, George; Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 22NE 0160a (1885) Tel. Alfred Overbrook

MOLDENHAUER, Albert, (Minnie KENNENBURG) Ch Floyd, Clarence; Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 19NW T95a G. HOUSEMAN (1901) Tel. Wellsville Wellsville

MOLDENHAUER, William, (Emma SELZER) Ch Irene; Wellsville R1, Palmyra Sec 29NE 040a (1900) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville

MONROE, Green M., (Mary BURNS) (Lorane POSTIN, grandchild) Ch Robert, Bessie, Highlan, Theresa, Alva, Arnold, Letha, Arline, Elsa; Lawrence R9, Clinton Sec 25SE 06a (1918)

MONTFOORT, Jacob, (Mabel DICE) Ch Henry, Caroline, Mabel, Jennie, John, Clarence, Charles, Adelia; Richland R26, Marion Sec 1NW 030a (1891) Tel. Richland Richland

MONTGOMERY, Isaac L., (Minnie REYSTEAD) Ch Glenna, Letha, Neva, Fay, Halley, Etta; "Lone Cedar Chicken Ranch," Baldwin R2, Willow Sec 8S 0120a (1911) Tel. Mutual Worden

MOODY, Chester, (Marie BROERS) Ch Alberta, Juantia, Virginia; Eudora R2, Eudora Sec 4N T10a M. TARLTON (1914) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MOODY, John, (Mary FULLER) "Dew Drop Inn," Eudora Gen. Del., Eudora Sec 6N-7N 0117 3/4a (1882) Tel. Eudora Eudora

MOORE, Fred H., Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 28 T64a Mrs. J.A. MOORE (1885) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MOORE, I.H., (Ella SIMMONS) Ch May, Roy, Levi, Albert, Ira; Richland R26, Marion Sec 12NW T93 1/3a George SULLIVAN (1908) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MOORE, James P., (Ruth CHILDS) Ch Anita, George; "Crestmoore Farm," Lawrence R10, Wakarusa Sec 32SE 0120a (1918) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MOORE, Joseph W., (Carrie MILLS) Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 32 T80a P.P. SCOTT (1912) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MOORE, Mrs. Judith, Ch William, Cora, Walter, Nettie, Kate, Fred; Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 28 064a (1885) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MOORE, William D., (Bertha LAWERSON) Lecompton R2, Lecompton Sec 31 080a (1918) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MOORIS, William H., (Sarah OSBORN) Ch Clara, Sadie, William, Howard, Wayne; "Locust Grove Farm," Lecompton R2, Lecompton Sec 33 080a (1857) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MOORISS, Allen A., (Opal RAINES) Ch Nathan; Lecompton R3, Lecompton Sec 2 03a (1919) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MORAN, John, (Minnie WILBER) Lawrence R3, Grant Sec 19 T10a (1918)

MOREHOUSE, Lewis B., (Nora CAROLL) Ch Helen, Augustus, May; Baldwin R4, Willow Sec 36N T320a F.X. JARDON (1914) Tel. Baldwin Baldwin

MORGAN, Clyde E., (Ruth SHOEMAKER) Ch Letha; Overbrook R1, Marion Sec 13SW 040a (1918) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MORGAN, John F., Ch Willard, John, Carrie; Lawrence R6, Grant Sec 4 095a (1856) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MORGAN, William R., (Pearl PORTER) Ch Cleo, Leo, Vera, William; Lawrence R8, Wakarusa Sec 14SW 080a (1920) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

MORRIS, A., (Lena YOUNG) Ch Emma; Richland R18, Clinton Sec 32SW T120a E. MOSS (1904) Tel. Farmers' Independent Richland

MORRIS, George O., (Laura S. MATHERS) Ch Nellie, Wayne, Clarence, Floyd, Nevamay, Venafay, Florence, Laura; Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 1W 040a (1897)

MORRIS, Howard O., (Wilma SCOTT) "Edgewood Place," Lecompton R2, Lecompton Sec 4 0160a (1896) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MORRIS, Otis B., (Cornelia MOHATT) Ch Effie, Goldie; Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 31 T150a Emily BROWNING (1901) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MORTON, Emery, (Fannie BROWN) Ch Louis, Joe, Duncan; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 11NE T160a A.S. BENETT (1918) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

MORTON, George F., (Fannie TUCKER) Ch Angus, Abie, Pearl; Vinland R1, Palmyra Sec 8NW 080a (1862) Tel. Vinland Vinland

MORTON, Gilbert C., (Maryette SHOTTWELL) Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 22NW 080a (1868) Tel. Vinland Vinland

MOSES, Lewis A., (Edith WILLS) Ch Winifred, Kenneth; Lawrence R2, Wakarusa Sec 5NE T10a J. MONCRETH (1920)

MOSS, Mrs. Elizabeth (Elizabeth CLAYTON) Ch Edward, Maud, Alberta, John; Richland R18, Clinton Sec 32SW 0160a (1855) Tel. Farmers' Independent Richland

MOSS, Homer F., Richland R17, Clinton Sec 19NW T60a John MOORE (1897) Tel. Clinton Clinton

MOSS, John H., (Dora STANLEY) Ch Homer, Harry, Ruth; Richland R26 Marion Sec 12NW 080a (1865) Tel. Farmers' Independent Richland

