

Some Pre-1924 Obituaries (Ba)
(for people connected with Northwestern Missouri)
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Date of death: 9 Aug 1907

Subject: Samuel Martin Babb

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 14 Aug 1907, Wednesday, p. 4

Samuel Martin Babb died at his home in northeast Maryville Friday, August 9th.

Deceased was born in Fountain county, Ind., and moved to Iowa in 1852.

In 1861 he was united in marriage with Julia Ann Swartz. To this union were born eight children, four of whom, namely, Amos F. Babb and Mrs. W. S. Woods of Maryville, Edward W. Babb, whose home is near Wilcox, and Mrs. J. Flood of Red Oak, Ia., together with his wife, survive.

Mr. Babb came to Nodaway county in 1903, where he resided until his death.

Date of death: 30 Jul 1907

Subject: Ernest Everett Babcock

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 02 Aug 1907, Friday, p. 1

The three year old son of Mr. Mrs. [sic] Grant [sic] Babcock, living in the northwest part of town died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Aug 1907, Friday, p. 1

Ernest Babcock, who has been sick for some time, died at the home of his parents, Henry Babcock and wife, in west Savannah, July 30, aged 4 years and 8 months. The funeral was preached by Rev. McGee and the remains were placed in the Savannah cemetery, Wednesday.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1919

Subject: Henry Salisbury Babcock

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 Apr 1919, Friday, p. 1

Memorial services over the body of Henry S. Babcock were held yesterday, April 10, at the M. E. Church, South, at 2:30 p.m., with the address by Rev. C. S. Rennison. Burial was in the Savannah cemetery.

Mr. Babcock was working for A. J. Lewis on the farm near Helena and took sick with pneumonia and passed away at 11:50 a.m., Tuesday, April 8, 1919, at the age of 53 years.

Henry Salisbury Babcock was born in Marshalltown, Iowa, January 22, 1866. He came to Holt county Missouri, when he was twenty-one years old. There is was married to Miss Emma Lewis,

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

December 13, 1890. They moved to Arkansas in 1891, and lived there two years. While there, both of them united with the Baptist church. A little girl Ethel was born to them, but she died and was buried in Arkansas. They moved back to Holt county, and about fourteen years ago they came to Savannah, where they have lived ever since. Seven other children have been born to them, one boy, Everett, having died, his body rests in the Savannah cemetery, and the others with their mother survive to mourn: Mrs. Maud Price lives in Savannah, Mrs. Jennie Searcy in St. Joseph, Mabel, Grace, Gladys and Inez live at home in Savannah with their mother. There are also three surviving grandchildren, while two have died. Four brothers and two sisters survive Mr. Babcock: Grant Babcock, who lives here, James Babcock and Mrs. Sutton live in Arkansas, Mrs. Brace, in Oklahoma, one brother, Edwin is in the ministry, a pastor in Kansas, and the address of the youngest brother, Martin, is unknown. He had been in failing health for some years before his death.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Apr 1919, Friday, p. 1

Henry S. Babcock passed away at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, April 8, 1919, at the home of Jack Lewis near Helena, aged 53 years. Memorial services were held from the M. E. church South at 2:30 p.m. yesterday, April 10.

An address by Rev. C. S. Rennison was made and interment took place in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 12 Mar 1916

Subject: Mildred Irene Babcock

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Mar 1916, Thursday, p. 5 and *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 Mar 1916, Friday, p. 1

Mildred Irene Babcock, the only child² of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Babcock, was born six miles north of Savannah, April 2, 1904. Eight years ago, she with her parents, moved to Savannah, where she lived until the time of her passing. It was on the Lord's Day morning, March 12, 1916, at the age of 11 years, 11 months and 10 days, that her Master called her from the scenes of this life into that life which is eternal. On the first day of February, 1915, she was baptized into the service of Christ and became a member of the Christian church of this place. She will be missed [sic] by her school mates and friends and to the parents is the sympathy of all in the loss of their only child.

Mildred was loved by all who knew her. So humble in spirit, so patient in her sufferings, so thoughtful of others.³

The funeral sermon was preached at the Christian church Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Snodgrass and the body placed in the Savannah cemetery. It is difficult to associate the things of death with youth, yet the passing of one so young, so fair into youth, eternally is like the legend of the perfect, full-blown rose which was made eternal in God's garden, where age and decay never could marr [sic] it.

² The *Democrat* says "the little daughter".

³ The *Democrat* article ends here.

*'Her suffering ended with the day;
Yet lived she at its close,
And breathed the long, long night away
In statue-like repose.
But when the sun, in all his state,
Illumed the eastern skies,
She passed through Glory's morning gate,
And walked in Paradise.'*

Same

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 17 Mar 1916, Friday, p. 4

Fillmore. Those from here who attended the funeral services of Mildred Babcock in Savannah Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jones, Roy Wardlow and family, Mrs. David Fields, of Parker, Misses Bertha Neese, Grace and Ophelia Killen and Eva Fields and Sherman Wardlow.

Date of death: 4 May 1904

Subject: Ulrich Bachler

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 13 May 1904, Friday, p. 1

Ulrich Bachelor [sic], an old and respected farmer, who lives about half way between here and Nodaway, died yesterday morning at 1 o'clock. About 10 o'clock Tuesday forenoon, Mr. Bachelor went to the field to sow some grass seed, accompanied by his hired hand. The latter was sent on an errand to a neighbor's. On his return he found his employer lying on the ground in a comatose condition. Aid was summoned at once, but the stricken man did not rally and died as above stated, without having regained consciousness.

Mr. Bachelor was a good citizen and a man whose promise was a scared [sic] thing to be kept to the letter. He was ever ready to aid a friend, and many who have been favored by him, will regret to hear of his sudden death.-- Lever.

Date of death: 15 Apr 1915

Subject: Anna (Bachman) Schweizer

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 16 Apr 1915, Friday, p. 8

Mrs. Emma [sic] Bachman Schweizer, who died at her home in Amazonia, at 2:30 April 15, will be buried tomorrow afternoon, Saturday at Amazonia. She was a member of the German Reformed church and the funeral will be held there. She was born in Switzerland, May 17, 1850, and came to America with her parents about 1868 and was united in marriage with Jacob Schweizer December 29, 1872, and six children were born to them one dying in infancy and those who were at her bed side are Mrs. Charles Hurst of near Savannah, Jacob, Con, Albert and Emma all of Amazonia. Mr. Schweizer died in 1896. Mrs. Schweizer had lived in Amazonia about six years and leaves a sister Mrs. Chris. Martie and a brother Gottlieb Bachman to mourn the departure of this good woman.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 30 Apr 1915, Friday, p. 4

Anna Bachman was born May 17th., 1850, at Thun Canton Berne Switzerland, Europe. At the age of 16 she united with the German Reformed church of which she has been steadfast and faithful to the end. She came to America with her parents March 1869, and was married to Jacob Schweizer December 29th., 1872, in St. Joseph, Missouri, who passed away December 12th., 1896. She lived on a farm in Andrew county, on which she lived until October 20th., 1905. She died April 15th., 1915, at her home in Amazonia. She leaves to mourn her loss five children, three sons, two daughters and nine grandchildren all living in Andrew county, Missouri. Five brothers, one sister and one son passed beyond in infancy.

Date of death: 29 Apr 1893

Subject: Elisabeth (Bachmann) Grimes

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 05 May 1893, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- In Lincoln township, Andrew county, Mo., at 4:05 p.m., Saturday, April 29, 1893, Elizabeth [sic], wife of Jahue [sic] Grimes, aged about 28 years.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 05 May 1893, Friday, p. 8

Fillmore. Mrs. Jehu Grime's [sic] funeral took place at the same [Baptist] church at 10 o'clock a.m.

Date of death: 23 Apr 1898

Subject: Christian Bachmann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Apr 1898, Friday, p. 5- not an obituary

High Knob. April 5. Mr. J. Bachmann was called to the sick bed of his father, near Nodaway, who is very ill.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Apr 1898, Friday, p. 5

Died. At his residence six miles west of Savannah, Saturday, April 23, 1898, Christopher [sic] Bachman [sic], aged 80 years and 8 months.

Date of death: 13 Mar 1915

Subject: Elisabeth (Bachmann) Zahnd

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Mar 1915, Friday, p. 10

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth [sic] Zahnd was held at Amazonia Monday by Rev. Bloom. She passed away Friday night and was seventy-one years old and is the mother of four sons, Earnest, Otto, John and A. E. and one daughter, Mrs. Gottfried Dick. She came from Switzerland and was a Christian and loving mother and has gone to the reward of the faithful.

Date of death: 6 Apr 1903

Subject: Mrs. Leah M. Bacon

Source: *Mound City [MO] News-Independent*, 16 Apr 1903, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Ora King and Mrs. Bessie Staley attended the funeral of Mrs. Leah M. Bacon at Quitman last Wednesday. The former is a daughter and the latter a granddaughter of the deceased. Mrs. Bacon was found dead in her bed on Monday morning, April 6, she having succumbed to heart failure.

Mrs. Bacon was born in Vernon county, Ohio, Aug. 13, 1838; was married to Wm. P. Bacon in Stark county, Ill., in 1876. She was a good christian woman and a zealous worker in church organizations.

Date of death: 28 Jul 1897

Subject: William P. Bacon

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 05 Aug 1897, Thursday, p. 5

William P. Bacon died at his home in Quitman on Wednesday morning, July 28, 1897, at 7:35 o'clock, of cancer of the stomach, and was buried in Quitman cemetery Thursday morning. He leaves a wife and four children, one by each of two former marriages, and two by his last marriage, to mourn his death. He has been a resident of Quitman for the past nine years and a citizen of Missouri for more than twenty two years, coming here from Ohio. At the age of 14 he united with the Methodist church, but later in life he joined the United Brethren, in which church he lived a consistent christian life.-- Quitman Record.

Date of death: 11 Jan 1893

Subject: William Badger

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 19 Jan 1893, Thursday, p. 5

The Barnard Rustler announces the death of Wm. Badger of that place, on Wednesday, January 11, 1893, and his burial on the following Friday. Mr. Badger was born in Union county, Pennsylvania, October 1, 1825. Was married to Elvina Orwig in April 1849. To their union were born two sons, F. H. and C. W., who, with their devoted mother, are left to mourn the death of the departed. Mr. Badger lived to be 67 years, 3 months and 10 days. Had lived a true and consistent Christian life, and died in full faith in eternal bliss. Mr. Badger had lived in this neighborhood since October 1869, was well and favorably known by the community for many miles around.

Date of death: 19 Aug 1923

Subject: Mary Edith (Bagby) Cottrell

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Aug 1923, Friday, p. 2

Rochester, August 29. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith visited at Skidmore with friends Wednesday and attended the funeral of Mrs. Clarence Cottrill [sic].

Date of death: 21 Dec 1884

Subject: Robert Bagby

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 25 Dec 1884, Thursday, p. 2*

Sunday, December 21, in the presence of his devoted children, at his home in Monroe township, after an illness of several days with pneumonia, the spirit of Robert Bagby, St., left this tenement of clay and returned to the God who gave it. Deceased led a blameless life and was loved and respected wherever he was known. He was born in Lewis county, Kentucky, near Maysville, September 15, 1809, and at the time of his death was aged 75 years 3 months and 6 days. He married Miss Rebecca Campbell February 8, 1837, and moved to Missouri in 1857, when he located on his present farm, near Skidmore. In early life he professed religion and for many years was a worker and beloved member of the M. E. church South, in which faith he died, with the assurance of eternal life beyond the grave. A wife and seven children mourn his loss,-- two daughters, Mrs. Thursia Wheeler and Mrs. Frances Sullivan, and five sons, Willis, Alex, Robert, Benjamin and John. Six have crossed the river of death-- two boys and four girls. He has 21 grand children living and 12 dead, and 4 great-grand-children living and 2 dead, making in the family 52. His funeral services were held at the family residence Tuesday, December 23, services being conducted by Elder H. C. Bolen, assisted by Rev. Eri Edmunds, after which his remains were laid to rest in the Groves cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. A good man has passed to his reward. May we all emulate his many virtues, and a glorious future awaits us where there is neither sorrow or death.

Date of death: 28 Oct 1878

Subject: William Landon Bagby

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter, 1 Nov 1878, Friday, p. 7*

Whitesville Whittlings.

We are sorry to have to chronicle the death of Dr. L. Bagby, our promising young physician, who died at the residence of his uncle, Dr. J. M. Huffman, on Tuesday evening of this week. The Doctor was universally liked, and leaves a host of friends and acquaintances to mourn his loss.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter, 8 Nov 1878, Friday, p. 1*

Mount Craig, October 30, 1878. On the 28th, at about four o'clock, in Whitesville, Dr. Landon Bagby died, at the residence of his uncle, Dr. Huffman. Dr. Bagby practiced medicine at Bolckow. He died of typhoid fever. His remains were taken to St. Joseph, where his relatives live.

Date of death: 2 Jun 1917

Subject: John D. Bagley

Source: *The [Arapahoe NE] Public Mirror, 07 Jun 1917, Thursday, p. 1*

The remains of John Bagley, a former resident of Furnas county, who lived about three miles northeast of Arapahoe, arrived here Tuesday morning for burial. The body was consigned to E.

C. Wagner, undertaker. Mr. Bagley accompanied by his wife and one children went to Texas about six years ago. From there they moved to Gracemont, Ok. He died in a hospital in Oklahoma City on June 2, of Bright's disease, having been ill since last February. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Olmsted, living south of Beaver City, came over to be present at the burial, Mrs. Olmsted being a sister of Mrs. Bagley. The remains were buried beside those of a young son in the Arapahoe cemetery at 10:30 Tuesday forenoon.

Date of death: 15 Mar 1896

Subject: Katharine (Bagwell) Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Mar 1896, Friday, p. 4

Maryville Republican. Mrs. William Baker died at her home in Barnard, Sunday, March 15, 1896, and was buried Tuesday. She was 82 years old, and one of the oldest settlers in the Platte Purchase. Her aged husband is left to mourn, besides children and grandchildren.

Date of death: 9 Jul 1907

Subject: Nancy Cleaton (Bagwell) Fuller

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 05 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Fuller, who went a few weeks ago for a visit to her nephew, Jack Fuller, north of Bolckow, is now very sick. She is partially paralyzed and is very low. Her daughter, Mrs. James Rash, returned home Monday from a week's stay, but was telephoned for Tuesday. Mrs. Fuller is past 80 years old and was one of the earliest pioneers on the Maryville Road.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Fuller died Tuesday evening at the home of her grandson Jack Fuller, northwest of Bolckow. She would have been 82 years old on August 31. Her husband, Riley Fuller, died twelve years ago. Rev. Hanna, of Bolckow, preached her funeral and the remains were placed in the Litts cemetery beside her husband. They came from Linn county in 1855 and located on the Maryville road, where they lived until Mr. Fuller died. The country was wild for many miles about their home, and their kindness to travelers endeared them in the hearts of all. They were both good Christian people and lived lives of usefulness. Mrs. Rash and Mrs. Best, of Savannah, and John Fuller, of Rosendale, were the children who attended the funeral.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 8

Bolckow. Mrs. H. F. Best arrived from Arizona Tuesday evening. She was called home by the death of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Fuller, who died at the home of her nephew, Jack Fuller.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 12 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 8

Bolckow. Mrs. Riley Fuller, better known as Grandma Fuller, died at Jack Fuller's Tuesday afternoon.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 19 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 4

Bolckow Herald. Mrs. Fuller who used to live south west of town died at the home of her nephew Jack Fuller's Tuesday and was buried at the Littsville cemetery Wednesday.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 26 Jul 1907, Friday, p. 8

Bolckow Herald. Nancy C. Bagwell, born in Sullivan county, Missouri, August 31, 1825/ She was married to Riley A. Fuller the year 1844. To this union was born twelve children, six boys and six girls, four of them still living, Mrs. Mary F. Rash, Maltilda [sic] C. Best, John R. Fuller, all of Savannah and Thomas C. Fuller of Wadpaun, Wisconsin. She has thirty-one grandchildren and twenty-one great grandchildren. All of her life has been spent in Missouri. She became a member of the Baptist church when but thirteen years of age and remained steadfast until her death. She passed away at the home of her nephew Jack Fuller two miles northeast of Bolckow, Missouri at 6 p.m., July 9, 1907.

Date of death: 18 Mar 1895

Subject: Henry Otto Bahr

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 29 Mar 1895, Friday, p. 5

Died, of consuming fever, at the residence of his parent [sic], two and a half miles northeast of Cosby, on March 18, 1895, Henry Otto Bohr [sic], aged 16 years, 8 months and 20 days. Deceased was a member of Bethel Baptist Church, having united with the church in December, 1892, and was a tireless worker in the Sunday-school and praying meeting, which he seldom failed to attend, until poor health compelled him to quit. He received the best medical aid, but all that physicians, loving parents and kind friends could do was of no avail. The Most Supreme Being of the Universe had called him away from this world of trials and troubles to a better land. Funeral services were conducted at Bethel Baptist Church by Rev. Kearby, Wednesday, after which the remains were laid away in Bethel Cemetery.

A Friend.

Date of death: 23 Mar 1920

Subject: Anna Estella (Bailey) Paul

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Mar 1920, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Apr, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. O. E. Paul passed away at her home in Mound City Tuesday morning, March 23, at 7 o'clock after an illness with heart trouble⁴ of two months.

⁴ The *Democrat* omits "with heart trouble".

The body was brought to Savannah Wednesday and memorial services were held at the Episcopal church at 1 o'clock with the Rev. C. Heley Moloney in charge and the body was placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Before her marriage she was Miss Anna E. Bailey and was born in Newport, Kentucky, April 6, 1844, and was just two weeks short of 76 years old, and had lived in Savannah forty-three years of that time. She was married to O. E. Paul January 31, 1865, and he started the Savannah Reporter in April, 1876. Prior to that in 1872 he ran the Savannah Republican here. To them ten children were born, three daughters dying in infancy and one son John W., dying at the age of 26. The other children are Mrs. Claude Petree of Paris, Ky., O. E. Paul, Jr., and A. B. Paul both of near West Plains, C. H. Paul of Kansas City, Dr. Theodore Paul of Mound City.

She had been a member of the Episcopal church since girlhood and was both a Mary and a Martha, looking ever toward the higher things of life as well as taking care of her household. A good mother has gone and her reward will indeed be great.⁵ There can be no tears for one who lived as she did and finished so nobly this lesson. Tears are only for those who are left here in loneliness and the journey yet to complete.

same

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 2 Apr 1920, p. 2

Our deep sympathy goes out to O. E. Paul, of Mound City, by the death of his dear wife, which occurred at the home in Mound City, on Thursday last, March 25, aged 76 years, after an illness of two weeks from heart trouble. The couple has journeyed together here, sharing with each other all the ups and downs of life that had come to them for fifty-five years, and now she separates from him and her splendid children, only to go before to beckon them on to come up higher.

We copy the following from the Savannah Reporter, of March 25:

"Before her marriage she was Miss Anna E. Bailey, and was born in Newport, Kentucky, April 6, 1844, and was just two weeks short of 76 years old, and had lived in Savannah forty-three years of that time. She was married to O. E. Paul January 31, 1865, and he started the Savannah Reporter in April, 1876. Prior to that in 1872 he ran the Savannah Republican here. To them ten children were born, three daughters dying in infancy and one son, John W., dying at the age of 26. The other children are: Mrs. Claude Petree, of Paris, Ky.; O. E. Paul, Jr., and A. B. Paul, of Kansas City; Dr. Theodore Paul, of Tarkio, and Dr. W. E. Paul, of Mound City.

"She had been a member of the Episcopal church since girlhood, and was both a Mary and Martha, looking ever toward the higher things of life as well as taking care of her household. A good mother has gone and her reward will indeed be great. There can be no tears for one who lived as she did and finished so nobly this lesson. Tears are only for those who are left here in loneliness and the journey yet to complete.

⁵ The *Democrat* ends the article here.

"The body was brought to Savannah Wednesday, and memorial services were held at the Episcopal church, at one o'clock, with the Rev. C. Heley Moloney [sic] in charge, and the body was place in the Savannah cemetery."

Date of death: 27 Aug 1905

Subject: Benjamin H. Bailey

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 31 Aug 1905, Thursday, p. 4

Elmo. Benjamin Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey, died at St. Francis hospital in Maryville Sunday morning., Augst 27th. He had been taken to the hospital a week previous to undergo an operation. He stood the operation well and for the first three or four days it was thought he would get well, but afterward he grew worse until death resulted. The body was brought to Elmo Sunday evening and taken to the home of his parents, north of town. Rev. Bolin conducted the funeral services at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the M. E. church, in which there was no standing room for over half the people present. After the services the remains were laid to rest in the Odd Fellows' cemetery, west of Elmo. Ben Bailey was 16 years of age in May [sic] and was the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey. He will be missed greatly by his parents, who are quite old and needed his help at this time of life. He was a thoroughly good boy at home and a favorite among his associates of his own age.

Date of death: 3 Oct 1890

Subject: Charles H. Bailey

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 09 Oct 1890, Thursday, p. 4

A child, three years old, of Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, in East Maryville, died last Saturday from the effects of drinking some concentrated lye. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hicks Tuesday afternoon.

Date of death: 9 Mar 1922

Subject: Clara Opal Bailey

Source: *Skidmore [MO] News*, 16 Mar 1922, Thursday, p. 1

Clara Opal Bailey, 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey, living east of town, died last Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her parents, after an illness of about a week, of pneumonia following influenza. She is survived by her parents, one sister, Mildred, and three brothers, Orville, Floyd and Clifford. Orville has been very ill of pneumonia, but is reported as improving.

Funeral services were held at the [illegible] church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Trotter. Burial was at Maryville.

Date of death: 8 Jul 1921

Subject: Clarissa Lee (Bailey) Peery

Source: *Lincoln [NE] Journal Star*, 14 Jul 1921, Thursday, p. 2

J. B. Bailey, Cherry county homesteader under arrest in connection with the murder of his sister, Mrs. Clarissa L. Perry, is lodged in the cellar jail at Valentine. The murder suspect occupies a basement room with E. C. Piersoll, notorious jail breaker and two others. It is the only housing place which the jail affords. There are windows on the ground floor. Saws, guns and other weapons may be given the inmate unless the most careful watch is maintained.

The condition together with a determination to avoid any show of public violence in the event that Bailey is proven guilty, has influenced Sheriff C. M. Hahn to ask Warden Fenton regarding available quarters in the over-crowded state prison. Sheriff Hahn was in Lincoln Thursday morning. While in long distance communication with the Cherry county attorney, he was informed that Baily clings to his original story to the effect that his sister was kicked by a horse, that she was hurled back until the heels of another horse and trampled to death.

State Sheriff Gus Hyers furnished information which led to the arrest of Bailey when he stepped from the train at Valentine at 8 p.m. Wednesday. The homesteader was returning from Elmo, Mo., where he had taken the body of his sister for burial. Sheriff Hyers went to Elmo Wednesday only to discover that Bailey had started for home. He wired Sheriff Hahn who communicated with his deputy and caused the arrest.

A blood-splashed door taken from within the Baily home is probably the most incriminating evidence against the homesteader. The splashes according to the Cherry county sheriff are about two-thirds up on the door and at an angle indicating that the woman may have reeled against the door after the murderous assault which left a wound three inches long and one and one-half inches deep on the head.

Sheriff Hahn returned to Valentine Thursday. The complaint charges that James B. Bailey on July 9, made an assault, with intent to kill, upon Clarissa L. Perry with a certain blunt instrument used upon her head. No inquest was held over the body of the murdered woman. The Bailey ranch is about 25 miles southeast of Gordon and suspicion presumably first came from the Gordon undertaker who prepared the body for burial.

Bailey and his sister have lived on the ranch for several years, presumably under a partnership pact. One theory is that the motive for the crime was a desire to obtain the property interests of the woman. Some of the land is said to be in her name and livestock, consisting of thirty-five or forty head of cattle and a few horses, supposedly were owned jointly.

Altho Bailey sticks to his story that the sister was trampled to death, neighbors are said to have refuted some of his statements. It is claimed that the horse, which he says kicked the woman under the heels of another horse, was seen in the pasture at the hour the woman is said to have been killed. Other statements of the homesteader have been denied by neighbors, it is said.

Baily is about forty-eight years old. He is said to have been a drinker for many years. The authorities found a complete still, from thirty to forth gallons of moonshine whisky and a quantity of mash in the house. It has been rumored that he had about gone thru with his property and was broke. Until the past few years, he enjoyed a good reputation in the community, according to the sheriff. He is, however, known as a man of quick temper.

Neighbors have informed the authorities that Bailey and his sister have not been congenial for some time and that he has frequently abused her. According to these reports, he has been known to strike the woman.

State Sheriff Hyers was on his way to Valentine to meet Sheriff Hahn when he received a telephone message to stop at Gordon. He went to Elmo, Mo., Wednesday and discovered that the woman's body was buried in the Odd Fellows' cemetery at that place. It is probable that the remains will be exhumed.

... Warden Fenton announced early Thursday afternoon that he will find a place for Bailey whenever Sheriff Hahn sees fit to send the murder suspect to Lincoln. He said that he appreciates the inadequacies of the Valentine jail.

Same

Source: *The Gordon [NE] Journal*, 21 Jul 1921, Thursday, p. 1

[excerpts] ... After he was placed in jail, Bailey made the following statement to Deputy Sheriff O'Rourke:

'Mrs. Perry was kicked by her saddle pony, a brown horse named Flash, between 9:30 and 10 o'clock Saturday morning, July 9. Flash kicked her under two other horses that were standing in the opposite stall and they kicked her to death. She did not bleed very much until she was in the house, and the unionalls that I sent to Jackson to have washed are the clothes that I had on when I carried her into the house. I carried her into the house within five minutes after she received her injuries. After I got her into the house I went for help. First I went to Shipps' place, not finding them at home I went to Juke's place and not finding him at home, I went to Harry Lapkey's and got him and his wife and Ora Perkins to go over. When we got back the first place we went was in the house and found her dead and considerable blood there.'

Mrs. Perry was heard to make the statement something over a month ago that she was afraid of 'Bert' [sic] that being the middle name of James B. Bailey, when he was drunk but that she could 'usually cow him down.' It is thought by some that Bailey may have been under the influence of bad whiskey and temporarily insane.

When arrested Bailey had in his possession a paper purporting to be an agreement by all of the other heirs at law of Mrs. Perry surrendering all of their rights and interests in her estate, real or personal.

... Early Wednesday morning ... O'Rourke ... went to the Bailey place and made a careful examination of the premises. In the kitchen of the house were found spots of blood on the floor and splashes on the ceiling and the door sill. Investigation in the barn where Bailey said his sister was killed, failed to show any signs of blood or any disturbance.

same

Source: *Thomas County [NE] Clipper*, 21 Jul 1921, Thursday, p. 1

Before County Judge Travis at Valentine James B. Bailey, farmer living south of Merriman, in northwest part of Cherry county, had a preliminary hearing Thursday and Friday and was bound over to the district court for the crime of murder in first degree, his bail being fixed at \$2,000. He lived with his widowed sister, Mrs. Clarissa L. Peery, and claims she was killed by a horse in a barn. Neighbors have found no trace of blood in the barn, but the interior of the house showed blood stains and signs of battle. Bailey was arrested after he had shipped the body for burial to Elmo, Mo.

Date of death: 13 Feb 1917

Subject: Elijah Mitchell Bailey

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 15 Feb 1917, Thursday, p. 1

Funeral services for Mitchell Bailey who died at his home in Elmo will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the South Methodist church, the Rev. R. C. Holliday of Maryville officiating. Burial will be in the LaMar cemetery.

The Masonic lodge, of which he was a member, will have charge of the funeral services.

Date of death: 27 Feb 1923

Subject: Elizabeth E. (Bailey) Bradley Judy

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 01 Mar 1923, Thursday, p. 6

Mrs. Elizabeth Bradley Judy, 92 years of age, and a resident of Nodaway County practically her entire life, died last night at her home on North Fillmore street. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Judy was born in Johnson County in 1831 and was married to George W. Bradley at Fayette, Mo. Nine children were born to them, four of whom are living. They are James S. Bradley, New Mexico, Gabriel A. Bradley, Maryville, with whom she made her home, Jesse A. Bradley, West Plains, Mo., and Mrs. Georgia Masters, Maryville. Mrs. S. A. Roach and Mrs. L. E. Tulloch, are granddaughters. Mr. Bradley died in 1900, and her second husband, Robert Judy died a little more than a year ago.

Date of death: 22 Jun 1895

Subject: Ella H. Bailey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Jun 1895, Friday, p. 8

Miss Ella Baily [sic] died Saturday morning and was buried in Sunday in Bolckow. Elder Chapman, or Rosendale, preached the funeral sermon in the Christian Church. It will be remembered that Miss Ella was accidentally shot in the neck a few months ago. The ball is supposed to have followed the spinal column downward and imbedding itself in the lung caused hemorrhage of the lungs, which caused her death. She was about 22 years old.

Date of death: 25 Apr 1920

Subject: Ervin Anderson Bailey

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 29 Apr 1920, Thursday, p. 2

Ervin Bailey died at 4:35 o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home two and one-half miles northeast of Elmo. He had been very ill for two weeks and his death was due to a complication of diseases. Mr. Bailey was born on the same farm on which he lived at the time of his death. He was fifty-three years old.

Mr. Bailey is survived by his widow and two children, a daughter, Mrs. Earl Aldridge of Elmo, and a son, Burnis [sic], at home. He was a cousin of Judge E. T. Bailey of this city.

Funeral services for Mr. Bailey will be held tomorrow at the Methodist church, south, of Elmo, conducted by Rev. R. C. Holliday, pastor of the Methodist church, south, at Maryville. Burial will be at the Possum Walk cemetery.

Date of death: 27 Aug 1913

Subject: George Kearby Bailey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 05 Sep 1913, Friday, p. 5

George Kearby Baily [sic] was born April 10, 1884, near Whitesville, where he resided until the year of 1907 when he with his parents and his brothers and sisters except one sister, moved to the State of Idaho, where he resided for a little over one year. He returned to Missouri September 25, 1908. He was united in marriage to Mary Lois Jones. To this union one daughter Jennie Susan, was born, now two years old. On January 25, 1912 with his wife and baby he landed in Los Angeles, California and resided there until March 20, 1913, when he returned to Idaho, near the little town of Drummond, where he lived until his death which occurred at 12:15 o'clock a.m., August 27, 1913, aged twenty-nine years, four months and seventeen days. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. B. Kearby after which the body was placed to rest in the Whitesville cemetery. He was a good young man and well liked and his bereaved family have the sympathy of all.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 05 Sep 1913, Friday, p. 4

George Kearby Baily [sic], was born April 10, 1884, near Whitesville, Missouri, where he resided until the year 1907, when he with his parents and his brothers and sisters, save one sister, moved to the state of Idaho, where he resided for a little over one year when he returned to Missouri. September 25, 1908, he was united in marriage to Mary Loie Jones, and to this union was born one daughter, Jennie Susan, now two years old. On January 25, 1912, with his wife and babe he landed in Los Angeles, California. He resided there until the 20th, day of March 1913, when he returned to Idaho near the little town of Drummond, where he lived until his demise, which occured [sic] at 12:15 August 27th, 1913, aged 29 years, 4 months and 17 days. He was one of a family of 13 children, 8 brothers and 5 sisters. One brother and sister in babyhood and one sister that arrived at woman-hood preceeded [sic] him to the Spirit land. His father, mother, wife and babe survive him. He was a man that was a true friend and would do any thing for a friend in trouble. He has been afflicted for a number of years and suffered a great deal in the last three years of his life yet never complained. Ask him how he was his reply was, 'Oh, I am

getting along alright [sic].! So ends the life of one so young in years and loved by a host of friends. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Kearby after which the body was laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery.

Date of death: 13 Aug 1912

Subject: George Washington Bailey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Sep 1912, Friday, p. 5

From The Bolckow *Herald*. George Bailey died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sherman Heren at Manhattan, Ks., Wednesday August 14, 1912, and the body was taken to Menlo, Mr. Bailey's home for burial. Mr. Bailey was a brother to Mrs. Z. D. Taylor and was 72 years old. Several years ago he lived west of town. A few days after his death his widow fell and broke her arm.

Date of death: 2 Jul 1923

Subject: Harry Eugene Bailey

Source: *The King City [MO] Chronicle*, 06 Jul 1923, Friday, p. 1

Santa Barbara, Cal., July 4.-- Harry Eugene Bailey, retired business man of Union Star, Mo., was found dead in his home here yesterday with a bullet wound through his head. A revolver lay close by the body. An inquest held yesterday afternoon resulted in a verdict of suicide. Bailey, who is said to be wealthy, came to Santa Barbara three years ago for his health from Union star and for the last several months has been despondent, according to his wife. He left a note telling of his intended act. The body will be shipped to Union Star for burial.-- St. Joseph Gazette.

Date of death: 18 Apr 1919

Subject: Henry J. Bailey

Source: *The Milan [MO] Republican*, 01 May 1919, Thursday, p. 5

Henry J. Bailey was born in Vermillion County, Indiana, October 1st, 1831, died at the home of his son, Chas. W. Bailey, April 18, 1919, being 87 years, 6 months, and 18 days old.

He was united in marriage to Sarah Jane Myers, January 25, 1855, to this union were born ten children, three of which preceded him to the great beyond.

He leaves to mourn his departure, five sons and two daughters, besides a host of other relatives.

He united with the U. B. Church in the year 1877, since which time he has been a constant worker, in his great cause for right, and christian work.

We as sons and daughters who learned to love him, feel sure that our loss is his eternal gain.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 01 May 1919, Thursday, p. 3

Harry [sic] Bailey, a well known resident of Clearmont, died Tuesday at Harris, Mo., where he had been making his home for several years, with his son, Charles Bailey.

