

Some Pre-1924 Obituaries (Am-Az)
(for people connected with Northwestern Missouri)
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Date of death: 17 Sep 1911

Subject: George Edward Ambrose

Source: *Mound City [MO] News*, 21 Sep 1911, Thursday, p. 1

George Edward Ambrose was born March 19th, 1852 at Urbana, Champaign county, Ohio, and died at his home two miles north-east of Mound City, Mo., September 17th, 1911. He lived 59 years, 5 months and 28 days. While a young man he moved from Illinois to Skidmore, Mo. where he lived until about nine years ago and then came to this place. He was married July 23, 1884 to Ella L. Appleman at Skidmore. He leaves a wife and one son and two daughters to mourn his death. Mr. Ambrose was a member of the Masonic lodge of Skidmore and that lodge with fellow members from this city had charge of the funeral service. C. W. Comstock, minister of the church of Christ, conducted a brief service in the house and then the Masons carried out their burial ceremony. The body was interred in the Mount Hope cemetery. The sympathy of friends and neighbors goes out to the sorrowing family.

Date of death: 9 Sep 1916

Subject: John J. Ambrose

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat Forum*, 14 Sep 1916, p. 8

John Ambrose, 23 years old, died in Longmont, Col., at 9:30 Saturday evening of tuberculosis of which he had been a victim for about a year.

Mr. Ambrose is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ambrose, farmers living between Arkoe and Conception Junction. He was born in Atlanta, Neb., and came with his parents to Arkoe when he was about 14 years old. He attended the University high school at Columbia for two years and completed his high school course. He then entered the college of agriculture at the university, but was forced to give up his work at the end of the first year.

He went to Longmont, Col., where he has been for the last year. His mother has been with him since December, and his father went to Colorado in February.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose will arrive with the body of their son tomorrow. The funeral will be held Wednesday from the home near Arkoe, but the rest of the arrangements will not be made until the parents arrive.

Mr. Ambrose is survive by three brothers and four sisters. They are: Floyd and Delbert, living near Arkoe; T. W., living at Atlanta, Neb.; Lidia [sic], living at Arkoe; Mrs. Arthur Jackson,

¹ All typing errors are mine. Other obvious errors have been marked with [sic]. MSE

living at Holdrege, Neb.; Mrs. Will Case, living at Atlanta, Neb., and Mrs. Hugh Crane, living at Arapahoe, Neb.

Date of death: 16/17 Feb 1921

Subject: Robert William Ambrose

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat Forum*, 17 Feb 1921, Thursday, p. 1

R. W. Ambrose, living southwest of Bedison died at 10:30 o'clock this morning at his home after a two weeks' illness of pneumonia. Mr. Ambrose was about 68 years old and besides his widow is survived by seven children who are K. W. Ambrose of McDonald, Kan., Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Hastings, Neb., Mrs. W. S. Case of Atlanta, Neb., Floyd Ambrose, living near Arkoe and Lydia and Delbert Ambrose at home.

No funeral arrangements will be made until word has been received from the children who live at a distance.

Date of death: 18 Dec 1893

Subject: Mrs. Arethusa B. Ames

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 21 Dec 1893, Thursday, p. 1

Died, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Beers, in Maryville, Mo., December 18, 1893, Mrs. Arethusa B. Ames.

Deceased was born in Smyrna, Chenango county, New York, December 24, 1813. She was married to George R. Ames in 1837. They came to Illinois in 1844, where she lived to see her children grow up and go into homes of their own. Her husband dead, and feeling the infirmities of age coming upon her, she disposed to her home and came in 1886 to pass her last days with her daughter here, as she had often expressed a desire that she should care for her in her helpless hours. She was the mother of five children, three of whom are still living. She was ready and anxious to go. She said her work here was finished, and she was only waiting her Master's call. A kind mother and true friend has been taken from our midst.

Date of death: 7 Jun 1918

Subject: Elizabeth Caroline (Ames) Whitlock

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Jun 1918, Friday, p. 4

Cosby. Elizabeth Caroline Ames, eldest daughter of Albert C. and Laura A. Ames, was born at Perry, Iowa, July 5, 1918 [sic], and died at her home near Cosby, June 7, 1918, at the age of 39 years, 11 months and two days. Her childhood was spent at Afton, Iowa, where she has many friends who will be sorry to learn of her going. At the tender age of 13 years she was converted and united with the M. E. church and her life has been a Christian example, worthy for all to follow. She was united in marriage to James T. Whitlock, July 22, 1902. To this union five children were born, Ethel May, Charles William, Della Merritt, Harvey Russell and James Leroy.

Charles William and Harvey Russell have preceded their mother to the spirit world while she leaves to mourn a devoted husband, two daughters and a son too young to realize his great loss. She also leaves her parents, three sisters and one brother and many friends. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church in Cosby, Sunday, June 9, at 2 o'clock p.m., conducted by Rev. P. G. Nuffer of the Evangelical church in the presence of a large number of sympathizing relatives and friends and the body was laid in the High Prairie cemetery where the bodies of other members of the family are buried.

Date of death: 8 Jan 1888

Subject: Perry L. Ames

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Jan 1888, Friday, p. 8

Perry L. Ames, formerly of this county, died in St. Joseph, last Sunday, and was buried in Bennet [sic] Lane cemetery on Tuesday.

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Source: *St. Joseph Daily [MO] Gazette*, 10 Jan 1888, p. 8

Sunday evening at five o'clock, Perry L. Ames, a respected citizen of North St. Joseph, died of pneumonia at his residence, 1723 St. Joseph avenue, after an illness of ten days.

The remains will be taken to Andrew county this morning for burial.

Date of death: 17 Dec 1909

Subject: Charles Enoch "Jack" Ammon, Jr.

Source: *Miles City [MT] Weekly Star*, 18 Dec 1909, Saturday, p. 12

Jack Ammon, the 12-year-old son of Charles Ammon died Thursday night after an illness of only one week. The body will be taken to Udall, Kan., for interment, accompanied by the bereaved parents. A host of friends and neighbors sympathize with them and the little brother and sister who are left to mourn his loss.

Date of death: 6 Sep 1913

Subject: Hazel Clara Ammon

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Sep 1913, Friday, p. 1

J. L. Ammon and wife wish to express their sincere thanks for the sympathy and help of friends and neighbors during the few hours sickness and the death of their darling, their only child Hazel.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Sep 1913, Friday, p. 8

Rankin. The community was shocked to learn of the death of little Hazel Ammon, which occurred Saturday.

Fillmore. The funeral services of little Hazel Ammon, only daughter of J. L. Ammon and wife near Rosendale, was conducted at the Methodist church last Sunday afternoon by Rev. L. L. Smith and the body laid to rest in the Fillmore cemetery. The death of this only child came as a severe shock to the parents and friends as she was only sick thirty-six hours. She was almost seven years old, and had gone to school four days of last week but Friday morning she was seized with that dreaded disease cholera infantum which quickly caused her death. The bereaved parents have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

Date of death: 22 Dec 1878

Subject: John Ammon

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 3 Jan 1879, Friday, p. 1

Ammon.-- On Sunday, December 2, 1878, at his residence in Clay township, Mr. John Ammon, aged about 80 years.

Date of death: 8 Mar 1906

Subject: Charles Amos

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 15 May 1906, Thursday, p. 4

Charles Amos was born December 25, 1805, and died at his home in Parnell, Mo., Thursday morning March 8, 1906, at 9 a.m., aged 100 years, 2 months and 11 days. Services were held in the M. E. church Monday morning, by Rev. Stoke and interment took place in the Parnell cemetery.

Charles Amos was born in Bedford county, Virginia on Christmas day 1805 where he resided until 1812 when his father was killed at Norfolk in the war of that year. A short time after his father's death he moved with his mother to Kentucky. He remembered distinctly the war between the Americans and the Britishers in their scarlet uniform. He often recalled the great enthusiasm awakened by General Jackson's victory over the enemy under Pakenham at New Orleans.

At the age of 18 years he moved to Indiana, and when the Black Hawk Indian war broke out in 1832 he enlisted and served until its close. He drew a pension as a veteran of that war. During this war he visited the present site of Chicago, the troops being camped for a short time on the shore of the lake. Not a white family was then living there.

He cast his first vote for Andrew Jackson but was a republican for many years prior to his death.

He came to Missouri in 1869 and he and his wife have resided in Parnell with their son Frank and family for the last seven or eight years. He has been married twice, and twelve children and a widow survive him. His mother was 103 years old at the time of her death. He has a sister who

lives at Omaha at the age of 92 years. His wife is 78 years old and was formerly Miss Catherine Price.

Mr. Amos was a member of the Dunkard church which he joined when a young man and had remained in that faith to the time of his death.

Few people who saw Mr. Amos for the first time would think he was as old as he was. He stood erect, had a thick head of hair, which was only partially gray, and a fairly strong voice. He had a strong memory and could talk entertainingly on early happenings. His eyesight and hearing were somewhat impaired. About three years ago he had an attack of small pox. His sickness was of short duration, being sick only an hour or two.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch had a representative here three or four weeks ago who had a long interview with Mr. Amos regarding his long life which will soon be published together with his picture.

There were fifteen children in all, and of the twelve living Mrs. Mattie Bowser and another daughter live in Michigan, E. C. and C. H. Amos at Poteau, I. T., Mrs. Ella Hall and Mrs. Allie Hall at Council Bluffs, Iowa, Mrs. Anna Huntsinger, Osborn, Kansas, Oren L. Amos, Darlington, Mo., Mrs. Kate Martin, Lima Ohio, Mrs. Henrietta Ginter, St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. Ida McCarroll, Ottumwa, Iowa, and Frank Amos of Parnell. There were but four children present at the funeral, as follows: E. C. Amos, Poteau, I. T., O. L. Amos, Darlington, Mo., Mrs. Henrietta Ginter, St. Joseph, and Frank Amos of this place.

Date of death: 2 Oct 1918

Subject: Alva P. Amrine

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 10 Oct 1918, Thursday, p. 5

Mrs. R. H. Ware received a telegram Thursday brining the sad news that her brother, Alva P. Amrine, had died Wednesday night at Camp Sheridan, Ohio. Death was caused by pneumonia, developing from influenza. He will be buried at Oregon City, Ore., where his parents reside.

Date of death: 29 Apr 1922

Subject: Charles Lewis Anders

Source: [Omaha NE] *Evening World-Herald*, 21 Apr 1922, Friday, p. 14

Charles Lewis Anders, 59, 2318 Sprague street, died Wednesday at Lord Lister hospital. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Edward O'Donnell, jr., of Omaha. Funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Stack funeral chapel.

Date of death: 11 Apr 1889

Subject: Lewis Anders

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 07 Mar 1889, Thursday, p. 4

Lewis Anders died at his home in Graham on Monday of last week. He was born in Fayette county, Ohio, March 10, and moved to Nodaway county in January, 1869, and located on a farm about three miles southwest of Graham.

Same

Source: Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 07 Mar 1889, Thursday, p. 8

Graham. Uncle Lewis Anders was buried on last Tuesday. The funeral services were held in the M. E. church, conducted by Rev. J. J. Lace.

Date of death: 20 Oct 1920

Subject: Mary (Andersen) Ivie

Source: Stewartsville [MO] Record, 21 Oct 1920, Thursday, p. 5

Our community has again been visited by the pale Reaper, removing one of our citizens who was loved and esteemed by all who knew her. While she was not one to make a big to do, yet she won many friends by her unassuming ways.

*'Another hand is beck'ning us,
Another call is given;
And glows once more with angel steps
The path that leads to heaven.
Unto our Father's will alone
One thought hath reconciled;
That He whose love exceedeth ours
Hath taken home his child.
Fold her, O Father, in thine arms,
And let her henceforth be
A messenger [sic] of love between
Our human hearts and thee,
Still let her mild rebukings stand
Between us and the wrong,
And her dear memory serve to make
Our faith in goodness strong.'*

Mrs. Mary Anderson [sic] Ivie was born in Denmark, October 13, 1857, and passed peacefully away at her home in Stewartsville, Mo., October 20, 1920, at 1:00 p.m., a few days past the 63rd mile post.

When a girl thirteen years of age she came to America with her parents, locating in Nodaway county, Mo., and here she grew to womanhood and meeting the man of her choice, W. H. Ivie, was united in wedlock, January 3, 1875. To this union four children were born: Thomas A., Birt

P., and Mrs. Arch E. McCord, all of Stewartsville, and Mrs. Gilbert Crossan, of Wyoming, who preceded her mother in death a few years, and there is no doubt that the mother is now with those who have gone on before. For be it said to her credit, she had united with the church in her early life, having been baptized into the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ, and living faithful to her covenant thus made with the Lord, entitles her to all the choice promises made in His word.

She was devoted to her home and family and while she had not lived but a few years in Stewartsville yet she had made many friends. She had for several months been a great sufferer with that dread affliction, cancer, and underwent an operation in February seeking relief, but obtained none to speak of and in July her life was despaired of for the trouble spread rapidly thru her system. Thru all this affliction she never murmured nor complained, if things were not to her liking or taste she would say, 'Just set it aside, perhaps after awhile I can have it.' Never has the writer seen one any more patient under such pain and misery. She said she was ready for the Master to release her from her suffering, that she was ready to go and had no fears for all looked bright before her. And as she bore this assuring message to those that must remain here awhile, she further said, 'It will not be long until we meet again.'

While we try to look up and say 'Lord, thy will be done' yet it brings heartaches for the loss to our society and home of one beloved and whose memory will be cherished by all who knew her.

The funeral will be held in the church where she spent the best part of her life near Bedison in Nodaway county, conducted by Eld. S. W. Twombly of Fanning, Kan., Friday, at 2:00 p.m.

Date of death: 17 Jun 1900

Subject: Amanda Jane (Anderson) Dale

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 28 Jun 1900, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Amanda Dale died at her home in Sheridan, Sunday, June 17, 1900, having been an invalid the past two years.

Date of death: 12 Feb 1903

Subject: Benjamin Franklin Anderson

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 19 Feb 1903, Thursday, p. 4

Few men in Maryville, if any, were more widely known and more highly esteemed than B. F. Anderson. His death occurred last Thursday at 11 p.m., at his home in this city. He had been in poor health for the last year or two with kidney trouble, and while he seemed to think that he would ultimately recover his health until recently, his friends have seen for some time that he was gradually declining.

Mr. Anderson was in his 54th year. He was born at Harrisville, Ohio. He moved from Ohio to Illinois, and came to Maryville about 25 years ago. He was engaged in the furniture and undertaking business. He was widely known over our county, and it can be truly said of him that

he was a progressive citizen of generous disposition, kind to the poor, and will be missed by a large circle of friends.

Mr. Anderson served in the Civil war, enlisting in 1864 at the age of 15, and was a musician of Co. F, 170 Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He was mustered into Sedgwick Post G. A. R. June 4, 1885.

Politically, Mrs. Anderson was affiliated with the Republican party until the campaign of 1896, when he espoused the cause of free silver coinage and became a strong advocate of the election of W. J. Bryan as president. He never relaxed any in his adherence to free silver. In the last campaign or two he acted with the Democrats. He was a well read man, had studied law and even practiced some, having been admitted a member of the bar in Illinois and to the Maryville bar after coming here.

He leaves a wife and son. His other lives here and he leaves other relatives as follows: M. H. Anderson, Lesalle, Illinois, and J. C. Anderson of Corning, Iowa, and the sisters are Mrs. D. McLeod, Greenville, Illinois, Mrs. H. F. Price, Rawlins, Wyoming; Mrs. L. E. Throne, Chicago, and Mrs. E. M. Anderson, Marville. Mrs. Lena Leet is a half sister and Harry Anderson of Maryville a half brother. Two other half-brothers live in Ohio.

The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It was very cold and disagreeable, but there was a large turn out. There were in line some 75 members of Magnolia Camp W. O. W., some 24 members of Sedgwick G. A. R. Post, and about that many members of the Knights of Pythias, to all of which orders he belonged.

The services at the home were conducted by Rev. E. B. Lytle of the First M. E. church, assisted by Elder Blanchard of Pickering, who filled the Christian church pulpit Sunday in the absence from the city of Elder Lawrence.

The procession to Miriam cemetery was headed by the Maryville Cornet Band, which played a funeral air. The pall-bearers were: From the W. O. W., Al Bingaman and W. D. Bishop; from the K. P's, Ed L. Andrews and John Howendobler; and from the G. A. R., Dr. J. N. Goodson and B. F. Pixler.

The W. O. W. conducted the burial services, George W. Partridge, C. C., officiating in the impressive ceremonies, assisted by A. E. Lyle as master of ceremonies.

The death of Frank Anderson removes from our city one of its useful and enterprising citizens and business men.

Date of death: 14 Apr 1916

Subject: Bessie (Anderson) Carter

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Apr 1916, Friday, p. 1

The body of Mrs. Pearl [sic] Carter was brought to Savannah Friday from Omaha, Neb., where she died from pneumonia April 14. She had gone there to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Anderson from her home in St. Joseph. Rev. F. P. Davidson preached a funeral address at the home of Mr. Carter's parents Wesley Carter and wife in North Savannah Sunday and the body was placed in the Savannah cemetery. She was Miss Bessie Anderson and was married in St. Joseph on December 17, 1905, to Pearl [sic] Carter and to them three children were born and the youngest son is eighteen months old.

Date of death: Jul 1878 and 29 Jul 1878

Subject: children of Levi Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Aug 1878, Friday, p. 5

On Monday night a little child of Mr. Levi Anderson, at Bolckow, died of whooping-cough and fever. But a week or so previous he buried an older child.

Date of death: 6 Mar 1902

Subject: Christian Anderson

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 08 Mar 1902, Saturday, p. 2

Christian Anderson, residing two miles south of Bedison, died Friday morning of pneumonia, after a short illness. The deceased was 62 years old and married. He had no children. Mr. Anderson came to Nodaway county from Council Bluffs a number of years ago, and had many friends both there and in this county.

Date of death: 8 Sep 1906

Subject; Cloe Elizabeth (Anderson) Cason

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 13 Sep 1906, Thursday, p. 5

Mr. B. C. Halley attended the funeral services Monday at Clearmont of Mrs. F. L. Cason, who died Saturday morning, after quite a protracted illness.

The funeral services were held at Clearmont Monday, conducted by Rev. Norris, pastor of the M. E. Church, to which the deceased belonged, and burial was in the cemetery at Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Cason was aged about 70. She was born in Marion county, Missouri, but was raised in Lewis county. The Casons moved to Nodaway county in 1876, the same time that Mr. Halley and family came here.

Mrs. Cason was a sister of Mrs. J. N. Goodson of Kansas City, and Mrs. T. J. Wallace is her daughter.

Date of death: [Apr] 1917

Subject: David A. Anderson

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 06 Apr 1917, Friday, p. 1

David A. Anderson, well known here, died recently in Arizona, whither he had gone for his health, which had been failing for some time. The cause of his death is unknown.

His body was brought to Elmo this week and funeral services held at the M. E. Church Thursday, conducted by Rev. C. H. Ragsdale, and burial at Quitman.

He is survived by four brothers, Ed, Frank and John of Shenandoah, Ia., Robert of Chillicothe, Mo., and two sisters, Mrs. H. C. Davault of Elmo, and Mrs. Anderson of Maryville.

Mr. Anderson was a quiet, unassuming young man, and had many friends here where he had lived a number of years.

The surviving relatives have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Date of death: 16/24 Oct 1912

Subject: Edward M. Anderson

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 24 Oct 1912, Thursday, p. 4

Thursday.

Edward Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis [sic] Anderson of Maryville, was shot in the eye yesterday and Rockford, N. D., and died later of his injuries. The news came today in a message to Maryville relatives, and gave no further details.

Mrs. Anderson and son, James, left this morning to attend the funeral, but Mr. Anderson, who has been in northern Iowa, for several weeks selling apples, had not been located up to a late hour this afternoon.

The dead man lives at Aberdeen, S. D., but was at Rockford, 200 miles north, at work. He leaves a wife and three children. Will and James Anderson are brothers and Mrs. L. F. Grossan and Bertha Anderson are sisters. They all reside in Maryville.

Date of death: 17 Sep 1895

Subject: Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 26 Sep 1895, Thursday, p. 5

Died, Mrs. Lizzie Anderson, wife of our esteemed friend and neighbor, Alfred Anderson, at her home last Tuesday, after a short sickness. Her remains were laid at rest in the Graves cemetery at Guilford Wednesday. Mrs. Anderson was highly respected by all who knew her. She leaves a

husband, three children and many friends to mourn her loss.-- Bristle Bidge [sic] Co. Barnard Rustler.

Date of death: 7 Mar 1884

Subject: Emma Madora (Anderson) Elliott

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Mar 1884, Friday, p. 8

At noon on Friday, March 7, 1884, Mrs. Emma M., wife of Mr. W. A. Elliott, of this city, passed peacefully and quietly to the other side of the dark river of death. She had been very low with consumption for a long time, and her death was not unexpected. Emma M. Anderson was born in Dubuque, Iowa, December 21, 1851, and was married to Mr. W. A. Elliott, May 14, 1868. She united with the Presbyterian church in 1870, and lived a consistent member of the church until her death. She was a devoted and affectionate wife and mother. Two children, a boy of ten or twelve and a girl of five, will miss a kind mother's care. The funeral took place from the residence of deceased at 2 o'clock, Sunday, under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. lodge of this city, deceased having been a useful and active member of the Rebecca Degree lodge of that benevolent order. Services at the house were conducted by Rev. B. T. Stauber. Deceased was universally loved and respected by all who knew her, and her death is mourned by a large number of near and dear friends.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 14 Mar 1884, Friday, p. 4

Savannah Correspondence. Death has again claimed his due, and the loss falls heavily indeed. Mrs. W. A. Elliott was called home on Saturday after a sickness of ten weeks. Her sufferings were severe, but she died calmly, and with a fond hope of rest beyond the grave and a home with the blessed. The funeral was conducted by the Odd Fellows on Sunday, she being a member of the Degree, D. of R., and her husband of the regular order. She leaves a husband and three [sic] small children.

Date of death: 20 Mar 1907

Subject: Fredrick O. Anderson

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 28 Mar 1907, Thursday, p. 4

Fred Anderson, son of Smith Anderson, was born July 9, 1889 in Nodaway county, Missouri, and died at the home of his parents Wednesday, March 20, 1907, aged 17 years, 8 months and 13 days.

He had been suffering with pneumonia for seventeen days and bore his sickness with great calmness. He mentioned a number of times during his illness that he was ready to meet his Master. Fred was a boy who did not have an enemy that he knew of.

The family have the sympathy of the community.

The funeral was preached in the M. E. church Thursday morning and burial took place at the Luteson [sic] cemetery northwest of Sheridan in the afternoon by the side of his grandmother and an infant sister.

*'There is a reaper whose name is death
And with his sickle keen,
He reaps the bearded grain at a breath
And the flowers that grown between.'*

Date of death: 27 Jul 1897

Subject: George Anderson

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 30 Jul 1897, Friday, p. 8

Judge Anderson, one of Holt county's prominent citizens, died at Niagara Falls, N.Y., Tuesday night. Judge Anderson was connected with the Citizens Bank, of Oregon, and proprietor of the Oregon Canning Co. He is supposed to have died from heart trouble.

same

Source: St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Gazette, 30 Jul 1897, p. 2

Oregon, Mo., July 28.-- A telegram was received here today from Niagara Falls announcing the death of Judge George Anderson at that place. While it was not stated in the message the cause of his death is supposed to have been heart trouble. The remains will be brought to this place for burial.

Mr. Anderson, accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Zachman, left here about two weeks ago for a tour through the east for the benefit of his health. He was not seriously ill, so far as is known, but has not been feeling well for a month or more.

Mr. Anderson was one of the most prominent citizens of this county and was interested in various enterprises. He owned the greater part of the Oregon canning factory which took the first premium on corn and tomatoes at the World's Fair, and was interested in the Citizens' bank and the Woodland Hotel company. He was also an extensive stock raiser.

same

Source: St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Gazette, 6 Aug 1897, p. 6

Oregon, Mo., Aug. 2.-- The funeral of the late Judge George Anderson, who died suddenly at Niagara Falls on last Tuesday, took place here Sunday afternoon, and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. Judge Anderson was one of the best known citizens of this county, and many person from other towns were here to pay the tribute to the honor of the dead.

The obsequies were in charge of the Masonic order, of which he had been a member for many years.

Date of death: [2] Dec 1904

Subject: Henry N. Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 09 Dec 1904, Friday, p. 1

The body of H. N. Anderson was brought to Rosendale from his home in Bedford, Iowa, and buried Saturday. Henry N. Anderson was born in Butler county, Pennsylvania, in 1860, where he continued to reside until [sic] 1880, when, having decided to try his fortune in the great West, he came to Rosendale, where after teaching school in Andrew county for three years he engaged in the hardware and furniture business, in which he continued until about three years ago, when disposing of the business he removed to Bedford, Iowa, where he has been in the telephone business until Dec. 1, 1904. Dec. 2 he went to the county farm with some other parties to put in a heating apparatus. When the time arrived to begin work his companions began looking for him, and after searching for him some little time found his lifeless body in a sitting posture with the head fallen to one side, he having, as was decided by two physicians who held a post mortem examination, died of heart failure, of which his father died in Rosendale a few years since.

Mr. Anderson was in 1880 [sic] united in marriage to Miss Nellie Stanfield, who with their five children now mourn his sudden and untimely departure. On the morning of Dec. 3 funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Barrackman, of Bedford, preaching the discourse and the body was laid to rest beside those of his father and brother in Lower Grove [sic] cemetery. The bereaved family have [sic] the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 09 Dec 1904, Friday, p. 1

Henry N. Anderson, formerly of Rosendale, but of late years a resident of Bedford, Iowa, was found dead at a farm ten miles from Bedford, on Thursday of last week. He was doing some tin work on a barn at the place and when found was crouched down by the side of the barn. From appearances he died without a struggle. His remains were brought to Rosendale for burial last Saturday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Dec 1904, Friday, p. 1

Henry N. Anderson was born in Butler county, Pennsylvania, in 1860, where he continued to reside until 1880, when having decided to try his fortune in the great West, he came to Rosendale, where after teaching school in Andrew county for three years he engaged in the hardware and furniture business, in which he continued until about three years ago, when disposing of the business he removed to Bedford, Iowa, where he has been engaged in the telephone business until December 1st, 1904. December 2, he went to the county farm with some

other parties to put in a heating apparatus. When the time arrived to begin work his companions began looking for him, and after searching for some little time found his lifeless body in a sitting position with the head fallen to one side, he having, as was decided by two physicians who held a post mortem examination, died of heart failure, of which his father died in Rosendale a few years since.

In 1886 Mr. Anderson was united in marriage to Miss Nellie Stanfield, who with their five children now mourn his sudden and untimely departure. The body was brought to his home at Rosendale, and on the morning of December 3rd funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Barrackman, of Bedford, preaching the discourse and the body was laid to rest beside those of his father and brother in Lower Grove cemetery. The bereaved family have the heartiest sympathy of their many friends.

Date of death: 23 Apr 1906

Subject: James Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Apr 1906, Friday, p. 1

James Anderson was born in Columbia, Adair county, Kentucky, July 6, 1817, and died at his home, 3705 Wyandot street, Kansas City, Mo., April 23, 1906, aged 88 years, 9 months and 17 days. He was the son of John Anderson and Sarah Loudon Anderson and came to Macomb, Illinois, with his father's family in 1831 and resided in that city in 1844, when he moved to Dubuque, Iowa, where he resided until 1854, when he returned to Macomb, Ill., and engaged in the lumber business until 1866.