MUCKEY, Fred, (Mary SHULER) Ch Jacob, Mary, Christian, May; Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 16SW T160a W.A. UHL (1911) Tel. Baldwin Baldwin

MULL, Ed, (Ethel JENNINGS) Ch Harriet, Harry, Florence; Lecompton R3, Lecompton Sec 12E T250a W.H. DODRIGE (1919) Tel. Bell Lecompton

MURPHY, James, (Dary MURPHY) Ch John, Anna, Michael, Mary, Georgie, Francis, Eugene; Lecompton R2, Kanwaka Sec 29W 080a (1880) Tel. Stull Stull

MURPHY, James P., (Ruby COLE) Ch Delbert; Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 2SW T320a Thomas MURPHY (1887) Tel. Farmers' Independent Overbrook

MURPHY, Michael J., (Lena DRAVIS) Ch Tracy, Bessie, Harry, Esther; Richland R17, Kanwaka Sec 8W 081a (1860) Tel. Stull Stull

MURPHY, T.K., (Lucinda TUTTLE) Ch Margaret; Lawrence R8, Clinton Sec 32SE 039a (1919) Lone Star Lone Star

MURPHY, W.M., (Tildy HUPPER) Ch Dave, George; Lecompton R2, Kanwaka Sec 29 080a (1894) Tel. Stull Stull

MYERS, E.E., (Matilda McCALL) Ch Myrtle, Delmar; Lecompton R2, Lecompton Sec 4W 0160a (1876) Tel. Bell Lecompton

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NEELY, Laverne A., (Bessie PARDEE) Baldwin R5, Willow Sec 24N T166a Mrs. Agnes PARDEE (1885) Tel. Baldwin Baldwin

NEIS, Al F., (Anna BRECHEISEN) Ch John, Oliver, Irene, Naomi, Harry; Wellsville R1, Palmyra Sec 8SE 0320a (1880) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville

NEIS, Benjamin, (Alvena WUENSCH) Ch Ruth; Eudora R4, Eudora Sec 27N 0110a (1892) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NEIS, Carl, (Mattie SMITH) Eudora R4, Eudora Sec 27N 0139a (1885) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NEIS, Fred W., (Maude RUESCH) Ch Clarence, Vera, Willie; Eudora R2, Eudora Sec 15 0291a (1920) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NEIS, Gideon, (Lottie LAUGHLIN) Eudora R4, Eudora Sec 28 0141a (1892) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NEIS, Oscar, (Mary ZEIGLER) Ch Mildred, Baby; Eudora R2, Eudora Sec 10N T160a Pete NEIS (1913) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NEIS, Peter J., (Fred & Minnie NEIS, father & mother; Selma, sister) Eudora R2, Eudora Sec 3-9-10N T286a F. NEIS (1895) Tel. Eudora Eudora

NELSON, Fred H., (Augusta ANDERSON) Ch Walter, Ernest, Opal; Richland R18, Clinton Sec 29SW T300a EMERY Estate (1884) Tel. Clinton Clinton

NELSON, Walter, (Orpha MILLER) Ch Viola; Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 10NE T80a W.S. LIND (1895) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

NEWLAND, Leonard, (Charles, brother, and Eva, sister) Baldwin R1, Willow Sec 34N T76a Oliver RUSH (1911) Tel. Mutual Worden

NEWLAND, Mrs. Mary L., (Louisa ROCKHOLD) Ch Leonard, Edith, Mabel, Nellie, Charlie, Eva, George, Elizabeth; Baldwin R1, Willow Sec 14S 020a (1912) Tel. Mutual Worden

NIBARGER, J.S., (Lou McLELLAND) Ch Clarence, Cora, Charles, Lula, Daisy, Jefferson, Edna, Dora, May, Daniel; Lawrence R5, Wakarusa Sec 14NW T43a L. VAN VORHEES (1919) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

NICHOLS, Amos D., (Hattie FORD) Lawrence R2, Wakarusa Sec 6 T3 1/2a H. ELLIOTT Tel. Kansas Lawrence

NICHOLS, Clyde E., (Minnie HOSKINSON) Ch Rose; Vinland R1, Palmyra Sec 24 T60a M.A. GORRILL (1895) Tel. Vinland Vinland

NICHOLS, Mrs. R.T., Ch Gertrude, Martha, Charles, Alice, Elmer, Anna; Lecompton R1, Kanwaka Sec 24W 080a (1875) Tel. Stull Stull

NICHOLS, William E., (Phy M. PEPPARD) Ch Clyde, Viola, Raymond, John, Marlin, Dale; "Mullberry Grove Farm," Eudora R3, Eudora Sec 7N 0120a (1873) Tel. Vinland Vinland

NICHOLS, Wm. R., (Stella MURRAY) Ch Preston, Burton, Marjorie, Geraldine, Gretton; "Pine Grove Farm," Baldwin R4, Willow Springs Sec 36SE 0160a (1920) Tel. Bell Baldwin

NICHOLSON, Rufus K., (Anna SOCKER) Ch Helen, Ora; "Virginia Truck Farm," Lawrence R2, Wakarusa Sec 32NE 023a (1906) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