Mr. Bailey was 87 years old. His wife died about four years ago and he is survived by two sons, James Bailey of Clearmont and Charles, of Harris. The funeral services were held at Harris.

Date of death: 29 Oct 1885

Subject: Huston Mitchell Bailey

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 05 Nov 1885, Thursday, p. 4

Lamar Station. Death, that visitor who never fails to come and never leaves without taking some one who is dearly loved, has been in this neighborhood and taken three loved ones in eight days, within a radius of two miles. [*Information on two other deaths.*]

The third and saddest death was Huston Mitchell Bailey, of consumption, aged twenty-three years. His mother died when he was but two years old, and poor boy, he always had a hard time. He leaves a wife and babe, two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Geo. Croudus [sic] at whose house he died, and Mrs. Chas. Mains, of Dawson, John Bailey, who owns a farm almost under the shadow of Bethel church. He also leaves his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Parton, and a host of uncles, aunts and cousins. His father, Frank Bailey, stepmother and a large family of half brothers and sisters live in southern Kansas. He died praying, and has passed into the keeping of our loving Heavenly father, who is too wise to err, and too good to be unkind to anyone. His remains were laid to rest in Dawson, on Oct. 31. Devotional exercises at the grave by Rev. Cooper, of the Baptist church, where he sleeps until the last trumpet shall sound and we will all meet at the judgment bar of Almighty God.

Rat.

Date of death: 23 Nov 1922

Subject: James R. Bailey

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 23 Nov 1922, Thursday, p. 1

James R. Bailey, who lives six miles west of Maryville, suffered a stroke of appoplexy [sic] at his home last week and is in a serious condition at St. Francis hospital in Maryville. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Bailey of Elmo, and his wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of near Burlington Junction.

Same

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

James R. Bailey died at 3 o'clock this morning at St. Francis Hospital following a cerebral hemorrhage which he suffered Monday afternoon, Nov. 13, at his home, five miles west of Maryville. He was brought to St. Francis Hospital that evening and never regained consciousness. Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Friday morning at the First Christian Church in Maryville, conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass. Burial will be in the Possum Walk cemetery near Elmo. The Masonic Lodge of Elmo, with which Mr. Bailey was affiliated, will attend the funeral in a body and will be in charge of the services at the cemetery. Mr. Bailey was born May 19, 1893, on a farm west of Elmo where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Bailey still

reside. With the exception of two years in northern Iowa, Mr. Bailey had spent his entire life in Nodaway County. He had lived on the farm, five miles west of Maryville, since two years ago last March. He was married on Thanksgiving day, 1916, to Miss Bessie Brown, who with one son, Weldon, five years old, survives. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Bailey, and one brother, Presley E. Bailey, of Elmo, and one sister, Mrs. John Tudder of Blanchard, Ia., also survive.

Date of death: 14 Jan 1895

Subject: John Bailey

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 18 Jan 1895, Friday, p. 1

John Bailey, who was well known in this section some years ago, died suddenly in Bolckow Sunday night last, Jan. 14th, from paralysis. He left Bolckow some years ago but returned a short time back and was living with his family when he died.

Date of death: 15 Jul 1904

Subject: John T. "Tip" Bailey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. Uncle Tip Bailey is very low at this writing, and is not expected to live long.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 1

Died at his home in Whitesville on Friday, July 15, 1904, John T. Bailey, aged 79 years, 8 months and 2 days. Uncle Tip, as he was usually called was born in Harlan county, Ky., and was married to Eliza Shelton in Andrew county, November 15, 1847. To this union was born eight children, two daughters, and six sons. Three of these children died when very young, another, a son, died after year of maturity. Mr. Bailey professed faith in Christ in February, 1860, and united with the Whitesville Baptist Church soon afterward, of which he remained a member until death. Rev. J. B. Kearby, of Savannah, who until recently has been pastor of the Whitesville Baptist church for many years, delivered a beautiful funeral tribute in his solemn and impressive manner, in honor of the departed one, after which the Masonic fraternity, of which he was an honored member, took charge of the service, and the body was laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery, there to await the resurrection morn.--Signal.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 10

Whitesville. Died, at his home in Whitesville, Friday, July 15, Uncle Tip Bailey; interment in the Whitesville cemetery Saturday afternoon.

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Miss Fayette Bailey is visiting home folks this week, being called up by the death of her grandfather, Uncle Tip Bailey, Friday evening.

Oscar Bailey and wife, of Bethany, will visit relatives here for some time, after attending the funeral of his grandfather Saturday.

Uncle Ned Bailey, a brother of Uncle Tip, from Jamesport, with his wife and daughter, attended the funeral.

Date of death: 9 Jul 1913

Subject: John W. Bailey

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 11 Jul 1913, Friday, p. 1

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wachtel were called to Maryville to-day by the death of a brother-in-law, J. W. Bailey, who died of a paralytic stroke at the age of 78 years Wednesday.

Date of death: 25 Feb 1908

Subject: Lena Sybil (Bailey) Agee

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Mar 1908, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. The remains of Mrs. Lena Agee came in from Colorado Saturday. Her funeral was conducted by Rev. Kearby Sunday morning at the Baptist church in the presence of one of the largest crowds ever in the church. The floral tributes were many, some coming from a distance, thus showing the esteem in which the deceased was held. The young husband, baby girl and relatives, together with a host of friends are left to mourn her death. The sympathy of all goes out to the bereaved ones.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 06 Mar 1908, Friday, p. 1

Lena Sybil Bailey was born Dec. 4th, 1884 near Whitesville. She was converted and united with the Whitesville Baptist church and was baptized by her paster J. B. Kearby, January 20th, 1900 and remained a member of this church until death.

She was united in marriage to H. B. Agee, April 24th, 1904. To this union was born on daughter, whom with husband, father mother, seven brothers, four sisters, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her death. She died at her home in Ault, Colo., Feb. 25, 1908. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Kearby, her former pastor, she was laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Mar 1908, Friday, p. 1

Lena Sybil Bailey was born in Andrew county, Missouri, near Whitesville, December 4, 1885, and grew to womanhood there. She was converted and united with the Baptist church and was baptized January 20, 1900, by her pastor, J. B. Kearby. She remained a member of this church until her death.

She was united in marriage to B. R. Agee, April 24, 1904, and to this union was born one daughter, who with the husband, parents, seven sisters, four brothers and a host of friends, mourn her death.

She died at her home at Ault, Colorado, 3:15 p.m. February 25, 1908. The remains were brought to Whitesville and funeral services were conducted there Saturday by Rev. J. B. Kearby in the presence of a large concourse of friends, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Mar 1908, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. The funeral of Mrs. Lena Agee was preached Sunday at the Baptist church by J. B. Kearby, of Savannah. She died Feb. 25th, in Ault, Colorado. The remains were brought back here for interment. She leaves a husband and a thirteen-months-old baby girl, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss, for she was loved by all who knew her.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Mar 1908, Friday, p. 4

Death of Mrs. Len [sic] Sybil Bailey Agee.

She was born Dec. 4, 1885, near Whitesville, Mo. She was converted and united with the Whitesville Baptist church and was baptized January 20, 1900, and remained a member of this church until her death. She was married to B. R. Agee April 24, 1904. To this union was born one daughter, who, with husband, father, mother, seven brothers, four sisters and a host of relatives and friends, mourn her death, which took place at her home in Ault, Colorado, February 25, 1908, at 3:15 p.m. The funeral services were conducted by her former pastor, Rev. J. B. Kearby, at the Whitesville Baptist church, in the presence of a large concourse of people, and the interment took place in Whitesville cemetery.

Date of death: 11 Mar 1913

Subject: Lucretia Jane (Bailey) Hendricks

Source: *The Nashville [KS] Journal*, 13 Mar 1913, Thursday, p. 1

Word was received here the first of the week of the death of Mrs. Samuel Hendricks at her home at Ingorsol [sic], Okla. Mrs. Hendricks is remembered by all the old settlers of this community, having lived on a farm west of town a number of years ago.

Date of death: 9 Jun 1886

Subject: Nancy Ann (Bailey) Crowdes [or Crowdis]

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 17 Jun 1886, Thursday, p. 4

Lamar Station. The death angel ahs been again in our midst transplanting wearied souls, from suffering bodies, to that land of love and light where pain and death are felt and feared no more. On the morning of the tenth inst., just as the day began to dawn and the little birds wake up to

their morning songs, the leaves of the trees and buds of flowers to unfold to the brightness of another day, the pure spirit of Mrs. George Crowdis passed over the river of death and began a new life on the banks of the river that flows from the throne of God, and under that tree whose leaves are for the healing of all nations. She was a devoted wife, a loving mother and a good neighbor. Her maiden name was Ann Bailey. She was born in Tennessee, but when a little child her parents and grandparents moved to this part of Nodaway county. Here she grew to womanhood and was married to Geo. Crowdis over sixteen years ago. She died in the thirty-fourth year of her age. She leaves a husband and five children, three daughters and two sons, one little son preceded her to the grave five years ago. She was converted on her death-bed, while Rev. Cooper, of the Baptist church, was at prayer. She praised God aloud, and from that time until her death, nearly a week, though her sufferings were intense, she never doubted her Saviour's pardoning love. She was perfectly in her right mind until the last, and when she could no longer speak she motioned with her hand for husband and children, kissed them and bade them all a final farewell, kissed her uncle, E. M. Bailey, and stroked his beard and face-- all her life he had been so kind to her and was untiring in his kindness while on her death-bed. Her funeral sermon was preached on the eleventh inst. by Rev. Cooper, in a beautiful grove belonging to Wm. Lamme, then her remains were taken to Lamar Station cemetery, followed by many weeping relatives and sympathizing friends, where the beautiful funeral services were closed and all that was mortal of Mrs. Crowdis laid to rest where she sleeps until our loving Lord shall come in the clouds, in like manner as his disciples saw Him go up; then His loved ones will hear His voice in the grave and come out to meet Him in the sky. Mrs. Crowdis also leaves one brother, John Bailey, living near Bethel church, and one sister, Mrs. Cass Mains, living near Dawson. Her father, Frank Bailey, step-mother and a numerous family of half-brothers and sisters, are in Southern Kansas. One aunt, Mrs. Nancy Sexton, who was devoted to her niece [sic] through her entire sickness and death lives near and is a member of Bethel Baptist church, and last, but not least, the loving grandmother, Mrs. Parton, who was so recently bereaved of her aged husband, had charge of Mrs. Crowdis the most of her childhood and was in attendance at her death-bed and [at the] funeral weepingly said, all her family was going on before to the heavenly land. Mr. and Mrs. Parton lived together fifty-eight years. He dropped the curtain of life in April last. He was a member of the Baptist church and a good man.

Date of death: 1 May 1908

Subject: Oscar Benjamin Bailey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Apr 1908, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. Mrs. J. F. Smith went to Savannah the latter part of last week to see her nephew Oscar Bailey, who is very low with consumption.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 May 1908, Friday, p. 8

Oscar Benjamin [sic] Bailey

Was born at Whitesville, July 24, 1878. He was the only child of parents who died while he was quite young. He was married Sept. 12, 1899, to Miss Alma B. Hurst. His last illness continued for about a year, during which time he accepted Christ as his Savior. Rev. McGee, pastor of the Christian church, visited him frequently and conversed with him on the subject of religion. He

became deeply interested in the Bible, which he read almost constantly and gave unmistakable evidence of the genuineness of his conversion. He was fully prepared to die and expressed his willingness to go if it was the Lord's will. The Lord came to him in death on Friday, May 1, 1908. He leaves behind him a devoted wife and many friends to mourn.

The funeral service was held at the Christian church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and in the absence of the pastor of that church was conduct [sic] by Rev. McGlothlan. He was an honored member of the K. of P., the K. and L. of S., and the Fraternal Union. He hath passed through morning's gate, and now walks in Paradise.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 08 May 1908, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 May 1908, Friday, p. 1

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The funeral service was held at the Christian church, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 and in the absence of the pastor of that church, was conducted by Rev. A. W. McGlothlan. He was an honored member of the K. of P's, the K. and L. of S., and the Fraternal Union. He hath passed through mornings and now walks in beautiful Paradise.

Date of death: 20 Jan 1887

Subject: Oscar Irvin Bailey

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 27 Jan 1887, Thursday, p. 4

Oscar I. Baily [sic], second son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bailey, born in Monroe township, Nodaway county, Mo., Dec. 30th, 1876, died January 20th, 1887, age 10 year [sic] and twenty-one days.

Ossie, as he was called, was a stout bright boy. On Wednesday, the day before he died, he attended Miss Oakey Huff's school, close to his home. In the evening as he returned home from school he and his playmates were snow balling in the yard at his home. Mrs. Bailey went out into the yard, and he playfully threw a snow [sic] at her, saying this is the last, till the third one. When he said this is the last snow ball I will throw, little did he think it was the last, and he playfully ran to his feeding. In a short time he came into the house and said: 'I am cold, my headaches [sic], and my hands and feet are numb,' and a heavy chill, and soon a raging fever set in. Medical aid was summoned, and all that medical skill and human kindness could do was done. All through the long winter night he struggled with the grim monster, death. In the morning he

rallied and talked, and know those around him, but only for a short time, and as he neared death he repeated these beautiful lines, audible and clear.

*God made my life a little light,
Within the world to grow,
A little light that burneth bright
Wherever I may go.*

*God maketh my way life [sic] a little flower,
That giveth joy to all,
Contented to bloom in natures [sic] bower,
Although its place be small.*

*God make my life a little song,
That comforteth the sad,
That helpeth to be strong,
And makes the singers glad.*

*God makes my life a little hymn,
Of tenderness and praise,
With faith that never waxes dum
In all his wondrous ways.*

A short time before he died he commenced these lines--

*Down in a green and shady bed,
A modest violet grew.*

His voice failing, he rapidly sank into the cold, cold sleep of death, while all around him were bathed in tears. At ten o'clock and thirty minutes p.m. the spirit quit the body and his lifeless form was forever stilled in death forever. Truly in the midst of life we are in death. How solemn the warning. To-day we are in health, tomorrow we may be in death. On Saturday at the hour of eleven o'clock his funeral was preached at the Rockford church by Rev. Sapp of the Skidmore charge. All though [sic] the day was foggy and dismal, the house was well filled, and listened to a very fine funeral sermon with almost breathless silence. At the conclusion of service all passed around to take a last look at him, first the sunday [sic] school scholars and then the entire congregation, and lastly, the two little brothers and father and mother.

What a solemn sight to see that loving mother, prostrate over her dead child, saying only let me look at him once more. All eyes were bathed in tears. It has been well said by an eminent physician that a mothers [sic] love is the strongest love of earth. The coffin was closed and placed in the hearse and conveyed to Maryville and laid to rest in the Miriam cemetery in the chilly rain, there to rest till the great rising day. Those two little brothers, will miss little Ossie. At the school Miss Huff and scholars will miss him. At the Rockford sunday [sic] school, Miss Grace Storch and class will miss him, and at the table and fireside, oh how often and often will his loving parents miss him there. Trust in God, you can go to him but he can never return.

In conclusion, the bereaved family tender [sic] their thanks to their neighbors for their kindness in their sad bereavement.

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Date of death: 26 Dec 1881

Subject: Paulina (or Vina) (Bailey) Hudson

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 29 Dec 1881, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Vina Hudson, wife of Joseph Hudson of Lincoln township, departed this life last week in the 67 year of her age. Deceased was one of the oldest settlers in Nodaway county and was one of the best of women.

She was a women [sic] of more than ordinary good sense and judgement.

With a nature rich in affections she drew to her by the force of her character many strong personal friends. Those who not know her personally could not help admiring the purity of her life and the motherly affection and good sense which she manifested everywhere. In her religious life she was sincere without ostentation and in her own quiet way did her Master's will. To her mind her vows and promises were high and holy and death was thought of by her not with fear, but as a subject to think about with profit and with the Psalmist say another blessed has gone to join the vast company who see no longer through a glass darkly, but face to face and know even as they are known. Her illness was quite brief but very severe and after a few days of patient suffering ministered to by loving hands in spite of the most skillful treatment she passed away. Rev. A. M. Wallace preached her funeral sermon at Lamar Station, December 27th. May God comfort the bereaved family.

J. P. R

Date of death: 14 Jun 1900

Subject: William Tecumseh Bailey

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 20 Jun 1900, Wednesday, p. 8

Washington, June 19.-- Gen. MacArthur's latest casualty report is as follows:

Manila, June 18-- Deaths: Dysentary [sic], ... company K, Sixth infantry, William T. Bailey, June 4 [sic]....

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 09 Aug 1900, Thursday, p. 2

The body of the late William T. Bailey, who died recently while serving with the American army in the Philippines, arrived in Elmo Thursday morning. The funeral will be held from the residence of the deceased's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bailey, Friday afternoon, and will be conducted by Rev. E. B. Lytle, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Maryville.

D. R. Bailey, his brother, was in Maryville Wednesday, and made arrangements with Captain Paul Sisson of Company E, to furnish a military escort for the funeral.

The arrival of the body clears up all doubt as to the identify of the dead man. William T. Bailey left his home in Elmo in 1883, when about eighteen years old, and had never been back since. Most of the time his relatives did not know where he was. They knew, that in 1888 while in Wyoming, he enlisted in the regular army. After this they never heard of him excepting in the most indirect way.

A few weeks ago his brother, D. F. Bailey of Elmo, saw the name of William T. Bailey in the list of General MacArthur's casualties, reported in a Chicago paper. At about the same time a brother at Stirling, Nebraska, saw the death reported, but he understood that it took place in battle. Letters passed between D. F. Bailey and his Nebraska brother, and they finally telegraphed to military headquarters at San Francisco, giving their brother's name, the name of his parents, the time and place of enlistment, and the company and regiment in which he enlisted, and instructing that if the dead man answered the description given, his remains should be sent to Elmo.

No reply was received until Sunday morning. Then a message came from San Francisco, but it merely stated that the body had been shipped by Wells Fargo express to Elmo. There was still some doubt as to whether this actually was William Bailey, until the remains arrived Thursday morning. But the body was well-preserved, and although he had been gone so long, it was easy to recognize him as the same boy who had left his home almost twenty years ago.

Accompanying the casket was the information that the deceased was a member of Company H, 4th United States Infantry, that he died in a hospital in Manila, June 14, of dysentery, and that his body was shipped from the Philippines on July 4, and from San Francisco on August 4.

James M. Bailey is one of the oldest citizens of Lincoln township, and also one of the most prominent and highly-respected. The circumstances of his son's death have caused him much pain, but he has the satisfaction of knowing that he died for his country.

Date of death: 1 Apr 1914

Subject: Ethel J. (Bains) West

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 09 Apr 1914, Thursday, p. 5

Quitman. Ethel West died here last Wednesday April 1st after an illness of over a year. She was born in Quitman, September 22, 1878. She leaves an aged mother, one sister, one brother and two children to mourn her loss.

Date of death: 2 Nov 1900

Subject: Ralph S. Bainum

Subject: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 02 Nov 1900, Friday, p. 3

Ralph Bainum, aged 8 years, died of typhoid fever Friday morning at the home of his father, G. B. Bainum, three miles north of Maryville. Three other children are left, and they also have been

having the fever. Two of them are able to be about, but the other is bed-fast. Ralph's remains will be buried Saturday at 11 o'clock. G. B. Bainum is a brother of Harve Bainum of Maryville.

Date of death: 14 Jun 1915

Subject: Alexander Baird

Source: *Attica [KS] Independent*, 17 Jun 1915, Thursday, p. 1

Again it becomes our painful duty to chronicle the passing of an old and honored citizen of this community. Alex Baird was taken to the hospital at Wichita Friday morning in hopes of at least prolonging his life, he having been given up by the physicians here. However, it was found that nothing could be done for him and he passed away at seven o'clock Sunday evening, surrounded by his grief-stricken wife and children and other relatives.

Mr. Baird was one of the early settlers of this community and was held in very high esteem by everybody. For several years he held the office of commissioner from this district and was chairman of the board for two years. He has been honored in other ways by his neighbors, all of whom feel a personal loss in his death.

Mr. Baird and the writer had been close personal friends for the past eight years. We always found him to be honorable and upright in every way. We joined with the many other friends of the family in extending sympathy to the bereaved companion and children and other relatives of the deceased.

The funeral was conducted at the home at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, Elder Parsons officiating, assisted by Rev. Ayers and Rev. Paslay. The remains were interred in the Baird family burying ground northwest of Attica.

Alexander Baird was born in Philadelphia, Penn., March 4, 1860; died at Wichita, Kansas, June 13, 1915, aged 55 years, 3 months, 9 days.

In 1854 [sic], he moved with his parents to Andrew county, Missouri and from there to Harper county, Kansas, where he resided until his death. On March 14, 1882 he was united in marriage with Miss Varanice Mogiee. To this union four children were born, one of whom, a son, died seventeen years ago.

The remaining children are Mrs. Sarah Koeppen, Miss Eva and John who, with their mother, are left to mourn the loss of a kind and considerate father and affectionate husband.

Mr. Baird held no church relation, but was at one time a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge and was held in high esteem by the brethren of that fraternity. At the time of his death he was a member in good standing of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, members of this order officiating at the cemetery.

Date of death: 1 Nov 1898

Subject: James Baird

Source: *Attica [KS] Independent*, 04 Nov 1898, Friday, p. 1

James Baird, was born in Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 16, 1852, and died near Attica Oct. 31, 1898. When eleven years old he moved with his parents to Missouri, where he married and lived until Oct. 4, 1882, at which time he located in Harper county. He leaves a wife, seven children, a mother and a brother to mourn the great loss which death has caused. The funeral services were conducted at the home, four miles northwest, by Rev. S. C. Oliver, and the remains were laid to rest in the Pleasant Valley cemetery Wednesday. A tumor in the stomach was the cause of his death.

By death claiming James Baird the wife and children loses [sic] a loving husband and father, the mother and brother a kind son and brother, and the county one of its best citizens. He was a man that was honest and loved the right. Never did a death cause any more sadness in a community than did this one. He was a friend to be proud of. He had no enemies and had an unblemished character, no one could say anything against him. He was assessor of Lawn township, The Independent joins with the many friends of the bereaved family in extending to them a heart-felt sympathy.

Date of death: 28 May 1887

Subject: Jesse Baird

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 02 Jun 1887, Thursday, p. 4

Pleasant Hill. Jesse Baird, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Baird died at the residence of his parents May 28th. He was 15 years old and was loved by all who knew him and was the pride of his parents. Oh, how they will miss his lively and cheerful presence. None can tell but those who have met with a loss like this. He was sick only a week and all that loving hands and medical skill could do was done, but death claimed him and he had to go. About four years ago Jesse experienced religion and joined the Methodist Church and his last days were spent in praising God and exhorting his classmates, neighbors and friends to meet him in heaven. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Blanchard. His remains were laid to rest in Cane's [sic] cemetery and followed by one of the largest processions we have seen in Missouri.

The picnic in Mr. Parles pasture on last Saturday would have been a pleasant affair if it had not been for the sad news of the death of Jesse Baird.

Date of death: 22 May 1915

Subject: Sarah Jane (Baird) Hartley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 May 1915, Friday, p. 10

Mrs. Sarah Jane Hartley died at her residence in Savannah on Saturday, May 22. Mrs. Hartley was Miss Sarah Jane Baird and she was born in Putnamville, Indiana, December 4, 1827. At her death she was over eighty-seven years of age. She was married to Rufus Harley October 6, 1853. To this union six children were born, five of whom survive her, Charles, Samuel, Fred Hartley, Mrs. Minnie Cline all of Savannah, and John Hartley of New Mexico. One daughter having died in infancy. For five months Mrs. Hartley has been a great sufferer from the weakness and exhaustion of age. For seventy years she had been a Christian and her patience, kindly and devout life gave evidence of the genuineness of her profession. A true and devoted mother, a

faithful friend, a devout Christian her memory will ever be sacred to all who knew her. Rev. Marvin preached the funeral at the residence Sunday afternoon and the remains were placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 May 1915, Friday, p. 1

Sarah Jane Hartley, widow of Rufus Hartley, was born near Greencastle, Indiana, December 4, 1827 and after a long illness passed away at her home in Savannah, Missouri, at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, May 22, 1915, at the age of 87 years, 5 months and 18 days. Her maiden name was Baird. She was one of a family of six children all of whom have preceded her. She was married to Rufus Harley October 6, 1853. In 1865 she and her husband came to Iowa, coming to Missouri in 1874, where she has since resided. She was converted and united with the Presbyterian church when 18 years old. She united with the M. E. church South during Rev. Scarborough's ministry in this city. Her life has been one of a true Christian. She was best known in the home, where her example of unselfish love, willing sacrifice, kindness and patience will ever be remembered. She is survived by five children: John, of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Charles, of Wathena, Kansas; Fred, Sam and Mrs. Minnie Cline, of this city. One daughter died in infancy. Funeral services were held from the home at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 23 and were conducted by Rev. Fielding Marvin, pastor of the M. E. church, South. Burial was in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 24 Jan 1888

Subject: Louisa (Bake) Stephens

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 Jan 1888, Friday, p. 3

Mrs. J. B. Stephens, of near Rochester, was buried yesterday.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Feb 1888, Friday, p. 8

The wife of Mr. J. B. Stephens, of Rochester township, died at their residence, on Tuesday, the 24th of January, aged 61 years, 6 months and 13 days. She died a Christian, having been a believer in the Universality church for 45 years. She was born in Oxford, Ohio, in 1826, and was married to J. B. Stephens in Preble county, Ohio, where they lived for twenty years together. Twenty-two years ago they came to Andrew county. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and affectionate mother. She was loved by all who knew her. The funeral took place on the 26th, and was attended by a large number of friends, including a number of Ohio friends. Her remains were interred in Long Branch Cemetery.

Date of death: 19 Sep 1908

Subject: Abram Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 25 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

Abraham [sic] Baker died at the home of his son in St. Joseph at 9:30 Saturday, September 19, aged 84 years, 6 months and 7 days. The remains were brought to Savannah Monday, the funeral was preached at the First M. E. church and the remains interred in the Savannah cemetery.

Uncle Abe Baker was one of the old time colored men who had never lost his respectful hearing and the gentility acquired by the training received from his master, a gentleman. He had lived in this county many years, and had some very interesting reminiscences of the early days, and upon request in 1900 wrote the following for the Reporter:

'I was born near Berksville, Kentucky, March 12, 1824. I was the slave of Joseph Hunter and came to Missouri in 1833 and settled in Plattsburg. My boss built the first hotel in Plattsburg, which he owned for six years. I was dining room boy while he owned the hotel, and I remember waiting on such men as Senator David R. Atchison, General Alexander Doniphan, and others. Mr. Hunter traded the hotel to Thomas Palmer for a farm ten miles southeast of Plattsburg, where he lived until 1844, when he came to Andrew county and brought me, and I have been here ever since. I was cook at the big bear dance given at Gallant Raines' soon after I came here. [It was at Gallant Raines' residence the first county court of Andrew county convened in 1841.] The bear dance began on Thursday and lasted until Sunday morning, when it was declared off. The dance took place where Neal Barman's [now W. C. Henderson's] residence stands, and was attended by a great many people, some coming many miles. All the adjoining counties were represent on this occasion. Wash Crowley and Lewis Stiles were present during the entire time. I have been hauling freight in Savannah since 1867. Yours truly, Abe Baker.'

Mr. Baker's son Charles L. Baker is the inventor of a friction heater, which attracted general attention for a time, and Mr. Baker was very proud of his son. He had been married several times. He made almost annual trips to see many notable white people in St. Joseph and Clinton county, for whom he had done service and whom he esteemed very highly.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 25 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

'He is not dead, but sleepeth.'

Abraham Baker was born in Burksville, Kentucky, March 12th, 1821, and died in St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 19, 1908, at the age of 87 years, 6 months and 7 days. He leaves a brother, two sons, two daughters and many grand children besides a host of friends who mourn his death. He professed a hope in Christ more than 30 years ago, joined the A. M. E. church and lived a consistent child of God until death called him home at the sad hour mentioned above.

J. H. N.

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Nearly the entire life of 'Uncle Abe' as everybody called him, was spent in Northwest Missouri, in Savannah and Plattsburg, and his stories of the pioneers of this section and of pioneer days were very interesting. He spent the days of his manhood and old age here, and he was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the First M. E. church by Rev. J. H. Nichols, and a large number of his old time friends were present to pay a last tribute of respect to his memory.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*. 25 Sep 1908, Friday, p. 1

Abraham Baker (colored) whom Savannah has known for many years as 'Uncle Abe,' passed away at the home of his son Lewis, in St. Joseph, last Saturday night at half past nine o'clock, at the age of 87 years, 6 months and 7 days. For many years 'Uncle Abe' had been a familiar figure on the streets of Savannah, when he operated a transfer wagon until last year, when his health gave away [sic]. 'Uncle Abe' was a good, industrious and honest man, and if the coming men of his race would but imitate his life, their lot would be better and brighter.

He was born in Burkesville, Kentucky, March 12, 1821 and located in Plattsburg, this state, in 1831 with his master, Joseph Hunter, who was engaged in the hotel business in that city until 1836, when he moved to Andrew county and settled on a farm, four miles northwest of Savannah, where he remained until the commencement of the civil war. Whilst at Plattsburg Uncle Abe was a waiter in the hotel of his master and waited upon such prominent men as Hon. David R. Atchison and Hon. Wm. P. Hall, once governor of this state. He was also one of the cooks at the noted Bear Dance given by Gallant Raines in 1841 at his home, which is better known as the Waterman place and is now the Oak Grove addition to this city.

He leaves two sons and two daughters, eight grand children and seven great grand children.

His remains were brought to this city last Monday and funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Nickols at the First M. E. church, and which were attended by many white people as well as by those of his own race. His remains were taken from the church to the Savannah cemetery, where they were laid to rest after long years of faithful toil.

Date of death: 2 Dec 1879

Subject: Absalom Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 5 Dec 1879, Friday, p. 8

Mr. Absalom Baker, of Rochester township, died on Tuesday morning. He was an old and influential citizen, and had worked his way up from nothing to quite a competency. He was buried on Wednesday.

Date of death: 22 Apr 1890

Subject: Ada Allen (Baker) Daughters

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 2 May 1890, Friday, p. 1

Ada Allen Baker was born Dec. 9, 1865, was married to Geo. H. Daughters, Oct. 24, 1889; died at her home, 1 1/2 mile north of Star Chapel, April 22, 1890, aged 24 years, 4 months and 3 days. She was ill a very short time, her sickness being only of two days duration. She passed peacefully away at 1:15 p.m. on Tuesday. She was attended by many friends and neighbors,

whom we humbly thank for their kindness, Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. O. Wells at Walnut Grove Chapel, where the remains were laid to rest.

*A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
That never can be filled.*

*God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon His love had given,
And though the body was laid away,
The soul is safe in Heaven*

Husband and Parents.

Date of death: 7 Nov 1880

Subject: Alfred Baker

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 18 Nov 1880, Thursday, p. 3

We are sorry to hear of the death of Alfred Baker. It will be remembered that last fall, Amos Baker went to Stanberry, in the employ of Messmer & Gavin. He received an injury which resulted in his death. His brother Alfred took his place, and now he too, has been called to the unknown world. The boys were once well known merchants in Barnard, and did much towards building up that place. The funeral service of Alfred, took place on Tuesday of last week, under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, of which order he was an honored member.

Date of death: 12 Dec 1893

Subject: Amanda M. (Baker) Kelsey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 8

Died, on Tuesday, Dec. 12, 1893, at 3:50 a.m., Amanda M. Kelsey. Rev. Brock conducted the funeral on Wednesday. The remains were interred at Long Branch.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At her residence 5 miles east of Savannah, Mo., Tuesday December 12, 1893 at 3:50 a.m. Mrs. Amanda M. Kelsey, aged 70 years 2 months and 6 days.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Dec 1893, Friday, p. 5

New Hope. Dec. 18. Death has again visited this vicinity and claimed for its victim Mrs. Amanda Kelsey. She was buried at the Long Branch cemetery, Wednesday, Dec. 13. Mrs. Kelsey came to Missouri in 1858, and lived here until her death. She left six children to mourn her death.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1917

Subject: America (Baker) Redkey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Apr 1917, p. 1

Mrs. Alonzo Redkey succumbed to pneumonia at her home on West Main Street Sunday evening, April 8, at 10:40 after an illness of six days. The illness seemed severe from the beginning and there was no response from any effort for relief. It was her first illness, having enjoyed good health all her life of 71 years, 2 months and 10 days.

After a short funeral service at the residence at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning by Dr. Taylor the body was taken to Walnut Grove where Rev. W. F. Wiley delivered the funeral address in the presence of a large assemblage of loving friends and neighbors made so by her thirty-five years of residence among them.

Mrs. America Baker Redkey, daughter of Benjamin and Mahala Baker, was born January 28, 1846, near Bainbridge, Ross county, Ohio. She was married to Alonzo Redkey May 29, 1881, and became a loving mother to Mr. Redkey's four children. Two children, Carl E. of Denver, Colo., and Roy Redkey, of Brookfield, came to bless this home and they with the three surviving step-children John J. of Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. Nettie B. Baker of Byron, Ill., and Mrs. Cora M. Cassaday of Cawood mourn the loss of a mother and all of whom were present at the funeral to comfort their father excepting John J., who could not come. The eldest of the family, Amanda, passed away March 27, 1912.

She became a member of the M. E. Church before leaving Ohio and upon arrival here she united with the Radical class and later when the Walnut Grove church was organized near her home she became an active and energetic worker continuing so until her removal to Savannah last fall when she united with the Savannah congregation. She was faithful throughout and Rev. Wiley's text was 'Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life everlasting.'

Of her four living brothers, one C. C. Baker of Caney, Kan., was present and she also leaves one sister. Two nieces Misses Mary and Ada Baker from Hillsboro, Ohio, the grandson Glen Baker and father were in attendance from Byron, Ill.