He was for a number of years a member of the Macomb Board of Education and aided materially in building up the splendid public schools of that city. In the year 1866 he sold out his lumber business and moved to Savannah, Mo., where he resided until the spring of 1873, since which time Kansas City has been his home. He served several years as a member of the City Council of Savannah and in 1870 was elected Mayor of that city. In Kansas City until 1884 he engaged in the lumber business, and then retired from active business and devoted his time to the care and improvement of his real estate holdings.

Mr. Anderson was a good citizen and took a deep interest in public affairs. He was a strong supporter of the cause of the Union. During the civil war he was the constant friend of the Union soldiers and contributed liberally of his means to assist their families. In all the walks of life he had the confidence and esteem of all who knew him.

He married Miss Julia Rutherford, of Greenville, Bond county, Illinois, in 1836. Mrs. Anderson was a refined Christian lady, and greatly devoted to her home and family. She died in 1881. Mr. Anderson was married to Mrs. May Swaggard, who survives him. Eight children were born of the first marriage, of whom John E., James R., Mrs. Jennie H. Hunter and Mrs. Laura A. Farney, of Kansas City, and Mrs. Martha L. Robinson, of Delagua, survive the father.

Date of death: 3 Sep 1920

Subject: James P. Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Sep 1920, Friday, p. 1

James P. Anderson was born in Butler county, Pa., September 14, 1866, and died at his home 1115 South Twenty-sixth street, St. Joseph, September 2, 1920, aged 53 years, 11 months and 11 days.

He came to Missouri in 1890, and for almost ten years lived in and near Rosendale. For the last twenty years he was engaged in the hardware business at Cosby. Form [sic] there he and his family moved to St. Joseph, less than one year ago.

In 1893, he was united in marriage to Miss Altha Ferguson. To this union were born two daughters, Mrs. E. E. Guinn and Helen, six years old. He is survived by his wife, daughters, a sister, Mrs. Mary E. Gibson, of Boulder, Colo., and a brother, Lewis Anderson, of Eau-Claire, Pa.

At an early age in his native state he united with the Presbyterian church and remains in it till his death, living a clean, true, Christian life. He brought his membership from Pennsylvania to the Rosendale Presbyterian church and was a ruling elder in it at the time of his death.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Henry A. Savage, of Faith Presbyterian church at the family residence, 115 South Twenty-sixth street, at 2 o'clock, Sabbath afternoon, September 5, 1920, and the body was laid to rest in the Mount Auburn cemetery. Many friends from Cosby, Rosendale and Savannah, attended the funeral services. A choir from Cosby led the singing and men from Cosby were the pall bearers.

Date of death: 19 Mar 1888

Subject: John Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Mar 1888, Friday, p. 1

John Anderson, for many years a resident of this county, and the founder of the town of Bolckow, died in Milbrook, Kansas, on Monday, March 19, 1888. He moved to Kansas about two years ago, and was manager of a lumber yard at the place where he died. Mr. Anderson was respected wherever he was known, as a good citizen, an honest man, and an earnest and faithful Christian. Although John had been gone from the county for two years, yet there will be many whose countenance will be overshadowed with genuine grief and sorrow upon learning the unwelcome fact that they will nevermore meet him on earth. He was buried under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, of which benevolent order he had long been a member.

Date of death: 15 Jun 1900

Subject: John C. Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Jun 1900, Friday, p. 1

J. C. Anderson, aged sixty-seven years, died of heart failure at Rosendale at 9:10 o'clock Friday night, June 15, 1900. The funeral took place from the Presbyterian church in that city Sunday morning at 11 o'clock conducted by the pastor Rev. W. A. Cravens, of Savannah. Mr. J. C. Anderson is the father of H. N. Anderson, a prominent hardware merchant of Rosendale.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Jun 1900, Friday, p. 5

Rev. W. A. Cravens was called to Rosendale last Sunday to preach the funeral of Mr. Anderson, who died at that place last Saturday.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Jul 1900, Friday, p. 5

J. C. Anderson was born February 25, 1833, in Pennsylvania. He was married to Mary Anna Smith Jan. 8, 1851. She died in 1868. He was married again in 1874 to M.E. Christie, who is still living. He had four brothers and six sisters, eleven children. Two brothers and two sisters are living. He came here on a visit a few weeks ago. He had had very poor health for several years and after visiting here some months his health improved. He went back to Pennsylvania and lived a few months and his health became worse and he came back here about two years ago. He united with the Presbyterian church Feb. 18, 1899. Died June 15, 1900, of heart trouble. He was a good man. The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. A. Cravens at Presbyterian church, Rosendale, on Sabbath morning, June 17, and his body was laid beside his son who had preceded him some years ago. His two sons, to whom he was a good father, mourn for him, as well as other relations not able to be at the funeral on account of the distance. He was highly respected by people of Rosendale.-- *Rosendale Signal*.

Same

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Date of death: 24 Aug 1884

Subject: John H. Anderson

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 05 Sep 1884, Friday, p. 8 and Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 05 Sep 1884, Friday, p. 3

The death of Mr. John Anderson, of Rosendale, Mo., has left a sorrowful chasm in the circle where he mingled. He was loved and respected by all. After a short illness of about two weeks, he quietly passed away, leaving many friends to mourn his sad departure. At ten o'clock, Sunday morning, Aug. 24, friends were called around his bed to witness his dying hour. He fell asleep in peace in the nineteenth year of his useful life, leaving here a brother, an uncle, and an aunt to mourn his sad departure. His people live in Pennsylvania. What a sad hour it will be to them, when the sad news shall reach them that a son, a brother has gone to his long [illegible]. He can not, any more, return to the earth, but they can go to him. He has been a faithful member of the Presbyterian church for about three years. His funeral took place on the following Monday after his death, in the Presbyterian church, Rosendale. The funeral was largely attended. After the friends were assembled in the church the congregation sang, 'Jesus lover of my soul let me to Thy bosom fly.' The minister then read from 2 Cor., 5th chap., also Acts, 12:29-37. Then prayer for the blessing of God upon all, and His consoling power upon the bereaved family. Then followed the singing of 'Rock of Ages.' Text-- Acts 13:36.-- 'For David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell asleep and was laid until his father's [sic] and saw corruption.' ²Death-- what is it? A sweet quiet rest. Milton's descriptions of death, as might be expected, are grand but terrible. 'I fled and cried out death: Hell trembled at the hideous name, and I sighed.' [Par. Lost, 11:783. And again, at hearing Satan's plan of tempting the race:-- 'And death grinned horrible a ghastly smile. To bear his famine should be filed,' etc. [Par. Lost, 11:843.

*Our beloved brother has gone to another world,
Which lies above us like a cloud,
A world we do not see.
Yet the sweet closing of an eye,
May bring us there to be.
His gentle breezes fan our cheeks;
Amid our worldly cares,
Its gentle voice whispers love,
And mingles with our prayers.
Sad hearts around did throb and beat,
But the sweet helping hand of God was near,
To cheer the faint and help the weak.*

² At this point, the Democrat version ends, concluding with 'For David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell on sleep and was laid unto his father and saw corruption. After the sermon the body was consigned to its last resting place. W.E.V.'

W. E. Voss, Savannah, Mo.

Date of death: 6 Oct 1907

Subject: John William Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 Oct 1907, Friday, p. 8

J. W. Anderson, of St. Joseph, died suddenly in Washington D. C., Sunday morning. He was 80 years old. The body was brought to St. Joseph Thursday and will be brought to Savannah today and the remains will be buried beside his wife who died eight years ago.

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J. W. Anderson was an early-day merchant of St. Joseph. He engaged in business here from 1860 to 1864, having come here from his native state in Virginia. In 1864 he removed to Nebraska City, Neb., where he was in business until 1887. He was the personal friend of the late J. Sterling Morton. In 1887 he removed to Savannah, where the family lived and kept a grocery and where Mrs. Anderson died. Since 1897 Mr. Anderson has been retired and lived with his daughters and sons at 611 Bush street.

Mr. Anderson was a member of Hundley Methodist church. Surviving him are two sons and two daughters, as follows: Joseph T. Anderson, of Los Angeles, Cal., who is at present visiting in St. Joseph; Robert Anderson, a traveling salesman for the Tootle Wheeler & Motter Mercantile Company, Miss Bettie Anderson and Miss Katie Anderson, the last named, stenographer in the office of the city engineer.

They have many relatives living in this county.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 11 Oct 1907, Friday, p. 5

J. W. Anderson of St. Joseph, died in Washington, D. C., Sunday morning, he was 80 years old and formerly lived here. Mr. Anderson and his daughter [sic] Misses Bettie and Kate were visiting the exposition at Jamestown and relatives in Wash- [sic] where he suddenly took ill and died while the daughters were in New York for a few days. The remains were brought here for interment Monday. There are two daughters and two sons to mourn his loss.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Oct 1907, Friday, p. 1

J. W. Anderson of St. Joseph died suddenly in Occoquan, Va., D. C., Sunday morning. He was eighty years old, and a widower. The body will be brought to St. Joseph and the interment will be at Savannah, Mo., where the dead man's wife is buried.

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The body of Mr. Anderson will arrive in Savannah this (Friday) morning and funeral services will be held at the M. E. church South, at 11:00 o'clock.

Date of death: 7 Feb 1900

Subject: Joseph T. Anderson

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 16 Feb 1900, Friday, p. 5

Joseph T. Anderson of Burlington Junction died February 7, of Cirrhosis of the Liver. He was buried in the Ohio Cemetery at that place Thursday. Mr. Anderson was a prominent citizen of this part of the county and was well liked wherever known. He was a member of the Masonic and Odd-Fellows, and other societies and was buried by the Odd-Fellows with full ritualistic ceremonies. He carried \$4500 life insurance, which will make a welcome addition to the funds laid up for the wife and little ones. He was a member of the M. E. Church and died full of faith in the Redeemer. A good man has gone before us on the road we all must travel sooner or later.

Date of death: 18 Feb 1912

Subject: John William Anderson

Source: *Kansas City [MO] Journal*, 20 Feb 1912, Tuesday, p. 5

A pioneer resident of Missouri, John W. Anderson, 71 years old, died at his home, 3603 St. John avenue, Sunday night. For the past six years he has resided in Kansas City. Twenty-eight years prior to coming here he resided in Platte county, and was a retired farmer.

Mr. Anderson was born in Newton county, Kentucky. He is survived by a wife, Mary Ann Anderson; four sons, M. P. and W. D. Anderson of Amity, Mo., Charles O. Anderson of Kansas City and M. H. Anderson of Webb City. Three daughters, Leona, May and Jennie, also survive him. A sister, Mrs. Ellen Brown, lives at 323 Ord street, Kansas City, Kas.

Funeral services will be from the home today at 1:30 p.m. and burial will be made in Mount Washington cemetery.

Date of death: 31 Mar 1898

Subject: Lela A. (Anderson) Maier

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 07 Apr 1898, Thursday, p. 3

Mrs. Lela A. Maier, wife of Lui L. Maier, died in Sheridan, March 31st. Mrs. Maier's funeral was held in the Methodist Episcopal church of Clearmont, in which place she formerly resided, Sunday, the services being conducted by Rev. J. M. Miller, formerly pastor of that church.

Mrs. Maier was, at the time of her death, 21 years old. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Anderson of Clearmont. She was married to Lui L. Maier December 9th. Besides her husband she left an infant son [sic] only two days old.

Date of death: 21 Mar 1906

Subject: Lillian Florence "Lizzie" (Anderson) Hinote

Source: *The [Skidmore MO] New Era*, 29 Mar 1906, Thursday, p. 1

Lizzie Florence Hinote, wife of William R. Hinote of Tarkio departed this life March 21, 1906, at the age of 26 yrs. 1 mo. 21 da. and has gone to join a mother, brother and sister who have gone one before. Although her last days were days of suffering she bore it all with heroic Christian fortitude. Although young to die she had perfect faith, she saw her way clear and was not afraid to die, she professed faith some yrs. since and joined the M. E. Church at Tarkio recently.

Her maiden name was Lizzie Florence Anderson daughter of William H. and Malinda Anderson formerly of this place. She was born at Maitland Holt Co., Mo., Jan. 31, 1879, and was married to Mr. Hinote Oct. 30, 1903.

She leaves a loving husband, a father, five brothers and two sisters to mourn her loss. She was laid to rest in the Odd Fellows Cemetery, Quitman Mo., by the side of her mother she loved so well.

Date of death: 23 Mar 1923

Subject: Margaret (Anderson) Pressler

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 30 Mar 1923, Friday, p. 8

Amazonia. Mrs. Robert Pressler, aged about 75 years, died at her home here Saturday night. Infirmities of old age were the cause of demise. Her remains were interred in the Amazonia cemetery Monday afternoon. Rev. George Ulrich conducted funeral services.

Date of death: 21 Apr 1885

Subject: Mary F. (Anderson) Pickett

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Apr 1885, Friday, p. 8

Mrs. Mary F. Pickett, mother of Mr. C. S. Pickett and Mrs. Frank S. Smith, died on Tuesday night, April 21, at 11:43 o'clock, of congestion of the lungs. She has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Smith, for years, at whose residence she died, and from whose residence the funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, April 23. A daughter in Kansas, Mrs. M. E. Case, arrived in time to see her before she died, but her son William T. Pickett, of Sloan, Iowa, did not arrive in time. Deceased was aged 74 years, 7 months and 19 days, and was born in Columbia, Adair county, Ky.

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Mrs. C. S. Pickett, who fell in a fainting fit on Wednesday afternoon, caused by exhaustion from loss of sleep in watching over old Mrs. Pickett, is recovering.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 24 Apr 1885, Friday, p. 3

Died,-- At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Frank S. Smith, near Savannah, Mo., on Tuesday, April 21, 1885, at 11:43 p.m., of consumption of the lungs, Mrs. Mary F. Pickett, aged 74 years, 7 months and 19 days. She was the mother of Chas. S. Pickett, near Savannah.

Date of death: 23 Dec 1914

Subject: Matthew Lowrie Anderson

Source: *Norman [OK] Democrat*, 25 Dec 1914

Rev. M. L. Anderson, aged 77 years, 11 months and 21 days, died at his home 622 North Crawford Avenue Wednesday, December 23, 1914, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. after an illness of several weeks.

The funeral services were conducted at the residence by Rev. F. M. Alexander at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, followed by interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The only relatives are a number of nephews and neices [sic], his brothers and sisters having all died.

Miss Mary Gauger who was taken by Rev. and Mrs. Anderson when she was only four years old, has been head of the household since the death of Mrs. Anderson in 1911. The deceased was born in Butler county, Pennsylvania, January 1, 1837. He was ordained as a Presbyterian minister November, 1863; was pastor of a number of churches in Ohio up to 1869 when he moved to Rosendale, Missouri, where he engaged in ministerial work until he moved to Norman in 1892. He was united in marriage to Miss Fannie A. Gamble in 1864. In December, 1867, to Mrs. S. F. Evans and February, 1872, to Maggie Guthrie who died in 1911.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter* 08 Jan 1915, Friday, p. 6

Rev. M. L. Anderson, who organized the Presbyterian church at Rosendale and preached in Andrew county several years died. The following obituary is sent by his foster daughter Miss Mary E. Gauger: Rev. Matthew Lowrie Anderson was born in Butler county, Pennsylvania, January 1, 1837, and died at Norman, Oklahoma, December 23, at 2:30 p.m. He had been slowly failing and growing more feeble as the days passed and was confined to his bed only one and one-half days. He did not suffer pain but a dropsical swelling set in and the end came suddenly as the doctor had warned that it might be. He was laid to rest in Odd Fellows cemetery beside his last wife, who passed away, June 1, 1911. He was married three times, March 12, 1864, to Fannie A. Gamble, again December 3, 1867, to Mrs. S. F. Evans, again February 7, 1872, to Maggie J. Guthrie. He was ordained to the ministry of the gospel November 10, 1863, by the Presbytry [sic] of Wooster, Ohio. He came to Rosendale in 1869 and organized the Presbyterian church at that place and preached there and at other towns and country congregations for a number of years. He moved from Rosendale in September 1892, to West Plains living there until December, when he moved to Norman, Oklahoma, where he resided until death. Mrs. Mary E. Grauger [sic], whom he and his wife raised, took care of them both in their declining years. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. F. M. Alexander at the home Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m. at 622 North Crawford avenue.

Date of death: 17 Oct 1923

Subject: Nathaniel Ishmael Anderson

Source: *The Spokane [WA] Press*, 17 Oct 1923, Wednesday, p. 9

Nathaniel Anderson, 55, died at the home, N108 Stone st., Tuesday. Deceased had been a resident of Spokane 16 years and is survived by his widow, Stacy; his father Levy [sic] Anderson; two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Scott, of Spokane; Mrs. C. Witherspoon [sic], of Spokane; one daughter, Mrs. Mamie Braves, and six brothers, J. A. Anderson, J. F. Anderson, R. T. Anderson, Ed Anderson, Charles Anderson and Lawrence Anderson, all of Spokane. He was a member of I. O. O. F. lodge 52. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 from Hazen-Haeger's chapel.

Date of death: 16 May 1910

Subject: Nora Ellula (Anderson) Barber

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 19 May 1910, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. James Barber, who has been sick for several weeks with a complication of diseases, died at her home two miles southwest of Parnell on Monday, May 16.

Nora Elula [sic] Anderson, daughter of Smith Anderson, was born near Sheridan on Jan. 5, 1877. She was married to James F. Barber Feb. 25, 1897. She leaves a husband and three children, Creta, Frank and George to mourn her loss, besides a father, mother, two brothers, two sisters and a host of relatives and friends. She was a faithful wife and mother and died trusting in her God.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church Tuesday, May 17, the sermon being preached by Dr. J. G. Walker. Interment took place at the Parnell cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

The husband and children and a host of friends have the sympathy of the community.

Date of death: [2 Jun] 1917

Subject: Otto A. Anderson

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*. 07 Jun 1917, Thursday, p. 2

(From Thursday's Daily) The body of Otto Anderson, who died Saturday evening at Eagle Lake, Tex., arrived in Barnard Monday night and funeral services were held at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the Christian church, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Thompson of Ridgeway, Mo. Burial was in Barnard cemetery.

Mr. Anderson formerly lived in Barnard, making his home with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hagin. For the last six years he has lived in Texas. He is survived by his wife and two children.

Date of death: 15 May 1921

Subject: Roland Leroy Anderson

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 16 May 1921, Monday, p. 1

Roland LeRoy Anderson, the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. [sic] Anderson of near Bedison, passed away yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock after an illness of one week of diptheria [sic].

Private funeral services were held this morning and burial was in the Swinford cemetery. Another child, Marguerite, six years old, and Mrs. Anderson, are ill of the disease.

Date of death: 2 Dec 1914

Subject: Rosanna (Anderson) Colestock

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 Dec 1914, Friday, p. 5

From The Bolckow Herald. Mrs. Nathaniel [sic] Colestock died at her home in Bolckow Wednesday evening at about 6 o'clock, aged eighty-three years. The funeral was conducted at the house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Date of death: 11 Jan 1912

Subject: Sierra Nevada (Anderson) Baldwin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Jan 1912, Friday, p. 8

Sierra Nevada Anderson Baldwin, wife of John H. Baldwin, died at her home south of Savannah Thursday morning, January 11. The deceased was married to Mr. Baldwin, December 24, 1887 and to this union were born ten children of whom seven survive her. She is also survived by her husband, one sister and two brothers. Mrs. Baldwin was born in Forest City, December 31, 1866. Funeral services were from the residence by Rev. Taylor of Spruce Street M. E. Church of St. Joseph and interment at Ashland cemetery.

Date of death: 10 Jul 1897

Subject: William Eli Anderson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Jul 1897, Friday, p. 4

Bolckow Blade. Last Saturday afternoon at about 3 o'clock death claimed one of our oldest citizens, W. E. Anderson. Mr. William Eli Anderson was born in New Jersey, July 16, 1813--lacking but six days of being 84 years old.

Date of death: 9 Apr 1923

Subject: Edna Byrle (Andrews) Farrens

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 12 Apr 1923, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Edna B. Farrens, wife of Ralph Farrens of near Clearmont died last night at 10:30 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Andrews in Southwest Maryville, following an illness of three weeks of influenza and other complications. Funeral arrangements will not be made until her brother, Lowell Andrews of Santiago, Calif. is heard from. He is expected to arrive here Wednesday night.

Mrs. Farrens was twenty-six years of age and is survived by her husband, a daughter, Geneva Marie, two years old, her parents, and two brothers, George B. Andrews at home, and Lowell, Santiago, Calif.

Date of death: 29 Nov 1887

Subject: Ella J. Andrews

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 01 Dec 1887, Thursday, p. 5

Miss Ella Andrews died last Tuesday morning at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Jackson in this city, from consumption. Deceased was 34 years of age and lived a pure and spotless life. Her remains were laid to rest this Thursday, Rev. Gerhard conducting funeral services.

Date of death: 7 Feb 1916

Subject: George Lyman Andrews

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 10 Feb 1916, Thursday, p. 5

George Andrews, who fell on the ice in his yard a week ago last Sunday, died at his home last night at 7 o'clock. Pneumonia was the cause of his death. He was not found after he had fallen for an hour, and pneumonia developed from exposure.

Mr. Andrews was about 60 years old. He had been married twice and is survived by his wife and seven children, who are Leonard, Frank, J. J., Ed. and Mrs. William Friend, and stepdaughter, Grace Hall of Hopkins, Al of Braddyville, and S. E. Andrews of Texas, who was here when his father died.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist church in Hopkins. The Rev. Mr. McNamee will conduct the services.

Date of death: 1 Jan 1905

Subject: Isabella (Andrews) Howendobler

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 05 Jan 1905, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Isabelle [sic] Howendobler died Sunday afternoon at her home on Buchanan street. She has been in poor health for a year or two. Mrs. Howendobler is the widow of the late Dr. Jacob Howendobler.

Mrs. Howendobler was born in Chester county, Pennsylvania, in 1829 and in 1866 came to Maryville. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Rebecca Jackson, of Maryville, and a brother, David Andrews, of Shipley, Florida.

The funeral was held from the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. C. E. Kircher officiating.

Date of death: [Nov] 1902

Subject: James Andrews

Source: *The [Council Bluffs IA] Daily Nonpareil*, 06 Nov 1902, Thursday, p. 8

Shenandoah, Ia., Nov. 5.-- James Andrews, of this place, who died at St. Mary's hospital in Maryville, Mo., after undergoing an operation for tumor, was buried here Monday afternoon. Mr. Andrews had been a resident of Shenandoah for the last six years and during that time had been engaged in the fuel and ice business. He was a hard worker and in spite of his years, 66, was a

strong man physically. Recently, however, his health had been bad and knowing that an operation alone could cure him he sold his business here, put his affairs in good shape and last Thursday went to Maryville, Mo., to be operated upon for tumor. The surgeons decided immediately after making an incision into the abdomen that to attempt the removal of the tumor would cause instant death and the wound was sewed up, word being given out that Mr. Andrews might live for years with the tumor. The effect of the operation was too great however, and while he regained consciousness and was cognizant of his approaching end,, yet the shock to his system caused his death forty-eight hours later.

James Andrews was a native of Ohio, born in Williamsport I 1836. At middle life he moved to Minnesota and there was married. His widow and six children survive him, Mrs. LaTourette, Mrs. Aldrich, Mrs. McDonald, Miss Edith, Walter and C. S., the latter one of the leading business men of Shenandoah. All of the children were present at the death bed and the funeral except Walter and Mrs. McDowell. The funeral was held in the Baptist church and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Sparks.

Date of death: 27 Oct 1912

Subject: John Vermillion Andrews

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 01 Nov 1912, Friday, p. 1

J. V. Andrews, the oldest citizen of Andrew county, died last Sunday aged ninety-four years and six months and had been enjoying good health and his mind was in excellent condition.

He lived to see wonderful changes take place. He saw and rode upon the first railroad train run in the United States with passenger coaches only large enough for six passengers. He saw Chicago when it was a mere village, and could have preempted the land where great business houses now stand, but thought the land too marshy to be of any value. His mind was bright and active to the last and he delighted in recounting his early experiences and he was very interesting.

His home was on a farm near Whitesville from 1869 until a few weeks ago when he was taken by his daughter and her husband to their home in King City. While he has been unable to walk for some time, because of a lameness in one knee, yet his health has been remarkably good for one of such advanced years, until Saturday after spending some time in reading, as he was a great reader, he complained of feeling ill, and at about 3 o'clock, p.m. Sunday, his spirit passes [sic] out of the antiquated tenement of clay and went to enter that 'House not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens.'

John Vermillion Andrews was born in Schenectaday [sic], New York, May 7, 1818. At the age of 19 years he emigrated to Racine county, Wisconsin, which was then a territory. After ten years residence there he removed to Rock county, Wisconsin, thence in 1856, to Waupaca county, Wisconsin, and in 1869 to Andrew county, Missouri, where he has since resided. On the 27th day of February, 1843, he was married to Miss Aurilla Saxton, with whom he lived happily for fifty-seven years, when she went to enter upon the final reward of a faithful Christian. Eight

children were born to them five of whom survive him. They are F. M. Andrews, of St. Joseph, Mrs. J. J. Nelson, of Amherst, Wis., Mrs. E. E. Gordon, of Carthage, Mrs. C. G. Seamans, of Savannah, and Mrs. William Agee of King City.

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Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 01 Nov 1912, Friday, p. 1

John Vermillion Andrew was born in Schenectaday [sic], New York, May 17th, 1818. At the age of 19 years he emigrated to Baine county, Wisconsin. This state was then a territory [sic]. After ten years residence there he removed to Rock county, Wisconsin. Thence, in 1856, to Waupaca county, Wis., and in 1860 [sic] to Andrew county, Mo., where he has since resided. On the 27th day of Feb. 1843, he was married to Miss Aurilla Saxton, with whom he lived happily for 67 years when she went to the other side of the river of death, to enter upon the final reward of a faithful Christian. Eight children were born to them, five of whom survive him. They are F. M. Andrews, of St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. J. J. Nelson, of Amherst, Wis., Mrs. E. E. Gordon, of Carthage, Mo., Mrs. C. G. Seamans, of Savannah, Mo., and Mrs. Wm. Agee, of King City, Mo. Some 40 years ago Father Andrews obeyed the Gospel of Christ, and lived a faithful and active member of the Whitesville Christian Church, one of its elders for many years past. He was perhaps Andrew county's oldest citizen, in point of age, having reached his 94th birthday last May. He lived on a farm near Whitesville from 1869 until a few weeks since when he was taken by his daughter and her husband to their home in King City. While he had been unable to walk for some time because of a lameness in one knee, yet his health had been remarkably good for one of such advanced years, until Saturday. After spending some time in reading, as he was a great reader, he complained of feeling ill, and at about 3 o'clock, p.m., Sunday, his spirit passed out of the antiquated tenement of clay and went to enter than 'House not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.' On the 30th the remains were brought to Whitesville, and Elder W. A. Chapman, a fast friend, and former pastor, delivered a discourse and interment was in Whitesville cemetery, beside the grave of the companion of so many years. A good and useful man has finished up his earth work and gone home to rest.

He lived to see wonderful changes take place. He saw and rode upon the first railroad train run in the United States, with passenger coaches only large enough for six passengers. He saw Chicago when it was a mere village, and could have preempted the land where great business houses now stand, but thought the land too marshy to be of any value. His mind was bright and active to the last, and he loved to recount his early experiences.