NIEBRUGGE, William C., (Bertha HAAS) Ch Carl, Martha, Milton; Baldwin R4, Willow Sec 28N 0160a (1903) Tel. Mutual Worden

NIEDER, Henry, (Katherine HULLMANN) Ch Lena, William, Carl, Minnie, Henrietta, Hugo, Gottlieb, Walter, August, Emma; Lone Star R1, Clinton Sec 31 SE 0160a (1884) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

NISELY, Charles A., (Mary M. McCOLLOUGH) Ch Frank, Floyd; Lawrence R10 Wakarusa Sec 27SE 0160a (1919) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

NOE, August G., (Nettie GEELAN) Ch Hazel, Madeline, David, Gladys; Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 7W 0100a (1863) Tel. Bell Lecompton

NOLAND, William, (Rhoda GASKILL) Lawrence R3, Grant Sec 20 05a (1900) Tel. Kansas Lawrence

NORTH, John E., (Lula BOLES) Ch Gladys, Paul, Mary, Verda, Audrey, Eugene, Thomas, Donald; Lone Star R1, Clinton Sec 26SE T107a (1895) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

NORWOOD, George W., (America McCALL) Ch Julia, Cora, May, Ray, Robert; Lecompton, Lecompton Sec 2N 03a (1890) Tel. Bell Lecompton

NORWOOD, R.M., (Bessie JACKSON) Ch Helen, George, May, Ruth, Rachel, Jessie; "Oakley Farm," Lecompton R3, Lecompton Sec 1 T460a Mrs. F.C. WENRICH (1890) Tel. Bell Lecompton

NUFFER, August, (Anna FOUK) Ch Oscar, Rose; Lecompton R2, Kanwaka Sec 3E 0119a (1870) Tel. Stull Stull
 NUFFER, Charles W., (Octavia SCHOEPFLIN) Lawrence R10, Wakarusa Sec 5 T8a William SCHOEPFLIN (1873) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 NUFFER, Leonard A., (Rose UNGER) Ch Donald; Lawrence R10 Wakarusa Sec 8 0120a (1890) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 NUFFER, William, (Mary ZELB) Ch Leonard, Charles, Paul; Lecompton R2, Kanwaka Sec 4W 0160a (1866) Tel. Stull Stull
 NYE, Mrs. Emily F., (Emily KELLAM) Ch Cora, William, Frank, Edward; "Seven Oaks Farm," Lone Star R1, Marion Sec 11NE 093a (1903) Tel. Lone Star Lone Star

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OATMAN, A. Roy, (Alice WHITMAN) Ch Arthur, Marion, Ethel, Bernice, Glenn, Ruth; Lawrence R5, Wakarusa Sec 23NW 010a (1881) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 O'BRIEN, James J., (Clara SUFFRON) Ch Eunice, Harold, Larah, Lois, John, Emily, Mabel, Mary; Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 26NW 080a (1875) Tel. Mutual Vinland
 OBYRUS, Harry, (Lizzie ICEMAN) Ch Anna, Alma, Lula; Lawrence R10, Wakarusa Sec 10NE T26a L.H. MINGER (1916) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 OEHLERT, Charles, (Clara HAKUBA) Ch George, Jacob, Edith; Lawrence R4, Wakarusa Sec 25SW T160a C.W. HYRE (1916)
 OEHRLE, Gottlieb, (Mary SIMON) Ch Pearl, Bertha, Viola; Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 2SE 0160a (1863) Tel. Globe Overbrook
 OEHRLE, Walter G., (Lula RUGGLES) Overbrook R2, Marion Sec 26SE 0200a (1893) Tel. Mutual Worden
 OELISO, Joe, Lecompton R1, Lecompton Sec 36W 020a (1905)
 OGDEN, Raymond C., (Olive BRADEN) Eudora R3, Eudora Sec 31N T119a B.F. FIEGENBAUM (1900) Tel. Eudora Eudora Bell Lawrence
 OLDHAM, Charlie W., (Maud SCOTT) Lawrence R3, Grant Sec 1 T80a William ROBERTS (1917)
 OLMSTEAD, Edd W., (Louise SEITZ) Ch Wilber, Leroy; Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 19NW-29NW 0105a (1869) Tel. Wellsville Wellsville
 OLMSTEAD, Nelson, (Fay WILLIAMS) Baldwin R3, Palmyra Sec 27NW T73a S.C. BARRIKLOW (1892) Tel. Baldwin Baldwin
 OLSON, Henry F., (Agnes CARPENTER) Lawrence R5, Wakarusa Sec 10NW 069a (1917) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 OLSON, Mrs. C., Ch Gus, Oscar, Charles; Vinland R1, Palmyra Sec 3N 040a (1887) Tel. Vinland Vinland
 O'NEAL, D.C., (Lucy LIGGETT) Ch George, John, Edward, Lula; Lawrence R4, Wakarusa Sec 24SW 054a (1917) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 O'NEIL, Herbert L., (Minnie VanTRIES) Ch Blanche, Ralph, Maurice, Harold; Wellsville R1, Palmyra Sec 17SE 0520a (1863) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville
 O'NEIL, Paul J., (Edith PIERSON) Ch Forest; Wellsville R1, Palmyra Sec 18SE 0110a (1884) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville
 ORE, John R., (Bessie ROSE) Ch Watson; Edgerton R2, Palmyra Sec 34NE T160a Jacob HEY (1920) Tel. Cooperative Wellsville
 ORR, George A., (Mary B. BUNYAN) "OrBundale Farm, Lawrence R2, Wakarusa Sec 5 032a (1888) Tel. Kansas Lawrence
 ORTOLF, Frank, (Elsie CALDER) Edgerton R2, Palmyra Sec 34NE T80a Duke DWYER (1919)
 OSBORN, Allen J., (Martha MATHINA) Ch Grace, Maude, Rosie, Alice, James, Ella; Lecompton R3, Kanwaka Sec 11E 0182a (1903)
 OTT, Arthur, (Clara SCHMIDT) Ch Arden, Myrnic; "Silver Crest Farm," Eudora R3, Eudora Sec 17 0160a (1890) Tel. Eudora Eudora