Date of death: 8 Mar 1922

Subject: Audrey Lucile Baker

Source: *The Barnard [MO] Bulletin*, 09 Mar 1922, Thursday, p. 1

Little Audry [sic] Lucille [sic] Baker, 16 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker died Wednesday night after an illness of a week from whooping cough and pneumonia and complications. She was the second of three children, leaving a brother and an infant sister, besides the parents. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the home in Barnard, conducted by Rev. A. S. Olsen of Jamesport, and burial will be in the Masonic cemetery. Mrs. Baker was formerly Miss Ruby Ridlon.

Date of death: 18 Apr 1904

Subject: Charles Claiborn Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 29 Apr 1904, Friday, p. 6 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Apr 1904, Friday, p. 1

Rea. Charles C., eldest son of James B. Baker and wife, was born in Andrew county April 19, 1871; died of consumption Monday morning, April 18, at the home of his parents, near West Hope, North Dakota. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. Roe, of the M E. church, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Weeks cemetery, near the Zion Presbyterian church. Charlie Baker was one of those quiet, unassuming citizens to whom society is always indebted for its best thoughts and actions. Through his short life he maintained a character above reproach, and died respected and beloved by all, and most by those who know him best. This entire community deeply sympathises [sic] with the bereaved family in the loss of one so well liked by all with whom he came in contact.

G. H.

Date of death: 17 Jul 1917

Subject: Christopher Columbus Baker

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 19 Jul 1917, Thursday, p. 4

C. C. Baker, one of the well-known citizens of Maitland, died at the home of relatives at Goldfield, Iowa, July 17. Mr. Baker was 82 years old, and has lived here many years. The remains were brought here this morning and the funeral held at the late home, after which the burial took place at the K of P cemetery.

Same

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 26 Jul 1917, Thursday, p. 1

C. C. Baker was born in Daviss [sic] County, Missouri, Nov. 26, 1834 and died July 17, 1917, at the residence of his daughter in Goldfield, Iowa.

With his father he comes to Andrew County in 1854 and three years later to Nodaway County, settling on a farm near Barnard. Mr. Baker lived near Barnard until 1905 when he moved to Maitland, which was his home up to the time of his death.

On August 22, 1862 he enlisted in Company H. 33rd. Missouri Infantry and served his country until his honorable discharge August 10, 1865.

Mr. Baker united with the Presbyterian Church in 1870, of which church he was a member at the time of his death. His consistent Christian life was a source of inspiration to all with whom he came into contact.

April 16, 1870 he was united in marriage [sic] to Miss Sarah Elder of Coshoton, Ohio. Mrs. Baker still survives, also the following children, Mrs. W. G. Comin of Goldfield Iowa, A. L. Baker of Brewater, Washington, C. E. Baker of Barnard, Mo., E. B. Baker of Maitland, M. W. Baker of Kelso, Washington, P. V. Baker of Snohomish, Washington.

The funeral was held from the home in Maitland on July 19. Rev. John A. McAfee conducted the service. Burial was in the Maitland Cemetery under the auspices of the Masonic order.

Date of death: 7 Jan 1917

Subject: Christopher Douglas Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Jan 1917, Friday, p. 5

Helena and Vicinity. January 9. Christopher D. Baker was born 53 years ago in Nodaway county, Missouri, and departed this life at the Noyes Norman hospital in St. Joseph January 7, 1917. He leaves to mourn his going two brothers Nate and George. The remains were brought here Monday and the funeral was held at the M. E. church at 11 a.m. by Rev. R. P. Jones of St. Joseph to a large concourse of friends and relatives. The I. O. O. F. lodge of which he was a faithful member performed the ceremonial rites over the body after which he was laid to rest in the Ueltschi cemetery.

Date of death: 5 Jun 1903

Subject: Daniel A. Baker

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 11 Jun 1903, Thursday, p. 3

The following appeared in the St. Joseph Daily News of Saturday:

While grooming a horse on the livery lot east of the Star barn, on East Second street, Friday, Daniel Baker, who has resided in Maryville and vicinity since before the Civil War, suddenly dropped dead from a supposed stroke of paralysis, without so much as uttering a sound.

When death claimed him the deceased was talking in his usual manner to two of his coworkers, and right in the middle of a sentence fell to the ground like a log.

Less than three seconds elapsed before his companions ran to his side, but he was even then dead, and not a pulse beat or a breath discernible.

The deceased was born in Kentucky sixty-two years ago, and came to western Missouri in his young manhood, where he twice married, and raised a large family. Both of his wives are now dead. He leaves three sons and two daughters, besides his mother, who lives in Elmo, Mo., and a nephew, D. R. Baker, who is a well known banker of Skidmore, Mo. The children are Mrs. George Starkey of Tarkio, Mrs. Geo. Cox of Kansas City, Andy and Chas. Baker of Blanchard, Iowa, and Everett Baker of Elmo, Mo.

The body was taken to Elmo and the burial took place there Sunday afternoon.

Date of death: 16 Feb 1889

Subject: Dolly Ann Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Feb 1889, Friday, p. 8

'Grandma' Baker, mother of Mr. Abe Baker, her name being Mrs. Dolly Baker, who is 103 years old age, and believed to be the oldest person in this part of the State, has been very low all this

week, and her death is expected any day. She is a native of Kentucky and has lived in Andrew county over fifty years. She is the mother of thirteen children, but three of whom are now living. Her youngest child is over 50 years old.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Feb 1889, Friday, p. 8

Dolly Ann Baker died at the residence of her son Abram Baker, in this city, last Saturday morning, at 7:45. This well known colored woman died at the extreme age of 102 years, 8 months and 4 days. Her funeral took place from the Sixth Street M. E. Church, Sunday afternoon, and the remains were buried in the Savannah Cemetery.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily Gazette*, 11 Feb 1889, p. 5

Mrs. Dolly Baker, colored, of Savannah, known by many old residents of this section of the State as "Grandma" Baker, is dying. The old lady is 103 years of age and is believed to be the oldest person in northern Missouri. She is a native of Kentucky and has lived in Andrew county over fifty years. She is the mother of thirteen children, but three of whom are now living. Her youngest child is over 50 years old.

Same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 19 Feb 1889, p. 1

Mrs. Dolly Baker, an aged colored woman of Savannah, is dead. She claimed to be nearly 109 years of age. She came to Andrew county fifty years ago.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily Gazette*, 19 Feb 1889, p. 4

Mrs. Dolly Ann Baker, the colored woman who lived at Savannah and was believed to be the oldest inhabitant of northern Missouri, died Saturday morning and was buried Sunday. The funeral was the largest ever witnessed at Savannah and was generally attended by both the white and colored residents of that place.

The deceased was 103 years, 8 months and 2 days old and had lived in Andrew county over fifty years.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 19 Feb 1889, p. 1

Mrs. Dolly Baker, an aged colored woman of Savannah, is dead. She claimed to be near 109 years of age. She came to Andrew county fifty years ago.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 25 Feb 1889, p. 1

Mr. C. S. Baker and wife returned from Savannah, Mo., where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Baker, grandmother of Mr. Baker, who died in Saturday, aged 103 years. Others of Mr. Baker's relatives are ill.

Date of death: 5 Mar 1893

Subject: Eliza Ann (Baker) Donovan

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 10 Mar 1893, Friday, p. 8

Grandma Donovan died March 5, and was buried in the Bennet [sic] Lane cemetery March 6.

same

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 19 Mar 1893, p. 4

Mrs. Eliza Donovan, mother of Mr. James Donovan, of New Point, died at her home three miles southwest of Rosendale, Andrew county, Mo., on Sunday morning, March 5, 1893, and was buried on Monday, the 6th, in Bennett Lane cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Chapman, of the Christian church, of which denomination she had been a constant member for twenty-five years. Her age was 68 years, 1 month and 6 days, and the cause of her death was la grippe.

Date of death: 3 Apr 1890

Subject: Gertha May Baker

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 17 Apr 1890, Thursday, p. 2

On Friday, April 4, the remains of two sweet little babes, each aged ten months, were laid to rest in Lamar Station cemetery at the same time. May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, and Gertie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moss, all of Elmo. Rev. Petree and Rev. Henderson officiated at the funerals. The services were impressive. It was grief indeed for the mothers and friends to give up the beautiful little loved ones. But they are gone to Him who said: 'Suffer little children to come unto us.'

Date of death: 28 Feb 1919

Subject: Hannah Susannah (Baker) Kaufman

Source: *The Guide Rock [NE] Signal*, 06 Mar 1919, Thursday, p. 1

Hannah Susannah Baker was born in Morrow County, Ohio, April 4, 1841, and died of pneumonia at her home near Bostwick, Nebr., February 28, 1919, aged 77 years, 10 months and 24 days. She was married to Joseph R. Kaufman December 12, 1861, who preceded her in death October 7, 1884. To this union were born eleven children as follows: Finley of Graham, Mo., Calvin of St. Joseph, Oliver of Esmond, N. D., Martha Jane Appleget of Bostwick, George of Mound City, Mo., Lena Eldora Kaufman of Guide Rock, Etta Amanda and Alfred, both deceased, Albert of Laramie, Wyoming, Dennis of Lincoln, and Joseph Baker of Bostwick. For the past fourteen years her youngest son, Joseph, has been with her and made it possible for her to enjoy home life. Early in life she united with the Evangelical Church at Woodbury, Ohio, and lived a faithful Christian life. Besides her children, she leaves to mourn her departure three

sisters, three brothers, thirtyone grandchildren, fourteen great-grand-children and a host of friends.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Methodist church, Rev. J. W. Custer preaching the funeral sermon. Interment was in the Guide Rock cemetery.

Date of death: Jul 1890

Subject: Harley Baker

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 07 Aug 1890, Thursday, p. 5

Lamar Station. Harley, an 11 year old son of John Baker and wife, of Elmo, died and his remains were laid to rest in Lamar Cemetery, making four in all the bereaved parents have lying beside each other in that place. He died from the effects of the grip.

Date of death: 27 Jul 1879

Subject: James A. Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 01 Aug 1879, Friday, p. 8

Deaths. On Sunday, July 27, 1879, James Baker, of Rochester township, aged about 25 years.

Date of death: 21 Sep 1908

Subject: John H. Baker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 22 Sep 1908, Tuesday, p. 1

John H. Baker died at his home ten miles west of Maryville Tuesday morning, at 2 o'clock, at the age of 78 years.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, after which the body will be buried in Kane [sic] cemetery. A wife and children survive. The children are Mrs. Hattie C. Kelley, Mrs. Fannie F. Holt, Harry and Schuyler Baker.

Mr. Baker was a native of Indiana and came to Missouri more than thirty years ago.

Date of death: 26 Oct 1912

Subject: John Haywood Baker

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 25 Oct 1912, Friday, p. 5- not an obituary

Mr. John Baker, a well known and highly respected citizen had a stroke of paralysis Wednesday evening. At last reports Thursday morning there was no change in his condition.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 31 Oct 1912, Thursday, p. 2

Uncle John Baker, an old and honored resident of Elmo, died at his home Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, as the result of a stroke of paralysis. The time for the funeral has not been set.

Mr. Baker is survived by his wife, three daughters and two sons. They are Mrs. Dora Anderson, Mrs. Betty Kruetzer and Elwin Baker of Elmo, Mrs. W. R. Lowrey of Hopkins and Thomas Baker of Nebraska. All the children were present when their father died.

Date of death: 5 Aug 1915

Subject: John W. Baker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 10 Aug 1915, Tuesday, p. 3

J. W. Baker, an old resident of Nodaway County, died Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at his home, 315 West Second street, following a long illness. Funeral services were held Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence and were conducted by Rev. J. H. Hubbard, pastor of the Buchanan Street Methodist Church. The body was laid to rest in Miriam Cemetery. Mr. Baker was born in 1843 in Platte County, Mo. His father was born in North Carolina, Arale County in 1805 and died in Nodaway County in 1870. His mother was Priscilla Ramey and was born in Kentucky in 1807 and died in 1886. His grandfather, Nathan Baker, was an early settler of North Carolina and died in Missouri in 1819. Mr. Baker was married near Graham in 1866 to Miss Sally A. Matherly, who with seven children survive [sic]. The children are: William Baker of Omaha, J. A. Baker of Oskaloosa, Mrs. W. A. Wright of Shanee [sic], Okla., Mrs. W. H. Graves of Glenco, Okla., Mrs. C. E. Pray of Grant City, Mrs. T. C. Thackery of Grant City and Mrs. G. M. Price of Winfield, Kan. One child, Lasson [sic] B., died June 7, 1879, at the age of 8 years. All the children were present at the funeral with the exception of Mrs. Price, who couldn't come on account of sickness.

Besides the family present one brother and one sister attended the funeral. They were M. V. Baker of Barnard and Mrs. Rachael Adams of Barnard. Two brothers and one sister were unable to attend. They were C. C. Baker of Maitland who is visiting at present in the state of Washington; Nathan Baker of Barnard, who was unable to attend on account of sickness, and Mrs. Jacob Eisiminger of Savannah, Mo.

Mr. Baker had lived in Nodaway County continuously since 1866 and had lived in Maryville eleven years. He lived thirtysix [sic] years on one farm two miles west of Barnard and moved to Maryville in 1903. For the last six months his health failed graually [sic], no suffering, no pain just weakened away from complications. If he had lived until September 16, 1916, they would have been married fifty years.

Date of death: Apr 1882

Subject: Joseph Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Apr 1882, Friday, p. 1

Joseph Baker, of Barnard, a young man of about 20, while crazy from liquor, threw himself in front of the train near Maryville, and was cut to pieces.

Date of death: 17 Nov 1892

Subject: Mrs. Katherine Baker

Source: *Maryville [MO] Daily Democrat*, 18 Nov 1892, Friday, p. 4

Died, an [sic] Thursday evening, November 17, 1892, Mrs. Catherine [sic] Baker. She passed peacefully away at the residence of her son, William Baker, who resides three miles southwest of Maryville. Deceased was born August 14, 1800, in Luxemburg [sic], Germany, and came to American in 1846. She was the mother of six children, all of whom are dead but her sons, William and Mathew, the latter residing in Portland, Oregon. She has been a devout Catholic all her life and her funeral service will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 10 o'clock Saturday, October [sic] 19th.

Mrs. Baker was a woman with a wonderful constitution, having had but little sickness during her life time and was very industrious. This last summer, after she had passed her 92d year, she spun the wool off of five sheep. She nursed Wm. Kirk when a child, who is now 68 years old.

Date of death: 8 Jul 1913

Subject: Lawrence Baker

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 18 Jul 1913, Friday, p. 8

Helena and Vicinity. Lawrence Baker died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ed Winkler Tuesday. A paralytic stroke was the cause of his death. ... Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shambaugh, of St. Joseph, attended the funeral of Mrs. Shambaugh's father, Lawrence Baker.

Date of death: 23 Dec 1901

Subject: Leslie G. Baker

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 27 Dec 1901, Friday, p. 1

A little son of Fayette Baker died Monday morning of this week and the baby is sick. Lung fever is said to be the cause, as it has been quite prevalent for a few days. The parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community. Funeral last Tuesday a.m., conducted by Bro. J. H. Ball, and burial at High Prairie cemetery.

Date of death: 29 Jan 1906

Subject: Lone Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 8

Fillmore. Lone, the infant son of Geo. Baker and wife died here Monday night and was buried Tuesday after a short service at the house.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 09 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore Lever. The infant son of G. A. Baker and wife died Tuesday morning at the age of 17 days. Funeral services were conducted at the residence Tuesday afternoon, by Rev. M. H. Jordon, after which the burial took place in the Fillmore cemetery. The community will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Baker in their loss.

Date of death: 10 Jul 1897

Subject: Margaret (Baker) Thull

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 15 Jul 1897, Thursday, p. 3

Mrs. Margaret Thull died at the home of her son-in-law, Mike Sturm, east of the city last Saturday evening, July 10. The funeral services occurred at St. Mary's Catholic church Monday morning at 9 o'clock, and the remains were interred in the German cemetery.

Mrs. Thull had been an invalid for a year and her death was not unexpected. She was a noble woman and reared a useful family. The following sons and daughters survive her: Nick and Frank, who reside in Nodaway, Peter, who is at Rock Port, Jake, who is in Nebraska, Mrs. Kate Franciscas, of Sioux City, Mrs. Mary Messer, of St. Joseph, Mrs. Bert Phillips, Mrs. Mike Sturm and Miss Emma Thull, of this city.

Date of death: 15 Sep 1894

Subject: Maria Louise (Baker) Wilfley

Source: *The Kansas City [MO] Times*, 18 Sep 1894, Tuesday, p. 5

Mrs. E. M. [sic] Wilfley, who has been very ill at her home, Thirty-ninth and Holmes streets, for the past few months, now lies at the point of death. The immediate relatives have all been telegraphed for and are either here or on their way.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfley came to Kansas City to live in the early days of its history and have raised their children here. Mr. Arthur Wilfley, now a wealthy mine owner in Denver, has telegraphed the receipt of the news of his mother's sad condition and that he will be here as soon as it is possible for him to cross the country. John Wilfley of Kokomo, Col., will accompany him. Charles Wilfley of Hutchinson, Kan., and George Wilfley of Maryville have been here since Sunday. Mrs. Eaton of Kansas City and Mrs. Spence of Belton have been with her for several days, and Earl Wilfley arrived this morning from Bethany college, where he has been teacher of elocution. Miss Lola Wilfley, the only child now left at home, has been with her mother constantly since she was first afflicted, last December.

Date of death: 4 Mar 1895

Subject: Mary E. (Baker) Brown Martin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Mar 1895, Friday, p. 8

Died. On Monday, March 4, 1895, Mary E. Martin, at the residence near Rochester, this county. Mrs. Martin's death was unexpected to all. She had been indisposed for some time before her death, but her illness was not considered dangerous until a few hours before she died. Mrs. Martin was born in the State of New York in 1845; she was married in 1865. She was the daughter of Absalom and Lydia L. Baker. She was twice married; her first husband, F. M. Brown, died in 1876. She was married to Mr. Martin in 1882, and leaves surviving her the husband and five children-- Mrs. E. S. Castle, of Savannah, Sam Brown of Colorado, Philip and Martha Brown, and Roy Martin. Mrs. Martin was universally beloved. She was a consistent Christian, a kind mother and loving wife. The funeral was preached by her pastor, Rev. S. A. McDaniels, and her remains were interred in the Rochester Cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Mar 1895, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At her home in Rochester township, Andrew county, Mo., at 3 p.m., Monday, March 4, of paralysis, Mrs. Mary E. Martin, aged 50 years, 1 month and 2 days.

Mrs. Martin had been indisposed several days and on Monday morning about 5 o'clock had a paralytic stroke and never afterward spoke but showed consciousness until a short time before her death. She leaves a husband and five children. Her remains were interred in the cemetery at Rochester, Rev. A. S. McDaniels of the Cumberland Presbyterian church performing the sad services.

Date of death: 13 Jul 1923

Subject: Mary Elizabeth (Baker) Coburn Touhy

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 14 Jul 1923, Saturday, p. 1

Mrs. Mary Touhy, a resident of Maryville for forty-five years, died last night at 8 o'clock at her home at 1201 East First street, following an illness of a week of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home, conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian church. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery north of the city.

Mrs. Touhy was seventy-seven years of age. Her first husband, Owen Coburn, died thirty years ago, and her second husband, Jerry Touhy, died about five years ago. She is survived by the following children, all of whom were with her at the time of her death: John Coburn, Stanberry; Mrs. Rosa Neal, Shenandoah, Ia.; and Jess M. Coburn, St. Joseph. Three sisters, Mrs. Ellen Etahl, Mt. Vernon, Ia.; Mrs. Martha McClellan, Alva, Okla.; Mrs. Margaret Arp, Missouri Valley, Ia., and a brother, Henry Baker, Mt. Vernon, Ia.; also survive.

Date of death: 8 Jun 1923

Subject: Maude Ellen (Baker) Tate

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 09 Jun 1923, Saturday, p. 1

Mrs. Maude E. Tate, wife of Judge M. G. Tate of Maryville, and a lifelong resident of Nodaway County, died at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening at her home, 305 West Third street. Her death follows a several months' illness of a complication of diseases. All of her children were at her bedside when she passed away, having been summoned here several days ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the First Christian Church. The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the church and the Rev. J. A. Cooper of the First Baptist Church will officiate. The interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Tate was a member of one of the old and prominent families of Maryville. Her parents were George Saunders Baker, who survives, and Margaret Ellen (Prather) Baker, whose death occurred September 4, 1878. She was born June 23, 1867, on the old Prather farm, eight miles south of Maryville. She was educated in the Maryville schools and at Hardin College, Mexico, Mo. Her marriage to Mr. Tate took place June 10, 1886, and tomorrow would have been their

thirty-seventh wedding anniversary. Besides her husband, she is survived by four children, two sons and two daughters. They are George Tate, St. Louis; Miss Jeannette Tate, Maryville; Mrs. R. H. Krieder, Des Moines, Ia.; and Magnus Tate, St. Joseph. Other immediate relatives are her father, who will be eighty-seven years old the nineteenth of this month; one brother, George Baker, president of the Real Estate Bank; and an aunt, Mrs. Ed McMillan of Milwaukee, Wis.. Mr. Krieder will arrive in Maryville tomorrow morning from Des Moines to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Tate was prominent in affairs in Maryville, both social and philanthropic. Since 1906 she has been a member of the Twentieth Century Club and served as its president for two terms, 1915-1917. The annual convention of the First district Federal of Women's Clubs was held in Maryville during her presidency of the local club. She later was honored by being elected president of the First district Federation and served in that capacity for two years. For a number of years she had been a member of Chapter L, P. E. O. She was a woman of many social graces and had a rare quality for making friends.

The Real Estate Bank will close at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon for the funeral and will remain closed the rest of the afternoon.

Date of death: 5 Jan 1916

Subject: Milbrey M. Baker

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 05 Jan 1916, Wednesday, p. 7

Milbrey M. Baker, seventy-four years old, a shoemaker, and for many years a resident of St. Joseph, died at 11:45 o'clock today at his home, 905 Madison street. He is survived by his wife and five children, Abijah and George Baker, St. Joseph; William Baker, Kansas City; Mrs. H. Bravelton and Mrs. Julia Schneider, Port Arthur, Texas; David Gear, St. Joseph, is a stepson.

Date of death: 30 Oct 1904

Subject: Myrtle Baker

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 31 Oct 1904, p. 6

Myrtle, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baker, 1609 Madison street, died at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The funeral will take place from the home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment will be in Green cemetery.

Date of death: 14 Aug 1901

Subject: Nancy J. (Baker) Calvert

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Aug 1901, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy B. Calvert, died at her residence, in this city, Wednesday, August 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. She was one of the pioneer settlers of Andrew county, having located here in the early 30s, and was said to be the oldest woman in the Platte purchase. She was 98 years, 2 months and 8 days old. The funeral services were conducted from the residence Thursday and the remains were taken to Hackberry where they were laid to rest by the side of those of her husband.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Aug 1901, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Baker Calvert, the oldest resident of Andrew county, died at her home here at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Calvert was ninety-eight years old on June 6, and her death was due to extreme age. For many years she has been practically helpless.

Mrs. Nancy Calvert was the widow of Jesse Calvert, one of the first settlers of Andrew county. Both were natives of Kentucky, in which State they were united in marriage April 27, 1821. Of this union eight children were born, all of whom preceded their mother to the world beyond. Jesse Calvert died about sixteen years ago, and Thursday afternoon his widow was laid beside him in the cemetery on Hackberry Ridge, six miles west of Savannah.

As has been said, Mrs. Calvert was, at the time of her death, the oldest resident of Andrew county. She accompanied her husband to Missouri in April, 1837, and they located near Liberty, in Clay county, at that time the only important town in this part of the State. In November of the following year, they removed to a claim which Mr. Calvert patented on what is now known as Hackberry Ridge. This was before Andrew county was organized, or even surveyed. This claim was the family home for forty-five years. In 1882, having attained a competency, Mr. and Mrs. Calvert removed to Savannah and took up their residence in the house where both died.

Mrs. Calvert was a member of the first church organized in Northwest Missouri, the old Hackberry Ridge Hardshell Baptist, and she was a devout Christian throughout her life. Her only living descendant [sic] is a nephew, Jesse Calvert, of Camden county, this State.

Although the aged woman was alone in the world during the latter years of her life. So far as relatives were concerned, the good people of Savannah and Andrew county were greatly attached to her and she received the very best of attention. Many gathered at her funeral to pay their respects to the good woman who had lived here since Andrew county was a hunting ground for the Indians.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 23 Aug 1901, Friday, p. 1

As was announced in our last issue, Mrs. Nancy B. Calvert died at her residence, on Christian Ridge, at the extreme old age of 98 years, a [sic] months and 8 days, on Wednesday of last week.

At the time of her death it was said that she was the oldest resident living in the Platte Purchase. She was a native of Kentucky and was married in that state April 27, 1821, to Jesse B. Calvert, and of this union eight children were born, all of whom with the husband preceded [sic] her to the world beyond. She accompanied her husband to Missouri in April, 1837, and they located near Liberty, in Clay county, at that time the only important town in this part of the state. In November of the following year they removed to a claim which Mr. Calvert patented on what is now known as Hackberry ridge. This was before Andrew county was organized, or even surveyed. This claim was the family home for forty-five years. In 1882, having attained a competency, Mr. and Mrs. Calvert removed to Savannah and took up their residence in the house where both died.

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same

Source: *Ste. Genevieve [MO] Fair Play*, 24 Aug 1901, Saturday, p. 2

Recent Deaths. Mrs. Nancy J. Calvert, at her home in Savannah, aged 98. She was the oldest person in Andrew county.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette-Herald*, 16 Aug 1901, p. 7

Savannah, Mo., Aug 15.-- Special Dispatch.)-- Mrs. Nancy Baker Calvert, the oldest resident of Andrew County, died at her home here at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Calvert was ninety-eight years old on June 6, and her death was due to extreme age. For many years she has been practically helpless.

Mrs. Nancy Calvert was the widow of Jesse Calvert, the first settler of Andrew County. Both were natives of Kentucky in which State they were united in marriage April 27, 1821. Of the union eight children were born, all of whom preceded their mother to the world beyond. Jesse Calvert died about sixteen years ago, and this afternoon his widow was laid beside him in the cemetery on Hackberry ridge, six miles north of Savannah.

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Although the aged woman was alone in the world during the latter years of her life, so far as relatives were concerned, the good people of Savannah and Andrew County were greatly attached to her and she received the very best of attention. Many gathered this afternoon to pay their respects to the good woman who had lived here since Andrew County was a hunting ground for the Indians.

Date of death: 22 Jan 1913

Subject: Nancy Jane (Baker) Stark

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 22 Jan 1913, Wednesday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Stark died this morning at 10:15 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. T. Kelley of Quitman. Mrs. Stark has been sick for the past six months with cancer. She was about 60 [sic] years of age. She leaves five children who are: Mrs. R. T. Kelley, Mrs. Etta Jones of Ray, Colo., Mrs. Emmett Booth of Higgins, Texas, Mrs. Cynthia Dykes of Reno, Iowa, and Caleb Stark of near Maryville.

She will be buried at the Cain cemetery, west of Maryville, without services.

Date of death: 10 Nov 1915

Subject: Nathan Baker

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 18 Nov 1915, Thursday, p. 2

The funeral services of Nathan Baker, who died at the home of his brother, Martin Baker, in Barnard, yesterday, were held today at 1 o'clock at the residence.

Nathan Baker was 84 years old and had been suffering for some time with a complication of diseases. He is survived by three children.

Mr. Baker was a brother of the late John W. Baker of this city.

Date of death: 5 Nov 1918

Subject: Oscar Barnett Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Dec 1918, Friday, p. 1

Oscar B. Baker, who was born at Rea April 24, 1890, and moved away from Andrew county when 12 years of age, died at Camp Dodge, Iowa, the first part of November. He enlisted from his home at Conrad, Montana, and was a brother of Mrs. James Leese of near Rea.

Same

Source: *Great Falls [MT] Tribune*, 11 Nov 1918

Conrad, Nov. 10-- Oscar Baker, son of James Baker and brother of Finis and Cleo Baker, all living northeast of Conrad, died at Camp Dodge, Iowa, the first of this week, of influenza. Mr. Baker left here with the August contingent and had been training at Camp Dodge since. He was well known here, having lived in this community for years, and was associated with his brothers in farming. Cleo Baker was with his brother during his illness and will accompany the body here.

Date of death: 2 Jan 1904

Subject: Otta Belle (Baker) Montgomery

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Jan 1904, Friday, p. 1

Ollie [sic] Belle Baker Montgomery was born near Barnard July 26, 1884; died at her home three miles north of Bolckow, Jan. 2, 1904, aged 19 years, 5 months and 6 days. She was married to John Montgomery March 8, 1903. The funeral was held in the Bolckow M. E. church. The

sermon was preached by C. H. John, after which the body was laid to rest in the Bolckow cemetery.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Sep 1904, Friday, p. 8

Bolckow. Bolckow is in mourning today for the second time this week. Little Helen, daughter of John Montgomery, died very suddenly Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dannelsbeck. She was sick only a few days. The poor father has the sympathy of the entire community. It seems as if he has more than his share of trouble, having lost his wife and two children in nine months. Little Helen had many friends among all. Funeral services at the M. E. church Wednesday.

Date of death: 26 Feb 1889

Subject: Patsy Margaret Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 1 Mar 1889, Friday, p. 8

Died, on Monday at 2:30 p.m., Miss Patsy M. Baker, aged 24 years, 3 months and 28 days; died from typhoid fever. The funeral took place from the A.M.E. Church, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 28 Feb 1889, p. 1

Patsy Baker died at her home in Savannah, Tuesday, aged about 53 years. The funeral occurred yesterday afternoon. The deceased was a sister of Charles Baker, the letter carrier, of this city. Mr. Baker and wife were present at the funeral, and returned home last night.

Date of death: 31 May 1888

Subject: Peter Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Jun 1888, Friday, p. 8

Peter Baker, colored, a brother of Uncle Abe Baker, of this city, was killed under some very suspicious circumstances, on the 31st of May. A colored man named Chapman had moved on an adjoining ranch to Peter Baker, some six weeks before, -- near Eastonville, El Paso county, Colorado. The wife of Chapman and Baker's wife were friendly, but the wife of Chapman was unfriendly to Baker. In the absence of Baker in Colorado Springs visiting his wife, Mrs. Chapman took some things from Baker's house, saying that Mrs. Baker had told her to do so. This is said to have enraged Baker, and the story is that Baker was standing on a hill with a gun, and called to Chapman (who had a companion) to take back something. Chapman went toward him, and it is said shots were exchanged, Baker being shot in the top of the head, from which he died. Baker had been married to this wife about five years, and owned three hundred acres with teams and stocks. From the telegraphic report it would appear that it was a put-up job to kill the old man, connived at by the wife; and this theory has additional coloring when it is known that neither Abe Baker, brother of the deceased, nor no other relative, has been notified by the wife; that his remains were buried by the town; and that none of them would have known anything

about it had it not happened that a friend of Lewis Baker read the newspaper account of the affair, and clipped it out and sent it to him. We understand the family propose to ferret out the whole matter to the bottom, which should by all means be done.

We knew Peter Baker, in years gone by, and we knew him to be a quiet, peaceable, intelligent and industrious man, and we are inclined to believe his death is the result of a conspiracy.

Date of death: 5 Jan 1899

Subject: Raphael Andrew Baker

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 12 Jan 1899, Thursday, p. 5

Lamar Station. The death angel came to the home of Dan Baker and wife in Elmo and took away their darling little son. The precious jewel only lent to them for awhile. Its remains were laid to rest last Saturday. The grieving parents have the sympathy of all their friends.

Date of death: 22 Apr 1906

Subject: Susan (Baker) Harman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 May 1906, Friday, p. 5

From the Bolckow *Enterprise*. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harman were up from Savannah Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Harman's mother.

Susan Baker was born July 1, 1828, died April 22, 1906, aged 77 years, 9 months and 22 days. She was married to Henry Harman Jan. 17, 1854.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 04 May 1906, Friday, p. 5

Bolckow *Enterprise*. Susan Baker was born July 1, 1828, died April 22, 1906, aged 77 years, 9 months and 22 days. She was married to Henry Harman Jan. 17, 1854. She was the mother of ten children, seven of whom are now living. She united with the Baptist church near Savannah in 1848. Funeral services were held from the family residence in Bolckow April, 23, at 2 p.m. Interment in the Bolckow cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harman were up from Savannah Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Harman's mother.

Date of death: 25 Feb 1918

Subject: Thomas Baker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 25 Feb 1918, Monday, p. 3

Thomas Baker, an inmate of the County Farm for the last nine years, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning. No funeral arrangements have been made. He is survived by two sons, George of Rosendale and Eli of Parnell.

Date of death: 29 Mar 1922

Subject: Vada Marie Baker

Source: *The Barnard [MO] Bulletin*, 30 Mar 1922, Thursday, p. 1

Infant Daughter Dies.

Mrs. Fred Baker [sic] was born February 14, 1922, and died March 29, 1922. Funeral services were held at 2:30 O'clock [sic] Thursday at the home, conducted by Rev. Mr. Grimes, pastor of the M. E. Church. Burial was in the Barnard cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker lost another child, a daughter, less than a month ago with the same disease.

Date of death: 27 Jun 1913

Subject: Virginia Belle (Baker) Fisher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Jul 1913, Friday, p. 1

Virginia Bell [sic] Baker was born April 24, 1864 at Cynthianne [sic], Pike county, Ohio, and when eight years of age she came with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James E. Baker to Andrew county, Missouri, where she has since resided. December 12, 1883, she was united in marriage to Milton Fisher and to this union three children were born two of whom died in infancy. Mrs. Fisher died at her home in the east edge of Rea, June 27, 1913, after an illness extending over a year much of the time her suffering was very severe but she bore it patiently.

