

Some Pre-1924 Obituaries (Ga)
(for people connected with Northwestern Missouri)
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Date of death: 20 Jan 1889

Subject: James Monroe Gabbert

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 25 Jan 1889, Friday, p. 8

Many will remember old Martin Vanschoiack, who for a number of years has been more or less insane. He died in the St. Joseph Asylum, last Saturday. On Sunday they brought his remains up to the old homestead in Jefferson township. Among others who were awaiting the arrival of the party with the corpse was James Gabbert, a man of about forty years of age, who had been raised in Vanschoiack's family. About an hour before the arrival of the corpse, Gabbert fell over dead, probably from heart disease. Both Vanschoiack and Gabbert were buried at Long Branch, on Monday.

Date of death: 3 Mar 1901

Subject: Jennie R. Gabbert

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 04 Mar 1901, Monday, p. 6

Jennie R. Gabbert, aged eleven years, died at 6 o'clock last night at the home of her parents, six miles north of the city near Fairview. The funeral was held this afternoon and interment was at Long Branch cemetery.

Date of death: 19 Aug 1911

Subject: David Gabriel

Source: *The Albany [MO] Capital*, 24 Aug 1911, Thursday, p. 1

David Gabriel, an old and esteemed citizen of Gentry county, died at his home near Gentry on last Saturday morning. Deceased was 84 years, 9 months and 25 days old, and had lived in the Gentry community for many years. He was a member of the Church of God from boyhood, and had lived a consistent Christian life, holding the confidence of all who knew him. He was married July 25, 1850, to Mary E. Carel. To this union nine children were born, five of whom survive him. Mrs. Jane Wharto, Mrs. Manda Wells of Edna, Kan.; John N. Gabriel, David C. Gabriel of this county and Mrs. Frances Floyd of Oneida, Kan.

Rev. C. N. Leonard conducted the funeral services at the Green Ridge church on Monday, a large crowd of the neighbors and friends being present to pay their last respects to this old pioneer citizen.

Date of death: 17 Apr 1919

Subject: Albertine Ann (Gaddis) Boyer Walkington

Source: *Payette [ID] Enterprise*, 24 Apr 1919, Thursday, p. 1

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

Alberton [sic] Ann Walkington, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Burt Venable, in this city, at 4 o'clock on the morning of April 17th. Had she lived until the 24th day of the present month she would have reached her 87th year. For a long time she had been a helpless invalid, having been for 13 years confined to her room and the constant care of her daughter who knew no sacrifice imposed by filial duty.

Mother Walkington was born at Georgetown, Ohio, and spent her early life in that state. She was reared in the Methodist faith, to which she stedfastly [sic] adhered throughout the vicissitudes of a long life-time the latter part of which was attended by pitiable invalidism and much suffering. She was the last of her immediate family and is survived by only a daughter and son, Mrs. Burt Venable of Payette, and Mr. W. C. Boyer of Silver Creek, Neb. She leaves five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

A simple but impressive funeral service was conducted from the Methodist Episcopal church Easter Sunday at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. Wallace, the pastor, officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. E. S. Pence and I. L. Thurston, grandson-in-laws of the deceased, Clyde Thurston, Lloyd Pence, J. A. Lauer and Rex Bradshaw, to whom the aged woman had long been devoted.

Date of death: 27 Oct 1905

Subject: James G. Gaddis

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 28 Oct 1905, Saturday, p. 1

James G. Gaddis died Friday night in St. Louis of asthma, after only a day's illness.

The body will arrive in Maryville Sunday morning, and a short service is to be held at 10 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. B. G. Ford on East Fifth street.

Interment occurs in Oak Hill cemetery.

Date of death: 25 Aug 1881

Subject: Thomas Gaddy

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily Gazette*, 27 Aug 1881, p. 4

Two boys, named Joseph [sic] Gaddie and John Selecman, son of George Selecman, were drowned in the Hundred-and-Two river near Bedford chapel, Thursday evening. The boys were bathing, and while in the center of the stream they both went down. It is supposed they were seized with cramps. The bodies were recovered.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Aug 1881, Friday, p. 8

Last evening John Selecman and Tom Gaddy were drowned in the Hundred-and-two river, while trying to swim across; both being good swimmers. Charles, brother of John, was present and witnessed the drowning. They were sons of George Selecman. They had come for a load of sand, near the old mill, a mile and a quarter below the McCrury bridge. Their bodies were promptly taken from the water. The Coroner went out, last night, to investigate.