Date of death: 13 Feb 1912

Subject: Lucinda J. (Andrews) Butts

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 14 Feb 1912, Wednesday, p. 6

Mrs. Lucinda Butts, 67 years old, wife of Simeon Butts, 2813 Patee street, died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning in a local hospital. She is survived by her husband, seven sons, W. H. Butts of St. Joseph, R. A. and B. F. Butts of Boise, Ida.; L. S. of Portland, Ore.; J. A. of Star, Ida.; J. E. of Guilford, Mo., and C. C. Butts of Barnard, Mo., and two daughters, Mrs. Jesse [sic] May Wells of Loveland, Colo., and Mrs. Martha Wysong of Cripple Creek, Colo.

Date of death: 15 Dec 1912

Subject: Lydia Beals (Andrews) Gates

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 19 Dec 1912, Thursday, p.. 5

Mrs. Lydia Gates, a resident of Elmo for many years, died at her home in Elmo Sunday night of the infirmities of old age.

The funeral services will be held at the M. E. church, South, Tuesday at 12:30 o'clock p.m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. Holliday. Burial will take place in the Braddyville cemetery by the body of a deceased daughter, Mrs. Samuel Selby.

Lydia Andrews Gates was nearly 85 years old. She was born in Hardin county, Ky., March 2, 1828, and married to Seth Gates at Monmouth, Ill., April 4, 1845. Mr. Gates' death occurred in Monmouth in 1877. One daughter and seven sons were orn to them. The daughter Abigail Selby died several years ago at her home in Elmo. The sons are Set E. Gates of Oakville, Ia.; Sanford Gates of Artesia, N. M.; Clement A. Gates of Braddyville, Ia.; Clarence R. Gates of Aledo, Ill.; Merrill M. Gates of Chariton, Ia.; Ira T. Gates of Elmo and Roudy [sic] Gates of Berthoud, Col.

Date of death: 25 Sep 1902

Subject: Orra (Andrews) McKnight

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Oct 1902, Friday, p. 5

From the *Rosendale Signal*. Miss Ora Andrews was born in Salem, Ohio, Sept. 9, 1867, was married to Harve McKnight at Bolckow, Mo., Dec. 25, 1889, and died at her home in Bolckow Thursday, Sept. 25, 1902. Age 35 years and 16 days.

Date of death: Oct 1905

Subject: Walter W. Andrews

Source: *Kansas City [MO] Journal*, 06 Oct 1905, Friday, p. 9

Word was received here yesterday of the death of Walter W. Andrews at Shenandoah, Ia. Mr. Andrews for many years was engaged in the job printing business in this city. At one time he

was proprietor of the Norton Printing Company and was later connected with the Union Bank Note Company for several years. Five years ago Mr. Andrews suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered. He was at the home of his parents in Shenandoah when he died. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Hattie Andrews.

Date of death: Jan 1889

Subject: William Andrews

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Jan 1889, Friday, p. 8

A note from Albert Crank advises us that they arrived safely at San Diego, Cal., on the afternoon of December 29... We are sorry to learn from Mr. Crank that William Andrews, who went from here to California more than a year ago, was thrown from a wagon, last summer, and that he was hourly expected to die from the injuries received.

Date of death: 13 Jan 1917

Subject: Bessie Andrus

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Jan 1917, Friday, p. 3

Long Branch. January 16. Bessie, the four-year-old daughter of John Andrews [sic] and wife of Avenue City, died Saturday at 5 p.m. with pneumonia. She was laid to rest in Long Branch cemetery Monday.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Jan 1917, Friday, p. 8

Bessie Andrews [sic], third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews, was born at Avenue City, August 19, 1913, and died at the same place, January 13, 1917. The funeral was conducted at the Long Branch Christian church on Monday, the 15th, by Rev. A. R. Hunt and interment was in the Long Branch cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 19 Jan 1917, Friday, p. 8

Bessie Andrews [sic] the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Andrews was born at Avenue City, Missouri, August 19th., 1913 and died at the same place Jan. 13, 1917. The funeral was conducted from the Long Branch Christian church on Monday 15, conducted by A. R. Hunt and interment was in the Long Branch cemetery.

Date of death: 3 Oct 1900

Subject: Mrs. Olive Andrus

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 04 Oct 1900, Thursday, p. 8

Mrs. Olive Andrus, mother of Mrs. Rose Griffin fell down cellar last Saturday, injuring herself so severely that she died Wednesday afternoon. She was alone at the time of the accident, Mrs. Griffin having gone to Omaha. Her groans brought assistance, and it was first thought her injuries were not serious, but her advanced age made them prove fatal. She was 85 years, 5 months and 28 days old. Funeral services will be conducted by Dr. Ware of the Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock p.m., Friday, October 5, 1900, interment in Miriam cemetery.

same

Source: *Nodaway [MO] Democrat*, 17 Jan 1901, Thursday, p. 3

[Deaths from 1900] October. 3. Mrs. Olive Andrews [sic], at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Griffin, in Maryville, in age 86.

Date of death: 3 Feb 1922

Subject: John B. Angell

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 06 Feb 1922, Monday, p. 1

The body of J. B. Angell, who died Saturday morning at his home in Purcell, Okla., arrived in Maryville last night, and the funeral services were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. S. Miller, 533 South Mulberry street, conducted by the Rev. Joseph A. Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. Angell was 60 years of age and lived in and near Maryville a number of years, moving from here to Oklahoma ten years ago. He is survived by his wife, and one daughter, Mrs. Boyd Boyer, who with Mrs. Boyer accompanied the body to Maryville.

Mr. Angell had not been feeling well for some time, but was able to attend to his usual duties, and had spent the evening before his death at the home of his daughter. He was found dead in bed by his wife when she went to call him for breakfast, and it is thought that he had been dead several hours at that time.

Date of death: 15 Sep 1886

Subject: Mildred Annan

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 17 Sep 1885, Friday, p. 7

Little Mildred, the three-year-old daughter of Robert Annan of Barnard, died Tuesday and was burried [sic] at Savannah yesterday. She was a great favorite and will be sadly missed. The parents have the sincere sympathy of their many friends in this city.

Date of death: 28 Apr 1901

Subject: Robert Landales Annan

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 May 1901, Friday, p. 1

Robert L. Annan, for many years one of the leading merchants of Nodaway county, died at his home in Oakland, Cal., Sunday, April 28.

Mr. Annan was born in Jefferson county, Virginia, June 15, 1845. He grew to manhood in his native State, and in 1872 moved West, settling in Nebraska. In 1876 he went to Barnard, Mo., and went into business with H. C. Annan. This partnership continued in force until about 1892, when H. C. sold to Robert, who continued the business alone until last fall when he sold entirely out and moved to California for his health. It is evident that death came suddenly, for Judge Vinsonhaler, of Maryville, received a business letter from him dated Friday, April 26, and mailed the following day, only one day before his death.

Mr. Annan was married January 1, 1878, to Miss Emma McCandliss. To them were born two children, Bessie and Robert Garfield.

As a business man Mr. Annan was a success in every particular. He was a strong Republican, but not an office seeker, although he allowed himself to be nominated for representative on the Republican ticket in 1886, but went down in defeat with the rest of the ticket, John Daniels beating him by a small majority. Since that time he had not taken any active part in politics. He moved to California last fall after selling out at Barnard, intending to take life easy the remainder of his life.

The body was brought to Savannah Monday afternoon on the Maple Leaf and the body laid to rest in the Savannah cemetery, after services at the Presbyterian church.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 10 May 1901, Friday, p. 1

Wednesday morning, Judge Ed Vinsonhaler received a telegram from San Francisco, Cal., conveying the intelligence of the death of R. L. Annan on Sunday at his home in Oakland, just across the bay from that city. Mr. Annan had written a letter dated the day before his death to Mr. Vinsonhaler, which indicates his death was rather sudden.

Mr. Annan had been in the Mercantile business at Barnard for several years and was widely known, especially through the southern part of the county. In 1886 he was the Republican nominee for representative. He was born in Virginia in 1845. He was married in 1878 to Miss Emma McCandliss of Barnard.-- Maryville Democrat.

The remains of Mr. Annan were brought to this city last Monday and were interred in the cemetery here. The funeral services were conducted from the Presbyterian church by Rev. W. A. Cravens.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 May 1901, Friday, p. 1

The Oakland, Cal., Chronicle gives the following account of the death of Robert L. Annan, who was buried in Savannah last week.

'R. L. Annan, a merchant residing at 1428 Seventh Avenue fell a distance of four and one-half feet this morning and broke his neck. He was out taking a walk before breakfast and while passing over the narrow foot bridge which affords passageway across the filled in marsh from the foot of Fifth Avenue to the boat house at Session basin, it is supposed he lost his balance and fell in. Nobody saw the accident as far as known.

'Annan had passed a restless night, having been despondent over the recent loss of money in business, and also being a sufferer from inflammation of the stomach. He arose early this morning and told his wife he would go for a walk. That was the last time she saw him alive. About 10 o'clock W. Richardson of 818 Broadway was passing the spot where Annan's body was lying cold in death and discovered the remains.

'The merchant had apparently been dead two hours or more. The body was removed to the morgue where it required an autopsy to determine the cause of his death.

'Annan was a large man weighing about 200 pounds. It is supposed that he pitched head first to the ground when he made a misstep. The wind was blowing strongly during the morning hours and that may have caused him to lose his footing on the bridge, which is only wide enough for one person to pass.

'Annan was about 57 years of age.'

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 17 May 1901, Friday, p. 1*

The death of R. L. Annan, whose remains were buried here last week was caused by a fall which broke his neck. The following account of his death is taken from the Oakland, California Chronicle: [*there follows the quoted article as above.*]

Date of death: 15/16 Jan 1884

Subject: Louisa (Annible) Appleby

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 24 Jan 1884, Thursday, p. 2*

Wednesday the 16th, Mrs. Appleby, consort of John Appleby of Lincoln township, breathed her last surrounded by her husband and children, all grown. For thirty years she has been a sufferer from that dread destroyer of the human family, consumption. Of late years her suffering has been intense yet she bore it very patiently and with that resignation so characteristic of the true Christian. Deceased was born in the state of New York in the year 1813, where she married. She moved with her husband to the state of Illinois in 1852, settling in Jo Daviess county, where they

resided until the year 1875, when they came to Missouri. Had she lived until the next anniversary of their marriage, fifty years would have been numbered since that event. But she is gone. Not till the graves are summoned to give up their dead will she again live. But then

*'The cry goes forth, a shout is heard,
The dead awake and sing,
The living put on glory, one glad land
They hasten up to meet their God, the King'*

Funeral [sic] services at her late residence by Elder G. F. McElwee.

Jan. 21, 1884.

Regulus.

Date of death: 9 Apr 1917

Subject: Charles H. Anthony

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 12 Apr 1917, Thursday, p. 5

Charles H. Anthony, 72 years old, died at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital, after four weeks' illness. Mr. Anthony had been suffering for some time from dropsy, which finally caused death.

The funeral was held at the Maryville Furniture Undertaking Parlors at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. R. C. Holliday officiating. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Anthony was born in Ohio, but moved to Wisconsin when about 21 years old. His residence in Nodaway county has extended over forty years. He is survived by his two sons, S. W. Anthony of Mounds, Ia., and Frank Anthony of Gaynor, Mo., both of whom were with their father when he died. An adopted daughter of Mr. Anthony lives in Kansas City. He also has a sister in Warren, O., and a brother in Marceline, Mo.

Date of death: 26 Mar 1915

Subject: Eliza (Anthony) Nunnelley

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Tribune*, 27 Mar 1915, p. 4

Mrs. Eliza Nunnelley died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of her nephew, John B. Nunnelley, northwest of Maryville, following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock at the South Methodist church in Skidmore, and will be conducted by Rev. M. DeWitt, pastor. Burial will be in Smith cemetery in Skidmore.

Mrs. Nunnelley was 89 years old and had been a resident of Nodaway county many years. She is survived by her nephew, John B. Nunnelley; a niece, Mrs. Tom McDonald of Maryville and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Tarpley of Skidmore. Her husband died several years ago.

Date of death: 11 Apr 1915

Subject: Elvira Lorena "Vida" Anthony

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 15 Apr 1915, Thursday, p. 8

Elvira Lorena Anthony, both December 4, 1874, died April 11, 1915, at 7 p.m. She was born on a farm nine miles west of Maryville and moved with her parents to Maryville twenty years ago. She joined the M. E. Church, South, at the age of 18 and lived a faithful Christian life ever since. She leaves to mourn her death a sister, Mrs. H. S. Schoonover of Maryville, a brother, R. C. Anthony of St. Joseph, an adopted sister, Mrs. C. H. Ewing of Belle Plaine, Iowa, an aged aunt, Miss Kate Martin, who has made her home with her the past eighteen years.

Funeral was at the residence at 115 South Walnut street today at 2:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Hubbard. Burial was in Miriam cemetery. Her parents preceded her to that home about sixteen years ago.

Miss Anthony had been ill two years.

Date of death: 17 May 1922

Subject: Malinda Jane (Antle) Hadley

Source: *The Winfield [MO] Daily Free Press*, 09 May 1922, Tuesday, p. 4

The funeral services, of Mrs. J. M. Hadley who died Monday in Winfield at the home of her son W. A. Hadley, were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the First Christian church of Arkansas. Rev. McQuidy was in Charge. Interment was made in the Riverview cemetery.

Mrs. Malinda Jane Hadley was born 1844 and her age at the time of her death was 78 years.

Mrs. Hadley leaves to mourn her death her husband five sons and one daughter as follows: W. A. Hadley of Winfield, A. D. Hadley of Ponca City, Frank and Charles Hadley of Wichita, A. T. Hadley of this city and Mrs. Jess Sherbon of Dilworth, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Hadley resided in this City before her fatal illness and was then taken to Winfield to the home of her son, where she could have the best attention [sic].

Mrs. Hadley was born in Illinois. The Hadley family resided in Missouri before coming to this section and lived at Geuda for a considerable period before moving to Arkansas City.

She was a member of the Christian Church, a kind and devoted mother and had many friends who will mourn her death.-- A. C. News.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1921

Subject: Sarah Elizabeth (Antle) Gile

Source: *Fort Scott [KS] Daily Tribune, 08 Apr 1921, Friday, p. 1*

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Gile, 68 years of age, died this morning at 8:15 at the home of her son, Ed Gile, 501 Scott avenue, of Bright's disease, with which she had been a sufferer for the past six years. The condition of the deceased had been grave for some time, and death was not unexpected.

Mrs. Gile is survived by four sons, besides Ed of this city, as follows: Tom, of Maryville, Mo.; Ernest of Kansas City, Mo.; Joe of Homestead, Okla.; and Andy, of Baxter Springs.

Although the home of the deceased was at Baxter Springs, Kans., she had spent all of last summer with her son in this city, and also had been at his home for the past two months. Her husband, Jacob Gile, died a year ago at Baxter Springs.

The remains will be sent tomorrow to Baxter Springs, where the funeral will be held. The ladies of the W. R. C. at Baxter Springs, of which Mrs. Gile was a member, will have charge of the funeral.

Date of death: 24 Sep 1908

Subject: James M. Antrim

Source: *Missouri Valley [IA] Times, 01 Oct 1908, Thursday, p. 2*

J. M. Antrim was born November 16, 1857 in Cass County Iowa, and died September 24, 1908 in Missouri Valley, aged 50 years, 10 months and 8 days. He was married to Ella Fuqua October 16, 1880 and to this union ten children were born, nine of whom are living. The deceased had been a sufferer for years and at last death released him.

The funeral services will be held at the late home in Missouri Valley, Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m., and burial in Rose Hill cemetery.

Date of death: 15 Apr 1915

Subject: Lula Eva Antrim

Source: *Ravenwood [MO] Gazette, 23 Apr 1915, Friday, p. 4*

Lula Eva Antrim was born July 12, 1898, and died April 15, 1915, aged 16 years, 9 months and 3 days. Her father died when she was 3 years of age, and 13 years later, her mother died.

She was taken sick on Saturday April 10, with appendicitis and only lived until Thursday. She was of a lovable disposition, and stood in high esteem among her friends and school mates and will be greatly missed by them.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 4:30, at the M. E. church in Ravenwood, and were conducted by Rev. L. R. Sparks, the pastor.

Burial was made in Oak Lawn cemetery.

The pall bearers were her teacher, Miss Blanche Shipps, Miss Esther Beardsley, Miss Pearl Jackson, Miss Ella Bentley, Miss Alma Lyle and Miss Mertie Jasper.

Lula leaves to mourn her loss five brothers and one sister, Warren, Ed., Delmo, Perry, Mrs. Nellie Deshazer and Frank, with whom she was making her home. One sister, Maud, having died in infancy. All the rest were present except Ed., who is in South Dak., he sent a message saying he could not attend.

Date of death: Nov 1891

Subject: infant of John Anycorn

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Nov 1891, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. Nov. 10. John Anycorn's little infant was buried here, last Thursday.

Date of death: 17 Jan 1917

Subject: John S. W. Applebee

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 18 Jan 1917, Thursday, p. 4

John Applebee, for years a well known citizen of Maitland died at his home about 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, January 17, 1917. He was born January 9, 1847, and had been in poor health for some time, and while it was known that he was gradually failing, his sudden death was a surprise. He was up and around the house only an hour or so before death came. The funeral will be at the U. B. Church Fri. afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Masonic lodge having charge of the ceremonies. We will print a sketch of his life next week.

Same

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 25 Jan 1917, Thursday, p. 1

The funeral of John Applebee took place at the U. B. church, Friday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock.

The funeral was in charge of Maitland Masonic lodge, who marched in a body from their temple to the late home of the deceased, where a short service was held, Elder Frame reading the 38th Psalm and a prayer by Rev. Arthur Smith.

The church was crowded by the many friends who had known him during his 35 years residence in Maitland.

The body was placed in front of the altar, while soft music was rendered by a choir, under Mrs. Robert Weller, pianist.

Rev. Arthur Smith, read the 15 chapter of 1st Corinthians, and an appropriate prayer was offered by Dr. George P. Sturges.

Elder W. H. Frame delivered the funeral address, having as a text a portion of the 51st verse of the 15th Chapter of 1st Corinthians-- 'Behold I shew you a Mystery!'

Death is a mystery-- like-wise life is a mystery. We come into this world without our own volition and we leave it in the same way.

At the conclusion of the service the remains were taken to the K. of P. cemetery, where the beautiful Masonic ritual service concluded the exercises, Chas. Talbott, of Graham, acting as Worshipful Master.

John Applebee was born Jan. 9, 1847 and died at his home in Maitland, January 17, 1917, age 70 years and 8 days. His is survived by a widow and a foster son, William Richardson. Mrs. Applebee was formerly Miss Laura Jewel [sic], and was married to Mr. Applebee at Joy, Morgan County, Ohio. They made this place their home until 1882 when they came to Maitland, and have made this place their home for all these years excepting a very short residence in Oklahoma and at Graham.

A daughter was born to this union, lived to womanhood and was married, but passed beyond several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Applebee joined the Methodist church at Bishopville, Ohio, in 1876. Brother Applebee became a member of the Masons at the same place in 1874 and transferred his membership to Maitland lodge in 1882.

Uncle John has been a familiar figure on the streets and he will be missed by many friends.

Date of death: 9 Apr 1900

Subject: Elva Yvette Appleby

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 12 Apr 1900, Thursday, p. 2

Elva, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Appleby, living five miles northeast of Maryville, died Monday from diphtheria [sic], or membranous croup. The child was taken sick Sunday previous. The burial took place Wednesday at Myrtle Tree cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Appleby have the sympathy of the whole community. They are now bereft of both their children, the nineteen month old son having died just a week ago last Sunday. His death was the result of an accident.

Date of death: 1 Apr 1900

Subject: Leeland Appleby

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 04 Apr 1900, Wednesday, p. 3

L. W. [sic] Appleby's two-year-old child was taken to Myrtle Tree for burial Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Tuesday, March 27th, while Mrs. Appleby was washing the child pulled the stopped from a washing machine and was so badly scalded that death resulted. They have but one child left them.

Date of death: 10 Feb 1913

Subject: Grace Alice (Applegate) Melick

Source: *The Hopkins [MO] Journal*, 13 Feb 1913, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Grace Alice Melick was born near old Xenia in Nodaway Co., Mo., July 1, 1889, and died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Applegate in Hopkins on Feb. 10, 1913.

She was married to Jesse Elwood Melick Sept. 14, 1907. To this union was born one daughter, Lola Belle and a son, Fred Elwood, both of whom survive their mother.

Her last sickness has been of some six months duration. She knew the end was coming and expressed to her Aunt, Mrs. Gamel, that she was ready to go and be with Christ.

Everything was done to alleviate her suffering that skill and human kindness could do. She is, we believe, with her Savior at rest.

The funeral service was held at the Hopkins Baptist church, Tuesday, a [sic] 2 p.m. conducted by the pastor in the presence of a large company of relatives and sympathizing friends. The floral offerings were beautiful and the singing appropriate.

Mrs. Melick's presence will be missed, not only in the home, but among hosts of friends in the community. The entire community sympathizes with the relatives and especially with the husband and his little family.

D. W. G.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1911

Subject: Jackson A. Applegate

Source: *The Hutchinson [KS] Gazette*, 10 Jan 1911, Tuesday, p. 6

Word was received in Hutchinson yesterday of the death yesterday forenoon, at Langdon of Jackson Applegate. His son, E. B. Applegate, was formerly in the shoe business here, having a store on Main street. He lives now at Houston, Texas.

Same

Source: *Sylvia [KS] Sun*, 12 Jan 1911, Thursday, p. 5

Jackson Applegate, an old soldier, and father of J. R. Applegate, died at his home in Langdon, last Monday morning and was buried Tuesday afternoon.

Date of death: 15 May 1915

Subject: John Henry Applegate

Source: *The Hopkins [MO] Journal*, 20 May 1915, Thursday, p. 3

John H. Applegate was born in Ludham, England, July 23, 1854, and departed this life at his late home 7 miles west of Hopkins, Saturday, May 15, 1915, aged 61 years, 9 months and 22 days.

He was married to Miss Eliza Frost July 12, 1883. To this union two children were born, Mrs. May Shafer and Eunice Thomas. These with one grandchild, Darrell Shafer, and the devoted wife and mother survive to mourn his departure.

At the age of about 16 years he immigrated to America, locating in Nodaway county where he resided continuously until death.

Brother Applegate was widely and favorably known as an honest and true friend and neighbor, a devoted and loving husband and father.

He had been afflicted with rheumatism some 14 years but the immediate cause of his death was paralysis.

The funeral service was held at the home on Sunday afternoon. Rev. H. McNamee officiating. The remains were interred in the Hopkins cemetery.

Date of death: 2 Oct 1887

Subject: Margaret Mary (Applegate) Bilby

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 04 Oct 1887, Tuesday, p. 1

Quitman, October 3.-- Mrs. Mary Bilby, wife of John S. Bilby, of Nodaway county, died very suddenly Sunday morning. As was her custom she rose early and sat down to breakfast with her husband and family. While eating she suddenly fell back, and without saying a word expired. She was a most exemplary lady and had always been held in the highest esteem by all who knew her. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn her loss. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause of her sudden demise. She was buried at Quitman yesterday. Her husband is one of the wealthiest and most influential men in this section, owning more land in Atchison and Nodaway counties than any person. He is well known in commercial circles, and has been very prominent in various capacities.

Date of death: 27 Dec 1917

Subject: Thomas Applegate

Source: *The Hopkins [MO] Journal*, 03 Jan 1918, Thursday, p. 8

Thomas Applegate was born in Clark county, Ill., September 11, 1856, and passed away at his home in Hopkins, Mo., December 27, 1917 at 3:30 A. M.

In early childhood he moved with his parents to this community, living since then in Taylor county, Iowa, and near Hopkins, with the exception of one year in Kansas.

On Feb. 22, 1883, he was united in marriage to Miss Mattie Adams. To this union were born two children, Frankie May and Thomas Fay, who with the good wife survive him.

In early manhood [sic] he confessed Christ and united with the Union Baptist church north of Hopkins. During his last illness he placed his membership in the Christian church of Hopkins.

For several years he has been failing in health and all was done that could be to restore his health, but failed. At last death came to relieve his suffering. Besides his wife and two children, he leaves an aged mother, two brothers, Wm. and George, and one sister, Mrs. Alice Gamel, and two small grand children Kathryne Eleanor and Thomas Gregory Applegate, all of or near Hopkins.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Friday, Dec. 28, at 2 p.m. by Rev. B. E. Youtz, pastor of the Christian church. Despite the extreme cold weather, a large concourse of people testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1922

Subject: William Applegate

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 12 Jan 1922, Thursday, p. 1

William Applegate, seventy two years of age, and one of Nodaway county's pioneer residents, died at seven o'clock Sunday evening at his home in Hopkins. Funeral services were conducted at the home Tuesday afternoon and burial was in the Hopkins cemetery.

Date of death: 3 Jul 1922

Subject: Ella Loraine (Appleman) Ambrose

Source: *The Mound City [MO] Journal*, 06 Jul 1922, Thursday, p. 5

Ella Loraine Appleman, daughter of John and Sarah Appleman, was born near Mason City, Ill., December 9, 1865, and died in Bigelow, July 2, 1922, at the age of 56 years, 6 months and 23 days.

Her girlhood was spent near her birthplace, from whence in 1883 when eighteen years of age she moved with her parents to Atchison County, Mo., and located near Skidmore.

On July 23, 1884, she was united in marriage to George Edward Ambrose and they made their home near Skidmore until 1902 when they moved to the vicinity of Mound City, where they resided until his death; he having departed this life September 17, 1911.

To this union were born three children; one son, Kirk of Las Vegas Nevada; and two daughters, Mrs. Verne Nauman, Mound City, and Mrs. Phoebe A. Lundy of Bigelow, all of whom were present at her bedside during her last illness. After the death of her husband, Mrs. Ambrose lived near Mound City until the fall of 1920 when with her daughter Mrs. Lundy she moved to Bigelow, where she made her home until her death.

During her last illness everything that love and devotion could devise was done in an effort to alleviate her great suffering, but to no avail and God in mercy called her home.

There remains to mourn her departure, her children and a host of relatives and friends, who have lost in her a kind and loving mother, a true companion, and an ever sympathizing friend.

The bereaved ones have the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their great sorrow.

Funeral service was conducted at the Christian Church in Bigelow, July 4th at 10 a.m., by Rev. G. W. Ellenberger. Text, 'Therefore, we are always confident, knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord; 2 Cor. 5:6.' After which interment was made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Date of death: 1 Mar 1902

Subject: William Appleton

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 03 Mar 1902, Monday, p. 3

The death angel hovered over two homes near Hopkins Saturday and Sunday and took the lives of two well known citizens.

William Appleton, living in the neighborhood of Hopkins for the greater part of his life, answered the call Saturday. At the time of his death he was resting at the home of Prof. R. E. McCann. The demise was due to dropsy of the heart.

The deceased leaves two daughters and three sons, Mrs. Russ Hook, and Mrs. Wes Lytle, Ed Appleton, a son at Kansas City and one at Vinton, Iowa. The funeral was held Monday.

Date of death: 3 Nov 1879

Subject: George Apthorpe

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 13 Nov 1879, Thursday, p. 3

Mt. Pleasant. We had occasion to mourn the loss of a worthy friend, Mr. Apthorpe, last Monday. He fell asleep in Christ after a severe illness of typhoid fever. Funeral services took place Tuesday morning at Pickering at the M. E. church, conducted by the Rev. Roof, after which his remains were followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of friends and relatives.