Last winter she united with the Methodist Church and several times in talking to her pastor and others she spoke of her death expressing her readiness to go, her sorrow at parting with her loved ones but also her confidence in her Savior and asking them to meet her in Heaven. And she left the same message for her friends and neighbors thanking them for their kindness and friendship and urging them to love to as to meet her beyond the grave. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John H. Cole of Atchison, Kansas, her husband Milton Fisher of Rea, her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. James E. Baker of Savannah, also two sisters and four brothers, one sister having preceded [sic] her to heaven twenty-three years ago. Mrs. Fisher was forty-nine years, two months and three days old. The funeral was held at the home Saturday afternoon, Rev. W. A. Chapman and Rev. E. L. Spilled conducting the funeral services. Interment was in the Walnut Grove cemetery.

Date of death: 17 Mar 1886

Subject: Walker B. (or Walter A.) Baker

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 19 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 4

Another sudden death. Walter Baker, of Platte township, was found dead in the timber. On Wednesday Charles Schildknecht had occasion to call on his neighbor Mr. Holdscaw, and on returning home through the timber north of Mr. Bedwells [sic], about five miles northeast of Bolckow, he saw a horse tied, and on investigating a little further, he made the discover of the body of a man lying beside a log motionless. On going up to the body he made the astounding discovery that the man was Mr. Baker, and that he was cold in death. He had been in the act of chopping off a log, and when found by Mr. S. he was lying on his face, his ax lying by his side,

he having evidently fallen from the log face forward. An inquest was held yesterday, the result of which has not been reported to us. We are told Mr. Baker was about 35 years of age.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 26 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 1

Eds. Herald:-- Last Thursday I was called on to conduct funeral services of Walter B. Baker, who resided about three miles east of Bolckow. The particulars, as best I could learn, are about as follows: He was cutting cord wood on Mr. Broderick's land not far from Charley Schildknecht's house. Early on the morning of his death, March 17, he went to his work taking his dinner with him. As Mr. S. could hear the sound of his ax from his house, and noticing that he only chopped a short time that morning, he went out in the afternoon to where he had been chopping, and to his astonishment he found Mr. Baker dead. Mr. Schildtknecht [sic] immediately summoned the neighbors and on examination it appeared that he had chopped but a few minutes. He had placed a pole on a block, but before he could strike it, it would seem that death struck him. He was lying with his face on the ground and apparently had never made a struggle. Mr. Baker was 38 years of age, was a member of the M. E. church, respected by all his neighbors. His body was buried in the Whitesville cemetery. He leaves a devoted wife and six little girls, the oldest being 10 years of age, and many neighbors and relatives to mourn his loss. May the blessings of a Heavenly Father attend and comfort the family, and may they find a place in the hearts of the people where ever they go.

J. S. F. Wood.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 5

Last Wednesday afternoon Walker B. Baker was found dead in the woods near the residence of Jasper Bedwell, who lives about five miles southeast of this place. Squire Korell held an inquest late in the evening, and the jury returned a verdict of death from suffocation. There were no marks of violence on the deceased, and as he was lying on his face when found, the jury reached the conclusion that he had fallen in an epileptic fit and smothered to death. The deceased leaves a wife and six children to mourn his loss.-- [Barnard *Chronicle*.

Same

Source: *The Bolckow [MO] Herald*, 26 Mar 1886, Friday, p. 4

Mrs. Louisa Baker, wife of W. B. Baker, deceased, will sell at public sale to-morrow (Saturday) all her effects, with a view of moving to Ohio at an early day, where her people and that of her deceased husband reside. See bills posted.

Date of death: 29/30 Dec 1904

Subject: William Baker

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

The people of Nodaway county and Northwest Missouri will hear with great regret of the death of William Baker, which occurred at St. Francis Hospital of this city, Friday night, Dec. 30, 1994 [sic]. He was brought from his home, southwest of town, about a week before to the St. Francis Hospital, where he underwent an operation. It seems that some time in the past, he had swallowed a little bone, which could not be removed from the stomach. It had been giving him much trouble lately, and, as we understand it, finally produced the condition that resulted in death.

Mr. Baker was born in Wisconsin Feb. 10, 1848. He has lived in this county over thirty years. His first wife was a sister of Henry Myers. She has been dead many years. He married his second wife, Miss Lizzie Mann, April 3, 1889. He leaves a daughter, Lavina, by this marriage. He leaves by his first marriage, Nicholas Baker of Dakota, Michael Baker of this county, Henry Baker of Washington, Tato [sic] Baker of Washington state, Charlie and Eddie of this county, and Tilla, wife of Frank Ginsky of St. Joseph, and Ola at home.

All the children were present at the burial which was held Tuesday morning from the St. Mary's church, Rev. Fr. Anselm officiating.

William Baker was a good man and a useful one to the community. He was industrious and kept things moving. He has been in the stock business several years and was a successful shipper. He had a good farm southwest of town, four miles, which is well improved and has an elegant residence built only a few years ago, and in which he took a good deal of pride. He was not, as is often the case, permitted to stay very long with it. Man dieth and goes to his eternal home, but he leaves evidences of his good work and good deeds.

And many sorrow because the genial, big hearted William Baker has been taken and will be seen on earth no more. Such is the fiat of fate, the decree of nature.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 05 Jan 1905, Thursday, p. 3

William Baker's funeral occurred at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning. Mr. Baker was born in Wisconsin and came to Maryville in the fall of 1870. Eleven children, of the union with Mr. Baker's first wife, with the exception of one that died in infancy, were all in attendance at the funeral. Besides these Mr. Baker is survived by his second wife and one child, Miss Lavina Baker. Besides the wife and children there were in attendance at the funeral services from Mr. Baker's brother, Matt Baker, from Portland, Ore., and Mrs. Baker's brother, Dr. Mann, from Hawarden, Ia.

The children of Mr. Baker's first marriage are Nick Baker, of South Dakota; Michael Baker, Maryville; Henry Baker, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Frank Ginsky [sic], St. Joseph, Mo.; Mrs. George Brean [sic], Theodore and Charles Baker, Seattle, Wash., and Lucy, Willie and Olie, of Maryville.

Mr. Baker's marriage to Miss Lizzie Mann occurred fifteen years ago in Wisconsin.

Mr. Baker was first taken sick at his home four miles southwest of town. He was taken to St. Francis hospital on Friday a week ago, where he underwent a surgical operation, death occurring from blood poisoning last Thursday. Funeral services were delayed to give members of the family from a distance time to get here.

Date of death: 30 May 1905

Subject: William Baker

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 Jun 1905, Friday, p. 4

Prairie Temple. Matt Criss and wife attended the funeral of Billy Baker, who died in St. Joseph and was brought to Barnard and buried by the side of his wife, who died several years ago.

Date of death: 22/23 Apr 1909

Subject: Ann (Balderston) Wakefield

Source: *The Benkelman [NE] Post and News*, 30 Apr 1909, Friday, p. 1

Ann Balderston Wakefield, aged 73 years, mother of Jasper and Marion Wakefield and sister of County Commissioner J. K. Balderston, died at her home in this city Thursday night, April 22, 1909. Deceased was born in Ohio, June 8, 1836, and was married to John Wakefield June 20, 1853, in Linn county, Iowa, who died in Nodaway county, Missouri, in 1862. In an early day Mrs. Wakefield, with her two sons, removed to Dundy county, where she has since resided. Interment was held Friday at the Union cemetery. Two brothers and three sisters survive her besides those mentioned here.

Date of death: 2 Dec 1915

Subject: Clarinda (Baldwin) Dotson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 Dec 1915, Friday, p. 1

The funeral of Mrs. Albert Dotson, who passed away at her home in Oak Grove addition yesterday morning, will be held this afternoon at the First M. E. Church, the address by Rev. Snyder. The body will be placed in the Savannah cemetery. Her maiden name was Clarinda Baldwin and she was forty-two [sic] years, nine months and four days of age. She was married Nov. 27, 1892, and with Mr. Dotson she leaves two sons Virgil Edward and William B. The family has lived in Savannah nine years, coming here from Troy, Ks. She had been a faithful Christian many years and the family will miss this loving mother.

Date of death: 20 Oct 1895

Subject: Mrs. Eliza A. Baldwin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 1 Nov 1895, Friday, p. 8

Mrs. W. T. Baldwin, of Siloam Springs, in this county, died suddenly Sunday night, without the knowledge of any of the members of the family. When Mr. Baldwin arose at 4 o'clock Monday morning he found his wife dead in bed.-- [Stanberry *Headlight*.

Date of death: 17 May 1885

Subject: Henry L. Baldwin

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 21 May 1885, Thursday, p. 8

Henry Baldwin, a farmer living five miles south-west of this place died suddenly Sunday morning from bursting of a blood vessel. He recently had his life insured for \$5,000 and his family will be left in good circumstances. His injury was caused in running after hogs.

Date of death: 18 May 1913

Subject: John H. Baldwin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 May 1913, Friday, p. 5

John H. Baldwin, son of Joel and Nancy Baldwin, was born at Forest City, Missouri, April 3, 1847. There he grew up to manhood and was united in marriage to Vada Anderson at Mound City, March 24, 1887, to whom were born ten children, Charles, Nellie, John, Joel, Harry, George, Robert, Mary, Effie and Theodore. All the above survive him except Nellie, John and George, who went to the better land in infancy and his loving wife passed away January 11, 1912, dying of tuberculosis also. Two brothers yet survive him, J. D. Baldwin and Benjamin B. Baldwin, both of St. Joseph. After he left Holt county he moved to Doniphan county, Kansas, where he lived several years and he removed to Andrew county in 1900, where he lived until April 1, 1913, when he moved to a farm on the Bell road just across the county line into Buchanan county where he passed away Sunday night at 11:30, May 18, 1913. The body was removed to the home of his brother J. D. Baldwin 807 North Fourth Street, where the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon by the Rev. Briggs. A large crowd of relatives and friends attended and he was laid to rest beside his wife in Ashland cemetery.

same

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 30 May 1913, p. 2

John H. Baldwin died at his home on the Bell road, northeast of St. Joseph, on Sunday, May 18, 1913, aged 66 years. He was a son of Joel Baldwin, one of the earliest settlers of Forest City, and where the deceased was born. He is survived by five sons and two daughters: Charles, Joel, Harry, Robert, Theodore, Mary and Effie; two brothers, Jacob D. and Benjamin D., all of St. Joseph.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 20 May 1913, p. 8

John H. Baldwin, 66 years old, died Sunday night at his home, four miles northeast of the city on the Bell road. He was a farmer and is survived by five sons and two daughters, as follows: Charles, Joel, Harry, Robert, Theodore, Mary, and Effie. Two brothers, Jacob D. and Benjamin D., both of St. Joseph, also survive. The body was brought to the home of his brother, J. D. Baldwin, 807 North Fourth street, from which place funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon, with burial at Ashland cemetery.

Date of death: 13 Jan 1899

Subject: Joseph Baldwin

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 20 Jan 1899, Friday, p. 1

The Associated Press on Sunday chronicled the death of Prof. Baldwin, who died Saturday in Texas. Prof. Baldwin was principal of the Savannah schools in 1864, and went from here to Kirksville, where he built and put in operation the Kirksville Normal. Prof. Baldwin was at the head of this school for 25 years, but of late had been living in Texas.

Date of death: 25 Jul 1905

Subject: Mary Ellen (Ballard) Farnan

Source: *The Clyde [MO] Times*, 28 Jul 1905, Friday, p. 1

A gloom was cast over the entire community Tuesday evening when the sad news spread over the country that Mrs. Mary Farnan, wife of Mathew Farnan, had died after only having been home but a few hours after having spent the summer in the west where she had been with the hope that the climate would arrest the ravages of the dread disease, consumption [sic].

The funeral took place at Conception Thursday morning, where many friends gathered to pay tribute to the wife and mother who was called from home and family by the silent beckon of the hand of death.

The deceased has lived is [sic] Nodway [sic] all her life. She was a daughter of the late Judge J. W. Ballard [one] of the earliest settlers it [sic] this section.

Besides her husband, she leaves five sons, her aged mother, brothers and sisters and many relatives and friends to mourn [sic] her death. She was fifty years of age.

The deceased was held in highest esteem by all who knew her. A kind neighbor [sic], a loving wife and mother, who devoted her life to making home a real home, has been taken away. The mothea's [sic] place in the family circle has been made vacant foreve [sic].

The family and relatives have the sympathy of many friends.

Date of death: 4 Jun 1907

Subject: Mary (Baldwin) Moore

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 07 Jun 1907, Friday, p. 5

The wife of McHenry [sic] Moore formerly of this vicinity and a daughter of James Martin [sic] of near this place died at her home in Barnard Tuesday.

Date of death: 5 Feb 1921

Subject: Willard E. Baldwin

Source: *The Galveston [TX] Daily News*, 06 Feb 1921, Sunday, p. 7

Okmulgee, Ok., Feb. 5.-- Willard E. Baldwin, 18 years old, pumper for a refinery here, died late today after being overcome by gasoline fumes this afternoon when he attempted to charge an agitator.

Same

Source: *Okmulgee [OK] Daily Democrat*, 07 Feb 1921, Monday, p. 6

Funeral services in memory of William [sic] E. Baldwin, who died from the effects of inhaling gas while at work in the Indianhoma Refinery Saturday, were conducted this afternoon at his late residence, 925 East Second street. Interment following in the Okmulgee cemetery.

Date of death: 28 May 1917

Subject: George A. Bales

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 01 Jun 1917, Friday, p. 4

Rosendale. May 30. The people of Rosendale and vicinity were sorely shocked early Monday morning on learning of the death of George A. Bales, who had become suddenly ill a few days before from a chronic trouble of some years standing, but not thought at the time to be serious. He was taken to Noyes hospital for an operation which was performed on Thursday, May 24. Mr. Bales' suffering seemed of such an intense nature that he had not the strength to survive it and passes away in death about 8 o'clock Monday morning. George has been in business here many years and has a large acquaintance, all of whom have learned to love and respect him for his spotless character and his manly qualities. Our hearts go out in fullest sympathy to the bereft wife and daughters of this noble husband and father as well as to all other of the near and dear relatives. The funeral of Mr. Bales was held here at the Christian church Wednesday at 1 p.m. conducted by Rev. Orrison of St. Joseph and Rev. A. W. McGlothlan of Savannah and was largely attended. Interment was in the Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Jun 1917, Friday, p. 4

George A. Bales, one of the best known and highly respected citizens of Rosendale, died at Noyes hospital, St. Joseph Monday Morning, May 28, at 8 o'clock. He had been in rather delicate health for some time, nevertheless his death was unexpected and produced a profound shock to the entire community. For more than twenty years past he has been prominent in business, educational and religious circles and perhaps no man in Rosendale or the surrounding country would have been more greatly missed by all.

The funeral service was held at the Christian church in Rosendale, on Wednesday afternoon and, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, was very largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. Orrison, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. A. W. McGlothlan, pastor of the Presbyterian church, after which the body was laid to rest in the Savannah cemetery.

George A. Bales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dillon Bales, was born in Nodaway county, March 4, 1871. He came with his parents to Andrew county, where on March 10, 1896, he was united in marriage to Miss Lillian Holt. Two daughters, Pauline and Lucile, were born to them and these with the stricken wife, the aged father and mother and a sister in California and a brother in New York are the immediate relatives which he leaves behind him. More distant relatives and a great number of friends join these in mourning his departure.

Mr. Bales united with the Christian church at Rosendale in November, 1899, and has continued a consistent membership in that church ever since. He has many times, been honored by the church with various offices and positions of trust, all of which he filled with conspicuous ability and faithfulness.

He was a man of strong convictions, plain of speech and invariably on the right side of every moral issue. He stood four square for every agency that looked to the good of the community and gave the influence of a strong personality to every noble cause. He was broad in his views, charitable toward all, and, in a quiet way, performed many a benevolent act of which the world never heard. His home was almost ideal in its happiness, the cord of affection binding husband and father to wife and children being unusually strong.

In all circles wherein he moved, he will be greatly missed and his death seems little less than a calamity. But God's ways are best and to Him we bow in humble submission while we say, 'Not our will, but thine be done.'

Date of death: 29 Jan 1904

Subject: William Edward Bales

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 05 Feb 1904, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. Mr. Wm. Bayne attended the funeral of Ed Bales at Rosendale Sunday. Mr. Bales was known to almost every one here, as there was hardly a day but he accompanied some traveling salesman here, and has probably made more drives to Whitesville than any other liveryman.

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Fairview. Quite a gloom was cast over our community by the death of Mr. Ed. Bales, who lived in Rosendale. His funeral was preached at the Rosendale Christian church by Rev. Chapman. Interment at the Fairview cemetery.

Miss Gertie Buis and Frank Buis attended the burial of their cousin, Mr. Bales at Fairview, Sunday.

Date of death: 18 Jan 1903

Subject: James Baley

Source: *Stanberry [MO] Owl-Headlight*, 20 Jan 1903, Tuesday, p. 5

James Bailey [sic], who lived three and one half miles South West of Stanberry is dead. The funeral service will be held at the residence of the deceased on the 20th. inst. at ten o'clock.

Date of death: 5 Nov 1899

Subject: Benjamin L. Ball

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 09 Nov 1899, Thursday, p. 11

Benjamin Ball died at his home in South Hopkins Sunday evening after a lingering illness of several months duration of kidney trouble. Funeral was conducted at the residence Tuesday and remains laid to rest in the White Oak Grove cemetery.

Date of death: 1 Feb 1910

Subject: David W. Ball

Source: *The Hopkins [MO] Journal*, 03 Feb 1910, Thursday, p. 1

Uncle David Ball, one of the old pioneers of this community, died at his home north of Hopkins Tuesday night and the funeral will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Hazel Dell church.

He was a man highly respected and an obituary will likely be furnished us for publication next week.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 10 Feb 1910, Thursday, p. 7

David Ball, an aged citizen living four miles northeast of Hopkins, died at his home Tuesday night. Death was due to the infirmities of old age. He was 80 years old.

Deceased had been a resident of the neighborhood for forty years. For a part of the time he lived just north of his present farm, across the Iowa line.

Ed Godsey of this city is a grandson of the deceased.

Mr. Ball left six children as follows: Mrs. Marian Godsey, Franklin, Neb.; Mrs. Ann Smith, Taylor county, Iowa; Mrs. Emily Graham, Washington county, Kansas; Mrs. Clara Miller, St. Joseph, Mo.; Charles Ball, Wisconsin; James Ball, Indiana.

The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock at the Hazel Dell church. Interment at Hopkins cemetery.

Date of death: 10 Nov 1918

Subject: Etta (Ball) Crigger

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 14 Nov 1918, Thursday, p. 5

Funeral services for Mrs. Etta Crigger who died yesterday afternoon at her home northeast of Maryville, were held at the home at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. C. S. Dayhoff of Pickering. The body was interred in the Myrtle Tree cemetery.

Mrs. Crigger has been ill with tuberculosis for several months. Her condition was aggravated by the care of her children, all of whom were ill with influenza, and the strain and worry of this hastened her death.

Mrs. Crigger was about 40 years old. Her husband died several years ago. She is survived by six children, William, living at Chariton, Ia., Carl, Alexander, Hattie, Lillian and Arthur, living at home.

Date of death: 20 Apr 1899

Subject: Eva V. (Ball) Dopp

Source: *Ness County [KS] News*, 22 Apr 1899, Saturday, p. 5

Died-- Thursday, April 20, 1899, at four o'clock, at her residence in Eden township, Eva, wife of David Dopp, aged about thirty-eight years.

Mrs. Dopp was formerly a resident of this city, where she was universally loved for her many womanly qualities by all who knew her. She was a loving wife and mother, and her home was an attractive place for the young friends of the family, where the good housewife was always a companion of the visitors, entering into their enjoyment with a zest that seemed to renew her youth. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss. The funeral was set for ten o'clock, Friday, April 21, at Beeler, and D. M. Kimes, of Bazine was to preach the sermon.

Date of death: 21 Jun 1909

Subject: Mrs. Nancy T. Ball

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 24 Jun 1909, Thursday, p. 3

Hopkins. Mrs. Nancy Ball died Monday at her home in South Hopkins. Funeral services were held at the house by Rev. Moore, a Baptist minister, and burial took place at White Oak cemetery south of town.

Date of death: 20/22 Oct 1891

Subject: Ora L. Ball

Source: *Maryville [MO] Daily Democrat*, 05 Nov 1891, Thursday, p. 4

Breezes from Mt. Pleasant.

Ora L. Ball died October 22, and was buried in White Oak Cemetery the 23. It is said that he hailed death as a release from his suffering, and remarked that he felt like rejoicing, because he was soon to meet his loved Savior. He then crossed his own hands on his breast, and peacefully breathed his last. His memorial sermon will be preached at Central Friendship church, November 8, at 11 a.m.

Date of death: 2 Nov 1918

Subject: Sarah Maria (Ball) Godsey

Source: *Franklin County [NE] Tribune*, 07 Nov 1918, Thursday, p. 1

Sarah M. Ball was born Sept. 20, 1852, in Park county, Indiana, and moved with her parents to Taylor Co., Iowa, 1857. Married Jesse Godsey September 26, 1869; to them were born 4 boys, 6 girls. At the age of 14 converted and joined the Missionary Baptist church. Moved with family to Smith county, Kansas; united with United Brethren. 1889, moved to Franklin, Nebr. United with the Methodist church; tried to live near my God so I may be judged according on the Lord's side.

The above was written by Mrs. Sarah M. Godsey, and was found in her papers after her death, which occurred Saturday evening, Nov. 2. It tells in a few words the life and religious thoughts of this good woman.

The funeral was held Tuesday forenoon at the house, with burial in the Franklin cemetery. Rev. Thomas was in charge.

The following children were present at the funeral of their mother: Edw. T. Godsey of Maryville, Mo.; Lena M. Larrington, Franklin, Neb.; Juda M. Etherton, Bloomington; Emma Howard, Macon; Sylvia E. Huffine, Arapahoe; Charley D. Godsey, Yuma, Colo., Neva M. Leisge, Lincoln. Mrs. Elizabeth Hamm of Bird City, Kansas, and Miles E. Godsey and Ora A. Godsey, of Oregon, were unable to be present.

A sister, Mrs. Emma Graham, of Clifton, Kansas, was also here to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Godsey has made her home in this city with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Etherton for some time, and has made a large number of friends to whom her passing has brought sadness. She was 66 years, 1 month and 12 days of age at the time of her death.

*Dear mother has gone to the long, sweet rest,
From care and sorrow she now is free,
But of all the friends by which I was blessed
My mother was dearest and fairest to me.
Crossed on her breast are the careworn hands,
Seamed and wrinkled, to stranger and friend;
But to children blest by their goodly plans,
The seams but a charm of beauty lend.
For weeks she has lain on a bed of pain
Praying by death to be soon released;
So our deepest loss was her greatest gain
As her heart-beats sloyly [sic] and painfully ceased.*

Date of death: 22 Apr 1911

Subject: Elijah Hudson Ballard

Source: Holt County [MO] Sentinel, 28 Apr 1911, p. 3

Captain Elijah H. Ballard, of Mound City, Mo., died at the home of his parents, Thomas and Margaret Ballard, Saturday evening, April 22d, 1911. Captain Ballard was born near Savannah, Mo., on the 2d day of May, 1874, and at the time of his death had almost completed his thirty-seventh year. He moved with his parents to Mound City in the year 188s, and his home has been there for the rest of his life. He was never married. He left surviving him his father and mother, his sister, Mrs. Jennie Blevins, of St. Anthony, Idaho, and his aged grandmother, Mrs. Jane Duncan. He was the last of three sons of his parents. His brother, Charles, died in 1899, and his brother, Thomas, in 1904.

At the breaking out of the war with Spain, he was mustered into the service of the United States as Second Lieutenant of Company B., of the 4th Missouri Regiment of Volunteer Infantry, and remained with the Company until the war closed, being mustered out of service as Captain of his Company.

Captain Ballard was deservedly popular and well liked by all who knew him. While of a quiet, retiring disposition, he had many close friends who loved and honored him for his fine, manly character. He had not an enemy in the world. Nothing, perhaps, throws a better light on his fine character and lovable disposition than the fact that when his Company was mustered out of the service he had the devoted love and respect of every member of the Company; and there were no more sincere mourners at his funeral than the members of his Company who were able to attend.

The funeral was held at the residence of his parents on Monday, April 24th, the funeral sermon being preached by the Rev. Ferguson, of Mound City. He was buried at the cemetery at Mound City, by the side of the graves of the two brothers who had preceded him. The entire community mourns the loss caused by Captain Ballard's death, and sympathize with his bereaved parents and relatives.

His bereaved parents and sister mourn his loss, but they have left to comfort them, beautiful remembrances of years of intimate association with a loving and devoted son and brother, and their sorrow is not burdened with the memory of one moment of unhappiness brought into their lives by word or act of his.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 05 May 1911, Friday, p. 4*

Elijah H. Ballard was born near Savannah, Mo., May 2, 1874, and died April 22, 1911 at the family home in Mound City, Mo., at the age of 36 years, 11 months and 20 days. He is survived by his father, mother, one sister, Mrs. Jennie Blevins, of St. Anthony, Idaho, and his aged grandmother, all of whom were with him at the time of his death.

He came to Mound City with his parents when he was eight years of age and lived here the balance of his life excepting two years spent on a farm six miles north of Mound City and about one year in the army during the Spanish American War. He served as second lieutenant in Company B., 4th Mo., Vol. Infty., until September 16, 1898, and was in command of the company until some time in November when he received the appointment of captain, serving until the close of the war.-- Mound City News.

E. H. Ballard was a son, of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ballard, who are remembered by the older citizens of Savannah.

Date of death: Nov 1878

Subject: Elijah W. Ballard

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter, 29 Nov 1878, Friday, p. 8*

A telegram to W. S. Earls, on Thursday of last week, announced the death of Elijah Ballard, his nephew, at the residence of Frank Matteson, in Wathena, Kansas, of heart disease.

Date of death: 5/6 Mar 1891

Subject: Isaac Ballard

Source: *The Malvern [IA] Leader, 12 Mar 1891, Thursday, p. 5*

Glenwood. Isaac Ballard, an aged citizen, passed away on the 6th inst.

Date of death: 24 Oct 1904

Subject: John Thomas Ballard, Jr.

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Oct 1904, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Margaret Brooks went to Mound City Monday to attend the funeral of Thomas Ballard.

Date of death: 1 Feb 1899

Subject: John W. Ballard

Source: *The [St. Joseph MO] Catholic Tribune*, 18 Feb 1899, Saturday, p. 5

Conception. Obituary—Judge Jno. W. Ballard died at his home in Clyde, Mo. Feb. 1, after a long and painful illness. He had long before his death prepared his soul for eternity and awaited the call of God with the patience and confidence of one who is not afraid to meet his Creator. Judge Ballard was one of the most respected citizens of the community. He was especially characterized by honesty, frankness, and uprightness; his word was sterling and all who knew him not only respected him but also held him in the light of a friend whose worth could be depended upon in adversity or need. His amiability and kindness of manner gave to the evening of his life a glow and beauty that made age in him peculiarly sweet. He leaves four sons and three daughters to mourn his death. To these we extend our sincere condolence.

Date of death: 15 Apr 1915

Subject: Joseph Henry Ballard

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Apr 1915, Friday, p. 1

After having lived in Savannah the past nine years, J. H. Ballard passed away Friday afternoon aged eighty-four years. He came to Savannah in 1906 when his daughter Miss Myrtle took up her work in room 8 in the Savannah public schools. They moved here from Mound City, where Mr. Ballard had been a miller for many years. Joseph Henry Ballard was born April 11, 1831, in Sackett's Harbor, New York. His boyhood was passed in this state and in early manhood he, with his father's family, moved west to the state of Illinois. On the 18th day of September, 1864, he was united in marriage to Sophia A. Langworthy [sic], at Peninsula, Michigan. To this union were born five children, Martin D. L., who died at the age of two years and whose body lies at rest in Peninsula, Michigan; Welcome Joseph, who resides at the present time in Firth, Nebraska, Clinton, who died at the age of one month and whose body lies at rest in Warren county, Pennsylvania, Ida Myrtle, who lives in the home in Savannah and Edith Ann, now Mrs. W. H. Bennett, who resides in Ogden, Utah. Mr. Ballard early turned to Christ and became a member of the Baptist church. For many years he has been a faithful servant of God, loving God's people and earnestly laboring to bring souls to Christ. His home has ever been the home of God's ministers and his place in God's house was rarely vacant until he was stricken with serious illness. Even after he became entirely deaf, which affliction was sent to him twelve years ago, he was faithful in his attendance at all religious services, even though he was unable to hear a word or to take his accustomed part. He loved his Bible and kept it in his heart knowing it thoroughly from cover to cover. Throughout his long life he has been a sweet, gentle, self-sacrificing man,

devoted to his family, whose hearts are broken because of his long suffering and his going. His last illness was cruelly long and severe and he was released and taken home to his Master at 3:05 p.m. on April 16, 1915. From the hundreds of passages marked in his dear old Bible he selected this one from which he wished his funeral to be preached: 'And I heard a voice from heaven, saying unto me, write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth. Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them.' From this text the funeral was preached by Rev. F. P. Davidson, at the residence on West Chestnut street at 3 p.m., April 18, 1915. The music pupils of the high school, of which Miss Ballard has charge, furnished the music and the deacons of the Baptist church were the pall bearers, the remains being placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 23 Apr 1915, Friday, p. 1*

Joseph Henry Ballard was born April 11th., 1831 in Sackett's Harbor, Jefferson county, New York. His boyhood days were passed in this state and in early manhood he with his father's family moved west to the state of Illinois. On the 18th., day of September 1864 he was united in marriage to Sophia A. Langworthy [sic], at Peninsula, Michigan. To this union were born five children: Martin D. L., who died at the age of two years and who lies at rest in Peninsula, Michigan. Welcome Joseph who resides at First, Nebraska. Clinton, who died at the age of one month, and who lies at rest in Warren county, Pennsylvania; Ida Myrtle, who lives in this city and Edith Ann, now Mrs. W. H. Bennett was [sic] resides in Ogden, Utah.

Mr. Ballard early became a Christian becoming a member of the Baptist church. For many years he has been a faithful servant of God, loving God's people and earnestly laboring to do the right. He was rarely absent from church services even after he became entirely deaf, which affliction was sent to him twelve years ago. Throughout his life he has been a sweet gentle self sacrificing man, devoted to the family and to the higher and better interests of mankind. His last illness was very long and he was released and taken home to his Master at five minutes past three o'clock on April 16, 1915. From the hundreds of passages marked in his bible he chose the following text from which he desired his funeral sermon to be preached: 'And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth. Yea saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their words do follow them.' From this text the sermon was preached Sunday afternoon at the home on West Chestnut street, by Rev. F. P. Davidson, pastor of the Baptist church in this city. The deacons of the Baptist church acted as pall bearers. Pupils of the music class of the last two years which had been taught by Miss Myrtle Ballard sang the old hymns which Mr. Ballard has [sic] requested sung at his funeral. Burial was in the Savannah cemetery.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette, 17 Apr 1915, p. 2*

Savannah, Mo., April 16.-- J. H. Ballard, whose eighty-fourth birthday anniversary was last Sunday, died at his home here at 2 o'clock this afternoon, after being ill for more than a year. He was born in New York, April 11, 1831. He had lived in Savannah nine years, having come here from Mound City, Mo. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. W. Bennett of Ogden,

Utah, and Mrs. Myrtle Ballard of Savannah, and one son, William Ballard of Firth, Neb. The funeral will be at the home at ... o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. ... Davidson of the Baptist church officiating. Burial will be in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 2 Feb 1902

Subject: Mary Frances (Ballard) Matteson

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 07 Feb 1902, Friday, p. 1

The subject of this sketch Mary F. Ballard-Matteson was born one mile east of Savannah, July 1st 1848. Was united in married to F. C. Matteson March 3rd, 1868, on the same farm where she was born. Of this union there were six children born, two dead and four living, Carl, Fred, and Mary, of Kansas City, and Earl, of Greenville, S. C. She with her husband removed to St. Joseph in 1880, where she resided at the time of her death, Feb. 2, 1902 at 4 p.m. She united with the Baptist church 20 years ago of which she was a member at the time of her death.

The remains were brought to this city Tuesday and funeral services were conducted from the residence of Mrs. Jennie Hardin, on Christian Ridge, after which the remains were laid to rest in the cemetery here.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Feb 1902, Friday, p. 8

J. T. Ballard received a telegram Monday announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. M. F. Matteson, at Kansas City. She had been in poor health for three years. Mr. and Mrs. Ballard went Tuesday to attend the funeral and interment, which took place at Savannah, where a number of relatives of deceased are buried. *Mound City News*.

She was the wife of Frank C. Matteson, long since deceased, who was for some years a talented teacher and highly respected citizen of the county.

same

Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 7 Feb 1902, p. 5

Mrs. Lucy Petree was called to Savannah, Tuesday of this week, to attend the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Mary Matteson, who died in Kansas City, and the body was taken to Savannah for interment.

Date of death: 30 Sep 1899

Subject: Sanders Ballard

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Oct 1899, Friday, p. 8

While hunting near Cosby, in this county, last Saturday, Sanders Ballard, a farmer living on the west side of Lake Contrary, near St. Joseph, was accidentally shot and killed.

Mr. Ballard was in the act of jumping down a steep embankment, when both barrels of his shotgun were discharged. The load from both barrels entered the back of the right leg just above

the knee. The flesh was horribly mangled and he died in a few minutes from the shock and loss of blood.

Something over a week ago Mr. Ballard, in company with W. B. Gates, of St. Joseph, went on a hunting and fishing expedition to Cosby. They camped near the bridge which crosses Platte river, three miles southwest of Cosby, upon the farm of Edward Hayes.