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DEATH NOTICES
FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY, INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS OF
KANSAS, 1891 - 1953

The following death notices were researched by Jean Snedeger and Beverley Chapman at the Kansas State Historical Society Library in Topeka, KS. Typed by Sonnie Kemberling.

Lodge Number	Town	County
4	Lawrence	Douglas
30	N. Lawrence	Douglas
146	Eudora	Douglas

Name	Lodge Number	Death Date
Abrams, Jennie	4	Aug. 3, 1944
Adams, Bertha	4	May 1, 1952
Adams, Jennie	4	Oct. 24, 1938
Adamy, Ruth A.	4	(1916)
Anderson, Andrew (as written)	4	(1901)
Anderson, Bessie	4	May 11, 1930
Anderson, Edward	4	Mar. 30, 1951
Anderson, Hannah	4	Dec. 5, 1919
Anderson, Mary	4	June 23, 1939
<u>B</u>		
Banks, Bro. J.A.	4	July 12, 1928
Barkely, Geo.	4	Jan. 7, 1938
Barrows, Florence	4	Feb. 24, 1947
Bedale, Sarah	4	Mar. 7, 1924
Bell, Cora	4	Mar. 8, 1951
Benjamin, Nellie	4	Apr. 3, 1917
Benson, J.A.	4	Aug. 14, 1937
Beurmann, Minnie	4	Jan. 23, 1944
Bidgood, Wm.	4	Nov. 4, 1919
Bishoff, Jeannette	4	June 20, 1942
Breeze, Mary	4	(1925)
Breeze, Thomas	4	Apr. 5, 1911
Briggs, Maggie	4	(1901)
Bunton, Ella	4	(1894)
Bunton, J.E.	4	(1904)
Burns, J.M.	4	(1899)
<u>C</u>		
Carter, Mrs. W.R.	4	Mar. 17, 1912
Carter, Wm. R.	4	Apr. 18, 1934
Charlton, E.L.	4	Jan. 20, 1919
Charlton, John	4	(1899)
Clark, Katie	4	June 5, 1932
Cohen, Mary	4	Dec. 21, 1932
Cole, Ervin	4	May 3, 1911
Cooke, Georgia	4	Apr. 4, 1953
Carder, Rose	4	Sept. 18, 1946
Cosley, Emma	4	(1925)

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Name	Lodge	Death Date
Cosley, F.D.	4	June 28, 1922
Crowder, Abbie	4	Aug. 21, 1921
Curtis, S.H.	4	Jan. 29, 1924
Cutter, Fred	4	July 15, 1931
<u>D</u>		
Daugherty, Bell	4	May 20, 1938
Daugherty, Chas. H.	4	May 13, 1935
Davis, Mary K.	4	Oct. 5, 1912
DeWolf, H.F.	4	Oct. 14, 1942
Dodds, Frank B.	4	May 19, 1952
Duffy, Margaret	4	June ?, 1917
<u>E</u>		
Edmonds, Maude	4	Aug. 6, 1952
Emons, Anna	4	Mar. 31, 1914
Everett, Edna	4	June 16, 1920
Everett, Mary	4	Oct. 26, 1932
Everett, W.S.	4	Mar. 27, 1928
<u>F</u>		
Foust, Molly	146	Oct. ?, 1927
Foxwell, Sadie	4	(1907)
French, Frank	4	May 27, 1908
Frost, J.D.	4	Aug. 13, 1929
Frye, Babra (as written)	4	(1927)
Fuller, Elizabeth	146	July 28, 1937
<u>G</u>		
Gardner, Joan	4	Mar. 3, 1926
Gardner, Mary	4	(1901)
Gentry, Daisy	4	Dec. 8, 1934
Gilder, Hedley	4	Jan. 28, 1938
Good, Hattie	4	Sept. 4, 1925
Good, J.B.	4	Dec. 19, 1944
Good, Mary	4	Dec. 16, 1933
Gould, George	4	(1905)
Grainger, Tannie	4	July 31, 1944
Grayson, John	4	Nov. 16, 1932
Grayson, Verline	4	Feb. ?, 1941
Griffin, Martha	4	July 7, 1929
Griffith, Atwilda	4	(1903)
Griggs, Mattie	4	Aug. 7, 1949
Grismore, Eliza	4	(1901)
Grum, Addie	4	July 3, 1920