Date of death: 5 Dec 1912

Subject: Lucy (Archer) Johnson

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 12 Dec 1912, Thursday, p. 6

(From Friday's Daily.) Mrs. Lucy Archer Johnson of 216 East First street, this city, passed away Thursday night at 7 o'clock, after a rheumatic illness of two years. She was 61 years, 7 months and 1 day old.

Mrs. Johnson's suffering from the beginning of her illness was intense, and only for her strong constitution, lovable and courageous character she would have been taken in much less time.

Mrs. Johnson came to Nodaway county with her husband, James M. Johnson, some forty years ago from Jellico, Tenn., the birthplace of both. For many years she and Mr. Johnson made their home on one of their farms, six miles north of Maryville. She was the mother of ten children, seven of whom are living, with seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. The children surviving with their father and Mrs. W. T. Gray and Mrs. Raymond T. Jones of Maryville, Walter E. Johnson of Pickering, L. Luster Johnson of St. Louis; Ernest A. Johnson of Colorado Springs, Col.; Mrs. J. Louis Crum of Fulton, Mo., and Miss Lola P. Johnson, at home, all of whom were at the mother's bedside when she passed away except L. Luster Johnson, who was unable to reach Maryville until Friday morning, and was accompanied by Mrs. Johnson.

The funeral services will be held from the First Baptist church of this city at 11 o'clock a.m. Sunday morning, conducted by Rev. J. D. Randolph of the M. E. church, South, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel, who is at Excelsior Springs for treatment. Interment will take place in Oak Hill cemetery.

Date of death: 11 Jun 1913

Subject: Winfred Weldon Archer

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 19 Jun 1913, Thursday, p. 1

Winfred Weldon Archer, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Archer, was born May 25, 1913, and departed this life June 11, 1913, aged 17 days. The funeral services were conducted from their home in Gaynor City, Mo., June 12, by Challie E. Graham, and the remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at the same place.

The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a large host of friends. May they trust in Him who doeth all things well, and who cares for even the sparrows when they fall.

*'Ere sin could blight or sorrow fade,
Death came with friendly care;
The opening bud to heaven conveyed,
And bad [sic] it blossom there.'*

Date of death: 13 May 1902

Subject: Jane E. (Ardery) Breckenridge

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 May 1902, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Breckinridge, widow of Geo. W. Breckinridge, who was killed by outlaws in this county during the civil war, died in St. Joseph at a quarter past 12 Tuesday morning. She was a native of Kentucky.

Date of death: 8 Sep 1916

Subject: John William Ardery

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Sep 1916, Friday, p. 1

Will Ardery, who lived in Savannah many years and is the son of Mrs. J. A. Sanders of this city and a brother of J. S. Ardery, was buried at Mount Mora cemetery Sunday afternoon after funeral services at the Francis Street M. E. Church. He was a traveling salesman many years and was a respected and honored citizen.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Sep 1916, Friday, p. 5

J. W. Ardery died at his home in St. Joseph last Friday, aged 57 years, after an illness of nearly three years. He was born in Savannah and lived here until about 21 years old when he went to St. Joseph. Practically all his business life was spent as a traveling salesman, thirty-three of these with the Shapleigh Hardware Co. He is survived by his wife, his mother, Mrs. Julius A. Sanders, two brothers Charles W., of St. Joseph and Sam of this city, and one sister, Mrs. P. L. Hudgens, of Chicago. Funeral services were conducted at the family residence Sunday afternoon, the U. C. T. conducting the burial service at the cemetery.

Date of death: 12 Dec 1893

Subject: Lucy (Ardery) Libby

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 22 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 5 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 1 (sourcing *The Holt County [MO] Democrat*)

Mrs. Lucy Libby, wife of Freeman Libby, departed this life at her home, four miles north of Oregon, on Thursday, December 14, 1893, at 5:25 p.m.

Mrs. Libby's maiden name was Ardery. She was born at Savannah, Mo., May 10, 1855. At an early age she gave her heart to Christ and united with the M. E. church. She was married to Freeman Libby at Maryville, Mo., Nov. 28, 1872, and lived at Maitland until 1883, when the family removed to the Triumph neighborhood, where they lived four years, coming to Union in March, 1887. Mrs. Libby was the mother of six children, three of whom, Robert, Minnie and Fred, survive her. The other three, Sammy, Mabel, and Rose, have preceded her to the better land. She was a fond and loving mother; a true and devoted wife.

For nine weary years consumption preyed upon her system and her sufferings were intense. Yet she never was heard to complain. Her protracted illness drew her nearer and nearer to her family until, when at last her summons came to go, her loved ones found their bereavement almost unbearable. But although she loved them so tenderly, she was ready to go.

Husband and children, she suffers no more pain now. Neither will she be a stranger in heaven. There were ties that bound her to the other shore, as well as to this one. We can not call her back, but we can go to her.

When the hour arrived for the last sad rights [sic], many neighbors and friends gathered at the home to tender their sympathy to the sorrow-stricken family. Elder A. G. Alderman conducted the simple burial service, and the remains of the deceased were conveyed to the cemetery at Oregon where they were laid to rest.

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Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At their residence near Oregon, Holt county, Mo., Thursday evening, December 14 [sic], 1893, Mrs. Libby, wife of Mr. Freeman Libby, aged 39 years.

Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Oregon Saturday in the presence of relatives and friends. Mrs. Libby was a daughter of Mrs. J. A. Sanders of this city, and was born and raised here. She leaves a husband and three children.

Date of death: 15 Oct 1904

Subject: Mary Ann (Ardery) Moseley Brown

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 16 Oct 1904, Sunday, p. 8

Mary A. Brown, widow of the late T. A. Brown, and one of the early settlers of Buchanan county, died at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Cook, Hemple, Mo.

Mrs. Brown was 79 years old and has been a residence of Buchanan county for the past 60 years. She is survived by three sons, R. C., William, and T. P. Mosley [sic] and one daughter, Mrs. W. S. Cook.

The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the home of the daughter.

Same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 17 Oct 1904, Monday, p. 2

Mrs. Mary A. Brown, widow of the late Thomas A. Brown, for many years presiding judge of the county court of Buchanan County, died Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Cook, at Hemple, Mo. She was seventy-nine years old and had ben a resident of this county sixty years. She is survived by three sons, Thomas P. Moseley, assistant superintendent of the county farm, Robert C. Moseley of Forty Worth, Texas, and William Moseley of Denver, Colo., and one daughter, Mrs. Cook. The funeral was conducted Sunday from the home of Mrs. Cook. Mrs. Brown had been in poor health ever since the death of Judge Brown, several years ago. Since her husband's death she had made her home during a great portion of the time at the residence of her son, Thomas, at 619 Bon Ton street, this city. She was buried at Hemple this morning.

Date of death: 18 Aug 1923

Subject: Elvira Hortense Argo

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 18 Aug 1923, Saturday, p. 1

Elvira Argo, fifteen years of age, died this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Argo of Skidmore after a few days of illness of influenza [sic]. She is survived by her parents and three sisters, Alta, Myrtle and Della at home and four brothers, Virgil, Iva and James at home and Merlin who is away on an extended western trip and is in Washington at this time. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Date of death: 23 Feb 1923

Subject: James William Argo

Source: *Skidmore [MO] News*, 15 Mar 1923, Thursday, p. 1

William Argo, the little twenty-two months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Argo, died Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock, at the home of his parents, four miles south east of Quitman. The little boy had been ill with heart disease and flu since the first of March. The funeral services were held at the Quitman M. E. Church Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. J. O. Taylor. Burial was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Date of death: 10 Jun 1893

Subject: Mary Ann (Aringer) Speaker

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Jun 1893, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Mary Speaker, wife of Henry Speaker, deceased, died of cholera morbus, at the residence of her friend, Mrs. Anderson, at Clarksdale, Nebraska, Saturday last, aged 73 years. Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Flag Springs.

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Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Jun 1893, Friday, p. 5

The remains of Mrs. Henry Speaker, who died in Nebraska, last Saturday, were brought to this place, Wednesday morning, and followed by a number of her former friends here were taken to Flag Springs, for burial. Her husband was at one time owner of Elrod's mills, and the deceased will be kindly remembered by many of our citizens. She was the mother of Edward Speaker.-- [Union Star *Comet*.

Date of death: 25 Aug 1904

Subject: Myrtle Armagost

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Sep 1904, Friday, p. 1

Near Fillmore, on Thursday, August 25, the little daughter of John and Aretta Armagost died, aged 2 years and 1 month.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Sep 1904, Friday, p. 1

Died. Near Fillmore, Mo., August 25, little daughter of John and Aretta Armagast [sic]. Aged two years and one month. Interment at Green cemetery August 26.

C. H.

Date of death: 27 Sep 1888

Subject: Charles H. M. Armentrout

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 20 Sep 1888, Thursday, p. 4- *not an obituary*

Charles Armentrout who has been at work in St. Joseph for some time past, met with a severe accident last Thursday in that city whereby he lost his left arm. In attempting to board an engine, he slipped and fell to the ground, and the wheels passed over his left arm crushing and mangling it so that it had to be amputated at the shoulder. He is now lying at his parents [sic] residence in Maryville doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Date of death: 23 Mar 1913

Subject: Luther A. Armfield

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Mar 1913, Friday, p. 1

Four people were killed and about eleven injured and twenty houses and barns demolished and greatly damaged, besides household goods, clothing, orchards, fences, trees and telephone lines being destroyed tells some of the havoc wrought in the eastern part of this county Sunday evening, but the great wonder is that so many lives were almost miraculously saved when so many occupied houses were totally wrecked.

The funerals of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Armfield were held at Flag Springs yesterday. Mr. Armfield was lifeless when found but Mrs. Armfield died a few minutes after being carried into a neighbor's house.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 28 Mar 1913, Friday, p. 1

Andrew county's share of the tornado which did such deadly damage at Omaha, and at various other points in Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa, Sunday night was a destructive cyclone which took four lives and brought a heavy loss of property in the vicinity of Flag Springs and northeast of Savannah.

... Near Flag Springs Mr. and Mrs. Armfield tenants on one of the Howell farms, were killed, the wife while still in bed. Their two children were badly hurt, but will recover....

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Apr 1913, Friday, p. 1 and *The Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 04 Apr 1913, Friday, p. 1

A heartbroken community met at the Baptist church in Flag Springs Thursday afternoon, March 27, in funeral services over the remains of Luther A. Armfield and Mabel August Armfield, nee Howell, his wife, victims of the storm of Sunday evening. The services were conducted by the Rev. W. L. Scarborough in the presence of a company that filled the church to overflowing. No more highly respected young people were to be found in the community. Honest, industrious ous³ [sic] God-fearing it would seem that the future held nothing but good but in a moment their lives were snuffed out and only desolation reigned where, but a short time before a beautiful and happy home had stood. A little nephew, a little daughter five years of age, and a baby one year old escaped from the wreck and are in the kind and loving hands of the parents of Mrs. Armfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Howell. These grief stricken parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood as they bravely face their sorrow.

Luther was a native of Carroll county, Virginia, and was born January 19, 1874, and when one year old was taken by his parents to Sunny county, North Caroline. In the spring of 1900 he came to Missouri and in 1905 was married to Mabel Howell, who was born July 17, 1884, near Flag Springs, and was one of four children, the other three survive. Three children were born to

³ The *Democrat* omits.

Mr. and Mrs. Armfield, one dying in infancy. Following the funeral services the bodies were laid to rest in one grave and with tear-dimmed eyes we turned away beginning God's benediction upon us that remain looking forward in hope to make safe anchorage in 'the haven of rest' when all of life's storms are past^{4,5}

'This is one of the saddest experiences of my life and I am sick at heart with the memory of the awful desolation wrought by the storm,' said Rev. Scarborough in sending to the office the above report. Rev. Scarborough was a friend of Mr. Howell's family when he lived at Union Star and was a pastor at Platte Chapel. He is now pastor at Macon City.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Apr 1913, Friday, p. 4

Platte Chapel. The Armfield children are improving nicely and they have great hopes at this time of the baby recovering.

Date of death: 1992

Subject: Thelma E. Armfield

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 28 Mar 1913, Friday, p. 8- *erroneous*

Thelma Armfield, the 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Armfield, who met their death in Sunday nights [sic] tornado, died Wednesday morning, making the fifth victim of the storm to die. J. A. Reed and E. R. Arterburn died Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Armfield were almost instantly killed.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 11 Apr 1913, Friday, p. 4

Whitesville Banner. The Armfield children are reported to all be getting along nicely with every prospect for complete recovery. The report current that the baby was in critical condition and could not recover is entirely without foundation.

Date of death: 21 Mar 1922

Subject: Estella May (Armstrong) Collins

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 23 Mar 1922, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Thomas Collins of Parnell died last night at a hospital in St. Joseph where she had been confined for three or four weeks. Death was caused by pneumonia fever. The body will be sent to Parnell for burial and is expected to arrive there today. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted by the Rev. W. F. Wiley, pastor of the church. Burial will be in the Parnell cemetery. Besides her husband, Mrs.

⁴ The *Democrat* says "over."

⁵ The *Democrat* article ends here, attributing "W. L. S."

Collins is survived by four children, three daughters and one son. They are Mrs. Edith Wilson of Sheridan, Mo., Miss Lucile Collins, who teaches near Oxford, Miss Cecil Collins, a teacher in the Quitman schools, and Delores Collins at home. Mrs. Collins was about forty-three years old.

Date of death: 27 Sep 1900

Subject: Harry Armstrong

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 29 Sep 1900, Saturday, p. 2

Harry Armstrong, aged twenty-one years, died at the home of his father, five and one-half miles east of Maryville, Thursday night of typhoid fever. He had been ill for some time, but it was not expected that his sickness would terminate fatally. The funeral occurred [sic] at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. It was conducted by Elder L. E. Martin a former pastor of the Baptist church in Maryville, who is here attending the revival services.

Date of death: 4 Nov 1919

Subject: Ives Andrew Armstrong

Source: *Moberly [MO] Evening Democrat*, 05 Nov 1919, Wednesday, p. 1

Last evening at 5:30 o'clock, Ives A. Armstrong passed away in Woodland hospital.

Mr. Armstrong was a contractor from Stanberry. He was 59 years old on March 15th last.

The surviving relatives are: his daughter, Miss Ursula Armstrong, Quincy, Ill.; two sons, George I. Armstrong, Moulton; Harry Armstrong, Stanberry; two sisters, Mrs. T. L. Gray, St. Joseph; Mrs. C. E. Owens, Ogden, Utah; one brother, A. C. Armstrong, Stanberry.

The remains were taken to Stanberry this afternoon on No. 3 for the funeral and interment.

Date of death: 18 Nov 1888

Subject: James J. Armstrong

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 22 Nov 1888, Thursday, p. 1

It was a surprise to the citizens of Maryville when the sad intelligence spread last Sabbath afternoon that that Mrs. James J. Armstrong had died about noon that day. He had been up town at his foundry the day before, and seemed to be feeling quite bright and cheerful for one of his age. Sunday morning he got up about the usual hour, and ate his usual breakfast. About nine o'clock, however, he was taken with a chill, and at eleven his son, William, came up town after Dr. W. P. Moore, but when the doctor got to his place, Mr. Armstrong was dying, and expired in a short time.

The funeral services were held at the Christian church Tuesday, November 20, at 2:30 o'clock. A very large audience was present, thus attesting the great esteem in which Mr. Armstrong was held. Appropriate remarks were made by Elder James S. Frank. The scriptural reading was by

Rev. T. M. S. Kenney, and a prayer, full of the balm of consolation, was offered by Rev. J. H. Cox. An eloquent sermon on the life and character of the deceased was then preached by the pastor, Elder N. E. Cory. The services throughout were pathetic. At the close of the sermon a last look was taken at the familiar face, and then the remains were taken to Miriam cemetery, under charge of Nodaway Lodge No. 470 A. F. & A. M., of which lodge he was a member, and were committed to the tomb, with the impressive Masonic ceremonies, conducted by Rev. T. M. S. Kenney.

Father Armstrong, as he was familiarly and lovingly called, was a good, noble, grand man. His words, at all times and on all occasions, were words of wisdom and of peace. He was a devoted Christian, and lived for a life purer and better than this. The following historical sketch we take from the 'Nodaway County History:'

James J. Armstrong was born in Washington county, Pennsylvania, December 17, 1810. His grandfather, Col. James Armstrong, was a soldier of the revolutionary war. Trades and professions are sometimes handed down in a family from one generation to another. Such appears to be the case in the Armstrong family. The great grandfather of the subject of this sketch had a foundry in the district of Columbia, at an early day. James Armstrong, the father of J. J., had a foundry and machine shop in Claysville, Washington county, Pennsylvania. Here Mr. A., at an early age, commenced and learned his profession. In 1833 he entered the United States navy in the capacity of engineer, serving several years, after which he worked as a journeyman in several cities, eventually engaging in business at Pomeroy, Ohio, in 1844. There he built the rolling mill of Messrs. Pomeroy & Horton, remaining one year, when he returned to Cincinnati, and lived there two years. He then entered the Bureau of Construction in the U. S. navy, continuing several years. While connected with the navy he passed through the Mexican troubles and did good service during that memorable war. After the battle of Vera Cruz, he volunteered from the navy and entered the ranks, still holding his position as master in the navy. He was in Lieut. Totten's command, under Gen. Scott, and was at the taking of the City of Mexico, and served through until the close, being once wounded. After returning to the states he located for a time in Mobile, Alabama, being on detached service, and superintending the construction of the iron work on the Mobile custom house. Upon the completion of that structure, he resigned and came to St. Louis. While in that city he was for a time in the employ of the Excelsior Stove Works, and afterwards took charge of the foundry department of Palm & Robinson's Locomotive works. He also had charge of Cuddy, Carpenter & Co's. Broadway foundry. In 1860 he moved to Liberty, Clay county, Missouri, and started a foundry but this enterprise did not prove very remunerative, the slavery question being strongly agitated and Mr. A. being an ardent Union man, it had a serious effect on his business. When the rebellion broke out it was his desire to rejoin the navy, but owing to family ties he was obliged to remain nearer home. He took an active part in organizing and recruiting a company, of which he was tendered the captaincy, but declined and accepted the position of orderly sergeant. He was principally on detached service and served through till the close, when he was honorably discharged. After the war he again turned his attention to the foundry business at Liberty, continuing until February, 1876, when he came to Maryville and established a foundry here. He was twice married-- first in 1844, to Miss

Elizabeth Garrett. There are four children living by this marriage. Mrs. A. died in 1856. In 1858 Margaret Conner [sic] became his wife, who survives. They had one son, William Armstrong, the foundryman of this city.

'Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints.'

Date of death: 23 May 1901

Subject: Jennie Armstrong

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 07 Jun 1901, Friday, p. 4

Nodaway County. Jennie Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Armstrong, died at the home of her parents, five miles east of Maryville, Thursday afternoon May 23. She was aged 23.

Date of death: 16 Feb 1918

Subject: John J. Armstrong

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 19 Feb 1918, Tuesday, p. 2

John J. Armstrong was born in Washington county, Pa., February 15, 1832, and died February 16, 1918, at the age of 86 years and one day. He moved from Pennsylvania in February, 1854, and traveled overland to Illinois and settled in Peoria county. In the fall of 1882 he moved to his farm five miles east of Maryville, where he had lived thirty-five years. He was married to Louisa Walliker, July 4, 1863, in Peoria county, Ill. Eight children were born to them, four of whom are now living.

He was baptised [sic] on March 20, 1871, by Rev. Isaac Barton, a pioneer Baptist preacher of Illinois, and united with the First Baptist church of Maryville during the pastorate of the Rev. T. M. S. Kenney.

Funeral services were held at the Oak Hill church east of Maryville, on Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. T. H. Wiles, pastor of the First Baptist church of Maryville. Mrs. H. L. Raines and Mrs. R. B. Montgomery gave a number of selections. Burial took place in the Oak Hill cemetery.

Date of death: 21 Aug 1908

Subject: Mary Elizabeth (Armstrong) White

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Aug 1908, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Aug 1908, Friday, p. 1

Mary Elizabeth Armstrong was born near Jacksonville, Ill., July 13⁶, 1843; married to Robert G. White February, 1867; came to Andrew county the same year and settled on a farm a mile east of

⁶ The *Democrat* says 17.

Flag Springs, where she ably assisted her husband in building up on the raw prairie one of the prettiest homes in the county and where she spent the remainder of her earth-life.

Three children were born to them, Harvey, who lives at Flag Springs, Mabel, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools, and Mamie, now Mrs. George Mawes [sic], of Union Star. In 1862 [sic] Sister White publicly confessed her Savior, during a meeting held at Whitesville by Elder J. H. Shull, a cousin of hers, and was by him 'buried with Christ by baptism,' and throughout all these years has honored the profession [sic] she made by 'an unright walk and godly conversation.' When the Christian church was organized at Union Star in 1887, she became a charter member. Her faith was unwavering and her hope of eternal life strong. After some five weeks illness the Spirit passed to its Maker Aug. 21, 1908.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Aug. 23, and were largely attended. The services were conducted by Elder Chapman, assisted by Elder Devol, of Union Star. The body was laid to rest in the Flag Springs cemetery. Besides her husband and children she is survived by four sisters. They are Mrs. Carrie Sewell, of Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Susie McKinney, of Union Star; Mrs. Angie Clark, of Bolckow, and Mrs. Lillian Buster, of Coal Hill, Ark. All except the latter were present at the funeral.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 28 Aug 1908, Friday, p. 1

Mary Elizabeth Armstrong was born near Jacksonville, Illinois, July 17, 1843. Married to Robert Gaston White, February 1867. Came to Andrew county the same year and settled on a farm a mile east of Flag Springs, where she ably assisted her husband in building upon the raw prairie one of the prettiest homes in county, and where she spent the remainder of her earth-life. Three children were born to them, Harvey who lives at Flag Springs, Mabel, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools and Mamie, now Mrs. George Dawes of Union Star.

In 1872 Sister White publicly confessed her Saviour during a meeting held at Whitesville by Elder J. R. Shuff, a cousin of hers, and was by him 'buried with Christ by baptism' and throughout all these years has honored the profession she made by an upright walk and Godly conversion [sic], when the Christian church was organized at Union Star in 1887, she became a charter member. Her faith was unwavering, and her hope of eternal life strong. After some five weeks illness the spirit passed to its maker Aug. 21st, 1908.

Funeral services were conducted at the home August 23, and were largely attended. The services were conducted by Elder Chapman assisted by Elder F. H. Devol of Union Star. The body was laid to rest in the Flag Springs cemetery. Besides her husband, son and two daughters, she is survived by four sisters. They are Mrs. Carrie Sewell of Louisville Kentucky, Mrs. Susie McKinney of Union Star, Mrs. Angie Clark of Bolckow, and Mrs. Lillian Buster of Coal Hill, Ark. All except the latter were present at the funeral.

Date of death: 11 Oct 1900

Subject: Nellie Armstrong

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 12 Oct 1900, Friday, p. 3

Nellie Armstrong, 18 years of age, died at the home of her father, John J. Armstrong, east of town, Friday at 1 o'clock of consumption. The funeral was held Friday at 11 o'clock at the Oak Hill church, five miles east of Maryville.

The death of Miss Armstrong was an unusually sad one because of the fact that her brother, a young man of about 22 years of age, died just two weeks before. The young man died of typhoid fever.

Date of death: 31 Dec 1909

Subject: Salena Sylvia (Armstrong) Acord

Source: [King City MO] *Tri-County News*, 06 Jan 1910, Thursday, p. 1

The subject of this sketch Salina [sic] Armstrong, was born in Zainsville [sic], Muskingum Co., Ohio, Aug. 13, 1832, came to Missouri and settled in Daviess Co. in the 40's. She was married to William Acord Jan. 16, 1851. To this union were born nine children all living but one, Ida. The husband William Acord, preceded his companion to the eternal world Nov. 10, 1907. They walked the way of life together for fifty-six years. They moved in to this community in the year 1882.

Mother Acord made a profession of religion and united with the Christian church in about the year 1870 in Daviess Co., under the ministry of the Rev. Swiney. We are assured by her children that she died in the faith. We do not mourn as they who have no hope.

Death came peacefully Friday morning at 8:15 December 31, 1909. She leaves many relatives who will miss her. Her place will be empty-- a vacant chair.

*"Who ran to help me when I fell
And would some pretty story tell,
Or kiss the place to make it well?
My mother."*

The funeral was preached by the writer at the Methodist Episcopal church in Union Star, Mo., at 2:30 p.m. Jan. 1, 1910, text Jer. 12:5 'How will thou do in the swelling of Jordan?'

Those of the children who attended the funeral were, Erwin[,] John, and Sherman of this place, George of Plattsmouth, Neb., and James of McPherson Co. Kansas. The daughters, Mary of Chino, Cali., Sarrah [sic] of Monta [sic] Vista, Colo., and Alice of Arnagie, Okla., were unable to attend. Interment in the Union Star cemetery.

Hugh S. Mitchell.

Date of death: 27 Feb 1917

Subject: Samuel H. Armstrong

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Mar 1917, Friday, p. 5

Bolckow. Sam Armstrong passed away at his home Tuesday evening at 9:30 o'clock. Funeral arrangements are not yet complete. Obituary next week.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 09 Mar 1917, Friday, p. 4

Bolckow. Samuel H. Armstrong was born November 20, 1838, in Blount county, Tennessee. He was the son of Alexander and Mary Armstrong, and was one of a family of nine children. In the spring of 1862, he enlisted in Company A., 3rd, Tennessee Volunteer Infantry. He served his country until the close of the Civil war, and was honorably discharged from his regiment on the third day of February, 1865. He was married January 21, 1869, in Andrew county, to Amelia [sic] Fannon. To this union two children were born, Charles S., and Samuel E., both living. On June 1, 1882, his wife passed away leaving an infant son Samuel E., nine days old. He was again married to Susan Elizabeth Best on February 26, 1884, who survives him. Beginning with the year, 1871, he has lived continuously in Nodaway county until the fall of 1890, when he moved to Bolckow at which place they have resided until his death which occurred Tuesday February 27, 1917, aged 78 years, 8 months and 7 days. At 11:30 o'clock a.m. Thursday, the funeral services were held at the house conducted by Rev. J. G. Barnes, assisted by Rev. W. F. Wiley, after which the body was taken to the Swinford cemetery, three miles east of Arkoe and laid to rest.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 09 Mar 1917, Friday, p. 8

Bolckow Herald. Uncle Sam Armstrong died at his home in Bolckow at 9:30 Tuesday night. The funeral was held at the house Thursday after which the body was buried in the Swinford cemetery three miles east of Arkoe.

Date of death: 11 Oct 1904

Subject: William Hardin Armstrong

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 25 Nov 1904, Friday, p. 1

The following account of the death of W. H. Armstrong, who lived near Flag Springs, in this county, from 1866-1877, is taken from the Chattanooga, Tenn. News of October 12, and is published by request [sic]:

W. H. Armstrong, one of the best known citizens and prominent contractors of this city, died very suddenly at his farm near Alton Park last night at 10:30 o'clock of neuralgia of the heart. Mr. Armstrong had been complaining yesterday afternoon with a pain in his left arm, which the family physicians says [sic] indicated the approach of the dread malady. He retired, however, soon after 10 o'clock last night and had scarcely become quiet when he suddenly [sic] threw up his hands and expired without uttering a word.