The two started out Saturday, each armed with a gun. They had been tamping around all forenoon, and it was when they arrived at the farm of Mrs. Green that the accident occurred. Mr. Gates, as soon as he heard the report of his companion's gun hastened to his assistance, and found him almost in a dying condition. The flesh had been shot from the bone and the blood was pouring forth in a heavy stream.

Mr. Gates immediately sought help, and the body of the dead man was taken to Cosby, and Coroner Peter, of Whitesville, was sent for. He got there about 9 o'clock Saturday evening, and an inquest was held at once. Mr. Gates told the story of the occurrence, and one or two other witnesses were examined. The facts as stated above were brought out, and the jury returned a verdict of accidental killing.

Mr. Ballard was about sixty years of age and was well known in St. Joseph. He leaves two grown sons, his wife having died several years ago. The body was taken to St. Joseph on Sunday and the funeral was held Monday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Oct 1899, Friday, p. 1

Coroner Peter of Whitesville, was in town, Monday, and gave the Democrat correspondent the particulars of an accidental shooting, by which a sportsman from St. Joseph by the name of Ballard lost his life while out hunting, near Cosby, last Saturday afternoon. It seems that Ballard and a friend, W. B. Gates, both of St. Joseph, had been camping near the bridge which crosses Platte river, some three miles southwest of Cosby, on the farm of Edward Hayes. While hunting Saturday afternoon, Ballard had occasion to descend a rather steep bank and it is supposed he lost his footing and slipped. He was carrying a double-barrel shot gun and in some manner the gun is thought to have caught on an overhanging twig and discharged. The loads from both barrels entered the right thigh and tore away the flesh and ligaments from that member. Mr. Gates hurried to the scene, on the report of the gun and found Ballard in a faint condition. Ballard soon died from loss of blood.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental killing.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Herald*, 05 Oct 1899, p. 3

Sanders Ballard, a farmer living upon the west side of Lake Contrary was accidentally [sic] shot and instantly killed yesterday morning, about 11:30 o'clock, at Cosby, Mo., a station on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, fourteen miles northeast of St. Joseph. His gun caught

while he was jumping down a bank and both barrels of his shotgun were discharged in the back of his leg, just above the knee. A large portion of the flesh was torn away and he fell over dead from the shock. The body will be brought to his city today.

A week ago Friday, Ballard, in company with W. B. Gates, who lives at 1505 North Thirteenth street, went to Cosby on a fishing trip. They left the city in a spring wagon which carried their arms and all their camping paraphernalia and cooking utensils. They camped at the bridge across the Platte river, three miles southwest of Cosby, upon the farm of Edward Hayes. They spent their time seeking for game along the river and in fishing.

Yesterday they had started out as usual, each armed with his gun, and looking for game. It was when they arrived at the farm of a Mrs. Green, one mile southwest of Cosby, that the fatal affair occurred. Ballard had just jumped down the river bank when his companion heard a loud report. It was the discharge of the shotgun.

When Gates found what had happened he immediately ran to the assistance of his fellow huntsman but the latter had already breathed his last. It appears that the shock was so great that Ballard expired as soon as wounded. The flesh was shot from his leg to the bone, leaving an ugly wound from which the blood gushed in a heavy stream. It appears that Ballard was dragging the gun after him as the wound was made in the back of the leg.

Gates immediately sought assistance and the body of the dead man was taken to Cosby where it was deposited in the city hall. A large crowd of people, who were in the village doing their weekly buying crowded into the town hall and viewed the remains of Ballard.

The coroner of Andrew county, Dr. Peters of Whitesville, was notified by telephone. He reached the city about 9 o'clock and held an inquest over the body of Ballard. The report of the coroner's jury was in keeping with evidence introduced at the inquest.

Ballard was about 60 years of age and was well known at Lake Contrary and in this city. His wife died several years ago and two grown sons have been living with him. The remains will be brought in this afternoon at 3:55 o'clock on the passenger train or else on an earlier freight train.

Same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 02 Oct 1899, p. 6

Sanders Ballard, a farmer who lived a short distance west of Lake Contrary, was shot and instantly killed one mile southwest of Cosby, in Andrew County, Saturday. Ballard and W. B. Gates, of 1505 North Thirteenth street, this city, went to Cosby last week on a hunting and fishing expedition. They were hunting together on the farm of a Mrs. Green, who lives near Cosby, when the accident occurred which resulted in Ballard's death.

Ballard leaped down the side of an embankment in quest of game, when both barrels of the shotgun he carried in his hands were discharged. The shot entered his limbs just above the knees and tore away the flesh. The shock caused Ballard's death in a short time. Sidenfaden & Sons sent a casket to Cosby yesterday and the body was brought here and burried [sic] in King Hill

cemetery this morning. Ballard had lived near Lake Contrary for a number of years and was well known there.

Date of death: 29 Sep 1916

Subject: Sarah L. (Ballard) Wilcox

Source: *The Beattie [KS] Eagle*, 05 Oct 1916, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. J. R. Wilcox died at the family home in Beattie last Friday evening, September 29, at 10:20 o'clock. Mrs. Wilcox had been in poor health for several months and had been under the doctor's care for about three months. Despite the best attention by the physicians and those assisting with her care she continue to grow worse until her suffering was relieved in death.

Sarah L. Ballard was born near Des Moines, Iowa, October 9, 1847, and was married to J. R. Wilcox on August 25, 1865, the ceremony being performed by Simon Dorn near what was then Fort Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox continued to live in that county for a few weeks after their marriage after which they moved to St. Joseph, Missouri, where they lived for about six years, coming to Marshall county in the spring of 1871, settling on a homestead about six miles northwest of Beattie which was their home for about twenty years. Later they bought a half section of land about a mile and a half from Beattie and lived there for a couple of years, moving to Beattie in 1892, which has since been their home. Eleven children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, three of whom survive. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in August, 1915.

Mrs. Wilcox became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church when about sixteen years of age and thereafter lived the life of a conscientious christian woman. She affiliated with the Baptist church when the family came to Kansas and later, because that church at that time did not have regular services, transferred her membership to the Christian church. Mrs. Wilcox was a member of the Good Templars and with her husband organized the first lodge of that order in this community, and retained her membership until her death. She was also a member of the Knights & Ladies of Security. She was a kind and loving wife and mother and a good neighbor, held in the highest regard by her many friends. The bereaved husband and other relatives have the sympathy of all in their sorrow.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. F. E. Harrell, pastor of the church and interment was made in the Beattie Union cemetery.

Date of death: 21 Sep 1898

Subject: Theodore Calvin Ballew

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Sep 1898, Friday, p. 1

Died. At his home in Corydon, Ia., on Wednesday of last week, T. H. Ballew, husband of Mrs. Ida Ballew, formerly Miss Ida Laney, of this city. Last week Mrs. Lucy Laney received a summons to come to Corydon at once, but Mr. Ballew died before her arrival. Death is said to have resulted from a surgical operation. We are informed that Mrs. Lucy Laney will make her home with her daughter in Corydon.

Date of death: 25 Jan 1898

Subject: Mrs. Lizzie Ballinger

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 4 Feb 1898, Friday, p. 8

Death has again visited our community, this time claiming for his own Lizzie, beloved wife of J. L. Ballinger, aged thirty-seven years, three months and eleven days. All that willing hands and loving hearts could do was done for her, but all in vain, and on Tuesday night, just before the midnight hour, January 25, 1898, her spirit took its flight and went forth to meet the God who gave it. For more than a year she had suffered from a combination of diseases, but she bore it all patiently, as only the Christian can do, whose assurance is that blessed anchor of hope. Her life was one of many trials, but she was never known to falter, but bravely met each day's duties as they came. She was a devoted wife, a loving mother, and it can well be said of her 'She has done what she could.' Being a firm believer in a supreme being and the immortality of the soul, she met death bravely. For her husband, for her children, she would gladly have lived, but it was denied her, and she is gone. To wife and mother you have said your last 'good-bye,' and oh how sad the parting! how desolate that home! It will never be the same to you again, but there is comfort for you in this thought, that while you have less on earth you have more in heaven, and there will be no more trials for her now, no more tears to dim her eyes. Think of mama 'over there,' how she stands watching for you before the throne of God, that is even whiter than the snow that surrounds her new made grave. May God bless the mourning husband and the little motherless children, and may you be strengthened by the word of His grace to go on in the way she would have led you, that you may all meet again on that 'evergreen shore.'

Funeral services were conducted by Elder Cottingham, of the Christian Church, of which she has been a member since early childhood, after which she was laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery.

*'She'll speak to us, on earth, no more,
But she'll call to us from above;
And we'll hear her voice and better be,
Because of our mother's love.'*

F. B. P.

Date of death: 29 Jan 1890

Subject: Aaron S. Balm

Source: The St. Joseph [MO] Herald, 30 Jan 1890, Thursday, p. 3

Aaron S. Balm died at his home, six miles [line missing] consumption, aged 23 years. The funeral will take place at 2 P.M. to-day. Interment at Green cemetery.

Date of death: 17 Dec 1918

Subject: August N. Balsiger

Source: St. Joseph [MO] Gazette, 18 Dec 1918, Wednesday, p. 6

A. N. Balsiger, 40 years old [sic], a former resident of St. Joseph, died at 5 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Neodesha, Kas. He is survived by his wife and one, son, A. H. Balsiger, his father, Chris Balsiger, and brother, W. H. Balsinger [sic], both of this city. The body will be brought here for burial.

Date of death: 13 Apr 1912

Subject: Emil H. Balsiger

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 16 Apr 1912, Tuesday, p. 13

Emil H. Balsiger, age 27 years, died in Texas Saturday, April 13. He is survived by his father, Christ Balsiger, and three brothers, William, August N. of this city and Fred of Oklahoma. Funeral from the family residence, 2824 Edmond st., tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Modern Woodmen take notice. Burial at Mount Auburn. Friends invited.

Date of death: 14 Mar 1915

Subject: Fred Balsiger

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 15 Mar 1915, Monday, p. 6

Word was received by August N. Balsiger, 2824 Edmond street, of the death of his brother, Fred Balsiger, yesterday morning in Denver. The dead man was thirty-five years old, and until three years ago was a resident of St. Joseph. He is survived by his wife and two children, his father, Christ Balsiger, and another brother, W. H. Balsiger of St. Joseph. The body will be brought to St. Joseph for burial.

Date of death: 24 Jun 1916

Subject: Charles Balson

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 07 Jul 1916, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. The Rev. Charles Balson, a well known local resident and retired minister, died June 24, 1916, at his home in St. Petersburg. At his bedside were his wife and his only living children, John W. and C. Wesley Balson, the former of Whittier, Cal., and the latter of Oberlin, Ohio. Rev. Balson was born in England more than seventy-nine years ago and came to this country at the age of 21. He began preaching at the age of 17 and continued until his retirement a few years ago. His ministerial work was principally in Missouri and Nebraska. He had also been active in the real estate business and was held in high esteem for his fine business ability. About forty years ago Rev. Balson was pastor of the Fillmore M. E. church for two or three years and made many lasting friends. Several of the elderly people living here now gave their lives to Christ under his preaching and are sorry to know that his good work on earth had ended.

Date of death: 3 Jan 1913

Subject: Eliza Arabella (Balson) Gregory

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Jan 1913, Friday, p. 8 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 10 Jan 1913, Friday, p. 4

Eliza Arabella Balson, the second child of Charles and Eliza Balson, was born in Poole, Dorsetshire [sic], England, January 23, 1862. The family came to America in 1869. She was converted in a revival meeting conducted by her father December 10, 1875. Soon afterwards,

with about fifty others, converted in the same meeting, she united with the church and immediately became a useful worker. She taught a Sunday school class as long as her other duties permitted and for eighteen years was Sunday school and church organist. Her mother died in 1877. She was united in marriage with Rufus K. Gregory, December 11, 1906, at Fillmore. About four o'clock, Friday morning, January 3, she entered into the larger life beyond. Her father in St. Petersburg, Florida, one brother in Oberlin, Ohio, and one brother in Whittier, California, besides her husband survive her. Her father spent a number of years in the itinerant ministry [sic] in the Methodist Episcopal church. He was a member of the Missouri Conference. His first charge was at Glenwood, and he afterwards served successively on the Savannah circuit, and at Fillmore, Graham, Rockport, Breckenridge, Kidder and Hopkins. Upon leaving Hopkins he located and has since lived at Cedar Rapids, Nebraska, Maysville, and is now in Florida.⁶ The funeral of his daughter Mrs. Gregory was preached to a large congregation at the First M. E. church Saturday afternoon by her pastor A. J. Quirin and the remains were placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 10 Jan 1913, Friday, p. 4

Elija [sic] Arbella [sic] Balsam [sic], the second child of Charles and Eliza Balsam, was born in Poole, Dorsetshire [sic] England Jan. 23, 1862. The family came to America in 1869. In a revival meeting conducted by her father she was converted December 10, 1875. Soon afterwards she united with the church with about fifty others converted in the meeting. From the first she became an active worker in the church being especially useful as Sunday school teacher and as Sunday school organist.

Her mother died in 1877. She was married to Rufus K. Gregory December 11, 1906 at Fillmore. Friday morning January 3, about four o'clock she entered into the larger life beyond.

Her father in St. Petersburg Florida, one brother in Oberlin Ohio, and brother in Whittier California beside her husband survive her.

Her father spent a number of years in the itinerant ministry in the Methodist Episcopal church. He was a member of the Missouri Conference. His first work in America was on the Glenwood charge and afterward he served successively on the Savannah Circuit, at Fillmore, Grapah, Rockport, Breckenridge, Kidder, and Hopkins. Upon leaving Hopkins he located and has since lived at Cedar Rapids Nebraska, Maysville Mo. and is now in Florida.

Date of death: 11 Sep 1911

Subject: George Baltz

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Sep 1911, Friday, p. 1

In the orchard on his farm near Rochester the body of Charles [sic] Baltz was found hanging from an apple tree and he had been dead several hours. He had been in ill health and dispondent [sic] over a friend who had committed suicide and without a word he left the house without

⁶ The *Democrat* article ends here.

saying any thing to his wife and ten year old daughter and neither did he leave a note. He was forty-five years old and was comfortably situated financially.

same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Sep 1911, Friday, p. 1

Charles Balty [sic], a well-to-do farmer, living near Rochester hanged himself to a tree in the orchard at his home last Monday morning. He had been in ill health for some time and the fear of losing his mind is said to be his reason for taking his life. He was forty-three [sic] years old and leaves his wife and one daughter.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Sep 1911, Friday, p. 5

Mrs. Geo. Baltz, of near Helena, was in Savannah Monday transacting business with the probate court. She was appointed to administer upon the estate of her husband.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1916

Subject: Ralph T. Bambrough

Source: *Concordia [KS] Press*, 10 Jan 1916, Monday, p. 1

Ralph Bambrough, a fine old gentleman, who has made this city his home for the last five or six years, died at his home at 603 East Eighth street, Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Mr. Bambrough lacked but a few days of being 90 years of age and only last week was down town visiting with his many friends. But for an accident that he met with a couple of years ago when he was run down by a speeding motorcycle, he probably would have lived many more years. Mr. Bambrough was born in England and was 89 years, 11 months and one day old. A short funeral service was held at the home this afternoon conducted by Rev. Wickman and the body will be shipped to Rosendale, Mo., tonight over the Missouri Pacific for burial.

same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 13 Jan 1916, Thursday, p. 8

Ralph Bambrough died at his home in Concordia, Kansas, Sunday at his home at 1:40 p.m. The body was brought to Fillmore for burial yesterday. We have been unable to get a complete story of his life up to going to press but will give it next week.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Jan 1916, Friday, p. 5

Rosendale. The remains of Ralph T. Brambrough [sic] arrived here Tuesday on the morning train from Concordia, Kan., where he died. They were transferred to Fillmore for interment followed by a number of the relatives. Mr. Brambrough [sic] was 84 [sic] years old and a well known personage to most people in the county having lived in the vicinity of Fillmore for many years.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 20 Jan 1916, Thursday, p. 1

Ralph Brambough [sic] was born February 8, 1829 in Blythe county, Northumberland, England, and died Sunday morning January 9, 1916 at his home in Concordia, Kansas, at the age of 86 [sic] years, 11 months and 1 day. He was married to Barbara Richardson on the 28th., day of January, 1855. To this union four [sic] children were born: John G., Ralph T., and Harry B., John G. dying at the early age of 16 months. Mrs. Brambrough [sic] passed away indeath [sic] in Kansas City, May 2, 1909.

He was again united in marriage October 30th., 1909 to Lenora Jones. He has lived about forty years in America and most of the time he had lived east of Fillmore. He leaves his wife and sons, Ralph, of Kansas City, and Harry, of this city and three grandchildren. The funeral services were conducted at the Fillmore M. E. church last Tuesday and interment was in the Fillmore cemetery.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Jan 1916, Friday, p. 5

Fillmore. Ralph Brambough [sic] was born February 8, 1829, in Blythe county, Northumberland, England. He died Sunday, January 9. 1916, in Concordia, Kan., at the ripe old age of 86 years, 11 months and one day [sic]. He was married to Barbara Richardson on the 28th day of January, 1855. To this union were born three children, John George, Ralph Thomas and Harry Bertram. John George died at the age of sixteen months and Mrs. Brambough died in Kansas City May 2, 1909, after fifty-four years of roiling for her home and family. Mr. Brambough was again married, October 30, 1909, to Lenora Jones. He leaves his wife and son Ralph of Kansas City and son Harry of Savannah and three grandchildren. Mr. Brambough lived in America about forty years and most of the time was spent on a farm east of Fillmore. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the M. E. Church and interment was in the Fillmore cemetery.

Date of death: 7 Nov 1907

Subject: Joseph A. Banes

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Forum*, 14 Nov 1907, Thursday, p. 4

There were two deaths in Quitman last Thursday, November 7. [*information about Mrs. Elizabeth Hoyt*] -- Joseph Banes died at 6 p.m., November 7. He was about the same age of Mrs. Holt⁷ and was almost helpless with paralysis the past two years. Mr. Banes was born in Pennsylvania and has lived in Quitman thirty-five years. He was a miller by trade and was employed in the Burnett mill also the Graham and Quitman mills. He was married to Miss Nancy Springs. They have three children living 1 boy and two girls.

Date of death: 12 Nov 1897

Subject: Herman Melville Bangs

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 18 Nov 1897, Thursday, p. 3

Herman M. Bangs departed this life, at his residence, five miles from Elmo, November 12, 1897, aged 29 years, three months and nineteen days, on the same farm and within a few rods of where

⁷ Who was "about eighty-four."

he was born. The funeral services were conducted at the residence last Sabbath, by Charles Beal, the burial taking place at Braddyville. The fatal disease was consumption. He was an estimable young man.

Date of death: 11 Apr 1921

Subject: Joseph M. Bangs

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 14 Apr 1921, Thursday, p. 1

Joseph Bangs, past eighty years of age, died at 3 o'clock Monday morning at his home in Elmo from a paralytic stroke which he suffered a few days before. He had lived in Elmo for a number of years.

Funeral services will be conducted today, and burial will be in the cemetery at Braddyville, Iowa. Mr. Bangs is survived by his widow, one son, Charles Bangs, of Norman, Oklahoma, and a sister, Mrs. Linnie Buck of Hutchinson, Mich.

Date of death: 3 Jul 1886

Subject: infant female Banister

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 9 Jul 1886, Friday, p. 5

Hickory Creek. July 5. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Banister died Saturday night, and was interred in the Clemmens cemetery, yesterday evening. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved parents.

Date of death: 31 May 1910

Subject: John Blagg Banister

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 Jun 1910, Friday, p. 4

Rea. Luther Banister and Mrs. Della Garner of St. Joseph came Tuesday to see their father D. [sic] Banister, but he was dead before they arrived.

Died, at his home in Rea, Blagg Banister, on Tuesday, May 31, 1910, at the age of 72. He had been almost a constant sufferer from Bright's disease for about four years. He leaves a wife, two sons, Luther and Roy, and four daughters, Mesdames Calvert, Allen, Wilcox and Garner, to mourn his departure. The remains were laid to rest in Lower Neely Grove cemetery Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Thus another soldier has gone to his reward.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Jun 1910, Friday, p. 5

From the Whitesville *Banner*. Blagg Banister, one of the best known residents of this part of Andrew county, where he had lived practically all his life, died at his home in Rea Thursday morning after an illness of years. Mr. Banister was a good neighbor, a loyal friend and citizen. While the parting grieves us, let us be thankful that no longer is the feeble body racked by pain, and trust in the infinite mercy of Him who doeth all things well. The obituary follows:

John B. Banister was born in Barry county, Missouri, the first day of October, 1837; was married in Clay county, Missouri, the 17th day of April 1862, to Mary E. Frampton. To this union eleven children were born, seven girls and four boys, of whom five are dead. Those living are Luther of St. Joseph, Roy of Rea, Mrs. Della Garner of St. Joseph, Mrs. Albert Allen of Rea, Mrs. Lucy Wilcox of Marshalltown, Iowa, and Mrs. F. S. Calvert of Heyburn, Idaho.

Date of death: 11 Feb 1901

Subject: William H. Banister

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Feb 1901, Friday, p. 1

William Banister, a laborer, was found dead in a barn at Rea early Monday morning, and the supposition is that he hanged himself during the previous night.

Mr. Banister's mind had been failing for some two or three months, caused, no doubt, by the fact that his wife went crazy about three years ago.

Banister leaves a [sic] three sons and one little daughter.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Feb 1901, Friday, p. 1

Word reached this city Monday that Billy Banister, of Rea, had committed suicide at that place by hanging. The discovery was made by Sam Leese who had gone to his barn to feed his horses. The last seen of the suicide was about 10 o'clock Monday morning when Dr. Myers and Mr. Leese were at the Cobb barn which they had rented. 'Billy,' as he was familiarly called, was at the barn and acted rather strangely, however nothing was thought of his actions at the time. On going to the barn three quarters of an hour afterwards, Mr. Leese was shocked on discovering the dead body swinging by a haltere strap which was fastened to a rafter in the loft overhead. It was plain to be seen that the act was premeditated. The halter strap had been made into a slip noose and the knot was exactly behind the ear. Everything ready, the suicide had tied the strap to the rafter and then swung himself off the hay.

'Billy' has been in hard luck for some time and for the past two months had brooded over his troubles night and day. About two years ago he lost his wife, she having lost her reason prior to her death. She was confined in Asylum Number 2 in St. Joseph and died there. This affliction and hard work was too much for the husband and his mind gave way. He was in forced circumstances at the time of his death, having only \$4.30 in money, aside from a few household goods, this was his only asset.

His fatherly interest in his children was shown by the last act he done [sic] while alive. He had cut and prepared plenty of wood for his children of whom there were four. The ages of the children rang from three to twelve years. The oldest is a girl and is said to be a splendid housekeeper for one so young. The children will find no difficulty in having homes provided for them as we understand that a number of the best people of that section are anxious to care for the little ones. The funeral of Mr. Banister took place in the White graveyard, north of Whitesville, Tuesday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Feb 1901, Friday, p. 8

Rea. Wm. Bannister [sic] committed suicide Monday by hanging himself in Thos. Cobb's barn. He was found by Sam Leese and Dr. Meyers who have the barn rented, about a half an hour after he had been talking with them. The remains were interred in the Clemmens cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. He leaves four children, a girl and three boys, his wife having died two years ago.

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Whitesville. Wm. Banister, who committed suicide in Rea, Monday morning, by hanging himself, was formerly a resident of Whitesville.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette-Herald*, 12 Feb 1901, Tuesday, p. 6

Rea, Mo., Feb. 11. -- William Banister, a laborer, was found dead in a barn early this morning and is supposed to have hanged himself in the night sometime. His mind had been failing for two or three months. Banister leaves three sons and one little daughter. His wife lost her mind about three years ago and this is supposed to be the cause of his losing his mind.

Date of death: 23 Jul 1903

Subject: infant of [Enoch] Albert Banks

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Jul 1903, Friday, p. 8

Amazonia. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks, died Thursday, and was buried Friday in the Greenwich [sic] cemetery.

Date of death: 17 Dec 1876

Subject: John A. Bankus

Source: *The Milan [MO] Republic*, 22 Dec 1876, Friday, p. 3

John Bankus, Jr. died from smallpox last Saturday. The second death in this family from the terrible disease. He lived 8 miles east of town.

Date of death: 8 Dec 1899

Subject: Arminnie Banner

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 15 Dec 1899, Friday, p. 5

Dawson. Minnie Banner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Banner, died at the home of her parents west of Burlington Junction and was buried in the Dawson cemetery, Sunday, at 1 p.m.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 21 Dec 1899, Thursday, p. 2

Minnie Banner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Banner, died December 8, 1899, aged 33 years, 3 months and twenty days. She was born in Ohio, August 18, 1866, and came to his place with her parents in 1882.-- B. J. Post.

Date of death: 13 Oct 1913

Subject: Zachariah W. Banner

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 16 Oct 1913, Thursday, p. 1

Zack Banner died in the hospital at St. Joseph the first of the week after an illness of many years. The body was brought to Burlington Junction on the Burlington passenger train Tuesday forenoon and interment took place at the Dawson cemetery.

same

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 17 Oct 1913, Friday, p. 5

Mr. Dan Banner of Omaha, passed through Elmo Tuesday on his way to Bur. Jct. to attend the funeral of a brother, Zach Banner, who was buried there. Mr. Zach Banner had been in the St. Joseph asylum many years. Both men were uncles of our fellow citizen D. C. Banner.

Same

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 24 Oct 1913, Friday, p. 5

Zach Banner was buried at Dawson, instead of Burlington Jct. as stated last week.

Date of death: 14 Jul 1888

Subject: Abraham Banta

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 26 Jul 1888, Thursday, p. 4

Abraham Banta, a former resident of Jackson township in this county, but latterly of Clinton county, died at the residence of his son, M. T. Banta, in Burlington Junction, on Saturday morning, July 14, 1888, aged 79 years and 3 months, he having been born in Mercer county, Ky., April 15, 1818. His remains were taken to Stewartsville, and laid away Tuesday morning by the side of his wife who died several years ago. One son and four daughters, besides innumerable friends mourn his loss.

Date of death: 16 Mar 1893

Subject: Frank Raymond Bantz

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 02 Mar 1893, Thursday, p. 5

Frank Raymond Bantz, son of John and Jennie Bantz, was born in Grundy county, Mo., May 20, 1881, and died, at the home of his parents in Maryville, Mo., February 23, 1893. He had been afflicted about fifteen months. Raymond was a good boy all his life and the parents and other children of the family loved him very much. He was patient during his long illness, and through the gates of death the freed spirit went sweeping through the skies to its eternal home with the Saviour. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. R. Payne.

*Alone unto our Father's will,
One thought hath reconciled;
That he whose love exceeded ours
Hath taken home his child.*

*Fold him, O Father, in thine arms,
And let him henceforth be
A messenger of love between
Our human hearts and thee.*

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Date of death: 13 May 1898

Subject: Oscar H. Barbee

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 20 May 1898, Friday, p. 1

O. H. Barbee, an old-time resident of Andrew county, died at his home in Union Star last Friday morning.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 May 1898, Friday, p. 1

J. L. Barbee, of Bozeman, Montana, who was called to this county by the death of his father, O. H. Barbee, last week, was in Savannah Monday and made our office a pleasant call.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 May 1898, Friday, p. 8

Again the white winged messenger of death has been amongst us, and called to the spirit land, our well beloved friend and fellow citizen, Oscar H. Barbee.

Mr. Barbee was born in Greencastle, Greene county, Kentucky, April 5, 1830. He died at his home near Union Star, Mo., May 13, 1898. He moved from Kentucky with his parents in the spring of 1847 to Platte county, Mo., where he remained until the year 1856, in which year he was married to Eliza J. Sloan on February 26 and immediately moved to Andrew county, in which county he lived for thirty-seven years, when he removed to Stanberry for the purpose of educating his children, but only lived there for the short period of two years, then he again removed to his old home near Union Star, where he remained until his death. He was the father of eleven children, all of whom are still living.

Mr. Barbee was a devout and consistent member of the Baptist church, in which he has held membership since 1847.-- Union Star Comet.

Date of death: 12 Nov 1923

Subject: Arlan Grigsby Barber

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 13 Nov 1923, Tuesday, p. 1

John [sic] Barber, ten years of age, formerly of Skidmore, died last night at his home in Kansas City, following an illness of typhoid fever and pneumonia. Funeral arrangements have not been made, but the body will be brought to Skidmore tomorrow, to the home of his grandfather, F. C. Barber.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 13 Nov 1923, Tuesday, p. 1

Arlan Barner, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barber of Kansas City died at 9 o'clock last night according to word received today by relatives in Skidmore. The lad had been ill for three weeks of typhoid fever which developed into pneumonia a few days ago. The body will be brought to the home of Mr. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Barber, five miles west of Skidmore, and is expected to arrive tomorrow. Funeral services probably will be held Thursday.

The boy was nine years old and was born near Skidmore. He had always lived there until last March when the family moved to Kansas City. Besides his parents, he is survived by a brother Jack, five years old.

Date of death: 24 Sep 1917

Subject: David Boyer Barber

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 27 Sep 1917, Thursday, p. 1

One of the saddest deaths that has occurred [sic] in this community for many years was that of little David Barber, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Barber, which occurred [sic] at 2 o'clock Monday morning. His death followed a week's illness of infantile paralysis.

David was very popular with all his playmates and was a favorite with everybody in the community. When he became ill everything possible was done for his recovery, but of no avail. He seemed a little improved Sunday evening and the family had hopes that the crisis had passed. The end came so unexpectedly they could hardly realize the child had passed away.

A short service was held at the cemetery, conducted by Rev. Horace S. Weaver, and the remains were lowered to their last resting place.

Date of death: 18 Feb 1913

Subject: Franklin Barber

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 20 Feb 1913, Thursday, p. 1

Franklin Barber, who has been ill for some time of Bright's disease and other complications, died at his home in Parnell Tuesday morning. He had been a resident of the country near Parnell since 1876, having settled on a farm there as soon as he came to Nodaway county in that year, and lived on the same place until a few years ago, when he and his wife moved to town to take things easier.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. W. B. Christy of Maryville. Burial at Parnell.

Franklin Barber was born in Washington county, New York, August 20, 1840 [sic]. He was married March 9, 1871, to Nancy J. Peckenpaugh, at Cherokee, Kan. After residing there five years they took up their residence in Nodaway county. Three children survive with their mother, and are: Mrs. Lafe Cousins of Sheridan, George and James Barber of Parnell.

Date of death: 17 Dec 1884

Subject: Newton H. Barber

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 25 Dec 1884, Thursday, p. 3*

It is with deep regret that the Post announces the death of Newton H. Barber, who died at his home on last Wednesday morning, December 17, 1884, aged 38 years. Mr. Barber was born April 5, 1846, and was married to Miss Huldah Martin, May 20, 1873. He joined the Congregational church at Mendon, Ill., when only fifteen years old. After he came to Nodaway county he united himself with the M. E. church at Burr Oak Grove. He was an enthusiastic Sunday school worker and devoted a great deal of time to organizing Sunday schools. He was a good man, a constant, earnest christian, a loving husband and father, a devoted son and brother and an honest, upright neighbor and citizen-- in short, just such a man as would be most missed in a community and home circle. Our community has lost one of it's [sic] very best men and one that we can ill afford to spare. The deceased leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.--
Burlington Junction Post.

Date of death: 27 Mar 1882

Subject: Nathan B. Barbour

Source: *San Francisco [CA] Chronicle, 02 Apr 1882, Sunday, p. 7*

Nathan Barbour, one of the oldest and most respected pioneers of Solano county, died on the 27th of March at his home. The deceased was born in Cayuga county, N. Y., on the 12th of January, 1813. In 1846 he crossed the plains with ox teams to California, arriving at the banks of Feather river in October. Soon after he made his way with his family to Wolfskill's ranch, and then enlisted in the battalion that Fremont was at the time recruiting, with which he went to Sacramento and served five months. In March, 1847, he went to Sonoma, and in October of the same year took up his abode in Benicia, and in the fall of 1850 he settled in Suisun valley, where he has continuously resided. He leaves a large family and a wide circle of friends to mourn his loss.

Date of death: 11 Feb 1919

Subject: Nancy Jane (Barbre) McKee

Source: *Ravenwood [MO] Gazette, 14 Feb 1919, Friday, p. 1*

Nancy Jane Barbre was born March 16th, 1847, near Springfield, Ill., and died at her home in Ravenwook [sic], Mo., Feb. 11th, 1919, being 71 years, 10 months, and 25 days old.

At the age of nineteen she was united in marriage to Mr. J. S. McKee. To this union were born one son, and five daughters, of whom four daughters are living.

In 1867, deceased, with her husband, moved from Illinois to what is now known as the Dryden farm. On account of her husband's ill health, in 1886, the parents and four daughters moved to Haskell Co., Kans., where they resided for four years. In 1889 they moved to Missouri, to what is now known as the James Hubbell farm, east of town, where they resided until 1902, when they moved to Ravenwood, to the home where the deceased resided until her death.

In the fall of 1874, at the age of 27, Mrs. McKee was converted at a revival meeting held at Platte River Bridge, southwest of Ravenwood, conducted by Father Roof, a Methodist minister. The same night that she was converted she went into the audience and led her husband to Christ. Her conversion was very bright and she had a rich Christian experience. She had a strong faith in Jesus Christ, and believed the Bible as it read.

She died in full triumph of a living faith and during the two weeks of her last sickness, which was full of much suffering, she was never heard to murmur, looking on the bright side, and pointing to a heavenly home. She was conscious to the last, and called her loved ones and bade them good-bye, and exhorted them to meet her in heaven.