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<u>H</u>		
Hammcot, Magdalena	146	Apr. 12, 1923
Harbour, Maude	4	Jan. 6, 1940
Henderson, Eithel	4	Mar. 6, 1932
Herrick, Anna	4	(1926)
Hines, Ida	4	Oct. 15, 1944
Holmes, Cecil	4	(1916)
Howard, Chester	4	Mar. 22, 1951
Howe, Sadie	4	June ?, 1952
Hughes, Nydia	4	June 15, 1945
Husted, Bell	4	May 9, 1938
<u>I</u>		
None		
<u>J</u>		
Jeffries, J.H.	4	Mar. 31, 1924
Jensen, Lillian	4	July 31, 1931
Jewett, Lillian	4	Aug. 6, 1931
Johns, Emma	4	Apr. 10, 1950
Johnston, Ellis T.	4	Nov. 4, 1948
Jones, Brother	4	(1900)
Jones, Elzie	4	Jan. 12, 1934
<u>K</u>		
Kahle, Minnie	4	May 13, 1943
Karnes, Sister Belle	4	Feb. 12, 1929
Keeny, Mary	4	Apr. 23, 1936
Kendall, Cora	4	Oct. 21, 1946
Ketels, Elsie	4	Feb. 8, 1945
Kowing, Clara	4	Mar. 13, 1938
Kunkle, Ellen	4	(1895)
Kunkle, John J.	4	(1901)
<u>L</u>		
Lathbolz, Ann	146	Feb. 2, 1941
Laughlin, Allie	146	Apr. ?, 1936
Landon, Anna	146	Sept. 4, 1946
Lawrence, Alice	4	July ?, 1914
Lawrence, Edna	4	Nov. 20, 1943
Leacher, Hattie	4	June 29, 1932
Learned, S.S.	4	Oct. 14, 1945
Lepper, Fay	146	July 24, 1930
Lercher, Charles	4	July 28, 1914
Lescher, Bessie	4	Jan. 21, 1944
Lescher, Frank H.	4	Nov. 21, 1944
Lewis, Elizabeth	4	1950
Lothelz, Nellie	146	Nov. ?, 1935
Lothholz, Rose	146	Apr. 12, 1950
Lutz, Clara	146	Feb. 14, 1943

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McFarland, Mary	4	(1916)
McFarland, R.S.	4	(1904)
McKittrick, Rachael	4	Apr. 28, 1940
	<u>M</u>	
Magill, I.H.	4	Apr. 26, 1921
Mantex, Leora	4	(1905)
Medhust, Dorn	4	Oct. 18, 1944
Miller, Ella	146	Oct. 21, 1924
Morris, Maggie	4	Dec. 11, 1910
Morris, Martin	4	(1904)
Morton, Katy	146	Dec. 21, 1933
	<u>N</u>	
Neal, Emma	4	Sept. ?, 1915
Nevin, W.E.	4	Sept. 28, 1942
Noble, Laverna	4	(1927)
	<u>O</u>	
Oberheltzer, Etta	146	May 2, 1911
Oesch, Salone	4	Oct. 5, 1912
Owen, Lily Leiby	4	Jan. 10, 1924
	<u>P</u>	
Parrish, Maude	4	Oct. 25, 1929
Parrish, N.M.	30	July 24, 1951
Pellet, Carrie	4	Jan. 6, 1944
Pellet, R.F.	4	June 30, 1929
Perkins, Mary Rice	4	Sept. 24, 1930
Peterson, Cecelia	4	(1898)
Peterson, Christian	4	(1900)
Petty, Virginia	4	Apr. 21, 1935
Pierson, Myra	4	June 2, 1940
Polson, Cordelia	4	Mar. ?, 1950
Potter, Elizabeth	4	Apr. 10, 1928
Preisach, Minnie	4	Jan. ?, 1941
	<u>Q</u>	
	None	
	<u>R</u>	
Read, Fred W.	4	(1901)
Reading, Ellen	4	(1904)
Reading, J.W.	4	Mar. 20, 1918
Richard, Sophia	146	Oct. 27, 1920