The immediate members of the family including Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, one son, William E. and three daughters, Misses Rena, Kate and Evelyn Armstrong, were all present at the time of his death. L. L. and H. L. Armstrong were in the city at the time, but they were summoned and reached the bedside of their father soon after death. Besides his wife, sons and daughters, Mr. Armstrong leaves a brother, Richard Armstrong, who resides in Meridian, Miss. He also leaves four sisters, as follows: Mrs. C. S. Sewell, of Louisville, Ky.; Mrs. Charles Buster of Coal Hill, Ark.; Mrs. Clarke McKenney, of Union Star, Mo.; Mrs. Robert White, of Union Star and Mrs. Angie A. Clark, of Bolckow, Mo.

Mr. Armstrong secured the contract for erecting several buildings at the new army post, having almost completed the gymnasium at the post. He also built several of the business blocks in this city and many of the best and most substantial residences.

The deceased was 57 years of age last May, and was born in Jacksonville, Ill., where he was reared. He removed to Andrew county Missouri in 1866 and from there to Danville, Ky. He married Miss Kate Buster, of Wayne county, Ky., about 32 years ago. He came from Danville, Ky. to this city eighteen years ago, and has resided here since. He spent the summer on Walden's Ridge with his family but recently purchased a farm of 110 acres just across the Georgia line near Alton Park, where he removed from the ridge. Mr. Armstrong was apparently a very healthy man and never had the attention of a physician for the past fifteen years.

Mr. Armstrong had witnessed the rapid growth of this city for the past eighteen years and it was largely due to his efforts that most of the substantial and beautiful residences have been erected here.

He was a member of the Master Builders' association and a charter member of the Chattanooga Builder's [sic] exchange. He was a member of the membership and printing committee of the exchange in 1903-1904, and also a director during the same year. He was president of the Master Builders' association in 1903. A meeting of the Chattanooga Builders exchange will be held tomorrow night when resolutions of respect will be passed on his death.

Mr. Armstrong is a man in whom friends had the upmost confidence and respect.

Date of death: 11 Jan 1909

Subject: William Jasper Armstrong

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 05 Feb 1909, Friday, p. 1

Chas. McGonigle sends us a copy of The Clear Lake Press, published at his home in Lakeport, Cal. Containing an obituary of a former resident of this county.

William Jasper Armstrong is dead and again we chronicle the death of a California pioneer and an early Lake county settler. The end, which came Monday night without a struggle, was not unexpected, for his health was in a serious condition for some months previous and for 27 years he has been practically helpless cared for by a patient and loving wife. Yet he bore his suffering with scarcely a murmur [sic]. Cancer was the cause of his death. Through all his affliction he exhibited a wonderful vitality. William J. Armstrong was born in Savannah, Andrew Co., Mo., June 7, 1839. He crossed the plains when a young man and at Napa, November 10, 1864, married Miss Anastasia Gordon, who has been his life's companion and now survives him. To this union twelve children were born, ten of whom are now living: George of Camp Meeker, Dave, Ukiah, Louis, Price, Alfred and Alec of Middletown, Mrs. [sic] Martha Armstrong of Ukiah, Mrs. Sarah Dill and Mrs. Stasia Wells Wells [sic] of Potter valley [sic] and Mrs. Emily Musfield of Nevada City. He with his family, first located at Guenoc in 1867 and in 1870 moved to the ranch the family now occupy [sic] in east Middletown. He was known to be an upright, honorable man and a good neighbor.

same

Source: *Petaluma [CA] Daily Morning Courier, 27 Jan 1909, Wednesday, p. 1*

William Jasper Armstrong is dead and again we chronicle the death of a California pioneer and an early Lake county settler. The end came Monday night.

William J. Armstrong was born in Savannah, Andrew Co., Missouri, June 7, 1839. He crossed the plains when a young man and at Napa, November 10, 1864, married Miss Anastasia Gordon, who has since been his life's companion and now survives him. To this union twelve children were born, ten of whom are now living: George of Camp Meeker, Dave of Ukiah, Louis Price, Alfred and Alec of Middletown, Mrs. Martha Armstrong of Ukiah, Mrs. Sarah Dill and Mrs. Stasia Wells of Potter valley and Mrs. Emily Musfield of Nevada City. He, with his family, first located at Guenoc in 1867 and in 1870 moved to the ranch the family now occupy [sic] in east Middletown.

Date of death: 24 Jun 1893

Subject: infant son of Emil Arn

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter, 30 Jun 1893, Friday, p. 8*

The infant child of Emil and Belle Arn, of near Nodaway, died last Saturday night and was buried in the cemetery in that neighborhood.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 30 Jun 1893, Friday, p. 1*

Died.-- Infant son of Emil and Belle Arn, at their residence six miles west of Savannah, Mo., Saturday, June 24, 1893.

Date of death: 15 Oct 1893

Subject: Jacob Arn

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 20 Oct 1893, Friday, p. 1

Jacob Arn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Arn, died October 15, 1893, of consumption. He leaves father, mother, two brothers and five sisters, and many friends to mourn his loss. He was born in 1868, August 15; was converted in the German Reform church in 1883. He lived a true Christian the remainder of his life. His remains were laid to rest in the German cemetery.

*Call not back the dear departed,
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border-land we left him,
Soon to meet and part no more;*

*Far beyond this world of changes--
Far beyond this world of care--
We shall find our missing loved one,
In our Father's mansion fair.*

*This lovely bud, so young and fair,
Called hence by early doom,
Just came to show how sweet a flower
In Paradise would bloom!*

*E're sin could harm or sorrow fade,
Death came, with friendly care,
The opening bud to Heaven conveyed,
And bade it blossom there!*

*Dearest brother, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that hast bereft us--
He can all our sorrows heal.*

*Yes, again we hope to meet thee
When the day of life hath fled--
When in Heaven-- with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tears are shed.*

Susie Steeby.

Date of death: 17 Sep 1905

Subject: Jakob Arn

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Sep 1905, Friday, p. 8

Nodaway. Charley Schopfer and wife visited Mrs. Schopfer's father, Jacob Arn, Sunday.

Jacob Arn is very sick.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Sep 1905, Friday, p. 1 and *The Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Sep 1905, Friday, p. 5

Died at his home, 2 1/2 miles north of Nodaway, Sunday, Sept. 17, at 11:30 p.m., Jacob Arn, aged 73 years, 2 months and 28 days. Mr. Arn was born in Berne, Switzerland, in 1832, and came to American in 1883, and has resided in Andrew county ever since. Last spring he submitted to surgical operation for a tumor, and has been in declining health ever since. Besides his devoted wife he leaves six children, Misses Ida and Rosa, who are at home, Mrs. Charles Hardin, of Fillmore, Mrs. Charles Schopfer, Emil Arn and Arnold Arn, and fifteen grandchildren, all of whom were by his bedside when the end came. By his death Andrew county loses a highly respected farmer. On Tuesday Rev. [John]⁷ Burry, of St. Joseph, held funeral services at the German church in Amazonia, and the remains were laid to rest in the German cemetery there. [The bereft have the sympathy of all]⁸.

Date of death: 30 Dec 1890

Subject: Rosina (Arn) Zimmerman

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Jan 1891, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- At their residence in Lincoln township, Andrew county, Mo., of jaundice, Tuesday, December 30, 1890, Mrs. John Zimmerman, aged 60 years 6 months and 13 days.

Date of death: 20 Jun 1923

Subject: Wilber Harvey Arn

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Jun 1923, Friday, p. 1

Wilber Harvey, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arn died in St. Joseph Sunday of infantile paralysis. Had he lived he would have been six months old June 28th. He was taken to a St. Joseph hospital two weeks ago and removed to a friends home Saturday evening. Funeral services were held at the First Methodist church, Rev. A. C. Brown officiating.

⁷ In the Democrat only

⁸ In the Reporter only

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 29 Jun 1923, Friday, p. 5

Little Wilbur [SIC] Harvey Arn was born, December 28, 1922, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Arn, near Mount Vernon, an departed this life, June 24, 1923, at the home of W. W. McColgin, St. Joseph, at the age of 5 months and 24 days.

Though a baby of so tender days, his disposition was one of sweetness and the glance from his cheerful face spread sunshine in the home and in the lives of his loved ones.

All that loving hands, tender nursing and medical skill could do was done, but withal the tender flower of the morning was transplanted to bloom forever in the Garden of God.

At 6:30 Sunday morning, the little face, which does always behold the face of Our Father in Heaven, lighted up with a smile, closed his eyes, to awaken in the arms of the Master. Where little bodies are not distorted with pain or little hands and feet benumbed with paralysis.

It is but natural that a father and mother would be absorbed in the love of so angelic a visitant, and the coming of the first born be an event in the family life, equaled in joy, only by the reuniting of families in heaven, to which these young parents and loved ones may look forward with increasing expectation and the hope of undisturbed fellowship forever, with God who gave his only Begotten Son, that this immortal fellowship be achieved.

The funeral was conducted from the First M. E. church by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Brown, Monday. Burial was in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 8 Nov 1912

Subject: Almeda (Arnold) McGuire

Source: *Sayre [OK] Standard*, 14 Nov 1912

Grimes Community News:

Mrs. Almeda McGuire, formerly of Grimes, but who has resided southwest of Berlin the past two years was found dead in the maize field last Friday. She had gone to the field to head some maize and was apparently in good health when she left the house. The exact cause of her death is not yet known. She leaves two sons, Ernest and Albert and two daughters, Emma and Mrs. Frank Jones to mourn the loss of one dutiful and loving mother. Mrs. McGuire was well liked by all who knew her, and had such an ever cheerful disposition that was remarkable. Interment was made in the Wayland Cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Date of death: 22 Mar 1918

Subject: Elnora (Arnold) Paxton

Source: *Worth County [MO] Tribune*, 27 Mar 1918, Wednesday, p. 8

Elnora Arnold was born in Harrison County, Mo., Dec. 27, 1852. Died at her home in Parnell, Mo., March 22, 1918, aged 65 years, 2 months and 23 days. She was united in marriage May 31, 1870 to John N. Paxton. To this union was [sic] born 11 children, 5 boys and 6 girls. Two of the boys, namely Eddie and Ernie, died in infancy. The nine that survive all of whom were present at the funeral are Carry Rippy, of Willow Springs, Mo., May Harris, of Parnell, Mo., Gertrude Kimberling of Benton, Ia., Mattie Scadden of Weldon, Iowa., John Paxton Jr., of Henry, Neb., Lewada McKim of Dallas, Ia., Sadie McKim of Scotts Bluff, Neb., and Walter and Lorn of Parnell, Mo., who have given all of their time for the last two years in caring for their mother.

In the year 1890 the deceased confessed her faith in Christ and united with the church of Christ at Oxford, Mo., during the ministry of J. H. Coffey. Since then she has lived a quiet, consecrated Christian life, an unselfish life, a life of sacrifice for others. She was also a devoted wife and a tender, loving mother. During the 8 years of her suffering and sickness she was always patient and kind, willing to wait for the crown.

Besides her companion and nine children she leaves to mourn her loss 20 grand children, one great grand child, 4 brothers and two sisters.

Gone home mother, gone to that long sweet happy rest, though we shall miss thee, but we long to meet then, when we too, are called to rest. Gone home, mother, gone to rest.

The funeral services were held at Oxford, Mo., March 25, 1918, by Challie E. Graham, and the remains laid to rest in the cemetery at the same place.

The bereaved ones have the sympathy of friends in this hour of sorrow.

Date of death: 21 Feb 1904

Subject: Ethel D. Arnold

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Forum*, 07 Jan 1904, Thursday, p. 3

After two days spent in hearing the testimony of witnesses and listening to the arguments off [sic] attorneys, the jury in the case of Ethel Arnold by her next friend Charles Arnold vs. City of Maryville, gave the plaintiff \$2250 damages.

The facts in the case are as follows: About August 1, 1898, Miss Arnold stubbed her right foot, while passing over the sidewalk at the intersection of Ninth and Main streets. It seems as though the side walk here was in a bad condition.

This injury, apparently at least, was not serious and the little girl continued her school work without intermission. Eighteen months later a cancerous growth, called sarcoma, appeared on the instep of this same foot.

An operation was performed about June 23, 1902, and the leg was removed at the knee.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 18 Jan 1904, Monday, p. 3

Ethel Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arnold, North Main street, is in a critical condition from hemorrhage, with which she was seized Monday morning.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 22 Feb 1904, Monday, p. 4

Ethel Arnold, the daughter of Charles Arnold, died at the family residence on North Mulberry street Sunday evening, aged fifteen years.

Miss Arnold is survived by two brothers, Walter and Henry Arnold, two sisters, Margaret and Marjory Arnold, and her parents. She had been an invalid for several years, and had been bedfast for a month before her death.

Miss Arnold was given a judgment for \$2,200 against the city, during the November term of the circuit court, damages for injuries alleged to have been received in falling on a defective sidewalk at North Main and Ninth streets in August 1898. Her counsel alleged that she stubbed her toe on a projection on the walk, and that, as a result, a cancerous growth formed, which necessitated the amputation of her leg a couple of years after.

The case was tried before Judge Burnes, who afterwards overruled a motion for a new trial by City Attorney J. S. Shinabargar. The city appealed the case to the Kansas City Court of Appeals.

If the higher court remands the case back to the circuit court for retrial the case will end there as the death of the plaintiff makes a retrial of the case impossible. In the event of the decision of the lower court being affirmed, the city will have no further means of redress, but must pay the judgment to the heirs of the deceased plaintiff.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon from the First Christian church, Rev. W. A. Fite officiating. Interment will be made in Miriam cemetery. The body will lie in state from 10 until 12:30 o'clock.

Date of death: 31 Dec 1910

Subject: Lewis Whitfield Arnold

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 05 Jan 1911, Thursday, p. 7

The funeral services of Lewis W. Arnold, who died Saturday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the home on North Main street, conducted by Dr. C. P. Luce, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The home at which the services were held had been the home of Mr. Arnold since coming to Maryville 41 years ago.

Since the death of his wife several years ago Mr. Arnold has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Martin Lewis, and later his granddaughter, Mrs. Emery Airy, and Mr. and Mrs. Airy made their home with him.

Mr. Arnold was nearly 86 years old. All during his life he had enjoyed unusually good health, even in the latest years. Thursday morning he arose as usual and just as he sat down to the breakfast table he was stricken with paralysis. He did not regain consciousness and within about an hour after the first stroke received a second. Mr. Arnold was born at Dixmont Corner, Me., May 25, 1825. He was married to Miss May Fletcher May 25, 1847. With his family he came to Maryville in 1869, He leaves four children, James [sic] Arnold of Excelsior Springs, Charles P. Arnold of Kansas City, J. L. Arnold of Pierre, S. D., and Mrs. Matrin [sic] Lewis of this city.

Date of death: 4 Aug 1923

Subject: Mary Jane Foster (Arnold) Singleton

Source: *The Los Angeles [CA] Times*, 05 Aug 1923, Sunday, p. 16

At Anaheim, August 4, Mary Foster Singleton, aged 69 years, widow of the late Thompson L. Singleton, a native of Faris, Ky. She is survived by three sons, Otho A., Milton R. and D. Arnold Singleton, and her brother, Col. Brent Arnold of Cincinnati, O.

Remains in care of Barks, Terry and Campbell, Anaheim. Funeral private.

Date of death: 6 Jan 1922

Subject: Mildred Tapp (Arnold) Logan

Source: *The Kansas City [MO] Star*, 06 Jan 1922, Friday, p. 2

Mrs. Mildred T. Logan, 87 years old, widow of Dr. William G. Logan, died early today at her home, 4155 Warwick boulevard. Death, due to heart disease, resulted after an illness of nearly a year. Mrs. Logan came to Kansas City with her husband and children nearly forty years ago.

She is survived by her son, Dr. James E. Logan, 200 East Forty-fourth street, and two daughters, Miss Frances Logan and Mrs. Lena Logan Means. Funeral services will be from the residence at 2 o'clock Monday. Burial in Mount Washington cemetery will be private.

Date of death: 6 Dec 1904

Subject: Nancy A. (Arnold) Moore

Source: *The Holden [MO] Progress*, 10 Dec 1904, Saturday, p. 8

Mrs. Nancy Arnold Moore, wife of Jesse Moore, died on Tuesday, December 6, at 3 o'clock p.m., aged 51 years 6 months and 26 days. The funeral was held at the family residence, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, Eld. H. R. Murphy conducting the service.

Mrs. Moore was born in Illinois on May 10, 1853, and on April 16, 1870, was married to Jesse Moore in Bates county, Mo.

In 1854 she united with the Primitive Baptists of which organization she ever after lived a consistent and faithful member. She died as she lived in peace with her friends and her God.

She leaves a husband and three children to mourn their loss.

Date of death: 28 Dec 1916

Subject: Sallie M. (Arnold) Chambers

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 29 Dec 1916, Friday, p. 5

Sallie M. Chambers, 29 years, died at 9:15 o'clock last night at a hospital here. She is survived by four children and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. C. Arnold of Bayfield, Mo. The body will be taken to Bayfield today and the funeral will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Church of San Antoine. Burial will be in Thornton cemetery.

Date of death: 7 Sep 1885

Subject: Solomon Arnold

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Sep 1885, Friday, p. 8

On Tuesday of last week the lightning struck the residence of Solomon Arnold, senior, on a farm in Eastern Andrew county, two miles south of Union Star, killing Mr. Arnold, it is supposed, instantly. The house was also much damaged.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 18 Sep 1885, Friday, p. 2

Flag Springs. Solomon Arnold who lived 1 1/2 miles south of Union Star, was killed by lightning Monday night. He was the only person at home at the time. The house was torn to pieces, and Arnold's clothing burned. We understand he had prayed for a year that lightning would strike him. 'Squire Wm. Elrod went down yesterday to hold an inquest on the body.

Date of death: 25 Nov 1897

Subject: Edmonia (Arterburn) Asher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Dec 1897, Friday, p. 4

Maryville Republican. Mrs. Joseph Asher, of Andrew county, died Wednesday of last week at St. Joseph's hospital, in Maryville, from the effects of a surgical operation, which her enfeebled condition would not permit her to recover from.

Date of death: 19 May 1882

Subject: Mildred Serilda (Arterburn) Asher

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 26 May 1882, Friday, p. 1

The wife of Mr. John Asher died at her home in Bolckow, on Friday, the 19th, aged 61 years.

Same

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 26 May 1882, Friday, p. 3

Mrs. Asher wife of John Asher died at her home in Bolckow on Friday, May 19th, 1882.

Date of death: 25 Mar 1913

Subject: Roley Early Arterburn

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 28 Mar 1913, Friday, p. 1

Four people were killed and about eleven injured and twenty houses and barns demolished and greatly damaged, besides household goods, clothing, orchards, fences, trees and telephone lines being destroyed tells some of the havoc wrought in the eastern part of this county Sunday evening, but the great wonder is that so many lives were almost miraculously saved when so many occupied houses were totally wrecked.

... The funeral of Mr. Arterburn on Empire Prairie was held Wednesday. He died Tuesday night. He had gone out to shut the chicken house door and both legs were broken, one in two places and he was severely bruised.

Same

Source: The Andrew County [MO] Republican, 28 Mar 1913, Friday, p. 1

Andrew county's share of the tornado which did such deadly damage at Omaha, and at various other points in Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa, Sunday night was a destructive cyclone which took four lives and brought a heavy loss of property in the vicinity of Flag Springs and northeast of Savannah.

... R. E. Arterburn who had both legs broken and sustained interment injuries in the wreck of his barn died Tuesday morning.

Date of death: 6 Jun 1891

Subject: John M. Arthur

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 19 Jun 1891, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- In St. Joseph, Mo., at 4:30 a.m., Saturday June 6, 1891, Mr. John M. Arthur, aged 65 years and 15 days. The funeral took place from the cathedral in St. Joseph to Mt. [sic] Calvary cemetery. He is the father of Paul Arthur of this city, who with his wife was present at the funeral.

Date of death: 18 Aug 1891

Subject: Lawrence Paul Arthur

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Aug 1891, Friday, p. 8

Died, at parents' residence at 5:10 o'clock Monday evening, August 17, of congestion of the brain, Lawrence Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Arthur aged 2 years and 1 day. The funeral took place from the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended.

Date of death: 3 Jun 1902

Subject: Francis M. Artis

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Jun 1902, Friday, p. 1

Whitesville. Frank Artist [sic], formerly of near here, but now living near Amazonia, died at his sister's home in St. Joseph Tuesday morning at 5; buried Wednesday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Jun 1902, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. Mr. Frank Artist [sic], a young man who used to live about three miles from town, but who has lived near St. Joe for the last few years, died Monday of consumption. Frank had been suffering with the disease for several years.

Date of death: 23 Jan 1923

Subject: Alfred L. Ash

Source: *The Milan [MO] Standard*, 01 Feb 1923, Thursday, p. 1

A. L. Ash, 57 years old, brother of R. E. Ash, of Green City, died at Kansas City Tuesday, Jan. 23. He was found dead in his room at the hotel about 8:30 a.m. A coroner's inquest was held. The cause of death was chronic heart trouble. He leaves a wife, Susie Ash, who resides at Kirksville.

When his death occurred R. E. Ash was attending court in Kirksville and immediately left for Kansas City. Thursday the body was taken to Green City, where short services were held at the grave.

This is three members of the Ash family who have died in the last four months. Mrs. Celie Maupin, a sister of R. E. Ash, died the latter part of August and Mrs. Eliza Ash, his mother, died the first part of September. The Ash family were [sic] one of the pioneer families of Green City, having moved there in 1880, before the town was started.

R. E., of Green City, and W. A. Ash, of King Fisher [sic], Oklahoma, are the only surviving members of the family.

Date of death: 15 Sep 1909

Subject: Catharine (Ashabranner) Taylor

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Sep 1909, Friday, p. 1

Catherine Ashabranner was born January 27, 1826, in Clark county, Indiana; was united in marriage to Joseph Taylor Jan. 4, 1843; died September 15, 1909. Deceased united with the United Brethren Church in early life and has lived a Christian life since. She was the mother of eleven children, eight of whom are still living. Rev. Enyeart preached the funeral on Friday.

Date of death: 09 Jan 1907

Subject: John Asher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Jan 1907, Friday, p. 1

Bolckow. (Too late for last week.) Uncle John Asher, one of the oldest inhabitants of this place, died at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 9, after a short illness. Mr. Asher was past 84 years old.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Jan 1907, Friday, p. 5

From the Bolckow *Herald*. John Asher committed suicide at his residence in the north part of town Wednesday. He has been contemplating this for some time and has talked about it to different parties. He obtained some morphine under the pretense that he could not sleep well at nights, and was told the required dose, but instead he mixed eight or ten grains into a half pint of whisky and drank perhaps half of it about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning and died at 3:15 Wednesday afternoon. Doctors were called in as soon as Mrs. Asher found what he had done, but it was too late. Mr. Asher being 82 years old Nov. 11 last, became very despondent and wanted to die. He leaves a wife and four children that we know of, Daniel Asher at Colorado Springs, Mrs. Fannie Pritchard at Chicago, Mrs. Berry at St. Joseph, and Mrs. W. H. Beatie at Rankin. He wanted no funeral and to be buried as soon as possible, which was done Thursday at Gravelwall [sic] cemetery. About fourteen years ago Joseph Asher, a brother to John, committed suicide by hanging himself in a barn on the place where J. T. Wilcox now lives.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 18 Jan 1907, Friday, p. 5 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 18 Jan 1907, Friday, p. 1

Bolckow Herald. Jhon [sic] Ashor [sic] committed suicide at his residence in the north part of town Wednesday. He has been contemplating this for some time and has talked about [sic] to different parties. He obtained some morphine on the pretense that he could not sleep well at nights and was told the required dose but instead he mixed 8 or 10 grains into a pint of whiskey and drank perhaps half of it about 3 o'clock Wednesday morning and died at 3:15 Wednesday afternoon. Doctors were called in soon as Mrs. Asher found what he had done but it was to [sic]

late. Mr. Asher being 82 years old, Nov 11 last he became very dispondent [sic⁹] and wanted to die. He leaves a wife and four children that we know of, Daniel Asher of Colorado Springs, Mrs. Fannie Richard of Chicago, Mrs. Berry of St. Joseph and Mrs. Beattie Rankin. He wanted no funeral and to be buried as soon as possible which was done Thursday at Gravel Wall cemetary [sic]. About 14 years ago Joseph Absher [sic], a brother to John committed suicide by hanging himself in a barn on the place where J. T. Wilcox now lives.

same

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 25 Jan 1907, p. 5

Vincent Elliott, the young man who was drowned in the Nodaway river near Leach's mill, on the 10th inst., the particulars of which we gave in our issue last week, was born near Fillmore, February 4, 1882, and was therefore within a few weeks of being 24 [sic] years of age. He had been working in Kansas, and had but recently returned to his home. Besides his parents, he leaves two sisters and a brother. He is spoken of as a young man of excellent morals, industrious, and of good ability. John Asher, who was 82 years old, was his mother's father, and he committed suicide, at Bolckow, on the day previous the drowning of young Elliott.

Date of death: 23 Mar 1893

Subject: Joseph Asher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Mar 1893, Friday, p. 1

A special telephone message from Bolckow yesterday afternoon, gave information that Mr. Jos. Asher, of that place had committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. Mr. Asher was a stock man of some prominence, was about fifty-six years old, and leaves a wife and several children. The cause of his untimely ending is unknown.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 24 Mar 1893, Friday, p. 1

About 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mrs. Joseph Asher went into the barn on their place in Bolckow and found her husband suspended by a halter rope, dead and stiff. He had the noose around his neck and over a beam, and held the other end by his hands. As he did not come to dinner his wife went to look for him and found him as above stated.

Yesterday morning Mr. Asher remarked to his wife that he didn't see why he wanted to live any longer, still she thought nothing of it at the time as she hadn't the least idea that he ever contemplated suicide. Mr. Asher was 61 years old and has lived in this county about twenty-five years. He has been a resident of Bolckow about six years.

⁹ The *Democrat* spells it correctly.

It is said that he traded some real estate a short time ago and concluded that he was worsted in the trade and became rather despondent. This is the only reason given for the suicide.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Herald*, 30 Mar 1893, p. 6

Bolckow, Mo., March 23. To-day, about noon, at Bolckow, Mr. Joseph Asher, an old and respected citizen, was found by his wife, Mrs. Edmonia Asher, hanging in his barn by a halter rope. He had the noose around his neck and over a beam, and held the other end by his hand. He was dead and cold when found. His wife waited dinner on him and as he did not come she went to look for him and found him dead.

Mr. Asher is 61 years old. He moved from Adams county, Ills., about 1867 or '68, and has lived in Bolckow about six years. He sold his little farm south of town about two months ago and bought a residence in town, and has not been satisfied since, and not being well, he seemed to grow more despondent from day to day till his mind has given away. He leaves a wife and a daughter and one grandchild, Mrs. John Gibson¹⁰, who lives in Andrew county near Fillmore.

Date of death: 8 Jun 1881

Subject: Levi Asher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Mar 1881, Friday, p. 2- not an obituary

Parker, Levi Asher is quite sick.

Date of death: 14 Mar 1870

Subject: William Asher

Source: *Chicago [IL] Tribune*, 21 Mar 1870, Monday, p. 3

My dispatch [sic] to The Tribune yesterday stated that the body of William Asher had been found in the wood, near Coatsburg. An investigation into the matter shows that he died of apoplexy.

Date of death: 1 Apr 1902

Subject: Carl Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Mar 1902, Friday, p. 8

Carl Ashley is laying very low with consumption at his home near Rush.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 4 Apr 1902, Friday, p. 1

¹⁰ This is the daughter's name.