The wife and mother leaves to mourn her departure her husband, James S. McKee; four daughters, Mrs. Lucy Hunt of Wolf Point, Montana, Mrs. Ozias Wright, of Ravenwood, Mo.; Mrs. Perry Womack, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Sada McKee of St. Louis. She also leaves eight grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. All of the daughters, and all the grandchildren were with her to the last moment, except three grand-sons, two of whom are in the Navy, and the other is in Montana. Two great-grandchildren were at her bed-side. Two were in Montana, not being present at her death.

Mrs. McKee was stricken helpless with a paralytic stroke on the 25th of January. About five days ago, Pleurisy set in; this choking her lungs, caused her death.

It has been four or five years since she was able to go to church, but she encouraged Brother McKee to go to both Sunday-school and to Church.

She has been a loving wife for fifty-two years. Her loved ones mourn her, and knew that she cannot come back, but that they can go to her. They feel that they can never get over the loss that her death has made.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church, South, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. C. C. Leininger. An unusually large number of friends attended.

Date of death: 20 Oct 1922

Subject: William Henry Bare

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 27 Oct 1922, Friday, p. 1

William H. Bare, a former resident of Nodaway County, was shot and killed by his son Ernest Bare, at their home in Dewsey, Oregon, last Friday when the elder Bare attacked his son with a pitchfork, according to word received here. The coroner's jury, word here says, exonerated Ernest Bare of the death of his father, saying that he had shot in self defense.

Details of the tragedy have not been received by the relatives, most of whom live near Barnard.

The dead man formerly lived near Barnard and left there, going to Oregon some years ago. He had been living with his son until last spring when his wife, from whom he had been separated for about thirty years, went back to Oregon with him following a visit which he made with relatives near Barnard.

The body of Mr. Bare has been shipped to Barnard and is expected to arrive there tomorrow. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, but burial will be in the Barnard cemetery.

The dead man is survived by his wife and his son Ernest, three brothers and four sisters. The brothers and sisters are John Bare, southeast of Barnard; Owen Bare, Idaho Falls, Ida.; Andy Bare, Barnard; Mrs. Mary Richards, east of Barnard; Mrs. Adeline Hubbell, southeast of Barnard; and Mrs. Isabel Dougan, who lives in Wyoming.

Mr. Bare was about 53 years old.

Date of death: 6 Feb 1913

Subject: Felix Green Barger

Source: *The [Spokane WA] Spokesman*, 14 Feb 1913, Friday, p. 8

Colfax, Wash.-- Felix G. Barger, aged 75, a pioneer of Colfax, was buried here February 9. The Odd Fellows conducted the services at the grave. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. W. Ripley, of pneumonia. Mr. Barger came to Colfax from Oregon, and has been a member of the Odd Fellows lodge for 35 years. Mrs. Barger died at Colfax in 1903. The children who survive are: Gifford Barger of Starbuck, James Barger of Tacoma, John Barger of LaCrosse, Marion Barger of Seattle, J. F. Barger of St. Joe, Idaho, Lester L. Barger of Medicine Hat, Canada; Mrs. T. W. Ripley and Mrs. Ernest Kincaid, both of Colfax.

Date of death: 19 Jun 1898

Subject: Gilford Preston Barger

Source: *The [Portland] Oregonian*, 23 Jun 1898, Thursday, p. 6

Preston Barger died at his home, near Harrisburg, Sunday, aged 82.

Same

Source: *The Albany [OR] Democrat*, 24 Jun 1898, Friday, p. 3

Mr. Preston Barger, a highly respected pioneer citizen of Linn county, died yesterday morning, June 20, at his home at Harrisburg, at the age of 70 years.

Date of death: 9 Apr 1916

Subject: Louisa Anzella (Barger) Barlow

Source: *Lincoln Nebraska State Journal*, 11 Apr 1916, Tuesday, p. 2

Auburn, Neb., April 10.-- Mrs. Louisa Anzella [sic] Barlow, eighty-five years old, died at her home in this city Sunday. Her aged husband was at her bedside during her illness.

Date of death: 29 Aug 1912

Subject: Lydia J. (Barrier or Berier) Herbert

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 12 Sep 1912, Thursday, p. 4

Lydia J. Berier, nee [sic] Herbert, who died at her home in Denver, Col., on Thursday, August 29, 1912, was born in [sic] September 30, 1844, on a farm near Valparaiso, Ind. When an infant her father died. In 1858 her mother married John M. Churchill. They moved to Oregon, Mo., and in 1868 moved to Whig Valley, near Graham, Mo.

In 1861, the family came to Maryville, where the subject of this sketch remained until seven years ago, when she and her husband, W. W. Herbert, went to Denver, Col., to make their home with their son, William Herbert. Mrs. Herbert was married to her husband in 1870. He conducted a photograph gallery in Maryville for many years. Two sons were born to them, William J. and Edward, the latter dying when 6 weeks old.

Those who are left to mourn her death are her invalid husband, their son, Will J. Herbert, a half-sister, Mrs. Mathias Lahr of Maryville, and two half-brothers, Hiram G. Churchill of Enid, Okla., and John N. Churchill of Sheridan, Wyo.

Mrs. Herbert united with the First M. E. church of Maryville in 1868 and lived true to her profession. The funeral services were held at the home, 2429 Glenarm place, Denver. Miss Clara Sawyer, formerly of St. Joseph, a well known singer in Denver, sang several numbers. Among the beautiful floral offerings was a piece made of china asters that covered the top of the casket, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Wilsley, formerly of Nodaway county.

Mrs. Herbert had been in poor health for a long time, and her death was not unexpected.

Date of death: 13 Jun 1892

Subject: Daniel W. Baringer

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 23 Jun 1892, Thursday, p. 5

That noble old patriarch, Daniel Baringer, departed this life at his home, near Barnard, Nodaway county, Mo., on Monday June 13, 1892. Deceased was a native of Germany, having been born in Wurtemberg on April 9, 1809. In 1816 he came to this country, landing in New Orleans. In 1818 Mr. Baringer came to Louisville, Kentucky, where during the year 1829 he married Miss Rebecca Lovier. They were blessed with twelve children, six sons and six daughters, Daniel, John J., Nimrod, William, Alpheus, Catherine, Caroline, Elizabeth, Martha Jane and Josephine survive him. James died while in the army and Laura was killed by the falling of a tree in Indiana. In 1869 Mr. Baringer with his family moved to Nodaway county, Mo., and settled upon

a farm, where he has resided ever since his advent into the county. He was a Mason and a member of the M. E. church. He was buried in Platte Valley cemetery, with Masonic services.-- Barnard Rustler.

Date of death: 28 Aug 1920

Subject: James W. Baringer

Source: *Great Falls [MT] Tribune, 29 Aug 1920, Sunday, p. 7*

James W. Baringer, aged 42 years, a Great Northern switchman, residing at 411 Fourth avenue south, died yesterday afternoon. The body will be forwarded from the W. H. George company chapel to Guilford, Mo., tomorrow for burial.

Date of death: 2 Oct 1908

Subject: Rosa Belle (Baringer) Laughlin

Source: *Stanberry [MO] Owl, 01 Dec 1908, Tuesday, p. 10*

Rosie Belle Baringer was born in Nodaway county, Mo., Jan. 27, 1875. Died Oct. 2, 1908, in Dundy county, Nebr., Aged 33 years, 8 months and 5 days.

She professed Christ when 19 years of age and united with the Christian church at Bedison, Mo., but later united with the Methodist church at Bethel, Mo. And in February 1908, she withdrew her letter from Bethel class and united with the Methodist church of Griffith glass, in Dundy county, Nebraska, of which she remained a consistant [sic] member until her death. She was of a kind and loving disposition, which won for her many friends, wherever she went.

She leaves to mourn her loss, a mother, three sisters, two brothers, a husband and three children.

Deceased was united in marriage with J. D. Laughlin, of Nodaway county, Mo., February 10, 1901. To this union four children were born-- William Crawford, Lela Susan, Ethel Mildred, and an infant son, who has gone to rest clasped in its mother's arms upon her breast.

The remains were brought to Guilford, Mo., Oct. 5, for burial and there laid to rest in the Guilford cemetery.

Date of death: 26 Dec 1905

Subject: William B. Baringer

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 28 Dec 1905, Thursday, p. 4*

J. W. [sic] Barringer [sic] of Southeast Washington township died Tuesday evening. He had been sick only about a week. He was a son-in-law of Robert Campbell of Guilford.

Same

Source: *The Clyde [MO] Times, 29 Dec 1905, Friday, p. 1*

Wm Barringer [sic] an old gentleman living ten miles southeast of town died at his home Tuesday after a brief illness of pneumonia. The funeral too [sic] place at Guilford Thursday.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 11 Jan 1906, Thursday, p. 5

William Baringer was born in Jackson county, Indiana, September 23, 1843. He was united in married to Susan E. Campbell in Maryville, Mo., September 12, 1872, and to this union six children were born, all of whom, together with his wife, survive to mour [sic] his loss. He was converted and joined the M. E. church, South, in 1898, and lived a consistent Christian life until his death, December 26, 1905. He enlisted in Co. B. 82nd Regt. Of Indiana Inf. Vol. August 14, 1862. He participated at Mission Ridge, Antetian [sic] and many other fights. He was honorable discharged from [*one line missing*].

Date of death: 17 Feb 1891

Subject: Alexis W. Bariteau

Source: *Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 21 Feb 1891, Saturday, p. 8

Dr. A. W. Bariteau, died suddenly of heart failure on the morning of the 17th inst. He had been feeling unwell for a week preceding his death, but his condition was not thought serious.

The deceased was born at Martinsburgh, New York, on May 10th, 1835. He received an academical education in the schools of his native town, studied medicine at Brooklyn, N. Y., graduated at the Long Island Medical College of that place in the year 1860, was married to Miss Ardelia E. Shumway in West Martinsburgh, N. Y., on the 18th day of February, 1861. The 18th day of February, 1891, being the 30th anniversary of their marriage. During their residence of four years in West Martinsburgh, two children were born to them-- Alice Isabella, (Mrs. F. H. Smith) born July 1, 1863, and Earnest Lester, September 15, 1869. He enlisted in company I, 5th New York regiment, heavy artillery, on the 20th day of August, 1862, and served during the war. At the close of the war he was commissioned as a mustering out officer, with the rank of First Lieutenant. Coming west in 1870 he stopped at Maryville, Missouri, but in the spring of 1878 he located to Oberlin, engaged in the drug business in connection with his brother, at the same time commenced the practice of his profession.

The deceased was a prominent Royal Arch Mason and was the first Master of the Masonic lodge at this place, helping to organize in June 1879.

The first county office that he filled was that of county surveyor. He was elected Mayor of Oberlin in 1886, was, in the same year, appointed local surgeon of the B. & M. R. R. at this point and was U. S. examining surgeon, previous to the organization of the Board of Surgeons, after such organization, he was appointed Secretary of the board. He was Chairman of the board of County Commissioners at the time of his death, having served the county faithfully in this capacity one term before.

The deceased had a host of warm friends, his amiable disposition, at all times, strengthened the friendship of those who had made his acquaintance. He merited and enjoyed an excellent reputation in his chosen profession of medicine, was public spirited as a citizen and the relations of the deceased have the unfeigned sympathy of this community in this, their hour of

bereavement. The burial services will be under the auspices of the Masonic Lodge of this place, of which he was an honored member.-- *Oberlin, (Kansas) Herald*.

Date of death: 7 Mar 1904

Subject: Tabeta (Barkemeyer) Stalling

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat, 24 Mar 1904, Thursday, p. 8*

Tabate [sic] Barkmeyer [sic] was born in Bergelorf, Oldenburg, Germany, May 2, 1836, and departed this life March 7, 1904, at the home of her son, four miles northeast of Barnard, aged 67 years. She was married to Christian F. Stalling April 14, 1857. To this union were born six sons and two daughters, all of whom now live in this country except one daughter who died in Germany in 1895.

Date of death: Dec 1903

Subject: Albert C. Barker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune, 24 Dec 1903, Thursday, p. 1*

E. C. [sic] Barker, who died at his home in Cripple Creek, Colorado, and was buried at his former home in Elmo Sunday, was a son of Daniel Barker, one of the Elmo cyclone victim. Funeral services were conducted from the Methodist church at Elmo and were held under the auspices of the Masons, and the body interred in the Odd Fellows cemetery. Mr. Barker's mother, widow of Daniel Barker, sold her home place at Elmo and moved to Cripple Creek only recently, so she did not return for the funeral. Mrs. Emma Colvin, a sister of the deceased, is the only relative left in Elmo.

Daniel Barker, father of E. C. Barker, died of heart disease brought on by the excitement incident to the Elmo cyclone.

Date of death: 21 Nov 1901

Subject: Benjamin H. Barker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune, 28 Nov 1901, Thursday, p. 12*

Dr. Benjamin H. Barker, well known in the western part of Nodaway county, died at his home at Burlington Junction about 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon of Bright's disease and blood poisoning, and was buried at the Dawson cemetery at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Dr. Barker was for years in business at Dawson, but for the last two or three years had lived at Burlington Junction, going from there a month or so ago to Elmo, where he entered the employ of the Elmo Drug Co., a new enterprise just starting up here.

He went to his home in Burlington Junction last Friday, being ill and unable to work, and died there the following Thursday.

Dr. Barker was born in Leeds, Canada, in 1849. He leaves a wife and six children.

Date of death: 26 May 1903

Subject: Daniel Lewis Barker

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 28 May 1903, Thursday, p. 1

In the worst cyclone that has ever wrought destruction in any part of northwestern Missouri, the little town of Elmo, in Lincoln township, this county, twenty-two miles west of Maryville on the Wabash railroad, had a close shave from total annihilation shortly after 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The giant twister came and went in less than a minute. Without the slightest warning an ominous, black, lowering cloud came rushing out of the southwest and set its spinal column of destruction down toward the earth.

[More information about the storm and other casualties.]

Daniel C. [sic] Barker, retired farmer. Mr. Barker was standing in the path of the cyclone and, though the storm did not injure him, he died of fright-- heart failure-- when he saw it approaching. He leaves an invalid widow, who is in a very critical condition, and who probably will not survive the terrible news of his death. Besides her he leaves two children.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 11 Jun 1903, Thursday

From the Elmo Register we gather the following biographical details concerning those killed at that place by the cyclone of May 26, 1903:

Daniel L. Barker

Was born in North Carolina July 10, 1832, While quite young he moved with his parents to Indiana, and from there to Wapello county, Iowa, in 1853. Was married to Miss Martha Majors [sic] November 17, 1854, at Kirksville, Iowa. No [sic] this union were born five children, three of whom survive him-- Mrs. W. M. Guthrie of Woodward, Okla.; Albert C. Barker of Cripple Creek, Colo.; Mrs. Robert Colvin of Elmo.

He was converted and united with the M. E. church at Kirksville in 1866 and was a faithful worker and servant of God. He moved his family to Ringgold county, Iowa, and resided there five years, and while there he heard and answered the call of his country to help put down the rebellion; he enlisted and served three years. He then returned to Kirksville, Iowa, where he resided until 1869, when he moved to Nodaway county, Mo., where he lived until May 26, 1903, when he died suddenly of apoplexy.

Date of death: 23 Dec 1911

Subject: Emeline E. (Barker) Mabry

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 29 Dec 1911, Friday, p. 1

Miss E. E. Barker was born in North Carolina April 12th 1834 and passed away on Dec. 23 1911 at the age of 77 years 8 months and 11 days.

She moved with her parents to Indiana at the age of 4 years. She united with the Baptist Church at the age of 14. They moved to Iowa in 1852. There she was united in marriage to S. S. Mabry Oct. 20th, 1852. To this union 6 children were born all of whom are living.

She was a kind and loving mother.

One son Perry Mabry in Montana was unable to be present. Two daughters Mrs. Anna Shoemaker and Mrs. J. A. Darrow and one son I. N. Mabry live in Kansas. Mrs. J. A. Darrow was unable to be present on account of sickness.

Two daughters Mrs. W. I. Colvin and Mrs. S. Carver living near Elmo.

Her husband preceded her, on January 2, 1896.

She united with the Christian Church in 1896 of which she was a member at the time of her death.

Funeral Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the M. E. Church South, sermon by the pastor Rev. J. R. Campbell and burial at Oddfellows cemetery west of town.

Deceased was a sister of the late D. L. Barker, and lived at Topeka, Kansas. She was here on a visit with her children when stricken, and died at the home of Sumner Carver, a son in law, living northeast of Elmo.

Date of death: 23 Jan 1918

Subject: Josephine (Barker) Suddarth

Source: [David City NE] *The People's Banner*, 31 Jan 1918, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Clyde Suddarth died Thursday at her home near Rising City. Mrs. Suddarth will be remembered by her many friends in David City as Miss Josephine Barker of Rising City.

Date of death: 22 Jul 1921

Subject: James W. Barkley

Source: *The Manhattan [KS] Daily News*, 22 Jul 1921, Friday, p. 1

James W. Barkley aged 58 years passed away this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James F. Adee, 1811 Humboldt St. The remains will be shipped to Minneapolis for burial.

Date of death: 3 Aug 1922

Subject: George R. Barks

Source: *Worth County [MO] Tribune*, 09 Aug 1922, Wednesday, p. 1

Sheridan. George Barks died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Caudle, near Gaynor, Thrusday [sic] morning following an illness of several months. He was past 88 years of age. Funeral services were held at Gaynor church and buried in the Sheridan cemetery. He leaves a

son, Noah Barks of Bedford, and a daughter, Mrs. Emma Hundley of Potter, Kan., and three daughters here, Mrs. Jennie Bruner, Mrs. Ella Allison and Mrs. Fred Caudle.

Date of death: 30 Nov 1897

Subject: Clarence Cornelius Barman

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 03 Dec 1897, Friday, p. 1

Died. Clarence Cornelius, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Barmann, at their residence in Savannah, Mo., on Tuesday, November 30, 1897, at 6 o'clock a. m., of congestion of the brain, aged 7 months and 28 days.

The funeral services were held at the residence of the parents of the deceased infant at 10 o'clock yesterday morning by the Rev. Father Phillip, and the remains were interred in the Savannah cemetery in the presence of a large number of the friends of the family. The pall-bearers were Masters Urban Uppenkamp, William and Arthur Schosser [sic] and Ardery Hudgens.

Fate has been unspeakably cruel to Mr. and Mrs. Barmann. In recent years two children had been torn from their loving arms by death and embarked upon the shoreless sea of eternity. This beautiful babe came to cheer their loneliness, and now, after a few short months, death has set its seal upon his lips and his eyes are closed forever. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Herald*, 09 Dec 1897, Thursday p. 9 and *St. Joseph [MO] Herald*, 03 Dec 1897, Friday, p. 5

Savannah, Mo., Dec. 2-- The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bauman [sic] took place from their residence yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father Philip of Conception conducted the services. The remains were interred [sic] in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 8 Mar 1919

Subject: Frankie Bethine Barman

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 10 Mar 1919, Monday, p. 5

Miss F. Bethine Barman died Saturday in Excelsior Springs, following a brief illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barman, 921 Green street. The body arrived here yesterday and was taken to the home of the parents. Besides the parents she is survived by three sisters and one brother: Mrs. W. S. Diller, Mrs. A. A. Schaefer, and Mrs. H. G. Rix of St. Joseph, and M. L. Barman, with the American army in Germany. The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the home. Burial will be private.

Date of death: 2 Sep 1906

Subject: Charles A. Barmann

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 04 Sep 1906, Tuesday, p. 1

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barmann's 3-months-old babe, which died Sunday morning at the parents' home at Arko, was buried in Maryville Tuesday morning.

Date of death: 29 Aug 1923

Subject: Charles Joseph Barmann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Aug 1923, Friday, p. 1

Funeral services for Charles J. Barmann will be held at the Catholic church tomorrow, Saturday morning, at 9:30.

He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barmann, who live south of Savannah. He was 29 years and 5 months old. Besides his parents he leaves two sisters, Miss Pearl at home and Mrs. A. H. Zimmerman, who will reach here from Tampa, Florida, today.

Date of death: 30 Nov 1897

Subject: Clarence Cornelius Barmann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 3 Dec 1897, Friday, p. 1

Died. On Tues, Nov. 30, 1897, at 6 a.m., of congestion of the brain, Clarence Cornelius, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Barmann, aged 7 months and 28 days. The funeral services took place from the residence, on Thursday morning at 10 a.m., conducted by Rev. Father Philip.

Date of death: 4 Aug 1913

Subject: George B. Barmann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

George B. Barmann died at the home of his parents J. W. Barmann and wife south of Savannah Monday morning at the age of twenty-nine years. He had been an invalid for many years and his death was not unexpected. The funeral was held at the Catholic church Wednesday morning and the remains placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 08 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

George B. Barmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Barmann, living south of town, died in St. Joseph Monday, aged 29 years, 4 months, 21 days.

The remains were brought here and after services at the Catholic church at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, were interred in Savannah cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

George B. Barmann, aged 29 years, 4 months and 21 days, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barmann, south of Savannah, at 11 a.m., Monday, August 4th. Funeral services

were conducted from the Catholic church in this city Wednesday morning and interment was at Savannah cemetery.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 11 Aug 1913, Monday p. 8

Savannah, Mo., Aug 10.—George B. Barmann, 29 years old, died Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barmann, south of Savannah. He was buried Wednesday.

Date of death: 18 Jul 1895

Subject: Lillian Marie Barmann

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 19 Jul 1895, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- In Savannah, Mo., at 6:40 p.m., Thursday July 19, 1895, of intestinal fever, Lillian Marie, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Barman, aged 2 years and 24 days.

*'Early, bright, transient, chaste as morning dew,
She sparkling, was exhal'd, and went to heaven.'*

The funeral will take place from the Catholic church tomorrow, Saturday morning, at 8:30.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Jul 1895, Friday, p. 8

Died, Lillian Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Barman [sic], at their residence, on July 18, 1895, at 6:40 p.m., aged 2 years and 24 days. The funeral took place from the Catholic church in this city on Saturday, July 20, at 8:30 a.m. Father Anselm, of St. Mary's church, Maryville, conducted the funeral ceremonies.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Herald*, 21 Jul 1895, p. 7

Savannah, Mo., July 20.—Died—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bannam [sic], Thursday, July 18, 1895, Lillian Marie Bannam, aged 2 year and 24 days. The funeral took place from the Catholic church, Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Anselm of Maryville preached the funeral.

Date of death 14 Nov 1896

Subject: Marie "Rhea" Barmann

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 19 Nov 1896, Thursday, p. 5

Rhea, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmann, died Saturday night, of diphtheria. She was ill but two days. She was between four and five years of age. The symphathy [sic] of the entire community goes out to the parents and family. The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the family residence by Fr. Anselm

Date of death: 13 Feb 1908

Subject: William F. Barmann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Feb 1908, Friday, p. 1

Died at his residence six miles south of Savannah at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, William F. Barman [sic], aged 63 years, 10 months and 26 days. The funeral took place from the Christian church in Savannah at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 15, Rev. A. R. Hunt officiating. Interment in cemetery here.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 21 Feb 1908, Friday, p. 4

William F. Barman [sic] died at his home south of Savannah, Thursday, February 13th, at the age of 63 years, 10 months and 26 days. The funeral services were held at the Christian church, Saturday, conducted by Rev. A. R. Hunt and the interment took place in Savannah cemetery.

Deceased was long a resident of this county, was widely known and was honored and respected by all who knew him.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 21 Feb 1908, Friday, p. 4

Died.

At his residence, six miles south of Savannah at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, February 13, 1908, William F. Barmann, aged 63 years, 10 months and 26 days. Funeral services were conducted from the Christian church in this city Saturday afternoon by Rev. Goode, of St. Joseph and interment was at Savannah cemetery.

Mr. Barmann was born at Chillicothe, Ohio, March 17, 1844, and came to Andrew county in 1872. In 1878 he was married to Laura Cobb and to this union eight children were born, all of whom with their mother survive him. Mr. Barmann has lived on the farm where he died ever since coming to this county, with the exception of one year, and was one of our foremost citizens.

Besides his wife and children he leaves two brothers, Neal, of this city, and Martin, of St. Joseph, to mourn his loss.

The following out-of-town relatives attended the funeral services Saturday: Chas. and Fred Barmann, cousins, of Maryville, and Martin Barmann and daughters of St. Joseph.

Date of death: 27 Jan 1909

Subject: Horace Glenn Basford

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 28 Jan 1909, Thursday, p. 2

Horace Glenn, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Basford, died Wednesday at the home of W. A. Daggett of pneumonia. The babe was 6 months and twenty-three days old. Funeral services

will be held at 2 o'clock p.m. Thursday, January 28, at the First Baptist church. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Basford is at Denver, Colo., they having been in Maryville the past six weeks visiting Mrs. Basford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daggett.

Date of death: 26 Feb 1899

Subject: John W. Basford

Source: *King City [MO] Democrat*, 01 Mar 1899, Friday, p. 1

John Basford died at his home in East Maryville about 11 o'clock, Tuesday night, Feb. 26, of pneumonia, at the age of 38 years. Deceased leaves a wife and four children, the younger of which, is but two years old. John Basford was at one time, a resident of King City, being engaged in the barbering business. He has a number of friends at this place, who will be sorry to learn of his death. He had been sick for but one short week and before bidding his sorrowing relatives good-bye, he made absolute confession of faith, was baptized and finally received the last rites of the Catholic church, from which he was buried.

Date of death: 13 May 1895

Subject: Jonathan S. Basford

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 16 May 1895, Thursday, p. 4

J. S. Basford, of old Sweet Home vicinity, one of the oldest settlers of Nodaway county, died at his home Monday, May 13, 1895, and was buried Tuesday in Sweet Home cemetery. He was almost 84 years old.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1910

Subject: Margaret Minerva (Basford) Vaughn Smith

Source: *Ravenwood [MO] Gazette*, 14 Jan 1910, Friday, p. 1

Margaret M. Basford was born near Paris, Edgar Co., Ill., Jan. 1, 1842. Died at her home in Ravenwood, Mo., Jan. 9, 1910; aged 68 years and 8 days.

She was married to J. S. Vaughn, at Clinton, Iowa, in 1858. To this union were born two children: Geo. K., now living in Los Angeles, Cal., and Emma, who died in infancy. Mr. Vaughn died Aug. 28, 1863.

On Feb. 23, 1868 she was married to Benton Smith, at Sweet Home, Mo. Seven children were born to this union, three of whom have preceded their mother in death. The four children living are, Oliver E. of Ravenwood, Mrs. T. M. Curry of Hillsdale, Wyo., Lourinda M. and J. J. of Ravenwood, who, with their father are left to mourn their loss. She also leaves four sisters and one brother, Mrs. Henry Little, of Decatur City, Iowa, Mrs. M. A. Miller of Clearmont, Iowa, (who had been with her the past few weeks,) Mrs. H. J. Walden of Wakefield, Neb., Mrs. Phoebe Jones of Sidney, Col., and D. E. Basford of Omaha, Neb.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Campbell of the Methodist church of Darlington, Mo., Monday afternoon at 2:00, at the residence, after which, the remains were laid to rest in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

For the past twelve years, the deceased has been an invalid, and during the past two years has been unable to leave her home, but during all this time, no word of complaint or murmuring was ever heard to escape her lips, this being a marvel [sic] to all who knew her afflictions, and the writer can truthfully testify to the many lessons learned by association with this good woman.

She often expressed herself as being willing to go to a world where sufferings are no more, she was surrounded by a glorious sunset, and when the death dew was dampening her brow, she was watched over by loving hearts, and cared for by willing hands, that had during all these years, been ever ready to administer to her wants.

She was a noble woman, a kind and indulgent wife and mother, a friend in sickness and distress, and a genial, desirable neighbor. Her death is sad, causing deepest sorrow to all who knew her, and who came in touch with her every-day life.

'Up Yonder,' thru' the pearly gates of heaven, on the banks of the beautiful stream of life, amid the bowers which she loved so well, and which were in evidence on her casket, as the last token that loving friends could do for her, may this wife, this mother, this friend, dwell in the home of the Friend in whom she trusted, and watch with maternal love, the footsteps of her dear ones, until they shall lead to gates ajar, to again be united for all time to come, around the throne of mercy.

The writer joins with the entire community, in expressions of deepest sorrow and sympathy for the bereaved family.

A Friend.

Date of death: [Jan] 1881

Subject: Rosetta R. Basford

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 20 Jan 1881, Thursday, p. 4

Jackson Township. Miss Etta Basford, grand-daughter of J. S. Basford, of Sweet Home, departed this life recently, aged eighteen years.

Date of death: 26 May 1904

Subject: James H. Bashaw

Source: *The [Maysville MO] Republican Pilot*, 02 Jun 1904, Thursday, p. 5

James H. Bashaw was born in Kentucky June 15, 1834, died May 26, 1904. The funeral services were conducted by Elder Wm. Turnage May 27, 1904 at the Shomas [sic] Smith cemetery near Fairport, Mo. in 1856 [sic]; was married to Sarah Francis [sic] Smith, January 10, 1860. To this union 10 children were born, 8 of whom are still living. Mr. Bashaw had been a church member ever since he was a young man. He had been in poor health for the last 10 years and death came to him as relief from his suffering. Mrs. Bashaw and family have the sympathy of all their neighbors and friends. Only a few more years of waiting and working and then we will meet our loved ones where we'll 'never say good bye'. W. T.

Date of death: 24 Aug 1907

Subject: William M. Bashaw

Source: *The [Maysville MO] Republican Pilot*, 29 Aug 1907, Thursday, p. 8

Fairport. Wm. Bashaw was laid to rest Sunday at 2 o'clock in the Smith cemetery west of town.

Date of death: 10 Jan 1911

Subject: Agnes Rebecca (Bashor) Brown

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Jan 1911, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Agnes Brown, wife of Dr. W. I. Brown of this city, died Tuesday at 2 a.m. with peritonitis. She had been sick for about five weeks and was taken to St. Joseph to the hospital last week but grew gradually worse. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bashor, who live west of Union Star and the remains were taken there and on Wednesday the funeral was preached at the Empire Prairie church. There were ten in the family and she leaves nine brothers and sisters. Mrs. Brown was a lovable Christian woman and during her four years residence in Savannah she has made many friends and admirers who mourn with her relatives. She would have been thirty years old in February and had been married six years. She was a genuine good woman and will be greatly missed. The following from Savannah attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kirtley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Miller, Mrs. J. P. Gillispie, Mrs. J. L. Merritt, Mrs. Wirt Ball, Miss Natalia and Willie Mack, Miss Hazel Miller and Frank Simpson. Mrs. Brown is the only member of the Eastern Star lodge who has died within the past seven years.

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Dr. W. I. Brown left this week for Webster, Kansas, to spend a week with his brother Dr. Walter Brown.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Jan 1911, Friday, p. 5

Empire Prairie. Amanda Guest was called to St. Joseph Tuesday by the death of her sister Mrs. Aggie Brown at Ensworth hospital.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 13 Jan 1911, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. W. I. Brown, wife of Dr. Brown, dentist, of this city, died in St. Joseph Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock in the Ensworth hospital following an operation. Mrs. Brown had not been in good health for some time and the operation was undertaken as a last resort. It was performed last Friday.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock p.m., at Union Star Wednesday.

Dr. Brown, who is himself awaiting an operation, has the deepest sympathy of our people here.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 13 Jan 1911, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Dr. W. I. Brown died at Ensworth hospital last Tuesday morning of peritonitis. She had been a sufferer for several weeks, and was taken to the hospital Friday and was operated on. The remains were shipped to Union Star and taken to the home of her father, J. S. Bashor, near Flag Springs. The funeral services were conducted from the Empire Prairie Presbyterian church at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and the remains were interred in the cemetery nearby.

The following from this city attended the funeral: J. C. Kirtley and wife, John K. White and wife, Roy Miller and wife, Mrs. W. T. Fling, Mrs. John Merritt, Mrs. J. P. Gillispie, Frank Simpson and Will and Tolle Mack.

Mrs. Brown was born in this county and was married to Dr. Brown about five years ago. She was one of a family of nine children and is the first one to pass to the land beyond.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Jan 1911, Friday, p. 4

Flag Springs. The funeral of Mrs. Aggie Bashor Brown at Empire last Wednesday was attended by a good many from this place.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 10 Jan 1911, p. 6

Agnes R. Brown, twenty-nine years old, wife of Dr. W. I. Brown of Savannah, died at 4 o'clock this morning, of peritonitis, at a hospital here. The body will be taken to Union Star, Mo., for burial.

Date of death: 24 Aug 1902

Subject: Ernest Monroe Bashor

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Aug 1902, Friday, p. 4

Whitesville. There was a funeral here both Sunday and Monday. Sunday the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bashor, living north of town was buried. Monday Grandma White, mother of Wm. White, living about six miles south of town was buried. Brother Kearby preached both funerals.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 05 Sep 1902, Friday, p. 5

From the Whitesville *Banner*. Little Ernest Monroe Bashor, youngest son of John and Etta Bashor, was born Feb. 7, 1900, died Aug. 24, 1902, aged 2 years, 6 months and 17 days.

Date of death: 12 Apr 1887

Subject: Franklin F. Bashor

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Apr 1887, Friday, p. 3

Longmont, Colorado, Ledger.

Died. At his home about four miles west of town, on Tuesday afternoon, April 12th, Mr. Frank Bashor, in the fortieth year of his age.

Mr. Bashor has been in poor health for several months and there were some features of his case that puzzled the physicians who had visited him. For the satisfaction of his relatives as well as the doctors, an autopsy was held on Wednesday afternoon at which were present Drs. Topliff, Stradley and Ross, which demonstrated the fact that the direct cause of his death was malignant cancer of the liver, a disease which his physicians had suspected for some time previous. The liver was enormously enlarged, and crowded the heart entirely out of its natural position. It seems quite remarkable, that with the liver increased to such a size, that the doctors who were present at the autopsy estimated its weight at not less than twenty pounds, Mr. Bashor should have kept about the greater part of the time, and even rode to this city only a few days before his death. He leaves a wife and one child, besides father and mother, six brothers and one sister, all of whom desire to express through the Ledger their sincere thanks for the numerous acts of kindness so freely performed by their neighbors, and the tender sympathy during their season of sickness.