Date of death: 17 Jan 1917

Subject: Uriah Scribling Gaddy

Source: *The Maitland [MO] Herald*, 18 Jan 1917, Thursday, p. 5

U. S. Gaddy a well known farmer died at his home 3 miles north-east of town, Wednesday morning. The funeral was conducted today at the M. E. Church in the country, and the burial was at the Groves Cemetery this after noon.

Date of death: 26 Jan 1882

Subject: John Gotlieb Gaemlich

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Jan 1882, Friday, p. 8

On Wednesday night of this week, Mr. John G. Gaemlich, for many years a respected citizen of Rosendale, passed across the river of death. He has been for some time losing vitality, and has at last succumbed. He was a man of strong convictions, and kept intelligent pace with the times, and denounced imposition and wrong with the strongest language at his command. His many friends will keep his memory green in their hearts for a long time after his body shall have decayed. May he rest in peace.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 Feb 1882, Friday, p. 5

Died, on Thursday, Jan. 26, 1882, Mr. John Gotlieb Gaemlich, in his 68th year.

We think a few remarks about this truly eccentric man will not be out of place. The above subject was born in Saxony, Germany, came to this country while a youth, and settled in Pennsylvania. When the California gold fever broke out, in 1849, he went there, and spent two or three years in the gold diggings, and accumulated some money. Before going to California, he was married. He returned to his home in Pennsylvania, and then removed to Ohio, where he remained but a short time, coming to Missouri in 1856, and settled upon the present town site of Rosendale, in this county, where he has resided ever since up to the time of his death. He was a man of more than ordinary intelligence-- was what the church people term an infidel. True, he did not believe in the inspiration of the Bible, though he believed it contained some historical facts writing by people full of superstition; did not believe the earth was created in six days or our time, but might have been created in six days of time, each period extended for centuries or hundreds of centuries; did not believe in anything that could not be demonstrated by some kind of solution; believed that the three imponderable agents in chemistry (heat, light and electricity) would some day, by the investigation of scientists, reveal wonders to the world; had no use for a church of orthodox belief, especially a hell, such as is described in the creed; and he said that he died, as he had lived, in the firm belief that in the grave was found perfect rest for all mankind, although willing spiritual advisers attended his dying bedside. He said: 'I want nothing to do with your kind of a God; I know that I am right; nature and nature's God is my kind of a God, composed of all the elements; no one knows whether death is the end of this life or the door to another life; man dies, but all the elements that constituted that man still existed in some form.' He was a man who had supreme contempt for anything of an immoral tendency; believed in investigating

anything thoroughly before condemning it. Has been a constant reader, for forty years, of the Boston *Investigator*, a paper liberal in its views, having a corps of able writers as contributors to its columns.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 24 Feb 1882, Friday, p. 2

Rosendale. There has been [sic] five deaths in the town and vicinity since my last communication: the first of these was Mr. John Gaelich, died Jan. 26th....

Date of death: 4 Jul 1895

Subject: --- Edwin Gaemlich, son of Harmon Gaemlich

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 12 Jul 1895, Friday, p. 1

... [illegible] Edwin, the 20-months-old-son son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram [sic] Gaemlich at ... in Rosendale, on Thursday, July [5], 1895, of cholera infantum. The remains were laid to rest in Lower Neely Grove cemetery. Elder Chapman conducted the ceremonies. The family extends thanks to those who so ... in the sad affair.-- [Rosendale

Date of death: 19 Jul 1906

Subject: Mary (Gafney) Farnan

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 26 Jul 1906, Thursday, p. 4

Mrs. William Farnan died at her home here shortly after nine o'clock Thursday evening, July 10, 1906. Mrs. Farnan had been in poor health for some time, being afflicted with cardiac asthma. On Wednesday night, she had a severe attack and never rallied. The deceased was seventy years of age and had lived in Clyde many years and was highly respected by all who knew her. The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.-- Clyde Times.

Date of death: 27 Feb 1886

Subject: John C. Gage

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 04 Mar 1886, Thursday, p. 4

Dies at his father's home Saturday morning at 6 o'clock, Johnnie Gage aged ten years. Little Johnnie was a bright boy dearly loved by his schoolmaster, and all who knew him, and will be greatly missed by all. His body was peacefully laid at rest in the Salem cemetery Sunday February 28th, Rev. Hambarger taking charge of the services. The heart stricken family have [sic] the sympathy of all in this, their hour of trouble.

Date of death: 26 Dec 1909

Subject: Sarah E. (Gage) Tanner

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 30 Dec 1909, Thursday, p. 3

Mrs. Sarah Tanner of ten miles southeast of Maryville, died Sunday evening. She was 45 years old and was the wife of J. W. Tanner. The cause of her death is not known.