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Name	Lodge	Death Date
Richards, C.F.	146	Mar. ?, 1936
Richards, Carrie	146	Dec. 27, 1949
Richards, Helen Aileen	146	Aug. 14, 1922
Richards, Siras Howard	4	(1914)
Roberts, Louie	4	Dec. 30, 1945
Robinson, Nellie	4	June 9, 1953
Robson, Sena	4	June 28, 1949
Rumsey, Charles	4	Feb. 5, 1951
Runkle, Samuel H.	4	May ?, 1941
Runkle, Susie	4	Apr. 1, 1942
<u>S</u>		
Sackett, G.L.	4	(1903)
Sauer, Frank	4	Apr. ?, 1917
Schollars, John	4	(1927)
Schubert, Rose	146	May 5, 1930
Schumann, Florence M.	4	Mar. 6, 1947
Sheelhorn, Carl	4	Feb. 20, 1921
Sheldon, Viola	146	May 4, 1940
Shultz, Martie	4	May 4, 1922
Smith, Anna	4	(1905)
Smith, Elizabeth	4	Feb. 1, 1939
Smith, Jane	4	(1901)
Smith, Lillian	4	Jan. 22, 1926
Sommer, George	4	Oct. 28, 1932
Spangler, H.W.	4	July ?, 1917
Stevenson, I.C.	4	Jan. 18, 1943
Sullivan, Frances	4	Apr. 11, 1950
Sullivan, Margaret	4	Sept. 30, 1952
<u>T</u>		
Taylor, Lucy Hobbs	4	Oct. 3, 1910
Thompson, Ida	4	(1903)
Thompson, Wells	4	(1925)
Tidrow, F.M.	4	Jan. ?, 1941
Toms, Catherine	4	Apr. 6, 1942
Toms, Chester	4	Oct. 6, 1932
Tuttle, Lizzie	146	(1902)
Tweed, Rose	4	Aug. 5, 1908
<u>U</u>		
Ulrich, Mary	4	Oct. 15, 1918
Urbansky, Alice	4	May 14, 1938
<u>V</u>		
Van Neste, H.G.	4	June 9, 1943

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	<u>W</u>	
Wampler, Ruby	4	June 20, 1953
Ward, Eliza C.	4	Dec. 22, 1934
Watkins, Catherine	4	May 22, 1928
Watson, T.A.	4	Oct. 9, 1929
Whedon, Charles B.	4	Jan. 23, 1946
White, Mary	146	Dec. 18, 1943
Wiggens, Madge	4	Feb. ?, 1941
Wiggens, Bert	4	July 15, 1933
Wiley, Amelia	4	(1906)
Wilson, J.B.	4	Nov. 20, 1948
Woodward, Grace	4	June 2, 1950
Woolf, Fora	4	Apr. 5, 1942
	<u>X</u>	
	None	
	<u>Y</u>	
Young, Mildred	146	Apr. 12, 1950
	<u>Z</u>	
Ziensenis, Augusta	4	Jan. 23, 1942
Zuttermeister, Clara	4	Nov. 11, 1925
Zuttermeister, Louis	4	Mar. 30, 1923

RECENT OBITUARIES OF RESIDENTS BORN BEFORE 1900

Some recent obituaries appearing in the Lawrence Journal World. The edition is given in parentheses.

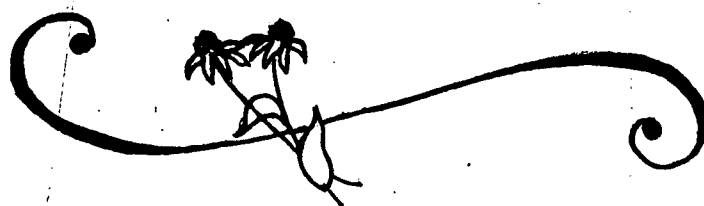
- BORN, Anna Frances (PAULI), b. 5 Aug 1896, Eudora, KS; d. 14 Oct 1989, Wichita, KS; m. ? BORN. (Mon. 16 Oct 1989)
- COX, Alice Catherine, b. 23 Sep 1885, Johnson Co., KS; d. 22 Oct 1989, Olathe, KS; m. Mahlen H. COX, 1925, Hesper, KS; m. Charles COX, 1963, Baldwin, KS. (Tues. 24 Oct 1989)
- CRISS, George, b. 20 Feb 1895, Big Springs, KS; d. 9 Nov 1989, Lawrence, KS; m. Lorena Ella CARR 20 Apr 1922, Lawrence, KS. (Fri. 10 Nov 1989)
- LANSDOWN, Annie I., b. 29 Apr 1895, Lawrence, KS; d. 23 Oct 1989, Dayton, OH; m. William L. LANSDOWN Jul 1924, Peoria, IL. (Wed. 1 Nov 1989)
- SEIWALD, Alfred S., b. 31 Dec 1895, Eudora, KS; d. 20 Oct 1989, Topeka, KS; m. Alma SCHEHRER 14 May 1924, Eudora, KS. (Sat. 21 Oct 1989)
- WILEY, Essie, b. 24 May 1894, northern Douglas Co., KS; d. 4 Oct 1989, Topeka, KS; m. Ezra WILEY 6 Nov 1913, Lawrence, KS. (Thurs. 5 Oct 1989)
- WILLIAMSON, Minnie M., b. 12 Aug 1895, Baldwin, KS; d. 18 Oct 1989, Eudora, KS; m. Edward CRUMET 16 Sep 1914; m. Bert WILLIAMSON 1959. (Thurs 19 Oct 1989)

IMPORTANT DATES IN THE HISTORY OF LAWRENCE

The following was printed in the Lawrence Journal-World, Thursday, 10 October 1929. Submitted by Iona Spencer.