Date of death: 13 Apr 1888

Subject: Henry Bashor

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Apr 1888, Friday, p. 5

Hickory Creek. April 9. Henry Bashor is very low with kidney disease. He is very old, and is fast becoming a wreck, both mentally and physicaly [sic].

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Apr 1888, Friday, p. 1

Hickory Creek. April 16. Henry Bashor died April 13, 1888. The deceased was born in Pennsylvania December 10, 1803. His parents removed to Rockingham county, Virginia, while he was yet young, and from there to Washington county, Tennessee, early in the twenties. By his first wife twelve children were born, eight of whom are living. He removed to Missouri in October, 1865, and purchased a large amount of property. This wife died in September, 1866. During 1877 he erected the mill at Whitesville, which is at present owned and operated by J. Hobson & Sons. In 1874 he united in marriage with Mrs. Barbara Price, of Clinton county, this State, who survives him.

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Whitesville. April 16. The body of Henry Bashor was interred in the cemetery, Saturday. Mr. Bashor lived to a ripe old age.

Date of death: 8 May 1892

Subject: infant sons of John Bashor

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 3 Jun 1892, Friday, p. 8

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bashor, near Terry Lake, Colorado, May 8, triplets-- two boys and a girl. The two boys have since died.

Date of death: 28 Jul 1910

Subject: John Schorn Bashor

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 15 Jul 1910, Friday, p. 5

Whitesville Banner. We are sorry to learn that J. S. Bashor, who has been ill for some time, is [not] improving. Dr. Larrabee, of Barnard, has been called to see him.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 05 Aug 1910, Friday, p. 4

Crockett. J. S. Bashor was born April 17, 1856, in Eastern Tennessee. In 1865 he came to Missouri with his parents, who located on the Bashor farm, two miles north of Whitesville. Here Mr. Bashor lived till he was called to leave this world for the beautiful beyond, July 28, 1910. He was married July 8, 1877, to Miss Julia Etta Wilson. To this union were born four children, three boys and one girl. Two of the boys, Willie and Ernest, preceded their father to the better preceded [sic] their father to the better land. Oscar resides on the home farm and Mrs. Berlie Bickford, his daughter, lives in Mondak, Montana. Mr. Bashor was the youngest of twelve children. Besides leaving his wife and two children, he leaves three brothers and one sister to mourn his departure. They are J. B. Bashor of Santa Anna, California, S. C. Bashor of Jamestown, Colorado, S. H. Bashor of Waterloo, Iowa, and Mrs. I. N. Taylor of Mount Morris, Illinois. He also leaves two grandchildren and many other relatives and friends. About fourteen years ago he united with the German Baptist Church. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Riggs at the Baptist Church July 31, 1910, where a great number of his neighbors and friends gathered to extend their sympathy to the bereaved ones and to assist them in laying him in his last resting place. With the death of Mr. Bashor the children and wife have lost a kind and loving father and husband, the neighbors a good neighbor, and the community an excellent citizen, and one who will be greatly missed by all. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of all.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 12 Aug 1910, Friday, p. 5

Whitesville Banner. After suffering for many weeks from an affection of the kidneys J. S. Bashor passed away at his home Northeast of town, Thursday evening, July 28.

Mr. Bashor was fifty four years old and had lived in this immediate neighborhood the greater portion of his life. We know of no higher eulogy than to repeat what was universally said of him when his death was announced 'He was a good man.' Quiet, unassuming, a good neighbor, a true friend and a high-midded [sic], patriotic citizen, our deceased friend's influence for good will live after him. His death is a distinct loss to the community, and we all sympathize with the bereaved ones.

Date of death: 30 Jun 1904

Subject: Louisa J. (Bashor) Williams

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 8 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 4

Crockett. Mrs. I. N. Taylor and brother Samuel Bashor went last Tuesday to Belleville, Kansas, where their sister, Mrs. Louisa Williams, died Thursday, June 30. Mr. Bashor will return to his home in Colorado.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 4

Crockett. Mrs. I. N. Taylor returned Friday morning from Belleville, Ks., where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Williams.

Date of death: 18/19 Jan 1910

Subject: Martin Bashor

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Mar 1910, Friday, p. 1

J. S. Bashor of near Flag Springs is in Savannah this week as a petit juryman. He came to this office. His father Martin Bashor, who was an early settler here and lived here from 1859 to 1885, died at his home in Longmont, Colorado, January 19, at the age of almost 93 years. He came here from Tennessee and was known by many people in this county. Mrs. Bashor died nine years ago, and they have ten living children, two sons living in this county, J. S. and A. W.

Date of death: 27 Feb 1892

Subject: Mary E. (Bashor) Hickey

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 4 Mar 1892, Friday, p. 8

Died, at her residence, three miles northeast of Whitesville, on Saturday, February 17, at 3:30 p.m., Mrs. L. M. Hickey, aged 60 years, 3 months and 1 day.

Deceased was born in Washington county, Tennessee, December 26, 1831, her maiden name being Mary Bashor. She was married to Mr. L. M. Hickey in Tennessee, December 22, 1859. They came to Missouri in the fall of 1865. She was stricken with paralysis, Dec. 16, from which time she was a constant sufferer. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn her loss.

She was a faithful member of the German Baptist Brethren, or Dunkards, as they are familiarly known; a fond and loving mother, and a friend to all. Her remains were interred in the Whitesville Cemetery on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Date of death: 21 Nov 1886

Subject: Robert Allison Bashor

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Dec 1886, Friday, p. 8

Died, near Wilhoit, Oregon, on Sunday, Nov. 21, 1886, R. A. Bashor, son of Martin Bashor, formerly of this place, and brother of J. K., J. S. and A. W. Bashor. Mr. Bashor was 36 years old at the time of his death, which was caused by spinal disease. He leaves a wife and one child and numerous friends, both in this State and in Oregon, where he has lived the past three years, to mourn his loss.-- [Union Star *Toothpick*.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Dec 1886, Friday, p. 8

Died, Sunday, November 21, 1886, at his residence, two miles east of the Wilhoit Soda Springs, Clackamas county, Oregon, Mr. R. A. Bashor, formerly a resident of Andrew county, Mo.

Date of death: 14 Jul 1914

Subject: Samuel Cunningham Bashor, Jr.

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Jul 1914, Friday, p. 5

From The Whitesville *Banner*. Samuel C. Bashor, Jr., son of B. [sic] and S. C. Bashor, Sr., was born in Coors county, Oregon, July 8, 1886, and was killed by lightning at Hygiene, Colorado, July 14, 1914, aged twenty-eight years and six days. Interment was at Hygiene, Colorado. The deceased was well known at Whitesville, having lived here a number of years with his uncle, William White.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 31 Jul 1914, Friday, p. 1

Samuel C. Bashor jr. a brother of Emanuel Bashor, of this city, was killed by lightning on July 14th, while at work on a farm near Hygiene, Colorado. The following account of his death is taken from the Daily Call, published at Longmont, Colorado:

'Samuel C. Bashor, jr., was struck by lightning and killed Tuesday afternoon on the Matt McCaslin farm south of Hygiene.

'He had been in the employment of Mr. McCaslin for several years and was in the field irrigating, when a little storm which hardly attracted attention came up.

'The body was found under a tree about 6:30 o'clock by Mr. McCaslin, where it is supposed he went to take shelter from the storm. The tree was badly splintered by the bolt, but the only mark that could be found on the victim was a spot about the size of a dollar on the top of his head where the hair was singed off. That more marks were not found on the body is believed to be due to his wearing rubber boots, which did not permit the lightning to complete a circuit.

'When Mr. Bashor did not come to the McCaslin home for supper Mr. McCaslin became alarmed and went to look for him and found him under the tree. From the position in which he was lying it looked as if he had been leaning on the shovel handle when he was struck.

'After finding the body Mr. McCaslin notified Coroner Kelso, who gave him permission to move the body to the house and then deputized Milo G. Rice to make an examination. After examining the body Mr. Rice was satisfied that death was caused by lightning.

'Samuel C. Bashor was aged 28 years and 6 days. He was the son of Samuel Bashor who lives west of Hygiene.'

Date of death: 3 Dec 1907

Subject: Margaret (Bashore) Verdier

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 06 Dec 1907, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Margaret Verdier died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Clayton on Francis St., Savannah Tuesday evening aged 77 years. The remains were taken to the Jimtown church, where Rev. Taylor preached the funeral Thursday and where the remains were interred.

Same

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 06 Dec 1907, Friday, p. 8

Died.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton in West Savannah at five o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Margaret Verdier, aged 77 years. Funeral services were conducted yesterday at the Fairview church, four miles southeast of Avenue City, by Rev. T. C. Taylor and burial was at the cemetery nearby.

Date of death: 6 Dec 1920

Subject: Elizabeth B. (Baske or Bosko) Reeves

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 10 Dec 1920, Friday, p. 5

William H. Reeves, formerly a resident of Savannah and a nephew of Mrs. Theodore Hickman of Savannah, who has made his home in New Orleans, La., came to Savannah and St. Joseph with his wife to visit relatives. Mrs. Reeves was taken sick and died and burial was in the Savannah cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Elizabeth Baske Reeves, thirty-four years old, wife of William H. Reeves, died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. V. Pottenger, 1111 [sic] North Sixth street. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Jack and Harry Reeves, both of St. Joseph; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baske, Ironwood, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Eschmeyer, Chicago, and Mrs. Ida Bier, Ironwood, Mich.; two brothers, Frank P. Baske and Joseph G. Baske, both of Chicago. The funeral was held at the St. Joseph's cathedral Wednesday afternoon.

same

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 10 Dec 1920, Friday, p. 5

The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Baska Reeves were brought to Savannah from St. Joseph, Wednesday morning and laid to rest in the cemetery. Funeral services were held at the Cathedral in St. Joseph Wednesday morning. Mrs. Reeves died at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. V. Pottenger, 1111 North Sixth St. in St. Joseph Monday. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Jack and Harry Reeves, both of St. Joseph; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baske, Ironwood, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Eschmeyer, Chicago, and Mrs. Ida Bier, Ironwood, Mich.; two brothers, Frank P. Baske and Joseph Baske, both of Chicago.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 07 Dec 1920, Tuesday, p. 2

Elizabeth Baske Reeves, thirty-four years old, wife of William H. Reeves, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. V. Pottenger, 1112 [sic] North Sixth street. Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Jack and Harry Reeves, both of St. Joseph; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baske, Ironwood, Mich., two sisters, Mrs. Mary Eschmeyer, Chicago, and Mrs. Ida Bier, Ironwood, Mich., two brothers, Frank P. Baske and Joseph G. Baske, both of Chicago. The funeral will be held at the St. Joseph's Cathedral tomorrow afternoon and burial will be at Savannah.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1921

Subject: Lucy Forrest Baskett

Source: *The Albany [MO] Capital*, 21 Apr 1921, Thursday, p. 6

Lucy Forest [sic] Baskett was born at McFall, Mo., June 14, 1887, to Wm. F. and Fannie Baskett, and passed away April 8th at the Hand hospital, following an illness of several weeks. She grew up and went to school and lived the larger part of her life in that community. She gave her heart to the Lord when about 14 years of age, uniting with the Baptist Church of McFall. She was married to J. G. Hayzlett June 21, 1908, to which union were born five children-- Kenneth, aged 11 years, Virginia, aged 9 years, Mary Beach, aged 5, J. G. Jr., aged 3 years and Lawrence Cole, aged three weeks. Besides her husband and family, she leaves her father and mother and two sisters, Miss Pearl Baskett, of Shenandoah, Iowa, and Mrs. Nora Brown of McFall, Mo., besides a host of friends and relatives. She was preceded by one sister, Sallie, who died in childhood.

Several years were spent in Graham, Mo., until the family moved to Shenandoah, about two years ago.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Baptist Church at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Carmen, the pastor. The pall bearers were Harry Simmons, Asa Holman, L. L. Hunter, Lyman Bullock, Clyde Howard and Clarence Christie, Music was furnished by a quartette composed of Frank Stotler, G. M. Repogle, Mrs. Blackburn and Miss Alden. Interment was in Rose Hill cemetery. In addition to the above Mr. and Mrs. Baskett lived for several years near Palmyra, Mo., where Little Sallie was born and was buried. Then moved back to McFall. Many McFall people sympathize with these families in their loss of mother, daughter, and wife.

Date of death: 25 Nov 1923

Subject: Theodore Bassar

Source: *St. Joseph Gazette*, 26 Nov 1923, p. 5

Theodore Bassar, 76 years old, a retired retail butcher, died at 10 oclock Sunday morning at the family home, 511 East Highly avenue. He was born in St. Joseph on Nov. 22, 1847, where he lived all his life. He is survived by his wife, Serena; one son, Alba Bassar..., one daughter, Mrs. Thom... mer, Anadarko, Ok.; two brothers, Henry A. Bassar, St. Joseph, Houston K. Bassar, Boston... three sisters, Mrs. Isabelle..., Mrs. E. W. Miller and Miss... Bassar, all of St. Joseph.

The funeral services will be at 2:30 o'clock... afternoon at the residence. Burial will be in Ashland cemetery.

same

Source: *St. Joseph News-Press*, 26 Nov 1923, p. 2

Theodore Bassar, seventy-six years old, a retired butcher and a life-long resident of St. Joseph, died at 10:40 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, 511 East Highland avenue, after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Bassar was born Nov. 22, 1847, near what is now Krug Park and lived in St. Joseph all his life. For many years he conducted a meat market at Third and Michel streets and retired from active business five years ago. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Cyrena Bassar, one son, Alna [sic] Bassar, St. Joseph; one daughter, Mrs. Thomas Plummer, Anadarko, Okla.; two brothers, Henry A. Bassar, St. Joseph, and Houston K. Bassar, Boston, Mass., and three sisters, Mrs. Isabella Conner, Mrs. E. W. Miller and Miss Melissa Bassar, St. Joseph.

The funeral service will be conducted at the home at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and burial will be at Ashland Cemetery.

Date of death: 31 Jan 1906

Subject: Mary J. (Batchelder) Faires

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Mary J. Faires, who was 82 years, 7 months and 9 days old, died at the residence of her son E. D. Faires, two miles north of Savannah, on Jan. 31, at 11:45 a.m. Her two sons Vinal G., of Lake City, Colo., and E. D. were with her during her recent illness. Her daughter Mrs. Emily Townsend died in April. Her husband James Faires was killed by a train on the Chicago Great Western tracks shortly after it was built. She was one of the early settlers and leaves a noble pure life as a monument. The funeral was held at the First M. E. Church and the remains interred in the Savannah cemetery Thursday afternoon.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 4

Died.

At the residence of her son, E. D. Faires, two miles north of Savannah at 11:45 a.m. on Wednesday, January 31, Mrs. M. J. Faires, aged 82 years, 7 months and 9 days. The funeral services were conducted from the First M. E. church yesterday afternoon and interment was at Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 5 Dec 1898

Subject: infant son of Miles Bateman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 Dec 1898, Friday, p. 10

Died, infant child of Miles and Alice Bateman, living three-fourths of a mile southeast of this place, at Rochester, where Mrs. Bateman was visiting, Monday, Dec. 5 and was buried at Rochester Tuesday. Rev. Petree had charge of the funeral.-- [Union Star *Herald*.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 Dec 1898, Friday, p. 1

The infant child of Miles and Alice Bateman died at the residence of Mr. Bateman's father at Rochester, of pneumonia fever, Monday morning, Dec. 5. The body was lain away to rest in the Rochester, cemetery Tuesday, Dec. 6, Rev. C. E. Petree preaching the funeral.-- Union Star Comet.

Date of death: Aug 1904

Subject: infant son of Miles Bateman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Sep 1904, Friday, p. 4

Rochester Aug. 24. (Too late for last week.) The six months old baby boy of Miles Bateman and wife was laid to rest in the Rochester cemetery Saturday. Our sympathy is extended to the sorrowing ones.

Date of death: 15 Sep 1902

Subject: infant son of Raymond Bateman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Sep 1902, Friday, p. 5

From the King City *Chronicle*. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman, of Empire, died Sunday, and was buried at the Flag Springs cemetery Monday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 26 Sep 1902, Friday, p. 8

Union Star Herald. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bateman died Sept. 14 [sic] and was buried at the Flag Springs cemetery, Monday, Sept. 15. The funeral services were conducted at their home by Rev. G. T. Clark of Union Star. They have the sympathy of many friends.

Date of death: 3 Feb 1917

Subject: William M. Bateman

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

Helena. February 6. Mr. Bateman, who came here to visit his son, Miles Bateman, took very ill and died Saturday night. The body was taken to Flag Springs, Monday, where the funeral was conducted by Rev. J. M. Carter of this place, after which the body was laid to rest in the cemetery there.

Date of death: 28 Oct 1918

Subject: William Salkeld Bateman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Nov 1918, Friday, p. 8 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Nov 1918, Friday, p. 8

William Salkeld Bateman was born in Andrew county, October 16, 1872, and died at Kalispel, Montana, October 28, 1918, at the age of 46 7years and we days. He leaves five sisters and three brothers to mourn his going: Lizzie Lafoon, Fort Lupton, Colorado; Mrs. Jesse Murphy, Whitesville; Mrs. Frank Schildknecht, Flag Springs; Mrs. Alvis Agee, McFall, Miles Bateman, Denver, Colorado, John and Ray of Edmonton, Canada.

Mr. Bateman grew to manhood in this county and is well known throughout the vicinity as an industrious citizen. He was not only industrious but also agreeable. Mr. Bateman made a profession of faith in Christ under the preaching of Rev. Pipkins in 1913 at Whitesville. He was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows at Flag Springs.

Funeral services were held at the Flag Springs Baptist church with the address by Rev. L. E. Marvin of Savannah, after which the Odd Fellows took charge and laid the body in the Flag Springs cemetery.⁸

same

Source: *The King City [MO] Chronicle*, 8 Nov 1918, Friday, p. 8

William Salkeld Bateman was born in Andrew county, Mo., Oct. 16, 1872, and died at Kalispell, Montana, Oct. 28, age 46 years, 12 days. He leaves five sisters and three brothers to mourn his loss: Lizzie Laffon, Fort Lupton, Colo., Mrs. Geo. H. Meek, Maryville, Mo.; Mrs. Jess Murphy, Whitesville, Mo.; Mrs. Frank Schildtknecht [sic], Flag Springs, Mo.; Mrs. Alvis Agee, McFall, Mo.; Miles Bateman, Denver, Colo.; John, Edmonton, Canada; Ray, also of Can.

Mr. Bateman grew to manhood in Andrew county and is well known thruout [sic] the vicinity in which he lived. He was a hard working man and spent several years with Marion Scott, giving excellent service. He was not only industrious but also agreeable. Mr. Bateman made a profession of faith under the preaching of Rev. Pipkins in 1913. He was a member of Flag Springs lodge I.O.O.F. at Flag Springs, Mo.

Funeral services were conducted at the Flag Springs Baptist church by Rev. L. E. Marvin of Savannah, Mo., after which the Odd Fellows took charge and laid the body to rest in the Flag Springs cemetery there to await the resurrection morn.

A friend.

Date of death: 10 Dec 1895

Subject: Nancy Ann (Bates) Brand

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Dec 1895, Friday, p. 8

Died, At her home about four miles west of Savannah, on Tuesday evening, December 10, 1895, of grip and pneumonia, Mrs. Nancy Ann Brand, aged 71 years, 1 month and 3 days. The remains

⁸ The *Democrat* adds "to await the resurrection morn."

were buried in the cemetery [sic] at the Baptist [sic] church in that vicinity on Thursday, December 13. Deceased was one of the old settlers of Andrew county, having located here early in the forties, and was well known and highly respected by many of the citizens of the county. He leaves six children, three sons and three daughters, all grown, as follows: William, Frank and James Brand; Mrs. Mary Blair, Mrs. Jane Hall and Mrs. Martha Stanton, also John Brand, a stepson. Thus one by one those who encountered the trials and hardships of pioneer life in this county are called to the promised rest in the next state of existence.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 13 Dec 1895, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At her home on Hackberry Ridge on Tuesday December 10th, 1895, at 11 p.m. Mrs. Nancy Ann Brand, of grip and pneumonia, aged 71 years, 1 month and 3 days. The funeral services were held yesterday at the Baptist church on Hackberry.

Date of death: 20 Feb 1916

Subject: Sarah C. (Bates) Clardy

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 25 Feb 1916, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Sarah Clardy passed away at 6 o'clock a.m., February 20, 1916, at the home of her daughter Mrs. Anna Downing.

Mrs. Clardy's maiden name was Bates. She was born in Brown county, Illinois, August 9, 1825, and came to Andrew county with her parents when a girl. Here she has since made her home. In 1844 she was married to Michael Clardy. To this union eight children were born, three of whom preceded her to the Great Beyond. Those living are Mrs. Anna Downing of Savannah, Mrs. Fanny Harris of Soldier, Kan., Mrs. Susie Lightbody of Corning, Kan., P. H. and S. P. Clardy of Savannah. All were present at the time of her death excepting Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Lightbody. She became a Christian when a young lady and was baptized into the fellowship of the Primitive Baptist church. For over fifty-five years she has been a faithful member of that church and a true servant of the Lord. She was a devoted wife and a kind and loving mother, her life is a bright example to those who knew her. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Jones at the Nodaway Baptist church, four miles west of Savannah, February 22, and her body placed by the side of her husband, near the old church. She let her light so shine that others her faith in Christ could see. May we, too, emulate her example by letting our light shine as faithful and true workers in Christ to the end. Her work on earth is ended and she is called home to the reward of the faithful.

Date of death: 13 Jul 1898

Subject: James Riley Batson

Source: *Worth County [MO] Times*, 21 Jul 1898, Thursday, p. 1

The community was very much surprised yesterday morning to hear of the death of James Batson. His illness was not generally known and those around him did not suspect his symptoms so dangerous. He was taken sick the afternoon of the Fourth but has been up every day, though under the physicians [sic] care for several days. He complained of a pain in the shoulder and side

which became considerably swollen. Wednesday morning at sunrise his death occurred [sic] supposed to be caused by an internal abscess.

James Riley Batson was born August 31, 1860, died July 13, 1898, aged 37 years, 10 months and 12 days. He was born in Marshall county, Iowa, and came to Missouri with his father and mother, William and Catherine Batson, in 1867. His home was about 4 miles east of town, but was in Parnell with his parents during his illness. He was unmarried.-- Parnell Sentinel.

Date of death: 30 Mar 1920

Subject: John Benjamin Batson

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 08 Apr 1920, Thursday, p. 1

John Benjamin Batson was born in Marshall county, Iowa, July 28, 1856, and died at his home in Worth county, Missouri, March 30, 1920, aged 63 years, 8 months and 2 days.

He moved with his parents to Worth county, Missouri, when 11 years of age and spent the remainder of his life here.

He married Miss Mary A. Yates in 1877, who died in 1894. To this union was [sic] born three children, Earl, Vina and William. Earl and Vina survive, William having died in infancy.

He was united in marriage in 1899 to Miss Sarah Powers, who survives him. He is also survived by six sisters and one brother, Mrs. Sarah Robison, Mrs. Etta Lamunyon, Mrs. George Spargur of Grant City, Mrs. Jane Wilson of Parnell, Mrs. E. R. Baker of Sheridan, and Mrs. Lida Lamunyon of Kansas.

Ben Batson was an honest man, fair in all of his dealings with his fellowman, a kind father, a loving husband and a good neighbor, a man who will be sadly missed in his community. It has been said of him that if he had an enemy it was a fact unknown to his friends.

During his last illness he endured the severest pain with fortitude and patience, never uttering a word of complaint.

The funeral was conducted at the Methodist church in Parnell by Rev. Dorcas, the pastor, and the body laid to rest in Rose Hill cemetery.

The bereaved family have [sic] the sympathy of the community in their time of sorrow. On one occasion, near the end while conversing with him he was asked how he was and he replied, 'I'm better now.' We believe that this is so, that the pain racked body ceased its suffering and the spirit returned to a land where there is no sorrow, death nor pain.

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Date of death: 6/7/8 Apr 1913

Subject: William Batson

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 10 Apr 1913, Thursday, p. 2

William Batson, an old resident of Parnell, died Sunday evening at his home after a long illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Parnell and were conducted by Rev. H. M. Hughs, pastor. Interment took place at the Parnell cemetery.

Mr. Batson was born October 30, 1825 in Illinois. He was married in 1850 to Miss Catherine Powers of Rogan county, Ill. In 1851 they moved to Iowa, and settled in Marshall county. Later they mofed [sic] to Worth county, Mo., where they resided until 1899 when they moved to Parnell and made their home on a farm near there. Mr. Batson leaves a wife and eight children who are: Mrs. A. C. LaMunyon and Mrs. O J. Munyon [sic] of Oklahoma, and Charles and Ben Batson of Parnell, Mrs. Lee Robinson, Mrs. James Wilson, Mrs. Earl Baker and Miss Effie Batson, all of Parnell.

Date of death: 28/29 Jan 1904

Subject: William A. Batson

Source: *Parnell [MO] Sentinel*, 04 Feb 1904, Thursday, p. 4

William A. Batson was born in Illinois January 21, 1864, aged forty years and eight days. He leaves a father, two brothers and six sisters besides numerous relatives and friends to mourn his departure.

When a small boy he moved with his parents to Worth county, Missouri, where he resided until July 1901 when he was taken to St. Joseph and placed in Hospital No. 2 for an incurable malady. By close attention to business he had accumulated enough of this world's goods to own eighty acres of land east of Parnell in Worth county. He was of a quiet turn of mind and always attended strictly to his own business. If he had an enemy we have never heard any one speak of it. He was a member of Parnell City Lodge, No. 484, I. O. O. F. and took a great interest in its work and lived an upright member. He was a devoted member of the Christian church to which organization he had belonged for over fifteen years.

The funeral services were conducted by the Odd Fellows Sunday in the M. P. church assisted by Rev. Gray, and his body laid to rest in the Parnell cemetery south of town, the last sad rites being performed at the grave by the Odd Fellows.

Date of death: 10 Nov 1904

Subject: Priscilla Battenfield

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Forum*, 17 Nov 1904, Thursday, p. 4

Miss Priscilla Battenfield, the sister-in-law of Dave Phillips of this city, died at her residence over Holmes & McDougal's former office Thursday night. At the time of her death she was 64 years old. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the residence. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. L. Thompson, pastor of the First Methodist church at Maryville. The body was interred in the Bell Grove cemetery.

Date of death: 14 May 1909

Subject: Amanda (Baublits) Hale Owens

Source: *Sterling [NE] Sun*, 25 May 1909, Tuesday, p. 4

Mrs. Amanda Owens, wife of Isaac Owens, died after an illness of veveral [sic] month's duration at the hospital at Beatrice Friday, May 14. On Saturday her body was brought to Vesta for burial. The services were held in the afternoon at the Christian church by Rev. Davis, of Beatrice and interment made in the Vesta cemetery. The deceased was born August 11, 1848 in Illinois. She was married to Thos Hale in 1866, who preceeded [sic] her in death a number of years ago. To them were born five children, one daughter, Mrs. G. W. Shores and four sons, Frank, Charles, John and Oscar, all of whom are living.

In 1900 she was again married to Isaac Owens who survives her. That she was held in high esteem was attested by her many friends in attendance at the funeral.

Date of death: 27 Sep 1916

Subject: Henry Baublits

Source: *Napa [CA] Journal*, 29 Sep 1916, Friday, p. 4

Henry Baublits, for many years an old and highly respected resident of St. Helena passed away early Wednesday morning at his late residence on Oak avenue after suffering the third stroke of paralysis.-- St. Helena Photogram.

Date of death: 24 Jun 1888

Subject: Henry F. Baublits

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 26 Jun 1888, Tuesday, p. 1

Graham, Mo., June 25.—Henry F. Baublits, one of the old pioneers of Nodaway county, died at his home, three miles east of Graham, yesterday evening, and was buried at Graham to-day in the presence of an immense concourse of people. Deceased was one of the most prominent men in this county, having lived here since 1855. He was born in Baltimore county Maryland, in 1820, and married Mary J. Hare in 1845. He leaves four children, M. C. Baublits, a prominent stock breeder, John C., and Mrs. Susan Hardin and Mrs. Alice Hardin, married daughters. Deceased leaves a large amount of property.

As the nature of his disease was the subject of some controversy, a post mortem was held by Drs. Davis, Rhodes, Barron and Wyman, which established the fact that the disease was a malignant tumor in the small intestines, or duodenum.

Date of death: 22 Jan 1898

Subject: John Freeland Baublits

Source: *Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 03 Feb 1898, Thursday, p. 8

John Freeland Baublits died at his home in Graham on Saturday, January 22, at about noon, aged 79 years and 2 days. He had been quite feeble for several months, but was confined to his house but two or three weeks in his last sickness. The funeral was held at the M. E. church on Monday, the 24th, at 2 oclock [sic], attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The funeral

services were conducted by Rev. M. H. Jordan, and the remains were buried in Prairie Home cemetery.

Mr. Baublits was born in Baltimore county, Maryland, January 20, 1819, and moved to Missouri in 1854. He was married four times, his last marriage occurring in 1884. His last wife is now living, with three children from this union. Mr. Baublits' children numbered 28, fourteen of whom are living. We are informed that in his younger days he became a member of the Baptist church.

The first wife of Mr. Baublits was named Charlotte Frank, and they were married March, 15, 1840. The second wife was named Sophia Shearer, and they were married April 12, 1846. Permelia Cox was his third wife, and they were married September 15, 1855. Vene Scheffskey was his fourth wife and they were married in 1884.

Those who knew Mr. Baublits for many years speak of him as being an honest man and a kind neighbor. He was at one time possessed of a goodly share of the world's goods, but in rendering assistance to others he impoverished himself and died a poor man.-- Graham Post.

Date of death: 22 May 1895

Subject: Jane (Bauchop) Funk

Source: *The Nodaway [County MO] Democrat*, 23 May 1895, Thursday, p. 4

From Tuesday's Daily. Monday afternoon, Mrs. Wm. Funk, who lives about three miles north of Ravenwood, was badly burned by the explosion of a small gasoline stove. A Mr. Roof was fixing some spouting on the house and had set a small gas stove on the cook stove, where he left his soldering irons to heat while he was busy outside. Mrs. Funk made a fire in the cook stove to get supper. The heat of the cook stove exploded the gasoline, covering her entire body with the burning fluid. Her entire face, head, neck, both hands and chest were terribly burned. When our correspondent left the poor woman was in great agony. The extent of the injury was not known at that time, as the doctor had not arrived.

Later-- Dr. Todd was over to see Mrs. Funk this forenoon. He reports her very badly burned indeed, and that her recovery may be in doubt.

It is said that when she started the fire in the cook stove, she asked the tinner if there was any danger of getting it too hot, she meaning the little gas stove, but he, supposing she meant the soldering material and not knowing that she had started a fire in the cook stove, replied no.

The accident is a deplorable one, but it is hope that Mrs. Funk will recover.

From Wednesday's Daily. Mrs. Jane Funk, wife of William Funk, to whom a distressing accident happened Monday evening, some account of which was given in the Daily of yesterday, died this morning, at 5:30, from injuries sustained by the accident.

The funeral services will be at Parnell Friday, at 2 p.m., in the M. E. church, conducted by the Methodist pastor.

Mrs. Funk was aged 53 years. She was a noble woman and had the esteem of all who knew her. The deplorable accident has cast a gloom over the community in which she was loved and honored.

Date of death: 23 Feb 1923

Subject: Caroline (Bauer) Barwald

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Mar 1923, Friday, p. 3

Bethel and Community. February 28. Rev. W. D. Coleman, pastor of the Evangelica church, conducted the funeral of Mrs. Barwald at Clarksdale Sunday afternoon. Burial was at Clarksdale cemetery.

Date of death: 19 Nov 1919

Subject: Nancy Jane (Baugh) Winters

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 20 Nov 1919, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Jane Winters, for over fifty years a resident of Nodaway county died Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Woodard, 1222 East Third street, following a several week's illness of heart trouble. Mrs. Winters was born in Jefferson county Indiana, April 7, 1830, and come [sic] to this county with her parents in 1875. She was the other [sic] of ten children and is survived by three sons and three daughters. They are William W. Winters of St. Joseph, George W. Winters of Hopkins, Oliver T. Winters of Ravenwood, Mrs. Emma Woodard of Maryville, Mrs. Fanny McLaughlin of Burlington Junction and Mrs. S. J. McBee of Kansas City. She is also survived by twenty-three grand children and thirteen great grand children. Her husband died a number of years ago and she has made her home for a few years with her daughter in this city. She has been a member of the Methodist church since childhood and until prevented by ill health was much interested in the activities of the church.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Woodard residence, conducted by Dr. Gilbert S. Cox of the First Methodist church. Burial will be in the Workman chapel cemetery near Burlington Junction.

Date of death: 9 Oct 1891

Subject: John Baum

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 6 Mar 1891, Friday, p. 1

Fairview. Grandpa Baum is very sick.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Mar 1891, Friday, p. 8

Mr. Jacob Baum, of Benton township, was a welcome visitor, last Tuesday. He informed us that the health of his aged father, Mr. John Baum, was somewhat improved, and that the [sic] last heard from Mr. C. P. Miller, jr., in Colorado, that he was better, but not yet out of danger.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 Oct 1891, Friday, p. 5

Mount Pleasant. Oct. 14. Old Uncle John Baum, of near Rosendale, departed this life, Monday evening, October 12, Mr. Baum had been in declining health for some time. He was out around the house but a few hours before he died. He leaves an aged wife and five children and a large number of relatives and friends to mourn his loss. His funeral was preached at the house on Tuesday, by Rev. W. A. Smith, of Savannah. Mr. Baum had been a member of the Presbyterian church for a number of years; was born in Germany in the year 1808; emigrated to America in 1837; and has been a resident of Andrew county since 1842; would have been eighty-four years old his next birthday.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 16 Oct 1891, Friday, p. 8

John Baum, one of Andrew county's pioneer settlers, died at his home in Benton township, on Monday afternoon of this week. He had been infirm for some time past, and was in his eighty-fourth year. His remains were interred in the Bennet [sic] Lane cemetery, Tuesday.