Carl, second son of T. G. Ashley, died at his home near Rush, April 1. Funeral services were held Wednesday, and the body laid beside that of his mother and other loved ones who have passed beyond. Carl's short life was pure and wholesome, and the dear ones left have the sweet memory of his gentle manner and great patience in suffering. He has gone to life joyous, painless, eternal.

Date of death: 8 Oct 1900

Subject: Charles Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Aug 1900, Friday, p. 1

Monday morning Charley Ashley, the eight-year-old [sic] son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Ashley, living near Rish, met with an accident which may yet prove fatal.

He was in Whitesville and while untying his horse, which he had hitched to a rack, the animal gave a sudden jerk away, throwing the boy with great force backward. His head struck a wheelbarrow, and the skull was fractured.

He was removed to his home and Drs. E. C. Jefferies, of Whitesville, E. C. Bennett, of Bolckow, and O. B. Campbell, of St. Joseph, were called and at this writing the boy is resting easy, and hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Aug 1900, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. August 8. A very painful accident occurred in town Monday morning. An eight-year-old son of Thomas Ashley near Rush, was fatally kicked by a horse. He was removed to his home where his life is despaired of.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 10 Aug 1900, Friday, p. 8

Charley, the nine-year-old son of Thomas Ashley, a leading farmer living near Rush, was frightfully injured in the head on Monday of this week. Father and son went to Whitesville in an open buggy arriving about 10 o'clock in the morning and were tying their team to the rack in front of Smith Brothers hardware store. For some reason inexplicable, the horse which the boy was endeavoring to tie, gave a lunge and the little fellow was thrown violently against the run of an iron-wheeled wheelbarrow. He was picked up by Clell Landers and was carried to the office of Dr. E. C. Jeffries who administered as best he could to the wounded boy. It was thought that the boy couldn't live and Mr. Ashley being anxious to get him home, willing men offered their services. Ad Bradford, Clell Landers and Ed Cook conveyed the boy home.

Dr. Myers, of Rea, the family physician, was also called, and, after a consultation of the doctors, it was decided to call Dr. O. B. Campbell, of St. Joseph, to their assistance. Dr. Campbell is a

surgeon of great ability and arrived Monday night. It was feared that the little fellow had meet [sic] with a most serious accident. The flesh on the back of the head was cut through by a knife, for a length of four inches. It was also found that the skull was badly fractured for a distance of almost six inches and it required the most delicate of operating to raise the injured skull to its proper position. The brain matter oozed out and the case seemed to be a doubtful one. The little boy stood the operation with fortitude, anesthetics having been administered. It is thought that he will recover. Out of a family of nine children Mr. Ashley has lost four, two by consumption and two by scarlet fever. The mother of the children also died from consumption

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 12 Oct 1900, Friday, p. 1

Little Charley Ashley who sustained a fracture of the skull of August 6, an account of which appeared in *The Democrat* in our issue of August 10, died at the Ensworth Hospital this week, where he had been taken for treatment.

Date of death: 19 Apr 1906

Subject: Elizabeth M. (Ashley) Owen

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Apr 1906, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Betsy M. Owen, one of the earliest settlers in the county, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Genter, Thursday, April 19, aged 86 years, 8 months and 17 days. Mrs. Owen was born in Knox county, Ohio, and came to Missouri in October, 1838, and was married to A. F. Owen, Nov. 5, 1840. They purchased the Owen homestead six miles north of this city, from the government, before the county was organized, and lived there many years respected and honored. Mr. Owen was sheriff of Andrew a number of years. He died in 1881. Ten children were born to them, the five living are Mrs. E. C. Vaught, St. Joseph; Mrs. Hannah E. Genter, of Savannah; Millard Owen, Winona, Ks., Marshall Owen, Ouray, Colo., and C. S. Owen, Manila, P. I.

The funeral will take place to-day (Friday) at the family residence at 10 o'clock.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 20 Apr 1906, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Betsy Owen died at the home of Mrs. H. Genter here Thursday. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 20 Apr 1906, Friday, p. 8

Mrs. Columbia Vaught of St. Joseph was called here Tuesday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Betsy Owen at the home of Mrs. Hannah Ginther [sic].

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 20 Apr 1906, Friday, p. 1

Died

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hannah Genter, in this city at 2:00 a.m. Thursday, April 19, Mrs. Betsey M. Owens, aged 84 years, 5 months and 17 days. Funeral services will be conducted this, Friday, morning at 10 o'clock from the residence and interment will be at Bennett Lane cemetery.

Date of death: 24 Feb 1882

Subject: Frederick V. Ashley

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 03 Mar 1882, Friday, p. 3

A telegram arrived here last Saturday from San Jose, California, stating that Fred Ashley had died in that city on Friday Feb. 24th. Fred was about twenty-four years of age, and was well known here where he was raised. He was a printer by trade.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Mar 1882, Friday, p. 8

Fred. Ashley is no more. Although three years had gone by, none of our citizens have forgotten him. He had everybody for his friend. His vitality never appeared to be strong enough to long keep his body and soul together, and the announcement of his death, at about twenty-four years of age, while causing no surprise, was regretted by all. Fred's mind was much stronger than his body, and he was extraordinarily bright, for the schooling he had. He was not without original wit. We shall never forget his 'Savannah Celebrities.' His flicking lamp has at last gone out; may it burn bright in the world to come.

Date of death: 1920

Subject: Elizabeth Ashford

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Dec 1920, Friday, p. 2

Bolckow. December 29. Elizabeth Ashford, daughter of Arthur Ashford and wife, died at the age of 13 years at the home of her grandparents, Ben Ashford and wife, in Boulder, Colo., Monday. Her mother passed away when she was a babe. The body was brought to Bolckow for burial Wednesday.

Date of death: 21 Jun 1907

Subject: Mrs. Ella Ashford

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 26 Jun 1907, Wednesday, p. 3

Workman Chapel. The funeral of Mrs. Ella Ashford took place at Workman chapel Monday. Interment in Workman cemetery.

Date of death: 25 Apr 1918

Subject: Jacob M. Ashford

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 26 Apr 1918, Friday, p. 4

Jacob M. Ashford died at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home north of Maryville, following a several months illness of paralysis. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Christian church in Maryville, conducted by Rev. C. Emerson Miller. Interment will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. Ashford was born April 15, 1846, in Park County, Indiana. His youth was spent on a farm in Louis county, Iowa, where he received a good common school education. In 1865 he moved to Missouri and in September of that year located in Nodaway County.

Mr. Ashford served two years in the army during the Civil War and was with General Sherman on his march to the sea. He also participated in the Grant Reunion at Washington, D. C., on March 18, 1869.

Besides his wife he leaves seven children, Zacha Q., Abinah M., Perseus E., and Cyrus F. Ashford, all of Maryville, Milo M. Ashford, Pickering, Mrs. Gertrude Porterfield, Clearmont; Mrs. Adelia Cox, Joplin. One son, Jacob Q., is dead. He also leaves three brothers and one sister, who are: William Ashford, Maryville, Purd of Hesperia, Michigan, Elijah J. Ashford, Ruskin, La., Mrs. Rebecca Reynolds, Blacker, Okla.

Mr. Ashford was a member of the Pickering lodge A. F. & A. M., No. 470 and of the G. A. R. Post. He had been a member of the Christian church since childhood.

Date of death: 10 Jan 1909

Subject: Mrs. Jane Ashford

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Jan 1909, Friday, p. 5

From the Bolckow *Herald*. Mrs. Jane Ashford of near Bolckow, one of the best known pioneers of Nodaway county, suddenly died early Sunday morning at her home seven miles west of Bolckow. She was 82 years old. Mrs. Ashford is the widow of John Ashford, familiarly known as 'Uncle Jack,' who was instantly killed March 21, 1905, in falling from a load of hay. Mr. [sic] Ashford was 81 years old and very popular in the community.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 22 Jan 1909, Friday, p. 1

Bolckow Herald. Mrs. Jane Ashford of near Bolckow, one of the best known pioneers of Nodaway County, died suddenly early Sunday morning at her home seven miles west of Bolckow. She was 82 years old. Mrs. Ashford is the widow of John Ashford, more familiarly known as 'Uncle Jack' Ashford, who was instantly killed March 21, 1905 in a fall from a wagon load of hay. Mr. [sic] Ashford was 81 years old and very popular throughout the community.

Date of death: 21 Mar 1905

Subject: John Ashford

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Mar 1905, Friday, p. 8

Rosendale. Blanche Murdock left here Wednesday to attend the funeral of her grandfather, J. Ashford, west of Barnard.

Bolckow. W. C. Pierce and family, of Maryville, attended the funeral of Uncle Jack Ashford, at Centenary M. E. church, west of town, Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Ashford was called home from the Maryville Seminary Tuesday, by the sudden death of her grandfather, John Ashford.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 24 Mar 1905, Friday, p. 5

John Ayshford [sic], eighty-one years old and known throughout Nodaway county as 'Uncle Jack' Ayshford, met death by an accident on his farm twenty miles southwest of Maryville Tuesday morning.

Mr. Ayshford had climbed onto a load of hay that the hired man was preparing to haul across the farm. When the team started Mr. Ayshford lost his balance and fell to the ground, striking on his head with such force as to dislocate his neck. Death was almost instantaneous.

The deceased had lived on his large Hughes townshop farm since coming to Nodaway county in 1871.

John Ayshford was born in Devonshire, England, February 18, 1824. For a time he lived with his parents in Wales, but in 1849 came to American, settling in Green Lake County, Wisconsin.

He came to Missouri in 1871 and bought a large farm on the southern boundary line of Nodaway county. This he soon brought to a high state of cultivation, and here he made his home and entertained his friends until the day of his death.

Scarcely a Republican convention has been held in Nodaway county during the last 25 years in which he was not a delegate. He was an intense partisan and became a familiar and popular attendant at the big political gatherings of the state.

Date of death: 18 Nov 1922

Subject: William D. Ashford

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 18 Nov 1922, Saturday, p. 1

William D. Ashford, a pioneer resident of Nodaway County, and a Civil War veteran, died this morning at 6:30 at his home just north of Maryville following a prolonged illness of a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home, conducted by the Rev. S. P. Allison, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Burial will be in Miriam Cemetery.

Mr. Ashford was 83 years of age and had lived in Nodaway County for fifty-six years. He served all during the Civil War in Company C, 11th Iowa Regiment, and came to Maryville in the spring of 1866.

Mr. Ashford [sic] married Miss Elizabeth Bond, in Kansas City, Ia., July 3, 1864. Mrs. Ashford was a nurse during the war, and they were married during one of his furloughs.

Mr. Ashford, in partnership with Fred Shade, owned the old brickyard just east of Maryville and superintended the building of the most of the business buildings in the city. One of the last buildings on which he worked was the postoffice.

Surviving Mr. Ashford are three daughters, Misses Eva and Elizabeth, both at home, and Mrs. Richard Hamlin of Maryville, and two sons, Charles Ashford, Pickering, and Will Ashford, Cedar Rapids, who will be unable to attend the funeral services.

His wife died twenty-six years ago. Two brothers, Elijah G. Ashford, of Chudrant, La., and P. E. Ashford of Hesperia, Mich., also survive.

Date of death: 21 Nov 1899

Subject: Ira Dell Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Nov 1899, Friday, p. 10

Died. At the home of her father T. G. Ashley, near Rush, on November 21, 1899, Ira Dell Ashley, aged about 18 years.

Her death, though not wholly unexpected, for she had suffered long, fell heavy as a blow on those who loved her and whom she loved so well. Though life to her was short, she claimed the promise of eternal life and passed peacefully to that inheritance. While the earthly body is no more the soul has passed unto that richer, fuller life which God has promised those who but obey Him.

Her body was laid away beside the mother, sisters and brother who preceded her to the mansions prepared by 'Our Heavenly Father.'

Date of death: 25 Nov 1905

Subject: Lyman Wright Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Dec 1905, Friday, p. 1

Lyman Ashley, who formerly lived here and was an uncle of Mrs. Hannah Genter, was found murdered with the house on fire at his home in Marietta, California, on Sunday night, Nov. 25. He had considerably [sic] money in the house and was 70 years old.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 08 Dec 1905, Friday, p. 1

Word was received here Monday that Lyman Ashley who lived at Riverside Cal., had been murdered. Mr. Ashley was a bachelor and lived alone. At an early hour neighbors discovered that his house was on fire and on investigation found that Ashley had been robbed and murdered. He had several weapons all of which had been discharged. A number of shots had also been fired into the house.

Ashley was known to have had several hundred dollars in the house at that time and is supposed that this was the cause of his having been murdered.

He was one of the pioneers of this county and at one time lived in Savannah.

Date of death: 4 Dec 1887

Subject: Martha (Ashley) Gray

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 08 Dec 1887, Thursday, p. 4

Martha Gray, the aged widow of John Gray, one of the old pioneers of the Platte Purchase, died last Sunday and was burried [sic] on Tuesday. She was one of the noble matrons of Nodaway county whom we all loved and respected.

Date of death: 20 Sep 1893

Subject: Nannie E. Ashley

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Sep 1893, Friday, p. 8

Rush. Sept. 27. The infant child of T. G. Ashley died Wednesday last.

Date of death: 27 Jan 1891

Subject: Ralph & Roxie Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Jan 1891, Friday, p. 5

Rosendale. Jan. 29. That 'death is no respecter [sic] of persons' is being daily verified. On the night of the 27th the cruel tyrant invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Ashley, and took from them two of their household treasures, little Ralph and little Roxie, twins nineteen months old.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 30 Jan 1891, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- The twins of Thos. Ashley of near Rush died Tuesday night Jan. 27, 1891, a boy and a girl and aged about 18 months.

Date of death: 10 Jan 1896

Subject: Ruby J. Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 1

Died, at her home near Rush, on January 10, 1896, Ruby, oldest daughter of T. C. and Kate Ashley, aged 16 years. Ruby had been a sufferer since October, and throughout her sickness she manifested a patience and cheerfulness which will be a sweet memory to those who so greatly miss her. Her life was sweet and pure, and her gentle disposition caused all with whom she came in contact to love her. She realized that her time on earth was nearly spent, but death had no terrors for her as her Savior had made the crossing easy. Rev. Still, of Rosendale, conducted the services, and the burial took place on Sunday, in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends.

Date of death: 1 Jan 1906

Subject: Thomas Gilmore Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Jan 1906, Friday, p. 1

Thomas G. Ashley, aged 60 years and 17 days, died at his home in Colorado, on the 1st day of January. Mr. Ashley was a native of Andrew county, and a resident in the vicinity of Wyeth until about three years ago, when he moved to Colorado.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 12 Jan 1906, Friday, p. 8

Glenwood. It is with sorrow that we announce the death of Thos. G. Ashley, who died January 1st in Colorado, where he went in search of better health about four years ago. He had lived for many years in this community and was a respected citizen.

Date of death: 19 Nov 1883

Subject: Thomas H. Ashley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Nov 1883, Friday, p. 8

Thomas H. Ashley, who came to Andrew county when a boy, and when but few people were here, died at his residence, in Benton township, seven and a half miles northwest of Savannah, on Monday morning, at half past 8 o'clock, Nov. 19, from typhoid fever, after a sickness of 24 days. He was 54 years of age. He leaves a family of four daughters and one son, all grown but the boy, the eldest daughter being the wife of Mr. John Broce. His remains were buried in Bennett Lane Cemetery on Tuesday, attended by a large number of relatives and friends. Deceased was very highly respected, and the news of his death will strike sorrow to many hearts of the living pioneers of Andrew county, as well as of others.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 23 Nov 1883, Friday, p. 3

Mr. T. H. Ashley, one of the most respected citizens of the county, died at his residence, near the Wesley Chapel, on Monday last, Nov. 19, 1883, of typhoid fever and congestion of the lungs. Mr. Ashley was 54 years of age and leaves a wife and five children. He has been living on the same farm in Benton township for the past twenty-five years, and all his neighbors speak of him as a most excellent citizen and neighbor; in fact, we understand that he was highly respected by all who knew him and his death will not only be of immense loss to his family but the entire community regret [sic] his being taken off in the prime of life. His remains were followed to the Bennett Lane Cemetery, on Tuesday, by his family and a large concourse of neighbors and friends.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 30 Nov 1883, Friday, p. 1

Kellogg Clatter. Mr. Ed. Ashley, who lived near Wesley Chapel, died last Monday morning, of typhoid fever and was buried the following day.

Date of death: 7 Jan 1922

Subject: Fountain Ashworth

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 13 Jan 1922, Friday, p. 1

Fountain Ashworth, son of William and Eliza Ashworth, was born in Platte County, Mo., November 29, 1842, and died at his home in Graham, Mo., January 7, 1922, aged 80 years, 1 month and 9 days.

He leaves a wife, five sons, one daughter and twenty-five grandchildren, all of whom are living; one great grandchild, six brothers, four sisters to mourn his death. His sons, Frank, George and Robert live near Maitland, Fred at Whiting, Iowa, and Roy at Onawa, Iowa. His daughter, Mrs. Hattie Davis, in Maitland. Of his six brothers, William lives at Helena, Montana, Dock at Kansas City, Mo., George and Richard at Portland, Ore., John at Oregon, Mo., and James at Maitland. Of his four sisters, Maggie Barty lives at La Grande, Ore., Mary Nicholas, Bancraft, Nebr.; Janes Campbell, Logan, Utah; Kate Campbell, Holyoke, Colo.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church, Maitland, Rev. S. D. Harlan of the Christian church of Graham, officiating, assisted by Rev. L. P. Parmer.

Mr. Ashworth was married to Miss Sarah Hart, at Walla Walla, Wash., where he lived six years after which he moved to Oregon, Mo., and lived two years. From Oregon he moved on a farm in Whig Valley in 1873 and lived there for thirty-five years when he sold his farm. Since that time he has lived at Maitland, Graham, Whiting, Iowa, and since May 1921 has lived at Graham, where he died after an illness of over three weeks. The body was burried [sic] in Maitland cemetery.

Date of death: 23 Sep 1916

Subject: Thomas Ashworth

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 28 Sep 1916, Thursday, p. 5

Thomas Ashworth, 61 [sic] years old, a former resident of Ravenwood, died at his home in Bentonville Sunday. The body was brought to Ravenwood this morning.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. Mr. Wetzel of the Methodist church conducting the service. Burial was in Sweet Home cemetery.

Mr. Ashworth lived in Ravenwood about twenty-nine years ago. He then moved to Bentonville, where he had lived since. He is survived by a wife and three sisters. His sisters are: Mrs. Ellen Spear, Mrs. Sallie Porter and Mrs. Eliza Curry, all living in or near Ravenwood.

Date of death: 26 Jan 1886

Subject: David Rice Atchison

Source: *The [Jefferson City MO] State Times*, 29 Jan 1886, Friday, p. 5

Gen. David R. Atchison died Tuesday at his home near Plattsburg, at the advanced age of 79 years. Gen. Atchison was once a famous figurehead in state and national politics. He represented Missouri in the United States senate for 12 years, from 1843 to 1855. He was chosen president pro tem of the senate in 1849, which position he filled to the close of his term. After the death of Vice-President King in 1853, Mr. Atchison became acting vice-president. He lived and died at bachelor.

Date of death: 18 Oct 1898

Subject: Richard Atherton

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 27 Oct 1898, Thursday, p. 3

Died, of cancer, at the poor farm, October 18, 1898, Elder Richard Artherton, formerly of Ravenwood, Mo. The deceased was born January 25, 1825, near Middletown, Gurnsey county, Ohio, and was raised on a farm. At the age of twenty-five years he was married to Miss Elizabeth

McCune, of the same place, by Rev. Samuel Findley, a Presbyterian minister. One child was born to them, which died in infancy. While young he had united with the Christian church and shortly after his marriage was ordained a minister of the Gospel by that church and followed preaching and school teaching in Ohio for twenty years. He was then called from Ohio to West Virginia, in which state he lived for fifteen years and devoted his entire time to the ministry. On account of failing health of himself and wife he gave up the ministry and came to Missouri, some thirteen years ago and located in Sweet Home, this county, and when Ravenwood was laid out he bought several lots and built the Commercial Hotel and ran it for some time, but was compelled on account of poor health, to give up his business and rent the hotel out. In a few years he became so badly involved in debt, on account of not being able to do anything to keep up his expenses, that he sold all his property to pay his indebtedness. The good people of Ravenwood have been helping them for some time, but their health got so bad that neither of them could care for the other and they were brought to the poor farm, July the 24th last. A few days before his death he called Mr. Job, the superintendent, to his bedside and requested that his body be not buried in the county cemetery on the farm, but buried in Oak Hill cemetery, six miles east of Maryville. Mr. Job carried out his wishes and buried him as directed.

Brother Atherton was a man of sterling integrity, genial and companionable. His life was an open book and all his deeds were known by all his friends. In business he was upright and honest and scorned to engage in deception or any sort of misrepresentation in order to better his financial condition. He leaves a faithful wife at the poor farm to mourn his loss. From a record he kept, over 2000 persons were converted under his ministry.

A Friend.

Date of death: 26 Jan 1900

Subject: Verna H. R. Atherton

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 25 Jan 1900, Thursday, p. 4- not an obituary*

Ed Atherton's baby is reported as being very low at this writing (Wednesday a.m.)

Date of death: 25 Apr 1904

Subject: William Martin Atherton

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 28 Apr 1904, Thursday, p. 8*

William M. Atherton, forty-eight years of age, died of consumption of 8:30 o'clock Monday evening at his home in McJimsey park. He had been ill only two days, having fulfilled his duties as deputy county clerk in the office of County Clerk Nicholas Saturday. He was born in Lancaster, Ohio, April 12, 1856, and came to this county in 1878. In 1887 he was in business in Elmo, the firm being Scott & Atherton. He moved to Maryville about two years ago, when he was appointed deputy county clerk under Miles Nicholas. He owned the former McJimsey park, where he lived at the time of his death. He is survived by a widow, formerly a Miss Colvin of Elmo, a daughter, Florence, and two sons, Leo and Melvin.

The funeral was held this Thursday morning from St. Mary's Church Rev. Father Anselm officiating. Interment in the German Catholic cemetery.

He was a faithful official and a man highly esteemed by a large acquaintance.

Date of death: 1 Oct 1920

Subject: Marshall Athy

Source: *The Leavenworth [KS] Times*, 03 Oct, Sunday, p. 4

Soldiers' Home. The death of Marshall Athy, late G Company, 11th Illinois Cavalry occurred in the hospital Friday night. The burial will be tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Home cemetery. Chaplain Payne will conduct the services.

same

Source: *Leavenworth [KS] Tribune*, 04 Oct 1920, Monday, p. 1

Marshall Athy, a veteran of the National Military Home, died after a short illness Saturday. The body will be shipped to his former home, Dallas, Tex., under the direction of the J. J. O'Donnell Undertaking company. Athy was 76 [sic] years old.

Date of death: 6 Feb 1917

Subject: Elizabeth (Atkins) Peacock

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 Feb 1917, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. February 14. Mart Adkins [sic], Joe Adkins and wife and Mr. Ramlin from Kansas, all motored to Union Star Wednesday to attend the funeral of their aunt Mrs. Peacock. She was seventy-six years of age.

Date of death: 18 Jul 1916

Subject: Evelyn Parolee Atkins

Source: *Mexico Missouri Messenger*, 27 Jul 1916, Thursday, p. 1

The pastor conducted the funeral services of little Parolee Atkins, the 20-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Turner Atkins, Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at the Beaver Dam Baptist Church. We greatly sympathize with these young parents in the death of their little girl. May the Lord comfort them in their bereavement.

Date of death: 12 Mar 1919

Subject: Helen Dorene Atkins

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Mar 1919, Friday, p. 4

Fillmore. March 18. Miss Mary Woodcock from Savannah is caring for the four-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins, who is very sick with pneumonia. The baby died Tuesday evening.

Little Helen Dorene Atkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atkins, was born October 26, 1918, and departed this life March 12, 1919, aged 4 months and 14 days. The funeral services were held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the M. E. church by the pastor, Rev. H. F. Dorcas. Burial was in the Fillmore cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Atkins wish to thank their neighbors and friends, who so kindly assisted them in the sickness and death of their little daughter, and also for the floral offerings.

Date of death: [5] Mar 1898

Subject: infant of Martin Atkins

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Mar 1898, Friday, p. 1

Fillmore. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Adkins [sic], of Holt county, was buried in the Fillmore cemetery Sunday.

Date of death: 23 Nov 1913

Subject: Jeremiah Logan Atkins

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Nov 1913, Friday, p. 8

The funeral service of Uncle Jerry Adkins [sic] was conducted Monday afternoon at the Methodist church by Rev. Wylie and the remains laid to rest in the Fillmore cemetery. Jeremiah L. Adkins was born in Bath county, Kentucky, in 1845, and died at his home a mile and a half north of Fillmore, November 23, 1913, aged sixty-eight years, three months and four days. At the age of twenty-eight he was married to Miss Wilhemena [sic] Denton. To this union ten children, five daughters and five sons were born. Three of the children preceded the father to the great beyond. In early manhood he became a member of the Methodist church. He had been in poor health for a number of years and expressed a desire to meet his Christ and was ready to die the death of a Christian. A large concourse of friends gathered at the church to pay a last tribute of respect to an old settler [sic] who had many friends in this community.

Date of death: 22 Feb 1919

Subject: Katherine Eliza (Atkins) Bussear

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Feb 1919, Friday, p. 4

Fillmore. February 26. Mrs. Catherine [sic] Atkins Bussear, who died at her home in Holt county, near the Mayflower school house, was 84 years, 3 months and 8 days old. She leaves two children, a daughter, Mrs. Nathan Hughes and a son, with whom she lived. Her husband died June 11, 1897. Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church at New Point Monday, conducted by Rev. T. D. Robers and burial was in the Crown cemetery.

Date of death: 30 Mar 1885

Subject: Mary L. (Atkins) Doughty

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Apr 1885, Friday, p. 5

Items from the *Toothpick*. Mrs. Doughty, of Stanberry, a daughter of A. G. Atkins, of St. Joseph, died last Tuesday of consumption, and was buried at Flag Springs, Wednesday.

Date of death: 12 Dec 1918

Subject: Ora Elsworth Atkins

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Dec 1918, Friday, p. 2

Fillmore. December 17. Ora Elsworth, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Elsworth Atkins, was born Tuesday, December 10, 1918, and died Thursday, December 12, aged two days and a few hours. The mother had taken the influenza a short time previous to the birth of her son and at first the infant was inoculated with the disease and had no chance for life. Thus the hopes of the parents kindled by the first child have been shattered by an untimely death. The funeral services, simple and brief, was [sic] conducted at the home by Rev. Dorcas and the body laid away in the Fillmore cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Atkins have the sympathy of their many friends in the community.

Date of death: 17 Mar 1918

Subject: David Atkinson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Mar 1918, Friday, p. 5

Rosendale. March 19. David Atkinson, formerly of this county, died at Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph last Sunday night at 8:20 o'clock, after a lingering illness of several months. Mr. Atkinson was a native of Ireland and was 64 years of age at his death, leaving a widow, his second wife, two sons and a daughter to mourn his going.

Date of death: 2 Jun 1912

Subject: Diantha (Atkinson) McKenzie Sullivan

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 06 Jun 1912, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Diantha Sullivan of Council Bluffs, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Nicholas, near Burlington Junction, after an illness of five months. She had been at her daughter's home for two months.

The body was brought to Maryville Monday forenoon and taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Del Thompson, 306 East Seventh street, where the funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Claude J. Miller. Burial in Oak Hill.