She is survived by her husband and three children. The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the Salem church. Rev. Cole will be in charge. Interment will take place in the church cemetery.

Date of death: 4 Dec 1903

Subject: Frederick Justice Gager

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 11 Dec 1903, Friday, p. 1

Dr. F. J. Gager died at his home in this city on Friday, December 4, 1903, aged 65 years and 6 months. The funeral took place from the family residence on Selecman Heights, on Sunday, Dec. 6, and the remains were interred in the Savannah cemetery, after the funeral, which was conducted by Rev. A. R. Hunt.

Dr. Gager came from Iowa to Missouri in 1866, and located in Rochester, where he remained about twenty-five years and had a very lucrative practice and the esteem of that portion of the county was his. He moved to Cosby, where he continued to practice for seven years, and then moved to Savannah, and about that time his health began to fail, and he succumbed to paralysis. Dr. Gager was a skilled physician. He never kept any books, and was generous to the extreme. His liberality and kind heartedness made him easily imposed upon.

Dr. Gager leaves a wife, son Fred, and daughters, Mrs. Jessup, Mrs. Lyon and Miss Edith.

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Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Dec 1903, Friday, p. 1

Frederick Justice Gager was born near Oberlin, Ohio, June 4, 1838, and died at his home in Savannah, December 4th, 1903. He came with his family to Iowa when about twelve years old. He was married to Sarah Farris in 1865. Of this union five children were born, four of whom with their mother survive him. Dr. Gager came to Rochester in 1867 where he remained till 1887, then going to Cosby. He removed from Cosby to Savannah in 1893. The Dr. became a member of the Lutheran church in early manhood. He identified himself with the Christian church in Savannah in February, 1898. Dr. Gager was for many years a successful physician. The funeral was conducted from the home by Rev. A. R. Hunt and interment in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 22 Jul 1876

Subject: Israel D. Gager

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Jul 1876, Friday, p. 1

Rochester, July 24. The father of our fellow-townsmen, Dr. F. J. Gager, died on Saturday, the 22d, and was buried on Sunday.

Date of death: 9 Nov 1885

Subject: Julius A. Gaines

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Daily News*, 10 Nov 1885, p. 1

J. A. Gaines, better known as Gus Gaines, shot himself while hunting yesterday afternoon about five miles northeast of this city. He, in company with Clarence Saunders, a reporter on the *Gazette*, left this city on Sunday night and started out on a hunting expedition. When in the vicinity of the old Baker farm Gaines and Saunders became separated and shortly afterwards Sanders [sic] heard the report of a gun and supposing that his companion had fired at game and asked him what he had shot. Sanders [sic] received no reply and a few minutes later found his companion lying on the ground and that his shirt was covered with blood. Lifting up his head he saw that his companion was dying. He immediately rushed to the residence of Dr. Scott but ere he returned with medical assistance Gaines was dead.

Gaines had attempted to climb a rail fence and accidentally struck the hammer on a rail thereby [sic] discharging the gun. So close was the muzzle to Gaines' breast that when the doctor arrived the clothes of the dead man were burning. Both barrels of the gun had been discharged the load of No. 6 squirrel shot lodging in his breast. The body was immediately taken to the home of the dead man and the funeral service will take place on Wednesday afternoon at Fairview church.

Mr. Gaines was 43 [sic] years old, and leaves a wife and four children, the eldest being 14 years old. He also has a brother, Mr. Marion Gaines, and an unmarried sister. He was a nephew of ex Mayor Beattie, of this city, and had a very large acquaintance here.

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Source: *The Daily [Topeka KS] Commonwealth*, 10 Nov 1885, Tuesday, p. 1

St. Joseph, Nov. 9.-- This afternoon J. A. Gaines, a prominent farmer residing seven miles northeast of this city, while out hunting with Clarence E. Saunders, a reporter of the *Gazette*, was accidentally killed. Having crossed a deep ravine, he stopped a moment to rest on a rail fence. The rail turned beneath him, and the hammers of his double barreled [sic] shot gun struck a lower rail. Both barrels were discharged into his breast. When Mr. Saunders reached him he was dying. Hastening to Dr. Scott's, half a mile distant, he gave the alarm, and word was sent to Mrs. Gaines, who in a few moments came galloping on horseback to the terrible scene. Mr. Gaines was dead before the doctor arrived.