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Oct 1891, Friday, p. 8

The subject of this sketch was born in Fiel, Ober Merschel county, Rhine Province, Bavaria, Germany, January 18, 1808, of wealthy and influential parents. August 29, 1837, he left Rotterdam, Holland, and after a stormy trip of sixty days he landed in Philadelphia in the midst of the panic of 1837. He remained there two years working at his trade, that of cooper. On account of failing health he was advised to take a sea voyage. He accordingly took passage on a sailing vessel bound for New Orleans. The ship was driven out of its way by a storm, but after a very lengthy passage, during which the passengers came near starving, they reached their destination. Together with a cousin, he took a steamboat passage to St. Louis, but when near Vicksburg, the boat was wrecked. Taking the next boat, they at length arrived safely at St. Louis. Soon afterward he came on up the river to St. Joseph, then known as Blacksnake Hills, one log cabin representing the entire city. This was in June, 1842. April 27, 1843, he was united in marriage to Christina Frick, and in the spring of 1844 he settled upon the farm where he died. In the interval of farming he worked at his trade, and in 1848 he helped built the Presbyterian (now the Catholic) church in Savannah, in company with Rev. E. A. Carson.

Quite a remarkable coincidence is the fact that the bell hung in the church building, and which Mr. Baum helped to hang, was the bell belonging to the steamboat in which he was wrecked.

Seven children were born of this marriage, five of whom are yet living in Andrew county, two sons, Jacob and Geo. Baum, three daughters, Mrs. J. M. Landers, Mrs. J. H. Graff, and Mrs. James Townsend. Another daughter, Mrs. G. Kolbrenner, has been dead a number of years. His aged wife also survives him. He died on Monday, Oct. 12, 1891, aged 83 years, 8 months and 24 days, and was buried in Bennett Lane cemetery.

In early youth he was a member of the Dutch Reformed church, but after coming to America he joined the Presbyterians. His long life of nearly 84 years covered most of modern history. He was an eye witness of the retreat of Napoleon's army from Moscow, and often related it; and also the development of the Great West. It is given to but few men to see so much of history.

Date of death: 26 May 1919

Subject: Edna Verena Bauman

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 30 May 1919, Friday, p. 1

Memorial services were held Wednesday at the German Reformed church in Amazonia for Miss Edna Baumann [sic], the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baumann. A large crowd was in attendance.

Miss Baumann was 19 years and 10 months old. She had a bright, active mind and a most lovable disposition but her body was frail. Every winter for several years she has suffered intense pain from rheumatism and this last winter she had the influenza and was unable to overcome it. She died Monday morning after several weeks of severe suffering.

Date of death: 29 Sep 1918

Subject: George Dewey Bauman

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 08 Nov 1918, Friday, p. 1

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baumann [sic], who live on St. Joseph, Route 2, and who have lived in Andrew county many years, received a telegram from the war department Wednesday that their son Private Dewey L. Baumann was killed in action September 29.

Dewey volunteered during August 1917, just after he had heard Gipsy Smith and several other stirring addresses on the war during the Chautauqua. He went to Camp Clark and later to Fort Sill and went overseas during May. He was with Co. C., 140th infantry, and there are several Andrew county boys in that infantry, Harry Mitchell, Charles Wampfler, Elmer Smith, Floyd Clark and others. Floyd Clark's mother has received a letter in which Floyd was in the hospital and gassed and and [sic] Harry Mitchell wrote October 11 that he was all right. Both boys tell of being in the drive.

Dewey was married shortly before he left for the service to Miss Bowman whom he leaves with his parents and brothers and sisters, with whom the entire county mourns the loss of a noble, patriotic son.

Dewey was never very rugged in health yet army life seemed to have improved him and he had advanced to sergeant and in almost every letter he expressed himself as pleased with the service and glad that he had volunteered. He was twenty years old.

Same

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 15 Nov 1918, Friday, p. 4

Fillmore. November 11. George Dewey Baumann, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baumann who a few years ago lived south of town was born March 26, 1898 and was killed in action in France Sunday September 29. He leaves his wife, parents, three sisters and four brothers, a little brother and sister who died in infancy preceded him to the great beyond. Dewey enlisted in August, 1917, and was sent to Camp Clark and from there to Fort Sill. He sailed from France April 21, 1918. He was promoted to Corporal just before he left New York and would have been Sergeant in a short time had he lived. Dewey had tried hard to be a good soldier and thought he had succeeded as was shown by the following which was written on one of his letters to his sister Ada by his captain: This Corporal is a brother you can feel proud of. He is a soldier in every respect. Doesn't know this is written.' Dewey was of a kind loving and cheery disposition and has been greatly missed by his family during the time he has been in the service.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 07 Oct 1921, Friday, p. 1*

The body of Dewey L. [sic] Bauman, killed in action in France Sept. 29, 1918, is expected to arrive here in time for the funeral to take place Sunday. The burial will be conducted by Dick Munkres Post, American Legion. Dewey volunteered for service before the selective draft law went into effect.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 21 Oct 1921, Friday, p. 1*

Fillmore. The body of Dewey Bauman arrived at Savannah last Sunday morning and funeral services will be next Sunday in Savannah, by Dick Munkres post.

Herman Sell and wife of Kansas City came up Friday to visit with Mrs. Ida Bauman. Mr. Selle [sic] returned home Sunday and Mrs. Selle remained to be present at the funeral services of her brother Dewey Bauman.

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The funeral of George Dewey Bauman, who fell in France Sept. 29, 1918 will take place Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church South, conducted by the chaplain of Dick Munkres Post, Rev. N. O. Rogers. It has been the intention to hold this funeral last Sunday, but the body arrived from Hoboken too late for arrangements to be completed.

Every ex-service man in the county is asked to be present in uniform at the Post club room at 1:30 p.m.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 28 Oct 1921, Friday, p. 1*

Corporal George Dewey Bauman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bauman, was born March 26, 1898, southwest of Bolckow, Mo. On August 8, 1917, he was married to Miss Ruby Viola Bowman, and enlisted soon afterward, leaving St. Joseph Aug. 12, 1917. He served overseas with Company C, 140th Infantry, of the 35th Division. With the name George Dewey he could be none other than a patriot of the first rank, and this is borne out in a letter received by his sister

from his captain, saying he was a brother to be proud of. We are not surprised, therefore, that he enlisted early in the war, and we can be certain that he gave a good account of himself in his encounters with the enemy. He fell gallantly at the head of his squad on Sept. 29, 1918, in the Meuse-Argonne offensive. Besides his wife he is survived by his parents, three sisters and four brothers, as follows: Mrs. Elsie Tipton, Mrs. Ada Selle, Pauline Bauman, Ray, Earl Benjamin and Chester Bauman. Memorial services in his honor were conducted at the M. E. church South Sunday afternoon, October 23, 1921, under the auspices of Dick Munkres post, American Legion, Rev. N. O. Rogers, post chaplain, delivering the address.

Date of death: 21 Apr 1918

Subject: John Peter Bauman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Apr 1918, Friday, p. 5

Peter Bauman passed away at his home three miles west of Savannah Sunday morning at the age of 84 years, after a short illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Schnuelle and the biography will appear next week.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 May 1918, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 03 May 1918, Friday, p. 8

John Peter Bauman was born June 1, 1933, in Germany, Baden, Weinheim, and died at his home, April 21, 1918. He came with his parents to America in the year 1846 and was confirmed in the same year. He settled in the state of Ohio. He was united in marriage to Verena Yenni, March 3, 1864. They came to Missouri in 1864 and settled on a farm west of Savannah where he lived every [sic] since.

To this union six children were born, four sons and two daughters. Three children preceded him to the great land beyond, John Phillip, Benjamin and Mrs. Gotlieb Bachman. He leaves to mourn his going two sons Fred and Louis Bauman, one daughter Mrs. John Kurz and fourteen grandchildren. The funeral services were held at the German Reformed church, April 23, 1918, conducted by the pastor Rev. F. C. Schnuele and interment was in the Amazonia cemetery.

Date of death: 26 Feb 1907

Subject: Nancy A. (Bauman) Bachman

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 01 Mar 1907, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy A. Bachman died at her home five miles west of Savannah Tuesday, Feb. 26, aged 36 years and 9 months. She leaves a husband and one child. The remains were buried at Amazonia Feb. 28.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 01 Mar 1907, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. G. Bachman died at her home west of town Thursday, and funeral services and interment were held at the German Lutheran church Amazonia, Thursday.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 01 Mar 1907, Friday, p. 1

Died.

At her home five miles west of Savannah at 7 a.m. Tuesday, February 26, Mrs. Nancy Bachman, aged 36 years 9 months and 20 days. Funeral services were conducted from the residence yesterday morning and interment was at the German cemetery at Amazonia.

Date of death: 2 Sep 1905

Subject: Charles L. Baumle

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

Charles L. Baumle, son of Louis Baumle, died at his home in Shawnee, Oklahoma, Saturday, September 2, aged 28 years, 4 months and 9 days. He was born and raised in Savannah, and was in the real estate business in Shawnee with George Knappenberger several years. Charles was a well respected young man and had many warm friends. He had traveled all over the West the last few years, but found health nowhere. A short time prior to his demise he was at Rothwell [sic], New Mexico. The funeral was conducted from the Presbyterian church in Savannah Thursday and the remains placed in the Savannah cemetery. The aged sorrowing father has the sympathy of all.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 08 Sep 1905, Friday, p. 4

Chas. Baumle aged about thirty years died at his home in Shawnee Okla., Monday, of consumption, and the body was brought here Wednesday for interment by the side of his mother.

Deceased was born, raised and educated here, his father Louis Baumle being a former well known business man here.

In recent years the two have made their home in Oklahoma, the wife and mother having died a number of years ago.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. W. McGlothlan at the Presbyterian church and the remains were interred in the cemetery here.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Sep 1905, Friday, p. 5

Died.

At his home in Shawnee, Okla., Saturday, September 2, Chas. L. Baumlee, aged 28 years, 4 months and 9 days. The remains were brought to this city Thursday, and funeral services were conducted from the Presbyterian church. Interment was at the Savannah cemetery.

same

Source: *The Shawnee [OK] Herald*, 04 Sep 1905, Monday, p. 1

At 12 o'clock Saturday night the death of Charles L. Baumle, one of Shawnee's best known and promising young business men occurred at the residence of his father, Louis Baumle, 202 S. Oklahoma avenue.

The fatal disease was tuberculosis, from which he had for several years been a sufferer. Hoping to receive some benefits by a change of climate, Mr. Baumle last January went to Roswell, N.M., where his father and himself had property interests, and there he remained until about ten days ago. The dread malady, however, had so fastened itself upon him as to preclude the possibility of recovery, and he returned home and eight days later death came to his relief.

Charles L. Baumle was a native of Missouri, having been born in the city of Savannah in 1877, and was therefore 28 years of age. He attended the schools of his native city and six years ago was graduated from the Shenandoah, Iowa, College, and a year later took up his residence with his father and mother here. The father and son then formed a business partnership under the firm name of Baumle & Son, and have since conducted an insurance, brokerage and loan business on East Main street.

Mr. Baumle, who was one of the best equipped and hard working young business men in the city was also known and honored for his integrity and faithfulness in all of his walks in life, and his death is universally regretted and mourned.

Of his immediate family he is survived only by his father, his mother having died five years ago, and an only sister died in Missouri prior to the removal of the family to this city.

After a brief funeral service at the residence, which will probably take place at a late hour this afternoon, the remains will be conveyed to his old home, Savannah, where the interment will be made.

Date of death: 15 Jul 1876

Subject: Mary Louise Baumle

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Jul 1876, Friday, p. 8

On Saturday evening at half-past six o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baumle of this city, were called upon to part with their infant child, Louise, by death from cholera infantum. It was one year, seven months and twenty-two days old. It was buried on Sunday afternoon, Rev. John Bennett, of the Episcopal Church, conducting the funeral services, and the remains were followed to the cemetery by a large number of friends of the family.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Jul 1901, Friday, p. 4

Twenty-Five Years Ago This Week. Louise, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baumle, died at their home in Savannah last week.

same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 20 Jul 1876, p. 4

Died. On Saturday last, in this place, of cholera infantum, Louisa [sic], infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Baumle aged 1 year 7 months.

Date of death: 27 Feb 1913

Subject: Mary Lucille Baumli

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 01 Mar 1913, Saturday, p. 1

Mrs. John Kirch and daughter, Miss Agatha, Miss Mary Stundon, James Stundon and John Stundon went to Arkoe last night to attend the funeral services of the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Baumli, who died Thursday night and whose funeral was held this morning at Conception church.

The services were conducted by Rev. Father Placid. Interment took place at Conception cemetery.

Date of death: 21/22 Jan 1896

Subject: Ann (Baxter) Potter Scudder

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Scudder, wife of 'Squire M. Scudder, of Amazonia, died at her home on Wednesday, January 22, 1896, and was buried at that place on Thursday.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 31 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 1

Died, At Amazonia, Mo., January 21, 1896, Mrs. Ann Scudder, wife of M. Scudder, aged 79 years and 15 days. Deceased was born in Kentucky, on January 6, 1817, her father coming to Missouri the following fall to what is now Howard county, and from thence to Cooper, Clay and Clinton counties, from the latter she came to Andrew, where, since 1844, she has lived. Her maiden name was Baxter. She was twice married; first to John Potter, on April 3, 1843 [sic]. To this union were born four children, three surviving her, one dying in early girlhood. The living are Mrs. O. A. Sandusky and Mr. B. M. Potter, of St. Joseph, and Mrs. A. E. Jenkins, of Savannah. They were all present to pay the last sad earthly tribute to her. She leaves nine grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. Was married the second time on December 27, 1874, to Mr. Scudder, and assisted to raise his three daughters, all of whom are now married-- Mrs. A. W. Stuart, of Amazonia, and Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Culp, of Kansas City. Her aged companion, her children and grandchildren, with many other relatives and friends, are left to mourn her loss, which to her is gain. She professed religion in very early youth and joined the Methodist Church, of which she ever remained a faithful and exemplary member until death, in reference to which she repeatedly said all was well, she was ready. She was a woman of great industry and energy, which she retained until the last, and was always ready to minister to the sick and needy as far as in her power; and having lived in the community for more than half a century, she will be sadly missed. But the blow falls heaviest on the aged companion and

widowed daughter. And while all drop with tears of sorrow, may they say, peace to her, and ever strive to imitate her worthy example.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 31 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 5

Too late for last weeks [sic] paper, we learned of the death of the wife of our old friend, M. Scudder, at Amazonia, Wednesday, January 22nd. Squire Scuffer and wife were among the oldest inhabitants of Amazonia and their many friends will learn with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Scudder.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 31 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At Amazonia, Jan. 21st 1896, Mrs. Ann Scudder, wife of M. Scudder, aged 79 years and fifteen days. She was born in Kentucky Jan. 6, 1817, and came to Missouri with her father in the fall of that year. They resided for a time in Howard county, then in Cooper, Clay and Clinton counties respectively, coming to Andrew in 1844 where she has since resided. Her maiden name was Baxter. She was twice married, the first time to John Patton [sic], April 3rd, 1834, to whom she bore four children. Three of these, Mrs. O. A. Sandusky and B. M. Potter of St. Joseph and Mrs. A. E. Jenkins of Savannah, survive her, and were present at her funeral services. She also had nine grand children and nine great grand children. Her second marriage was to M. Scudder, Dec. 28, 1874, and assisted in raising his three daughters, Mrs. O. M. Stewart of Amazonia, and Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Culp of Kansas City. Her last husband, her children and grand children together with many other relatives are left to mourn her irreparable loss. She joined the methodist church at a very early age and lived a faithful and exemplary life. She was a woman of great industry and energy, always ready to minister until the sick and needy. Having lived in the community for half a century she will be sadly missed and especially by her aged companion and widowed daughter. May many strive to imitate her worthy example.

Date of death: 17 Jan 1894

Subject: Benjamin R. Baxter

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 Apr 1894, Friday, p. 1

From St. Louis Christian Advocate.

Rev. Benjamin R. Baxter was born in Clay County, Mo., July 10, 1824, and died from effects of la grippe, at his home in Lane county, Ore., Jan. 17, 1894. He was converted in early manhood and licensed to preach in Missouri 1844. He was ordained deacon in 1846, by Bishop Paine, and in 1848 was ordained elder by Bishop Andrew. In April, 1847, he was married to Miss Elanor A. Tate, of Buchanan county, Mo., who, with three sons and three daughters mourn the loss of a devoted husband and kind father. In the fall of 1848 Brother Baxter transferred to the Indian Mission Conference, then back to the Missouri Conference in 1852. In all of the earliest, best years of his ministerial life, he was closely identified with the Master's work throughout Northwest Missouri. In 1865 he moved with his family, to Helena, Mont., and di active missionary work in that then far off land. He moved in 1868, to the Willamette Valley, in Oregon. He has been in the regular work only about three years since that time, as college agent,

stationed preacher and presiding elder. The demands of a large family and the limited support furnished by the church compelled a location, since which time he continued to preach as time and opportunity permitted, but always to do acceptable and profitable work in the Master's vineyard. His last sickness was brief, and though unconscious when he died he had told his faithful wife but a few days before his death that his peace was made with God and man, that not a doubt clouded his mind, and that he was ready to meet his God whenever the summons should come. The master dealt gently with him in his last moments, and his death was as painless and peaceful as a child falling asleep.

We are indebted to Mr. Henry Baxter, son of our departed brother, for the facts connected with his later history and recent death. The writer entered the Conference with him, on trial, the same year. There were seventeen in the class, nearly all of whom have ceased 'to work and live. Our early charges with contiguous, and his father's house was a welcome home on my first circuit. Brother Baxter soon became a useful and leading minister, and no doubt would have been increasingly so if he could have remained without financial trouble, in the regular work. In his local relation he is said to have been specially diligent and useful. That God may richly bless his widow and children and grandchildren is the prayer of his early friend and brother and fellow laborer in the vineyard of the Lord. C. VanDeventer.

Rev. Baxter the deceased, was a citizen of Savannah, Mo., before the war and for a number of years was the pastor of the M. E. church, South, of this city. He left here in the early part of the war. He is a brother of Mrs. M. S. Scudder, of Amazonia, and an uncle to Mrs. Amanda Jenkins, of Hackberry Ridge, this county.

Date of death: 5 Nov 1903

Subject: Kiturah Ann (Baxter) Owings

Source: *The Dallas [IL] City Review*, 10 Nov 1903, Tuesday, p. 1

Kiturah Ann Baxter was born January 22, 1829 [sic], died November 5, 1903, aged 76 years, 1 month and 13 days. She was married to Edwin Owings March 9th, 1845. To this union nine children were born, one of whom preceded her. Those living are Elmira S. Kidson, of LaHarpe, Charlie W. and Samuel B. of Marvin, Kansas, Susan A. Cox, of Foster, Nebraska, Theodore D., of Colusa, Isabella W. Scott, and U. Grant of this city, and Edwin of Alleghany, Pa.

Mrs. Owings was born and reared near Zanesville Muskegan Co., Ohio.

She leaves to mourn her loss three sisters and three brothers, eight children, nineteen grandchildren and a host of loving friends; her husband having preceded her twenty-two years ago the ninth of October.

She had been a patient sufferer from a fall sustained several weeks ago which fractured the hip joint.

The funeral was held Saturday morning from the residence of her son Grant east of this city, and was conducted by Elder Telford assisted by Rev. King. The interment was in the Myers cemetery.

The pall bearers were Jacob Lung, H. H. Newton, Elmer Cartright, Jasper Ruddle[,] Henry Mohr and C. Rockel.

Date of death: 29 Aug 1920

Subject: Mary Jane (Baxter) Peck

Source: *Lead [SD] Daily Call*, 30 Aug 1920, Monday, p. 5

Many old time residents in every section of the Black Hills, as well as scores of friends in Lead and Deadwood, will learn with sincere regret of the death of Mary J. Peck, one of the pioneer women of the Black Hills who died at 11 o'clock this morning following a stroke of paralysis which came to her yesterday at her home in Deadwood, for she was a woman who was universally esteemed and respected, loved by her most intimate friends and revered by the members of her family.

For forty two years Mrs. Peck has been a resient [sic] of Deadwood, and during the time she had lived there her life had been so ordered that it was filled with deeds of charity, little acts of kindness and helpfulness. She was a woman whose acquaintances resolved themselves into friendships, lasting and cherished.

Mary J. Peck at the time of her death was 80 years and 6 months old. In 1859, on December 16, she was married to Wilbur Peck at Ashley, Ohio, who preceded her to the grave several years ago, and her body will be laid at reside [sic] beside his in the beautiful cemetery of Mount Moriah in Deadwood, where both will sleep, overlooking the city which they had loved so well.

Deceased is survived by a son, Frank S. Peck of the state highway commission, and a daughter, Mrs. J. S. McClintock of Deadwood, and to these and other relatives the sympathy of scores of friends goes out.

Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Date of death: 12 Sep 1888

Subject: Alice Adella (Bayless) Million

Source: *The Rock Port [MO] Democrat*, 22 Sep 1888, Saturday, p. 5

Mrs. John Million, the venerable mother of Ed Million Esq., died at the home of her son near Watson on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Million had been for several years a consistent Christian and her long life was fraught with kind deeds. She died on her 73rd birthday.

Date of death: 4 Apr 1904

Subject: Erling J. Bayne

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Apr 1904, Friday, p. 5

From the Rosendale *Signal*. G. A. Bales and wife and Mrs. D. Bales attended the funeral of the 2-year old child of Will Bayne and wife at Whitesville Tuesday.

same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Apr 1904, Friday, p. 4

Arling [sic] J. Bayne died April 4, aged 10 months and 24 days. The little crib is empty now, the little clothes laid by; a mother's hope, a father's joy, in death's cold arms doth lie. Go, little pilgrim, to thy home on yonder blissful shore. We miss thee here, but soon we'll come where thou hast gone before. Then let our sorrow cease to flow, God has recalled his own, and let our hearts in every woe say, Thy will be done. For our darling little one has gone to heaven, his bright and happy home; no sickness, sorrow, pain or care can reach our loved one there. O Lord, afford us grace divine and make us willing to resign our darling one into thy care; Oh, grant that we may meet him in that happy home where there is no sad parting ever comes [sic], and join with our sweet babe to sing the praised of Jesus, our heavenly King.-- Written by his Grandma Bayne.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Apr 1904, Friday, p. 8

Died at the home of its parents in Whitesville on April 4, Arling [sic] J., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bayne, aged 10 months and 24 days.

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The little clothes laid by,
A mother's hope, a father's joy,
In death's cold arm doth lie.
So little pilgrim to thy home
On yonder blissful shore,
We miss thee her, but soon will come,
Where thou hast gone before,
Then let our sorrow cease to flow,
God has recalled his own,
And let our hearts in every woe,
Still say, 'Thy will be done.'
For our little darling's gone to Heaven
His bright and happy home,
No sickness, sorrow, pain or care
Can every reach our loved one there.
O, Lord afford us grace divine,
And make us willing to resign
Our darling one into Thy care.
O, grant that we may meet him
In that happy home,
Where no sad parting's [sic] every come,
And join with our little babe to sing
The praises of Jesus, our heavenly king.*

Written by his Grandmama.

Date of death: 30 Mar 1917

Subject: Eliza (Bayne) Farris

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Apr 1917, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Eliza Farris, who has been making her home with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hiram Bayne, died there Friday evening and the funeral services were held Saturday at the Baptist church by her pastor Rev. F. P. Davidson. Her remains were placed in the Savannah cemetery by the side of those of her husband who died several years ago. Mrs. Farris had been visiting Mrs. Thomas Riggin coming to Mrs. Bayne's Friday morning. She leaves a son, Will [sic] Farris, near Whitesville and a daughter, Mrs. Phillipps [sic], near Lincoln.

Mrs. Farris was active and strong for her age, being almost 82 years, and was greatly beloved for her gentle Christian spirit.

Date of death: 29 Jun 1897

Subject: Elizabeth (Bayne) Gee

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 2 Jul 1897, Friday, p 1

Died. Mrs. Elizabeth Gee, at her home in Kansas, aged 59 years, 6 months and 2 days. Her remains were brought to this city, Friday, July 2, and were laid to rest in the Union cemetery, west of town, the same afternoon. She was the wife of C. C. Gee, and formerly lived in this county.

same

Source: *Logan County [KS] Clipper*, 1 Jul 1897, Thursday, p. 1

The people of this community were shocked yesterday morning to learn of the death of Mrs. C. C. Gee which occurred Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock. The immediate cause of her death was internal hemorrhage. She has not been well this spring and summer but no serious result was expected until a few days ago, when the family and immediate friends became alarmed as to her condition and all hope was given up.

Elizabeth Bayne was born in Indiana May 28, 1839 [sic], and with her parents emigrated to Andrew county, Missouri, in 1842. Here she became acquainted with Mr. C. C. Gee and on the 30th day of May, 1858, she was united to him in the holy bonds of matrimony, and remained in that country until the year 1886, when they removed to Logan county, Kansas, where she lived until the date of her demise. To this union was born four children, one boy and three girls. The son and one daughter still survive her, Mrs. Lucy Graff of Andrew county, Missouri, and Jefferson Gee of Logan county, Kansas, while the other two daughters have passed beyond to that world where there will be no parting and where she expects to meet them. Besides the two children named she leaves a bereaved husband and a host of sorrowing friends to mourn her loss. Mrs. Gee was a kind and loving wife and mother, beloved and respected by all who knew her, a true christian lady and a good neighbor. The many friends of the sorrowing family extend their warmest sympathies.

The funeral services will be held this afternoon and the remains will be taken to Missouri on the train for interment.

Date of death: 14 Apr 1895

Subject: Henry C. Bayne

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 26 Apr 1895, Friday, p. 1

Rush. We understand that Mr. Henry Bayne, west of Rush, died today. He was quite an old man and has been sick about four weeks.

Date of death: 15 May 1902

Subject: Hiram C. Bayne

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 May 1902, Friday, p. 5

Another good man has gone from earth to heaven. H. C. Bayne died at his home in Savannah, Mo., May 15, 1902. Brother Bayne was born in Andrew county, Missouri, April 22, 1843, which has been his home ever since. He was united in marriage to Miss Louisa Holt, September 14, 1865. To this union three children were born. One has gone before. He leaves a wife and two sons to mourn him in the home. He professed a hope in Christ about twenty-five years ago, and lived its principles not only in belief but in its practice. That hope grew as the years went by and in his last sickness he often expressed himself as ready to go, and bore his sufferings without repining or complaining. As a friend, he was true; as a citizen, a pattern that we all might follow. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Kearby at the home of the deceased in the presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives. After the funeral the body was laid to rest in the Savannah cemetery. Like one of old has said, 'Thou shalt be missed because thy seat will be empty.'

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 16 May 1902, Friday, p. 1

Mr. Hiram Bayne, who has been a sufferer from a complication of diseases, died at his home in North Savannah yesterday morning. He leaves a wife and two sons to mourn his loss.

Date of death: 31 Jul 1946

Subject: Robert Lee Bayne

Source: *San Angelo [TX] Evening Star*, 01 Aug 1946, Thursday, p. 17

Dallas, Aug. 1.-- One man was killed and another was gravely hurt in the crash Wednesday of a small plane near Dallas.

R. L. Bayne, 43, of the Bayne Shock Absorber Company, Dallas, was killed, police said. George R. Tayloe, 36, of Fort Worth, was rushed to a hospital with critical injuries.

Witnesses Royce Norman and M. M. Miller said the light two place passenger biplane had banked for a turn at low altitude, apparently stalled and fell into a field.

Date of death: 22 Dec 1910

Subject: Sarah "Sis" Bayne

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 23 Dec 1910, Friday, p. 1

Miss Siss Bayne, who has made her home with her sister-in-law for many years died at the home of Mrs. Louisa Bayne Thursday about noon aged about seventy years. She lived in this county all her life and had many friends. She had been deaf and dumb from childhood and has always been a patient industrious woman. She has never had to suffer nor cause others to suffer by unruly tongue but she has missed much that is beautiful in life and it seems that her passing is like a prisoned spirit freed.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 30 Dec 1910, Friday, p. 1

Miss Siss [sic] Bayne died Thursday of last week at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Louisa Bayne, at the age of [illegible] years. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon and the remains were interred in the cemetery here.

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Date of death: 19 Apr 1892

Subject: John Bays

Source: *The Spokane [WA] Review*, 22 Apr 1892, Friday, p. 2

Walla Walla Notes. John Bays, a farmer living near Touchet, this county, was thrown from his horse and died Tuesday evening. He was aged 52 years and was a prominent member of the Odd Fellows and Grand Army.

Date of death: 15 Aug 1916

Subject: Miles Bays

Source: *The Hamilton [MO] Farmer's Advocate*, 17 Aug 1916, Thursday, p. 1

Miles Bays passed away at his home in Hamilton Tuesday, August 15, at the age of 74 years, 8 months and 29 days. He was born December 16, 1841. Deceased had been in ill health for some time.

Funeral services for Mr. Bays will be held from the Christian Church this afternoon and will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. F. W. Condit.

Date of death: 12 Dec 1895

Subject: Minerva (Bays) Blue

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Dec 1895, Friday, p. 1

Resolution of Respect.

To Mrs. Thomas Blue, of near Cosby, Andrew County, Mo., December 12, 1895; by John Kelsy [sic] Post, G.A.R. Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord. Rel. 14:13.

Whereas, It has pleased God in his wisdom to removed [sic] from our midst our Beloved Sister, Mrs. Blue, wife of Comrade Thomas Blue. Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Sister Blue God has removed from our community a good Christain [sic] Woman, from her family a devoted mother and from her church one of the earliest, faithful worker and most sincere devoted Christian member faithful until death...

[*Other resolution*]

S. D. Lininger, A. Sandusky, Committee.

Date of death: 29 Apr 1917

Subject: Emma Pearl (Bazzill) Borchers

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 May 1917, p. 3

Rankin. April 30. This neighborhood was shocked Sunday to learn of the death of Mrs. Earl Borchers which occurred at the home of James Borchers Sunday, April 29. Mrs. Bocher's maiden name was Emma Bazzill.

Rosendale. May 1. The friends of Earl Borchers and wife were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Borchers at the home of Mr. Borchers' parents west of town Sunday morning. Mrs. Borchers was the daughter of Mrs. J. R. Bazzil [sic] of this place and well known to the people of this vicinity.

The funeral services were held at Gravelwall [sic] Wednesday. Mr. Borchers has a law and insurance office at this place, just recently established.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 May 1917, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 18 May 1917, Friday, p. 8

After suffering intensely for about five days, with peritonitis, Emma Pearl, wife of Earl C. Borchers, passed away in death at the Borchers home, four and a half miles west of Rosendale, at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, April 29. Her maiden name was Bazzill.⁹ She was the youngest daughter of J. R. and Josephine Bazzill, and was 24 years, 3 months and 8 days of age. She was born four and a half miles south of Fillmore, and spent all her life in this county. At the tender age of about 11 years she obeyed the gospel of Christ at Bethel, and had lived a devoted Christian life. Her sweet, amiable disposition made everyone who knew her a friend and admirer. During her brief but painful illness she was cheerful and uncomplaining, and said, 'Don't worry about me, I will get through all right, and if I don't, it will be all right anyhow, for Jesus will take me.' What a relief is this from the otherwise unbearable sorrow of those who are left behind.

She is survived by her young husband, her mother, six sisters and two brothers, a brother and sister died in infancy. The living are: W. T. Bazzill of St. Joseph, Chas. W. of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Stewart Moran, Mrs. Henry Huffman, Mrs. W. R. Deaton, Mrs. J. W. Strong, Mrs. Jno. H. Younger and Mrs. A. B. Clemmons, all of Andrew county.

It seems to us that Emma ought not to have left us, so young, but all was done that medical skill and kindly hands could do, but in vain, and we must bow in submission to Him 'Who doeth all things well,' and rest in hope of meeting her in the place Jesus went to prepare for His own.

What an angelic picture she made, as she lay in the beautiful casket, holding in her arms the little cherub that came to the world lifeless, shortly before death claimed the young mother.

Date of death: 19 Nov 1903

Subject: James Riley Bazzill

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Nov 1903, Friday, p. 1

R. R. [sic] Bazzill died at his home, three miles northwest of Rosenale, at 3 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 19. The remains will be interred in the Fillmore cemetery to-day. He leaves a wife and five daughters, and was about 50 years old.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Nov 1903, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 Nov 1903, Friday, p. 1

James Riley Bazzell [sic] was born in Henry county, Missouri, June 8, 1845. He came to Andrew county when quite a young man and has resided here most of the time since. On the 15th day of September, 1873, he was joined in marriage to Miss Josie Mann. Eleven children were

⁹ The *Democrat* article ends here, and sources the Bolckow Herald.

born to them, nine of whom are living. Some twenty years ago he obeyed the gospel of Christ and took membership at Stone church, south of Fillmore, near which place he lived for a number of years. During the civil war he served in the Union army. He was a good husband and father, a peaceful, law-abiding citizen and an obliging neighbor. After an illness of four weeks, he passed away in death at his home, three miles northwest of Rosendale, at 8:15 a.m., Nov. 19, 1903. On the 20th the body was taken to Fillmore, where Elder Chapman preached a funeral discourse at the Christian church, which was attended by a large number of his old friends and neighbors, after which interment took place in the Fillmore cemetery.