Mrs. Sullivan was fifty-four years old, and was a native of Columbus, Ohio. She was twice married, the first time forty years ago to Charles McKenzie, at Tecumseh, Neb. They were

residents of Maryville for many years, Mr. McKenzie's death occurring here. Two years ago Mrs. McKenzie was married to Mr. Sullivan, who survives. She is also survived by six of the ten children of her first marriage. They are Mrs. Fred Nicholas and Mrs. Ed Cummins of Burlington Junction; Mrs. Del Thompson and Miss Dora McKenzie of Maryville; Robert and Frank McKenzie of Council Bluffs, and a step-son, Ralph Sullivan [sic], of Maryville.

Date of death: Jun 1892

Subject: infant daughter of Albert Atkinson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 Jun 1892, Friday, p. 5

Washington Point. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Atkinson June 13, twins, a boy and a girl. The girl lived but a short time, but the boy seems to be in good health and weighed eight pounds. The mother is quite poorly.

Date of death: 11 Mar 1904

Subject: Jane (Atkinson) Atkinson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 25 Mar 1904, Friday, p. 10

From the Rosendale *Signal*. With sadness we chronicle the death of an old friend and former resident of our county, Mrs. Jane Atkinson, wife of David Atkinson, at her home in St. Joseph, at noon, Friday, March 11, aged 60 years.

Date of death: 25 Feb 1911

Subject: Margaret (Atkinson) Montgomery

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Mar 1911, Friday, p. 5

From the Bolckow *Herald*. In the death of Mrs. Joseph Montgomery another of Andrew county's pioneers has been laid to rest. Margaret Atkinson was a daughter months [sic] and 25 days old. When a little girl her parents came county [sic] Missouri, where she has since nine children [sic], six of whom survive present [sic] M. E. church of Bolckow. The family sustain [sic] a loss of a fluence [sic] of a good woman. Funeral services were conducted at the M. E. church by Rev. McNamee of St. Joseph, assisted by pastor, Alva E. Brown.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 10 Mar 1911, Friday, p. 1

In the death of Mrs. Joseph Montgomery another of Andrew Counties [sic] pioneers has been laid to rest.

Margaret Atkinson was a daughter of Robert and Jane Atkinson, born in Ireland, June 30, 1834, and died February 25, 1911, being 76 years, 7 months and 25 days old.

When a little girl her parents came to America and later to Andrew Co., Missouri where she has since lived.

On the 12th of May, 1859, she was married to Joseph Montgomery, to that union were born nine children, six of whom survive her.

Sister Montgomery was for nearly a half century a member of the M. E. church having been interested in the plan and building of the present M. E. church of Bolckow.

The family sustain [sic] a loss of a good mother, the community the influence of a good woman.

Funeral services were conducted at the M. E. church by Rev. McNamee of St. Joseph, assisted by the pastor Alva E. Brown-- Herald.

Date of death: 17 Apr 1907

Subject: Joseph Melvin Atkinson

Source: *The [Portland] Oregonian*, 19 Aug 1907, Friday, p. 7

Newberg, Or., April 18.-- J. M. Atkinson, a prominent dairyman and breeder of Jersey cattle, died at his home near Newberg yesterday of pneumonia after an illness lasting a week. He, with his brother, Samuel Atkinson, have in the last ten years built up a profitable business, and with their attendance at the various fairs have made a wide acquaintance with the prominent stockmen of Oregon and Washington. J. M. Atkinson was well known to the public, and his loss will be severely felt by those who are interested in building up the farm, dairy and stock interests of the Northwest. Deceased was about 50 [sic] years of age. He leaves a wife and two children.

Date of death: 28 Apr 1905

Subject: Mary Ann (Atkinson) Kretzer

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 13 Jan 1888, Friday, p. 3- not an obituary

D. B. Kretzer, wife and children, started for Oregon last week, and a dispatch from Rawlins, Wyoming, says that they were in a railroad collision at Edison Station, and that Mrs. Kretzer received internal injuries from which she will probably die, and that Mr. Kretzer had his ankle bruised, and that the four children were unhurt. The west bound passenger train was run into from behind by a freight and two emigrant cars were telescoped and burned.

Date of death: 16 May 1921

Subject: Susan Purnette (Atkinson) Million

Source: *The Atchison County [MO] County Mail*, 20 May 1921, Friday, p. 5

Susan Purnet [sic] Atkinson, daughter of Wm. Atkinson and Susan Fuller, was born in Andrew county, Missouri, May 23rd, 1838. She died at the home of her son, C. S. Million, May 16, 1921, being 82 years, 11 months and 28 days old.

She was united in marriage with Francis Marion Million in Nodaway county on April 4th, 1858. There were born to this union eight children-- five boys and three girls, of whom three boys survive, namely: Wm. M. Million, Yakima, Wash.'; C. S. Million, Rock Port, and Lloyd Million, Hansen, Idaho. There are ten grandchildren living and one great-grandchild.

She was the last of nine children-- four girls and five boys. Her husband preceded her June 18, 1910, since which time she has lived with her son Charley, with the exception of one year.

She united with the Baptist church in Nodaway county in 1861, and ever since that time she has been a faithful and consistent [sc] member of that church and a faithful servant of God. The markings in her bible would indicate that she had read it with confidence and understanding, as one would read a guide-book, and her life was an indication that she obeyed its teachings. She was anxious during her last illness that the portals might soon open and admit her to that beautiful country, that by every right was hers. A true wife, a faithful mother and a real servant of God has passed to her reward, and the world is richer for her having lived in it.

Funeral services were held at the High Creek church Wednesday morning, May 18th, Rev. D. W. Griffith preaching the sermon, Rev. J. Jay Cokely assisting.

Interment was at High Creek cemetery.

Date of death: 20 Jan 1899

Subject: William Henry Atkinson

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 26 Jan 1899, Thursday, p. 2

Henry Atkinson died Friday, January 20, 1899, at the home of his parents, William Atkinson and wife, in Green township, after a long illness with dropsy.

Date of death: 6 Jun 1875

Subject: Lourenia Jane (Atkison) Neal

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 10 Jun 1875, Thursday, p. 1

John Neal, Esq., of Polk township, had the misfortune to lose his estimable wife on last Sunday, the 6th inst., after an illness of about two weeks. Mrs. Neal was first taken sick with the measles and when convalescing caught cold which caused a relapse, resulting in her death. She was a member of the M. E. church, south, and a pious and zealous christian lady. She leaves a devoted husband and three children to mourn her loss to whom the sympathies of numerous friends will be affectionately and kindly extended.

Date of death: 11 Oct 1892

Subject: Andrew J. Atterberry

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 20 Oct 1892, Thursday, p. 5

J. H. [sic] Atterbury [sic], who has been sick for the past year, died at his residence in Dawson last Tuesday, October 11, 1892, and was buried Wednesday. The funeral service was held at the Baptist church at 2 o'clock p.m. by Rev. J. M. West.-- B. J. Post.

Date of death: 16 Oct 1922

Subject: Andrew Jackson Atterberry

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 20 Oct 1922, Friday, p. 5

Reports have come to this office that Andrew Atterberry had died this week. He was a brother of the late Mary Athurton [sic], who was so well and favorably known here. Mr. Atterberry formerly lived at or near Dawsonville.

Date of death: 14 May 1911

Subject: Mariam Louisa (Atterberry) Race

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 20 May 1911, Saturday, p. 1

Mrs. Mary [sic] Louisa Race, wife of Canna Race, died at her home north of Dawsonville last Sunday morning, May 14, from an attack of the measles. Her illness was only of about eight days' duration. The funeral occurred at the home Monday at 2:30 p.m., Rev. Patten, pastor of the Elmo Christian church officiating. Interment was made at the Dawsonville cemetery.

Mary Louisa Atterbury [sic] was born in Montgomery county, Mo., and came with her parents to Dawsonville in 1891. In 1883 she was united in marriage to Canna Race and to this union were born four children, two girls and two boys. At the time of her death she was thirty-nine years of age.

She leaves to mourn their loss, besides her husband and children, her mother, Mrs. Cynthia Atterbury of College Springs, and four sisters, Mrs. Jane Holtzhousen, College Springs; Mrs. Mary Atherton, Elmo; Mrs. Susan Walton, Mrs. Kittie Bell of this place; also a brother, A. J. Atterbury of Breckenridge, Mo. She was a member of the Dawson Christian church and was a kind devoted mother.

Her family and friends were greatly shocked by her sudden death, as her condition was not considered serious until a short time before her demise. A large number of friends and neighbors were present to hear Rev. Patten speak the words of condolence to her relatives and administer the last sacred rites to this noble Christian wife and mother.

same

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 26 May 1911, Friday, p. 8

Dawson. Mrs. Canna Race died Saturday night after a few days sickness. She had the measles and was not sick a week. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the home at two o'clock, sermon by Rev. Patton, and burial at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Andrew Atterberry of Lock Springs attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Race.

Date of death: 9 Feb 1922

Subject: Sarah Catherine (Atterberry) Hartman

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 17 Feb 1922, Friday, p. 5

Pleasant Prairie. Mrs. Jack Hartman of Cosby was buried at High Prairie Baptist church Saturday.

Date of death: 14 Mar 1886

Subject: Hermon C. Auble

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 1

On last Sunday morning Mr. H. C. Auble, who had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. William Lillibridge, in Rochester township, was found dead in his bed. He appeared to be enjoying usual good health the evening before, and on retiring for the night had wished the rest of the family 'good night and pleasant dreams,' in his good-hearted way. The deceased would have been 63 years of age on the 23d day of May next. He was born in New York, from where he moved to Illinois, thence to Missouri, of which State he has been a citizen for twenty years. He leaves five children-- four boys and a girl-- to whom he was devotedly attached, and an excellent wife to mourn his death. The entire community offers sympathy to the bereaved ones. He was buried in the Rochester cemetery on Monday.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 19 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 4

H. C. Auble is dead. He was at his daughter's residence, Mrs. Lillabridge [sic], near Rochester, Saturday. He retired at night in his usual good spirits, and Sunday morning his daughter found him dead in his bed.

Dates of death: 3 Oct 1893 & 5 Oct 1893

Subject: Neil C. and Earl B. Auble

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Oct 1893, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- The twins of Mr. and Mrs. Nate Auble died of cholera infantum at their residence a short distance west of Savannah, but a few days apart. Neil C. died at 9 o'clock Tuesday night, Oct. 3, 1893, and Earl C. [sic], died Thursday night following at 6:30. They were born June 25, 1893.

same

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 13 Oct 1893, Friday, p. 8 and Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 13 Oct 1893, Friday, p. 1

Neil C. and Earl V. little sons of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Auble, died Oct. 3 and 5, 1893. Their lives were like a ray of sunshine that came to earth to make glad hearts, but God called their spirits to his bosom that they might not see the sorrows of this world.

*Parents, your jewels have left you
They are now in spirit land
Safe in the arms of Jesus
Rejoicing with the angel band.*

*We know their little feet are now
Walking the streets of heaven
We know that unto each of them
A golden crown is given.*

*Those little buds and blossoms
Are angels in disguise,
They are taken to allure you
To your home beyond the skies.*

*Those little flowers were born to die
And leave this world of woe,
To dwell with Christ in paradise,
In raiment white as snow.*

*They are there will little Willie
In the presence of the King
And their voices make sweet music
As around the throne they sing.*

*To die in Jesus, Oh! how sweet
You need not shed a tear
You should not wish them back again
You have no cause to fear.*

*Turn from the world of sorrow
And seek a home above
There to dwell forever
With the ones you love.*

A Friend.

Date of death: 18 Jan 1904

Subject: Sarah J. (Auble) Kramer

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Jan 1904, Friday, p. 7

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Kramer and son have been in St. Joseph several days this week, having been called there by the death of Mr. Kramer's mother Mrs. S. J. Kramer. The funeral services and burial were held in St. Joseph Thursday.

Date of death: 9 Sep 1908

Subject: Walter C. Auble

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

Walter Auble, who was raised in Savannah, and whose mother and brother Nate and sister Mrs. Will Lillibridge live her, was shot twice through the heart on Wednesday, September 9, at Los Angeles, California, where he has been Chief of Police for four years. He has been on the private detective force there and was on the police force for twenty years, and has lived there twenty-eight years. He was about 43 years old. The particulars of the shooting are not known. The telegram came that he could not recover, and another later stated that he died at 3 o'clock. He leaves a wife, two daughters and a son, and three brothers out there. The remains will be buried there.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 11 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

In a desperate shooting affray with two burglars whom he met on the street at Ninth and Grand avenue, Los Angeles, Cali., shortly before 10 o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 9th, Captain Walter Auble of the city police force was shot three times and fatally wounded, dying at 3 o'clock the same afternoon. One of the men, Fred Horning, a chauffeur, was captured, but the man who did the shooting, Carl Sutherland, a waiter, escaped. Captain Auble was former chief of police of Los Angeles.

Capt. Auble lived in St. Joseph until eighteen years ago. He was born in Savannah, and a brother who lives here was informed of his death Wednesday. Many of the older residents of St. Joseph and Savannah, remember Auble. He had the distinction of being the only chief of police in the country to resign his place for the purpose of taking a subordinate position.

It is reported that Carl Sutherland, the man who shot and killed Capt. Auble, was captured Wednesday night and committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

N. F. Auble received a telegram Wednesday afternoon, stating that his brother, Walter, was shot at Los Angeles, on the morning of that day, and later received news of his death.

The following dispatch from Los Angeles was published in Thursday's Gazette:

'In a desperate shooting affray with two burglars whom he met on the street at Ninth and Grand avenue shortly before 10 o'clock this morning, Captain Walter Auble, of the city police force, was shot three times and fatally wounded, dying at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

'One of the men, Fred Horning, a chauffeur, was captured, but the man who did the shooting, Carl Sutherland, a waiter, escaped.

'Captain Auble was former chief of police of Los Angeles.'

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Oct 1908, Friday, p. 1

The Los Angeles, Cali., papers state that the funeral of Walter H. [sic] Auble, captain of police of that city, was one of the largest ever seen there. At least 3,000 persons were turned away from the Scottish Rite cathedral in which the service was held, and twenty-one cars were needed to convey those who wished to attend the services at the grave. The use of these cars was donated by H. E. Huntington, president of the road.

The service at the cathedral was impressive and was conducted according to the Masonic ritual. The floral display was grand and consisted of about 150 designs and nearly as many casket bouquets. Among those who came to look and mourn were many of the prominent people of the city and many poor who remembered some kind word or deed of the captain. The papers state that there were few dry eyes.

They also say that before the funeral the state of the family of the late official was pitiful. Earl Auble, the son, went from one fainting fit unto another. His sister, Julia, was about in the same condition. Mrs. Auble tried her best to keep up, but was unable to do so, and it was necessary for her physician to be in attendance most of the morning. Mrs. Auble had received an unusually severe shock on the day of the murder. When she learned that her husband had been shot, she went to the receiving hospital. The scene that confronted her might have killed some women. Her husband had been placed under an anesthetic and the surgeons were cutting him open. They say that Gladys Auble, the youngest daughter, showed splendid fortitude. Just before the body was removed from the home, she went to the coffin and pinned a white carnation on the lapel of her dead father's coat.

Capt. Auble was shot by a burglar that he was arresting on the morning of the ninth of September and died about 3 o'clock that afternoon, an account of which was published in *The Democrat* of

September 18. The captain was raised in this city and is a brother of N. F. Auble, who lives just west of town, and Mrs. William Lillibridge, of near Rochester. His mother lives with her daughter.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 10 Sep 1908, p. 2

Los Angeles, Sept. 9.—In a desperate shooting affray with two burglars whom he met on the street at Ninth and Grand avenue shortly before ... o'clock this morning, Captain Walter Auble of the city police force was shot three times and fatally wounded, dying at ... o'clock this afternoon.

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Date of death: 22/24 Feb 1913

Subject: Sylvester W. Auffert

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 24 Feb 1913, Monday, p. 2

The little baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Auffert died this morning. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at St. Mary's church and will be conducted by Rev. Father Anslem, pastor. Interment will take place at St. Mary's cemetery.

Date of death: 6 Apr 1920

Subject: John Augustine

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Observer*, 10 Apr 1920, Saturday, p. 5

John Augustine, at one time treasurer of Andrew county, died at his home here Monday. He was a member of the G. A. R. and was 76 years of age.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 06 Apr 1920, Tuesday, p. 6

John Augustine, seventy-six years old, a retired grocer, who was treasurer of Andrew County, Missouri, two years, died at 8:50 o'clock this morning at his home, 701 Prospect avenue, after an illness of several weeks. He was a widower. Surviving him are these daughters and sons: Mrs. Louise Durham, Klugsville, Texas; Mrs. Pearl Kimmell, Parsons, Kan.; Charles Augustine,

Savannah, Mo., and Mrs. L. L. Fox and Harry, John and Bert Augustine, St. Joseph. Mr. Augustine was a member of Custer Post No. 7, G.A.R. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 09 Apr 1920, Friday, p. 1

John Augustine, seventy-six years old, a retired grocer, who was treasurer of Andrew County, Missouri, two years, died at 8:50 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home, 701 Prospect avenue, after an illness of several weeks.

He is a widower. Surviving him are these daughters and sons: Mrs. Louise Durham, Kingsville, Texas; Mrs. Pearl Kimmell, Parsons, Kansas; Charles Augustine, Savannah, Mo., and Mrs. L. L. Fox, and Harry, John and Bert Augustine, of St. Joseph.

Mr. Augustine was a member of Custer Port No. 7, G. A. R.

The funeral ocured [sic] from his late home 701 Prospect Avenue, in St. Joseph, Thursday afternoon and was quite largely attended, as the deceased was well known in city [sic], especially through his G. A. R. activities.

Custer Port No. 7, of which he was a member, turned out in full force and escorted the remains to Ashland cemetery where G. A. R. funeral exercises were conducted at the grave. A firing squad made up of members of the American Legion, fired a volley over the grave, and 'taps' were sounded by bugler Paul P. Howell.

Date of death: 6 Oct 1916

Subject: June Editha Augustine

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Oct 1916, Friday, p. 1

Long Branch. June Augustine, the four months old daughter of John Augustine and wife of St. Joseph was buried at Long Branch last Sunday. Rev. Petree conducted the services.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 07 Oct 1916, Saturday, p. 6

June, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Augustine, 213 Poulin street, died last night.

Date of death: 25 Oct 1914

Subject: Mary Louise (Augustine) Irwin

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 27 Oct 1914, p. 6

Mrs. Mary L. Irwin, 34 years old, wife of James M. Irwin, died at midnight Sunday at the family home, 2416 North Seventeenth street, after a long illness. Besides the husband she is survived by a son, Lloyd, and a daughter, Lela, both living at home. Funeral services will be conducted at 8:15 tomorrow morning at the house, after which the body will be removed to Helena, Mo., the former home, for burial.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Oct 1914, Friday, p. 1

Mary Louise Augustine, daughter of Solomon Augustine and wife, was born near Clarksdale, May 3, 1880, and moved with her parents to Helena at five years of age. Here she grew to womanhood and was converted and united with the Methodist church in the spring of 1896. She was married, December 24, 1901 to James Marvin Irwin and they lived a while in Iowa and at Savannah four years and for five years have lived in St. Joseph. To them two children were born, Lela Bess and Lloyd Hubert, now aged eleven and nine years. Eighteen months ago her health failed and she passed away Sunday, October 25, 1914, aged thirty-four years.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 30 Oct 1914, Friday, p. 5

Mrs. Mary L. Irwin, 34 years old, wife of Marvin Irwin, died at the family home in St. Joseph, Sunday evening. Besides her husband she is survived by a son, Loyd and daughter, Lela. The funeral services were conducted at the home Wednesday morning after which the body was taken to Helena for burial. They were former residents of this city, Mr. Irwin being in the livery business here but now, he is in the employ of the St. Joseph Street Railway Company.

Date of death: 16 Apr 1905

Subject: Samuel Augustine

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Apr 1905, Friday, p. 8

Helena. Uncle Sam Augustine died Sunday morning, April 16, aged 75 years and one week. He was in his usual hearty good health at bed-time Saturday night, and was found dead in his chair, near the stove, where he had built a fire, early on Sunday morning. He has lived in Helena for many years, and a large circle of friends will miss his familiar face from among them. He was a staunch Methodist, a strong Republican, and a thoroughly honest, reliable man. He was a native of Ohio, but came to this State about 1848. His wife, formerly Miss Bettie Castle, to whom he was married in 1859, died a number of years ago. He has made his home for several years with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ellen Augustine. The funeral was held in the M. E. church Monday, April 17. Services were conducted by Rev. Arnhold. Those present from a distance were Ira Cole and wife, of Fillmore; Marvin Irwin and wife, of Albia, Iowa; Isaac Coy and wife, of Union Star; Mrs. Martha Coy, of St. Joseph; Geo. Castle and wife, of Hemple; John Simmons and Mrs. Oliver Wright, of Union Star; Henry Zimmerman, of Cosby; Major Castle, of St. Joseph, and Sylvester Williams, of Union Star.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 21 Apr 1905, Friday, p. 4

Samuel Augustin [sic] died very suddenly at his home in Helena, this county, Sunday morning April 16. He got up and went to the kitchen and started a fire for breakfast. A little latter [sic] when his sister came in to prepare breakfast she found him dead in his chair by the fire, as though he was asleep. He was 75 years of age.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 20 Apr 1905, Thursday, p. 6

Helena, Mo., April 19.-- Uncle Sam Augustin [sic], who was one of our oldest citizens, was called to the eternal home Sunday morning. He got up and went to the kitchen, and started a fire for breakfast. A little later when his sister came in to prepare breakfast she found him dead in his chair by the fire, as though he was asleep. An inquest was held Sunday afternoon. He was a faithful church member, and loved by all who knew him. The body was taken to the M. E. church Monday afternoon, where Rev. Arnhold conducted the burial services, after which the body was laid to rest in the Helena cemetery. He was 75 years of age.

Date of death: 22 Jan 1902

Subject: Solomon Augustine

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 5

Solomon Augustine, Died on Jan. 22, 1902, of general debility, at his home in Helena, aged 77 years and 8 months.

Uncle Sol, as he was commonly known by his friends, possessed those traits of character that made every one he came in contact with his friend. Truly a good man has gone from us to his just reward.

Solomon Augustine was born in Ohio on the 6th day of June, 1824, and moved with his parents to Buchanan county, Mo.; was married to Mrs. Kerns, of Buchanan county, in 1875, of which union one daughter was born, Mrs. J. M. Irwin, of Ackworth, Iowa. The wife dying in 1882, he was married to Miss Ellen Coy, of Andrew county, in 1884, who survives him.

He was converted and joined the M.E. Church in 1860, and remained a faithful member until his death. He had been a great sufferer at times for the last five years, enduring his pain with great patience.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Erl Edmonds on Jan. 23, the body being interred in the Ueltschi cemetery. The services were attended by a large concourse of neighbors and friends. The bereaved family have [sic] the sympathy of community.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 31 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 8

Helena. Helena lost one of her oldest and most respected citizens the 15th. Solman [sic] August who was at one time in the Mercantile business here, but for several years has been the proprietor of the Helena Hotel. Uncle Sol as he was generally [sic] known was loved and respected by all who knew him, was a member of the M. E. Espiscopal [sic] Church. He leaves a wife and one daughter the latter Mrs. Marvin Irvin of Iowa who was here to attend the funeral. The family have [sic] the sympathy of the entire community.

Date of death: 16 Jan 1901

Subject: Thurman Ault

Source: *Nodaway [MO] Democrat*, 17 Jan 1901, Thursday, p. 8

Junction Jottings. Thurman Ault, 19 years old, son of Andrew Ault, of Toad Hollow, died Wednesday afternoon, after ten days illness with pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at the M. E. church in this place Friday at one o'clock conducted by the pastor.

Date of death: 6 Dec 1921

Subject: William Irvin Ault

Source: *The [DeKalb IL] Daily Chronicle*, 12 Dec 1921, Monday, p. 1

There was a large attendance, which included many from DeKalb, at the funeral of William Ault, which was held at his late home west of Sycamore on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. There were many evidences of sorrow over the untimely end of this good husband, father and citizen.

Mr. Ault's [sic] remains arrived here on Wednesday morning from Savannah, Mo., where he had been receiving hospital treatment and where his death occurred on Monday night after several months' illness of Sarcoma. His wife and other members of the family were with him at the time of his death.

William Ault was born in Mayfield township, this county, March 11, 1859, a son of Mathias and Sarah Ault, former residents of Muncie, Lycoming county, Pa.

He was married to Miss Clara Nichols, daughter of the late Lattin Nichols, a well known pioneer of this county. To them were born four children, who are Fred Ault, Bessie Ault, Mrs. Robert Bangs and Mrs. Chellis Vandeburg, all of whom survive. There are also surviving four grandchildren.

Mr. Ault was a man of sturdy character, genial, generous, wholesome and hearty, respected and liked by all who came in contact with him, and he will be greatly missed not only in his family but by the whole community.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1905

Subject: George Austin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Apr 1905, Friday, p. 1

George Austin, who died at 10 minutes to 6, at Flag Springs, Saturday, April 8, was born at Holdenby, Northamptonshire, England, June 24, 1829, and lived most of his life there. He was raised in the Established Church of England, was married to Sarah Eaton in 1848, who died May 17, 1892, leaving four children. He came to this country June 24, 1895, and was married to Martha Bliven Feb. 17, 1897, who survives him. He has lived at Flag Springs ever since; has been a great sufferer for over a year, but trusted entirely in Christ, and died one of the most glorious deaths one could witness; was conscious up to the last minute. Rev. Riggs, of Union Star, was there when he died and preached his funeral sermon Tuesday. He was laid to rest in the Empire cemetery beside his little grandchild. He leaves three daughters and one son. His children are Mrs. H. Lucas, London, England; Mrs. Z. Farn, Rugby, England; Mrs. J. W. Cross, near Fontainebleau; and Rev. E. Austin, Anadarko, Oklahoma. Mrs. David Bonham, of Empire Prairie, is a sister. The Empire choir sang his favorite hymns.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 13 Apr 1905, Friday, p. 5

George Austin died at his home near Flag Springs Saturday at the advanced age of 75 years, 9 months and 10 days. The funeral services were held Tuesday at Flag Springs and the interment at Empire Prairie.

Date of death: 11 Jun 1889

Subject: George W. Austin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Jun 1889, Friday, p. 8

Tuesday morning our people were shocked to learn that George W. Austin had ended his life by shooting himself through the head at the grave of his dead child, in the cemetery adjoining the city. George of late years had suffered from a morbid affection, which grew upon him so that he believed no one was his friend. Several times his wife had separated from him upon grounds of unbearable cruelty, and the last time she had persistently refused to return to him. On Monday morning he had visited the house of Mrs. Philo Hyde for the purpose, as he declared, of seeing and talking with his wife, and desiring her to go with him to the cemetery to show him the grave of her child. Mrs. Hyde, believing that Austin meditated mischief, refused to permit him to take Mrs. Austin with him or to see her alone. It is now believed his purpose was to shoot both Mrs. Austin and himself at the side of the grave where he ended his life.

Austin had bargained with George Rogers for the pistol with which he did the bloody deed, promising to give either five dollars in money or a rifle left at Mr. Nate Auble's, where Austin had been staying since his recent return from Illinois. Tuesday morning Rogers went to Auble's to see about the rifle, and as Austin had not been seen for twenty-four hours, they suspected he

had killed himself and at once began search, and they found him as above stated. He had evidently knelt on the ground, placed the 44 caliber Springfield revolver over his right ear and fired, the ball passing out on the opposite side of the head. He fell forward on his face, and apparently never moved afterward.