- 1609: The second charter of Virginia granted all the lands for Point of Cape Comfort northward for two hundred miles and from coast to coast. This made Kansas English as Point Comfort was on the 37th degree of latitude.
- 1802: Louisiana Purchase. Kansas was included in the tract.
- 1824: Congress passed bill authorizing road from Independence, Mo., to Santa Fe. This later became the Santa Fe trail and passed thru Douglas County.
- 1825: What is now Eudora township was made part of Shawnee Indian Reservation by government treaty.
- 1827: CHOUTEAU, a French trader, passes through county.
- 1842: FREMONT passes through on way to California.
- 1849: Gold seekers going to California pass through county.
- 1854: April 13. Settlers arrive in county and take claims.
May 15: Kansas-Nebraska bill passed. County open for settlement.
May 26: Clarke STEARNS and John BALDWIN took claims on site where Lawrence was founded. A.W. and A.F. GLENN, M.S. WINTER and William SHIRLEY settled Lecompton.
July. Site of Lawrence chosen by BRANSCOMB and ROBINSON.
July 19. John A. WAKEFIELD settles Kanwaka.
August 1. First party of settlers reach Lawrence.
September 15. Second party of emigrants reaches Lawrence.
September 18. Lawrence Association formed.
September 19. Association officers elected.
September 25. First hotel opened. Called "Astor House" facetiously.
September 26. Work started on second hotel.
October 1. First religious service. Moses POMEROY died. First death and burial. First Bible class started.
October 6. Town received the name Lawrence.
October 9. Charles ROBINSON, John MAILEY, S.Y. LUM, A.D. SEARLE and O.A. HANSCOMB elected trustees of Lawrence.
October 15. Kansas Pioneer published by John and J.L. SPEER at Medina, Ohio and dated for Wakarusa, Kansas Territory.
October 19. Governor REEDER and party visited Lawrence.
October 21. Herald of Freedom published at Conneautville, Ohio, by George BROWN.
October 26. Lawrence CARTER first child born in Lawrence was born on this day.
October 30. Fourth party of emigrants which left Boston on October 17 arrived.
November 11. First snow storm.
November 30. Election of Delegates to Congress. Killing of Henry DAVIS by Lucius KIBBEY.
- 1855: January 1. Steps taken for founding college. Stakes driven and stone hauled to sight of old University building. Citizens celebrate with banquet.
January 11. Territorial Indignation meeting at Lawrence over claims.
January 16. Edward P. FITCH starts school.
January 18. Dr. ROBINSON, Dr. DOY and J.S. EMERY elected school committee.
January 29. Preliminary meeting for organization of Free State Society.
February 8. C.W. BABCOCK appointed postmaster.

- March 10. Meeting of members of Union School District. Committee had chosen site on Mr. FRYE's claim for school. Martin ALLEN, William YATES, Robert ALLEN elected trustees. Robert HUGHES collector. H.W. WATERMAN, clerk.
- March 30. Election in Lawrence for councilmen. Election in county for representatives from first district to first Territorial Legislature.
- May 20. Steamer "Emma Harmon" arrived at foot of levee at sundown. Carried passengers and cargo.
- May 24. Steamers "Financier" and "Hartford" arrived at noon. All steamers on way to Fort Riley.
- July 4. First fourth of July celebration in Lawrence.
- November 21. Charles DOW killed by Franklin A. COLEMAN.
- November 22. Free State men hold meeting at scene of DOW murder. Jacob BRANSON arrested by Sheriff JONES and rescued later at home of Major ABBOT.
- December 2. Free-state companies from Bloomington, Wakarusa and Palmyra arrive in Lawrence. Sheriff JONES arrives in town with body guard. 100 armed Free-state men arrive from Topeka.
- December 3. Governor SHANNON issues proclamation asking citizens to aid in capture of BRANSON. It was dated November 29.
- December 4. Judge CATO's court at Lecompton found bills of indictment against Free-state men.
- December 6. Thomas BARBER killed on road home. _____ in Lawrence. Sheriff JONES arrives in town with body guard. 100 armed Free-state men arrive from Topeka.
- 1856: June 2. Battle of Black Jack.
- June 4-5. Free State attack on Franklin. Capt. J.B. ABBOTT's men attack fort and capture arms and ammunition.
- August 12. Second attack of Free-state men at Franklin. "Sacramento" captured. Wagon load of burning hay pushed up against blockhouse. David S. HOYT killed near Fort Saunders.
- August 15. Free-state men attack Fort Saunders.
- August 16. Col. Sam WALKER and detachment capture Fort Titus near Lecompton.
- September 13. Captain HARVEY with Lawrence force has fight at Hickory Point in Jefferson county, five miles east of Ozwakie. Pro-slavery men surrender.
- 1857: March 24. Steamer "Lacon" arrives at Lawrence and returns to Kansas City.
- March 26. Robert G. WALKER of Mississippi is appointed Governor of Territory. Fred P. STANTON of Tennessee, secretary.
- June 1. Republican paper started in Lawrence. Norman ALLEN publisher and T. Dwight THATCHER as editor.
- September 7. Meeting of Lecompton Constitution convention.
- October. Baker University established at Palmyra, now Baldwin.
- 1861: January 29. Kansas admitted as a state when President BUCHANAN signs admission bill.
- March 4. Abraham LINCOLN inaugurated as president.
- April 12. Bombardment of Fort Sumpter and Civil War commences.
- 1863: QUANTRILL with a band of over 400 guerillas burns and sacks Lawrence, leaving over a hundred and sixty dead.