Coroner J. F. Townsend was promptly notified, who summoned a jury, and the result of their investigation was that he came to his death by his own hand. His remains were buried in the cemetery, the same evening, without ceremony.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily Gazette*, 12 Jun 1889, p. 4 & *St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Gazette*, 13 Jun 1889, p. 5

Yesterday forenoon James Rogers and Nate Auble of Savannah, went to the cemetery at that place and found the body of George W. Austin lying by the side of the grave of his child with a pistol held in his dead hand, and a bullet hole through his head. They at once notified Coroner Townsend, who held an inquest, the jury bringing in a verdict that the deceased came to his death by a pistol shot fired by himself with suicidal intent.

Austin was a machinist by trade, and has been a resident of Savannah for the past twenty years. He was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and child, a girl about 12 years of age. Austin had not been happy in his domestic relations, and there had been frequent quarrels between himself and wife. He left a few weeks ago for a trip to Illinois, and while absent his wife instituted divorce proceedings against him. On his return last Saturday he was served with legal notice of the filing of the suit and on Sunday went to see his wife as they had not lived together for some time. He asked her to go to the cemetery where they had a child buried as he wanted to settle their differences and live together again. This she refused to do as she was afraid of him. He then left and went to the house of George Rogers, where he secured a pistol which belonged to Auble, stating he wanted to trade for it as he was going west. He said he wanted to try the pistol, and putting it in his pocket went away. This was the last seen of him alive. A pistol shot was heard in the cemetery on Sunday noon by several parties, but no attention was paid to it. Yesterday morning Auble and James Rogers went to the home of George Rogers and asked if the pistol had been returned. On being informed it had not, Auble remarked that Austin had been seen going into the cemetery. Rogers said, "If that is the case we will find him there." They went at once to the cemetery and at the grave of Austin's child found him. He was lying in a partially doubled up position with the pistol still held firmly in his hand. The bullet had entered the right side of his head about the ear, passed upward through the head and came out about three inches above the left ear. Death must have been instantaneous, as there were no indications of any struggle. The pistol was a large 44 caliber, and but one chamber had been discharged. There was no letters or messages of any kind found near him or upon his person. The body was taken to the city and an inquest held, after which it was taken to his home. The funeral will take place to-day.

Date of death: 4 Jan 1890

Subject: Joseph Austin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Feb 1890, Friday, p. 8

Joseph Austin died at his home in Wellington, Kansas, on the 5th day of January, 1890, aged 81 years and 23 days. Mr. August was a native of New Jersey, went to Ohio when seven years old, married Ann Brewster, by whom he had six children. In 1868, his wife having died twenty years before, he came to Savannah. Here he married Mrs. Rachel Rinear, May 21, 1869, and in 1881 they sold out in Savannah and moved to Wellington, Kansas. His four weeks of sickness preceding his death was full of pain, but he bore it meekly, saying to his pastor: 'O, I can stand it-- Jesus suffered.' He has many old friends here who will regret to learn of his death.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 14 Feb 1890, Friday, p. 3

Mr. Joseph Austin, who formerly lived here, and who is known to many of our citizens, died at his home in Wellington, Kansas, on the 5th of January last, aged 78 years and 23 days.

Date of death: 21 Sep 1883

Subject: Lydia M. (Austin) Wilkerson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Aug 1883, Friday, p. 8

We are pained to learn of the affliction with paralysis of Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson, the disease showing itself in the right side of the face and right arm, so that moving her is out of the question. Mr. Wilkerson was to have taken charge of the Grant City school, as Principal, next week, and move there, but he does not know now when he can go.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Sep 1883, Friday, p. 8

The unfavorable condition of Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson still continues, and it is without doubt that Mr. Wilkerson will be compelled thereby to give up taking charge of the Grant City schools as Principal.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Sep 1883, Friday, p. 8

Died, in Savannah, Mo., Sept. 21, 1883, Lydia M., wife of J.W. Wilkerson. Mrs. Wilkerson, whose maiden name was Austin, was born in Harrodsburg, Warren county, Ohio, Sept. 9, 1837. Converted at the early age of 11 years, she united with the M. E. Church where she adorned the doctrine of Christ, by a consistent Christian life. She, with her parents, came to Missouri in January, 1865; was married Feb. 26, 1867. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. Naturally of a weak constitution, she had a stroke of paralysis, which in a few days was followed

by another, and a third stroke destroyed her power of speech; and to a system already weakened by disease, was added malarial fever, which soon proved fatal. The funeral services were conducted, at the Sixth Street M. E. Church, by the pastor, and were attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends, showing the high esteem in which she was held by all who knew her. The bereaved family have the sympathy of all.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 28 Sep 1883, Friday, p. 4

A sad event occurred at Savannah on last Friday morning, in the death of Mrs. J. W. Wilkerson. She had been sick two or three weeks with the dreadful disease, paralysis. After the first stroke she continued to grow worse, with occasional rational intervals till death relieved her. She was loved by all who knew her, for her many sterling qualities as a lady, her christian character and kind disposition. She leaves a husband and two children, to mourn her loss. She was a consistent member of the Methodist church. The funeral took place in Savannah, on last Sunday at ten o'clock. Mr. Wilkerson has the sympathy of the entire community.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Sep 1883, Friday, p. 3

Died, at her home, in Savannah, Mo., September 21, 1883, Lydia W. [sic], wife of J. W. Wilkerson, aged 46 years.

Mrs. Wilkerson was the daughter of Joseph Austin, a former resident of Savannah. She came to Missouri in 1865, and was married to J. W. Wilkerson in February, 1867. She was converted at the age of 11 years, and united with the M. E. Church, where she was a faithful member until death. Her death was caused by paralysis and malarial fever. When I say Mrs. Wilkerson was a Christian, I only voice the feelings of all who knew her. For it only needed an acquaintance with her, to convince any that her's [sic] was a pure life, a life of faith in God, coming from a heart with all its powers consecrated to his service. In the Sabbath school, in the prayer and class meetings, in the public congregations, in revival work, in all these her devotion to the cause of Christ was seen. She had a gentle and self-denying spirit. None knew her but to admire and love her. Truly, one of the choice ones of earth has gone to enjoy the 'rest prepared for the people of God.'

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Date of death: 18 Apr 1919

Subject: Margaret Ann (Austin) Whitten Comegys

Source: *The Hopkins [MO] Journal*, 24 Apr 1919, Thursday, p. 8

Margaret Ann Austin was born in Auburn, New York, in 1836 and departed this life April 18, 1919, at the home of her son, Leonard Whitten, to which she was taken during her illness. She

had advanced to the unusually mature age of 83 years. It was here that her children and loved ones cared for her until her departure. She had been in ill health since the third of last November and because of her advanced age was unable to regain strength. She with Mr. Comegys united with the New Hope Baptist church, east of Hopkins and remained a member of that body the remainder of their lives. They were charter members of this church, having united with it during the pastorate of J. H. Latour.

Grandmother, as the pastor of the Hopkins Baptist church familiarly called her, was a woman who loved her Lord and remained faithful to Him throughout her life. She remarked several times in his presence that she was ready to go at her Master's bidding and was only waiting His time. It has been a pleasure to know her and to visit in her home and talk with her.

She became the devoted mother of eight children-- five of whom are now living: Mrs. Elizabeth Stauffer, of Pheonix [sic], Ariz.; Leonard Whitten, of Hopkins, Mo.; Lew, of Fairmont, Nebr.; Mrs. Geo. Allison and Mrs. Maude Duncan of near Hopkins, Mo. The children who preceded her are Arthur, Willie and Cora. Her late husband, Samuel Comegys, was laid to rest in the Hopkins cemetery February 3, 1916. In addition to the five living children she possessed fifteen grand-children, six great grand-children and one great, great grand-child.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Watts of the Hopkins Baptist church, assisted by Rev. Bellanger, of the Christian church. Interment in the Hopkins cemetery.

Date of death: 16 Jan 1923

Subject: William C. Austin

Source: *The Sargent [NE] Leader*, 25 Jan 1923, Thursday, p. 3

West Loup County Items. (Written January 22, 1923) William C. Austin passed away January 16th after quite an extended illness aged 75 years. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon conducted by the Rev. L. D. Webber of Taylor. Interment was made in the Moulton cemetery. Mr. Austin was well known in Custer county having lived a number of years in the Joe Young neighborhood and also in Broken Bow.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1906

Subject: George Auten

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 11 Jan 1906, Thursday, p. 4

Hopkins. George Auten died at his home in East Hopkins Tuesday evening, after a long illness. Mr. Auten was quite old and had lived in this vicinity for many years. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made at this time.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 18 Jan 1906, Thursday, p. 2

George Auten, one of the old landmarks of this vicinity, died at his home in north Hopkins last Tuesday night, January 9, 1906, after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held at the home Thursday morning at 11 o'clock and burial will take place in the Allison cemetery.-- Hopkins Journal.

Date of death: 1 Apr 1923

Subject: William Clinton Autrey

Source: *The Fort Collins [CO] Express*, 31 Mar 1923, Saturday, p. 3

William C. Autrey, aged 77 years, for 54 years a resident of Boulder County, is dead at his home in Superior. Death was due to paralysis. A widow, three sons two daughters survive.

Date of death: 10 Jun 1917

Subject: Aaron Douglas Averitt

Source: *The Kansas City [MO] Times*, 11 Jun 1917, Monday, p. 3

Aaron Douglas Averitt, a retired farmer, 72 years old, died yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Bosier, 3733 Benton Boulevard. He is survived also by another daughter, Mrs. W. H. Morgan, of Humboldt, Ariz. The funeral services will be held at the home of Mrs. Bosier at 11:30 o'clock this morning. Burial will be in Stanberry, Mo.

Date of death: 30 Apr 1903

Subject: Homer A. Avery

Source: *Nodaway [MO] Democrat*, 30 Apr 1903, Thursday, p. 1

Homer A. Avery died this morning about 8 o'clock. He has been very poorly all winter. Funeral will be in charge of the Masons, with Maryville Commandery No. 40 K. T. as escort. The funeral will [be] held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, May 2. Extended noticed next week.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 07 May 1903, Thursday, p. 1

Died at his home in Maryville, Thursday morning, April 30, 1903, Homer A. Avery, aged about 65 years.

Homer Avery was born in 1838 at Bath, Ohio, where he grew to manhood and received part of his education in the common schools of the period. When about grown he moved to Missouri, near Booneville, where he also went to school.

He enlisted August 1, 1862, in Co. H. 35th Mo. Infantry, and served until June 8, 1865, when he was discharged.

After the close of the war he moved to Andrew county, settling near Fillmore, where he was a neighbor of John S. Schenck and A. K. Martin, all of whom have since been citizens of Maryville. In 1868 he moved to Maryville, which has since been his home.

After coming to Marville he first engaged in manufacturing carriages and wagons. This business he sold to F. Barmann and engaged in the manufacturing of listers and plows with Aaron Wiles. Later he was in the implement business with C. C. Ditmer, but only for a short time, when he went by himself. After continuing this business for a few years, he engaged in the grain and coal business with his son, Charles, in which he was engaged until his death.

In 1869 [sic] Mr. Avery was married to Letitia Andrews, and to them were given two children. Frances and Charles. Mrs. Letitia Avery died in 1874, and in 1876 he married Littie Van Loon, by whom he had children Grace and Edna. Mrs. Lottie Avery died September 20, 1896, since which time he has made his home with his children, all of whom survive.

Mr. Avery was always a Republican, and served at one time as member of the Maryville city council. He was never a seeker for office, however. He was also a charter member of the Presbyterian church in Maryville.

He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, the Knights Templar and the Grand Army, in all of which he was much interested and generally in attendance upon their meetings.

His health had been gradually failing for some time before his death, which was therefore not unexpected.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. at the residence, after which the remains were laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery. The services were conducted by Nodaway Lodge No. 470, A. F. & A. M. with Maryville Commandry.

Date of death: 7 May 1920

Subject: Sarah Ann Avery

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 08 May 1920, Saturday, p. 1

Miss Sarah Ann Avery passed away at 7:30 o'clock yesterday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groppe on South Vine street. Miss Avery was ninety-one years and four months old at the time of her death and has lived in Maryville since 1881.

Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the First Methodist Church. Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will conduct the services and interment will be in Miriam Cemetery. Miss Avery was a charter member of the Women's Relief Corps of Maryville and that organization will attend the funeral services in a body.

The deceased was born in Perinsville, O., and immigrated with her father's family to Illinois at the age of 4 years. She grew to womanhood in that state and in 1881 came to Maryville where she has made her home until this time.

Date of death: 4 Mar 1915

Subject: Eliza E. (Avey or Avery) Bostick

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 11 Mar 1915, Thursday, p. 7

Friday. Mrs. Eliza Bostick died last night at 9:40 o'clock at her home on the corner of Grant and Vine streets, following a year's illness.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence and will be conducted by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church. Burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Bostick was 78 years old and had lived in Maryville over thirty-five years. She is survived by one sister, Miss Sarah A. Avey of Maryville and by a niece, Mrs. Effie B. Myers of St. Louis. Mrs. Bostick had been a member of the First Methodist church since childhood.

Date of death: 17 Feb 1894

Subject: Ella May (Avis) Henson

Source: *Maryville [MO] Daily Democrat*, 19 Feb 1894, Monday, p. 1

Late Saturday evening occurred the death of Mrs. Thomas Henson, of Southwest Maryville. At the family residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon Rev. Frank Siler, conducted a short service, after which the remains were buried in Oak Hill.

Date of death: reported [Dec] 1872, in error

Subject: John R. Avis

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 3 Jan 1872, p. 3- *erroneous*

A short time since we recorded in our columns the departure from our midst of Messrs. J. M. and Henry Cullers and John R. Avis, well known in Savannah and in Andrew county. Young Avis left the city full of hope and the determination to win a fortune in Texas, which seems to be the goal of so many restless people within the past few months. The friends of young Avis will regret to read the following letter, giving an account of his cold-blooded murder:

Chetopa, Ks., Dec. 22, 1872

Editors Herald: Please give space in the columns of your paper for the following particulars of a terrible tragedy which occurred [sic] in this neighborhood a few days since:

On Saturday night, the 21st inst., a part of emigrants from Andrew county, Missouri, four in number, Capt. Cullers, Henry Cullers, J. Avis and a colored boy, while traveling through the country were attacked by a band of desperadoes when about twelve miles from here. The desperadoes approached the wagon and began firing. Young Avis jumped out to make a defense, but as soon as he had reached the ground he fell, struck in the breast by three bullets. While lying on the ground he emptied his revolver at the villains. Henry Cullers then jumped out and came to the assistance of young Avis, when the attacking party rode off. Avis was brought to this city and is still living, but his doctor says that he cannot last much longer.

I am acquainted with the parties, having lived in St. Joseph for several years, and vouch for the truth of the above statements. Yours truly,

J. N. Simpson

Same

Source: *Andrew County Republican*, 07 Feb 1873, Friday, p. 3

John R. Avis writes us from Sherman, Texas, that he is not dead, as reported. We suppose he must have his own way about it; but he seems to have little regard for the feelings of newspapers, to persist in living after they had laid him away so tenderly and in such imaginary security.

Date of death: 18 Nov 1886

Subject: Rosabell (Avis) Henson

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 20 Nov 1886, Saturday, p. 5

Maryville, Mo., November 19.-- Mrs. Thomas Henson died this morning of consumption, aged about forty years; leaving a husband and five children. Mrs. Henson had been sick for several years. Mr. Henson is a carpenter, and came from Freemont, Ohio.

Date of death: 14 Sep 1906

Subject: George Avitt

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 17 Sep 1906, Monday, p. 3

The burial of the 3 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Avitt of East Jenkins street took place Sunday in Mridian [sic] cmtry [sic]. Rv. [sic] J. L. Jones held the funeral services. The baby died Friday.

Date of death: 21 Jul 1921

Subject: Charles Alvin Awalt

Source: *El Paso [TX] Herald*, 22 Jul 1921, Friday, p. 11

Funeral services for Charles A. Awalt, 46 years old, who died Thursday night at a hospital, will be held at 10 a.m. tomorrow at the Peak-Hagedon chapel. Local Elks will be in charge. Mr.

Awalt was a member of the Elks lodge, at Webb City, Mo. He is survived by his widow and two small children. The body will be placed in the receiving vault at Concordia cemetery.

Date of death: 20 Nov 1918

Subject: Evelyn Maxine Awalt

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 01 Aug 1918, Thursday, p. 4- *not an obituary*

Mrs. John Awalt and children left Sunday for Omaha, Neb., where they will make their home in future. Mr. Awalt has been in Omaha for the past three months in the employ of a construction company.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 15 Oct 1918, Tuesday, p. 2

Mrs. Henry Stapler left this morning for Omaha to visit her sister, Mrs. John Awalt and family, who are suffering with influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Awalt and three younger children are all ill and one daughter, Lela Margaret, has developed pneumonia and is in a serious condition.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 21 Nov 1918, Thursday, p. 3

Maxine Awalt, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Awalt, died at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at their home in Omaha. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial, arriving here tonight accompanied by the parents and other children of the family, the grandfather, E. T. Funk; Mrs. Henry Stapler, an aunt of the little girl and Mr. Stapler, who left last night for Omaha to accompany the party to Maryville.

Private funeral services will be held at the Stapler residence, 202 1/2 North Main street, conducted by the Rev. R. C. Holliday, pastor of the Methodist Church, South.

The little girl's death was due to pneumonia. Five weeks ago, several members of the family were ill with influenza, among them Maxine, and all recovered. Maxine had been going to school again for more than a week when she took cold and her trouble immediately assumed a serious aspect.

The Awalt family have lived in this city until last spring when they went to Omaha to make their home. The surviving children of the family are Edward, Vilas, Lela Margaret and Mary [sic] Burnetta.

Date of death: 17 Mar 1913

Subject: Nellie (Awalt) Foster

Source: *Arkansas City [KS] Daily Traveler*, 18 Mar 1913, Tuesday, p. 4

Mrs. Nellie Foster, wife of C.R. Foster, of four miles west of Maple City, died at the family home late yesterday evening. The cause of her death is said to have been blood poisoning. The deceased was aged 32 years, 2 months and 19 days.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Foster leaves four small children. Funeral services are to be held tomorrow afternoon at the church in Maple City, with interment in Maple City cemetery.

Date of death: 1 Jun 1919

Subject: Nellie E. (Awalt) Brown

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 05 Jun 1919, Thursday, p. 4

Mrs. Nellie Brown, 35 years old, wife of Robert L. Brown, died at 1:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 1102 North Walnut street. Mrs. Brown had been in poor health for some time but her condition did not become serious until yesterday morning. She was born July 5, 1883, and was married to Mr. Brown July 15, 1899. Surviving here [sic] are Mr. Brown and three children, two daughters, Stella and Mildred, and a son, Paul. Her father, Jacob Awalt of Creston, Ia., and two brothers, John Awalt of Omaha, Neb., and Harry Awalt of this city, also survive. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the South Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. C. Holliday. Interment will be in Miriam cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. John Awalt and daughters, Lela Margaret and Mary, of Omaha, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. King of Hopkins, Mrs. Charles Buzzard of Pickering, and Andy King of Pickering, will be here for the funeral.

Date of death: 7 Sep 1883

Subject: Thomas Awalt

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Sep 1883, Friday, p. 1

It pains us to record the death under so peculiarly sad circumstances of Thomas Awalt, a young man twenty-four years of age, son of Wm. Awalt, of Pickering. It appears that on last Friday afternoon, he board a construction train, having previously been in the employ of the railroad, and was intending to go down to St. Joseph upon it to attend the fair. When the train got down about Bolckow, young Awalt got on top of the cars, but when nearing the bridge on the Hundred-and-two river, near Rosendale, he remarked to the others on top that he believed he would go below. As he started down the ladder some one said to him that he had better be careful as they were coming near the bridge, but it is likely he did not hear it, as he kept on descending. He had got nearly down when the same party, looking over the car, said to him again to be careful that they were just at the bridge. At this he looked around and in doing so threw his head back somewhat, when one of the timbers struck him, but did not knock him off. A second later he was struck again and thrown down on the trestle, and a moment later fell through it, a distance of thirty feet to the bed of the river below. His relatives got his remains at Rosendale, and on Saturday Rev. Cowley, of Quitman, preached his funeral at the M. E. Church in Pickering, after which he was buried in the Coleman cemetery. He was a most exemplary young man and his

untimely and sad death has cast a gloom over the community where he was so well known and so much esteemed.-- [Maryville *Democrat*.

Date of death: 13 Dec 1901

Subject: Willie Ax

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Dec 1901, Friday, p. 8

Willie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ax, died Dec. 13, in Marshalltown, Ia., of croup and measles. Buried at 2 p.m. Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ax removed from this city to Marshalltown about four months ago.

We learn their daughter Luella is seriously ill with measles.

Date of death: May 1877

Subject: Ahira Axtel

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Jun 1877, Friday, p. 1

Berlin, Gentry Co., Mo., June 2, 1877. Little Ahira Axtel, seven years old, was drowned in a slough while on his way home from school, one evening after one of the heavy rains, a few days ago. He, in company with another boy a year or two older, undertook to cross the slough on a pole which had floated down against some willows. They both fell into the water. Ahira was drowned. The other boy got out and bore the sad news to the parents of the drowned boy. He was in the water about forty-five minutes before he was found.

Date of death: 16 Feb 1911

Subject: Mary Elizabeth (Ayers) Taylor

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 23 Feb 1911, Thursday, p. 5

Mary Elizabeth Taylor, whose maiden name was Mary Elizabeth Ayers, was born July 21, 1892 [sic], at Ellensville New York, the daughter of Samuel B. Ayers a Presbyterian minister, and Sarah H. Ayers, his wife, whose maiden name was Sarah H. Roy, and who died when Mrs. Taylor was nine years old, leaving her the eldest of five children, three brothers, David, Alvin and Samuel Ayers, and one sister, Martha Belle Ayers, now Mrs. A. C. Hutchinson.

About the year of 1854 Mr. Ayers removed with his family to the state of Illinois, where the remainder of Mrs. Taylor's girlhood was spent. She was educated in the Public Schools and at the Presbyterian Academy at Jacksonville Illinois. She was married to John Lawrence Taylor at Tallala, Illinois March 30, 1864 and to this union were born six children. Sarah J. now Mrs. Wm. B. Zinkey, Samuel A. Taylor, William A. Taylor, Charles G. Taylor who died Sept. 3, 1908, Edward R. Taylor and Ethel now Mrs. Jonas Shields. Her husband, John Lawrence Taylor died Sept. 19, 1901.

Mrs. Taylor and her family removed to Nebraska, where they lived over four years, and later to Witchita [sic], Kan. and from there to her late home in Graham, Mo., in the autumn of 1882, where she resided until the time of her death Feb. 16, 1911, being then aged 68 years, 6 months and 26 days.

She left surviving her, besides her five children and her sister above named, one half sister, Mrs. J. Stevenson, of Chicago and four half brothers residing in Ill., Colorado, and Texas respectively.

Mrs. Taylor was a devoted daughter and self sacrificing mother, and her chief interest in life centered in her home and family. She was a woman of fine Christian character and, high ideals, and sought to instill in her children those traits of mind and heart that count for the most and best in this life and the life to come.

She joined the Presbyterian church at an early age and for over twenty-five years past has been a member of that church at Graham.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church in Graham Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. R. Jones, pastor of the church. The Scripture to which attention was especially called is found in Rev. 21:4 and Rev. 20:12.

*'There remaineth a rest to the People of God.
He is able to keep, oh how Sweet is the thought
That which we unto him have Committed--
The soul once his own, he will Never disown:
It will surely for glory be fitted.'*

The body was laid to rest in the Graham Cemetery.

J. R. Jones.

Date of death: 24 Mar 1884

Subject: Nannie Laughlin (Ayers) Gregory

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 28 Mar 1884, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nannie Gregory died at her home in Fillmore on Monday, March 24, at the age of twenty-three years. The cause of her demise was consumption, from which she had been more or less a sufferer for several months. She leaves a husband and one little boy. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of the entire community.

Same

Source: The Bolckow [MO] Herald, 04 Apr 1884, Friday, p. 4

Nancy Laughlen Gregory, daughter of Rufus and Sarah A. Ayers, and wife of Rufus Gregory, was born in Fillmore, Andrew county, Mo., October 4, 1860, and departed this life March 25, 1884, aged 23 years, 5 months and 20 days.

She was married to Rufus Gregory September 14, 1881. The subject of this writing was a great sufferer. She was taken sick on the evening of the 1st of October last, after a pleasant drive to Mound City and back, in company with her husband, stepped at her mother-in-law's, Mrs. Mary Gregory for dinner, which was the last hearty meal she ever ate, and from that time until her death she suffered intensely. Sister Gregory was a member of the M. E. church for a number of years, but was not entirely satisfied with her religious experience until within two months of her death, when in answer to earnest prayer she received a full assurance of her acceptance with God. She bore her afflictions with great patients [sic], and on the morning of the day she died, she called her father, mother, sister and husband, and all of her friends that were present to her bedside and intelligently bade them all farewell until they would meet her in heaven.

The funeral services were conducted by the writer Sunday, April 6th at 11 o'clock a.m., in the Fillmore M. E. church in the presence of a very large congregation who came to show their high appreciation of the deceased.

The text for the occasion was selected from St. Luke, 8th chapter 52 verse, 'Weep not; she is not dead but sleepeth.'

*'Servant of God, well done,
Thy glorious welfare's past.
The battle's fought, the race is run,
And thou art crowned at last.'*

H. L. Powers, Pastor.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 04 Apr 1884, Friday, p. 3

By Mountain Taburnium

Lines on the death of Mrs. Nanny Gregory, who died March 25 [sic], 1884. She was a member of the M. E. Church and went home in the triumph of faith. She was small and very fair, and as to her kindly nature I can well speak, having living neighbors some years ago. I lay sick all one winter. In the spring when I was just able to walk to town, as I would arrive in sight of her father's house on my return she would hurry out to meet me and would take my load and carry it to my gate.

*Alas, our sweetest singer has flown,
To join the angels around the throne,*

*But still the music lingers yet
Within our memory, ne'er forget.
Oh! mother; could you see her now,
With radiant [sic] glory on her brow,
And this her sweetest song alone,
Now death is past and victory won,
And husband do not wish her back,
For thee she left the brightest track,
A lamp of light filled with Godly love,
To guide thee to her home above.*

Date of death: 12 Apr 1892

Subject: Rufus Ayers

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 2 Oct 1891, Friday, p. 1

Fillmore. Sept. 28. Rufus Ayers, who has been sick for some time, is very low at this writing.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 4 Mar 1892, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. March 1. Mr. Rufus Ayers, who has been confined to his bed for several months, is still very low.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 8 Apr 1892, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. April 5. Uncle Rufus Ayers, who has been confined to his bed for some time, is still very low.

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Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Apr 1892, Friday, p. 1

Fillmore. April 13. Uncle Rufus Ayers, an old and respected citizen of Fillmore, died, Tuesday, April 12, 1892, of consumption, aged seventy-one years. He had been confined to his bed for about eighteen months. He was a great sufferer, but bore his suffering with Christian fortitude. He was a faithful member of the M. E. Church, and died in triumphs of a living faith in a crucified Savior. He leaves an aged companion, two children and several grandchildren, and many friends to mourn his sad departure; but they mourn not as those who have no hope. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. Downs, on the following day, at the M. E. Church, after which he was laid to rest in the Fillmore cemetery.