Queries are free to members. They should state at least two facts to gain best results. Queries are also free to nonmembers, but must concern Kansas related ancestors of fifty years or earlier. Please send queries and copies of replies to the Pioneer Editor - perhaps they will help someone else.

COATES
DOREMUS
HAMMOND
TUTTLE
WHEDON

Mrs. George D. DOREMUS, RR #2, Washington, IL 61571
Seeking information concerning Thadius WHEDON and wife Hanna HAMMOND, who homesteaded on Wakarusa Creek where the Santa Fe R.R. bridge crossed. They were parents of Lizzie TUTTLE who taught at Blue Mound School (my grandmother) and Charles WHEDON who farmed the homestead later. Need dates of homesteading, where from and when they came to that area, brothers and sisters if they had any. I often heard my grandmother say that Ruby COATES was an ancestor but I never knew the connection. Ashbul WHEDON had property adjacent to Thadius, but do not know the relationship there, either.

HOUGLAND
McCLAIN

Mrs. Maxine HOUGLAND, Rt. 1, Box 262, Perry, KS 66073
Is Charles McCLAIN, age 35 in the 1850 census of Potosi, Washington Co., MO, the father of Mary P. McCLAIN, b. 28 Nov 1848, Potosi, Washington Co., MO? Could the Charles McCLAIN, age 75 in the same 1850 census, be father of Charles McCLAIN, age 35?

HAYS
HOUGLAND
McCLAIN

Mrs. Maxine HOUGLAND, Rt. 1, Box 262, Perry, KS 66073
Seeking information on Frank M. HAYS, born in the 1840's, Washington Co., MO, married Mary McCLAIN about 1876. Frank M. HAYS left Bonne Terre, MO in 1885, and no one knows where he went.

HART
WELCH

David L. HART, 4001 Jean Avenue, Bethpage, NY 11714
Searching for any descendants or relatives of my great-great grandfather, Marshall Nay HART (1824-1898), sometimes listed as M.N., M.M. & M.W., who, with his second wife Sarah Ann WELCH, came to Nortonville, Jefferson Co. area of Kansas in Aug 1854. He had a son, my great grandfather Samuel Calvin HART, from a previous marriage, and 4 other children by Sarah Ann: Luella Jane Griffin, Frank Neigh, Fayette Marshall, and Sanford Christopher HART, all of whom resided in Nortonville except the latter, who resided in Harper, Harper Co., KS in Aug 1898. M.N. HART had 2 brothers, Nathaniel C. and Fayette P. HART, also of Nortonville. Marshall N. and Sarah A. HART are buried at the

Nortonville Cemetery. Anyone related to or having knowledge of of these people is asked to write or call (516)433-8460 anytime.

EVANS
JORDEN
McMARMICK
NEMEYER

Henrietta JORDEN, 1605 N. 7th St., Baytown, TX 77520
The family of Henry NEMEYER is looking for his children and a sister whose name may have been Barbara. His mother, Mary Ann McMARMICK, married 1st Adam EVANS of Randolph Co., IL, by whom she had a son, my grandfather Andrew John EVANS.

SOME TIPS FOR WRITING QUERIES

I put together these tips by looking at the policies of a variety of publications.
- the editor.

1. Feature the surnames PROMINENTLY, but don't just submit a list of surnames.
2. Focus your inquiry on one family at a time, but if that family can be linked to other surnames, include those links.
3. Include as many birth, marriage, residence and death dates and places as you can for the persons you are inquiring about. A suggested format is: first name, last name, birthplace, birthdate; place of death, date of death; place of marriage, date, spouse's name.
4. Note references already consulted if space permits.
5. Use only standard abbreviations. The New England Historic Genealogical Society requires these listed below, and they have become somewhat the standard:

anc. = ancestors, ancestry
b. = birth, born
bp. = baptized
bro. = brother
bur. = buried
c. or ca. = circa (about)
ch. = child, children
c.r. = church record
co. = county
d. = death, died
dau. = daughter
desc. = descend, decendants, descended, descends
d.s.p. = decessit sine prole (died without issue)
d.y. = died young
fam. = family
fl. = flourished, lived
g.s. = gravestone
info = information
m. = married, marriage
p. = parents, parentage
poss. = possibly
prob. = probable, probably
ref. = reference
rel. = related, relative(s), relationship
rem. = removed
res. = resided
sis. = sister
twp. = township
w. = wife
wid. = widow, widowed

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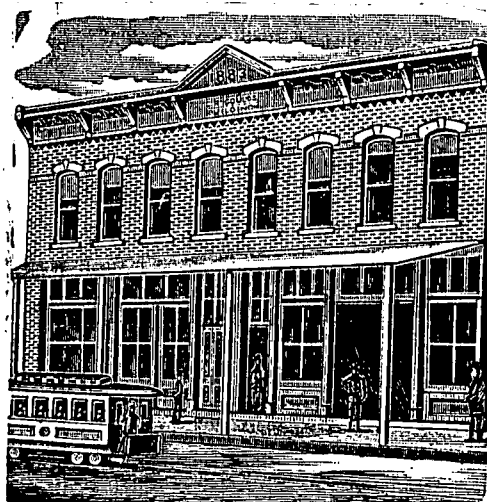
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