The coroner of Andrew county has been notified and will hold an inquest to-morrow. The deceased was 43 years old and leaves a wife and four children.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Nov 1885, Friday, p. 1

An accidental shooting, fatal in its results, occurred yesterday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock, at a point about five miles north of St. Joseph, the victim being J. A. Gaines, well known in St. Joseph and Buchanan county, and in Andrew county, his home, and one of the most substantial farmers of the latter county.

Mr. Clarence Saunders, of the *Gazette* local force, and his family, has for some time been intimately acquainted with Mr. Gaines and his family, and nearly a year ago the two gentlemen arranged and planned the hunt which has resulted so disastrously for one. Last Saturday,

according to agreement, Mr. Saunders went with his wife and children to Mr. Gaines' house, seven miles northeast of the city. All day Saturday the two men spent in hunting, and the sport was resumed yesterday morning. At about 2:30 o'clock the two sportsmen ate dinner at the home of Mr. Sam Turner, and started for the afternoon hunting from his house.

Not a great distance from Mr. Turner's house is a dry ravine with steep banks on either side, about thirty feet high. In crossing this ravine Mr. Gaines took the lead and was at the top on the farther side while Mr. Saunders was still at the bottom. Before the latter reached the top he heard the discharge of a gun above him, and supposed that Mr. Gaines had shot at game. Calling out, for he was out of sight of his companion, being in the act of climbing up the embankment, he asked what he killed. Receiving no response, Mr. Saunders hastened his ascent, and on gaining the top saw Mr. Gaines on all fours in the corner of a rail fence and, as Mr. Saunders then supposed, in the act of looking for something. Going up to him, the latter discovered there was blood on his companion's shirt front, and noticed that he was vomiting. Seeing at a glance that something terrible had happened, and yet hardly knowing what it was, or allowing himself to believe that his worst fears were well grounded, but at the same time realizing that something must be done, Mr. Saunders started on a run for the house of a farmer near by and called for help.

In the course of perhaps fifteen minutes, with a party of three or four, he had returned to the spot where he had left Mr. Gaines. The latter was lying on his face, dead. A hasty examination of the premises, followed by a more careful one, showed the following, which is accepted as the most plausible theory of the unfortunate and sad affair.

When Mr. Gaines gained the top of the ravine, ... [*a few words illegible*] top of the rail fence, with his gun ... legs, the stock down and the ... his hands. The rail upon which he was sitting must have turned with ... to save himself from a fall forward, he threw his weight upon his gun, the hammers of which he always carried at half cock. The hammers struck the lower rail and both barrels were discharged, the contents, squirrel shot, entering Mr. Gaines' breast, the lower point of the sternum of breast bone. The wounded man dropped the gun at once and staggered or fell forward about thirty feet, to where he was first seen by Mr. Saunders.

The above is taken because there were on the rail fence, near the gun, marks of Mr. Gaines' heels, and mud from his boots. On the ground was an unlighted cigarette, which he was probably in the act of putting fire to. On one of the lower rails were marks as if made by the two hammers of the breech-loading gun, and on the ground was one of those hammers, broken off by the force of the shock of the weight with which Mr. Gaines leaned forward upon his gun. When the party reached the fatal spot, Mr. Saunders' gun, both barrels loaded, was found lying on the ground where he had dropped it upon starting for help, and the dead man's vest and shirt were burning, ignited by the wads from the gun.

Mr. Gaines was about forty-three years of age, and leaves a wife and four children, three sons and a daughter.

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On Tuesday, Justice of the Peace J. B. Majors, of this city, in the absence of Coroner Joy from the city, proceeded to the residence of the deceased, where his remains had been removed, and impaneled [sic] the following jury: T. H. Gordon, T. J. Kelley, Alex. Miller, C. W. Gedultig, M.

E. Snodgrass, T. J. Townsend, who, after a thorough investigation, returned the verdict that deceased came to his death at his own hands accidentally, in accordance with the foregoing account from the *Herald*.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 27 Nov 1885, Friday, p. 3

We have been informed that J. A. Gaines on the Saturday before the fatal accident which terminated in his death, liquidated the last debt against him in this world.

Date of death: 3/4 Sep 1899

Subject: Lucy J. M. (Gainey) Foster

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Sep 1899, Friday, p. 1

Died. At the residence of her son-in-law, E. B. Siglus [sic] in St. Joseph on Monday, Sept. 4, 1899, Mrs. Lucy M. Foster of congestion of the brain.

Mrs. Foster was born in Kentucky, December 16, 1844, came to Missouri and was united in marriage with Gideon Foster in 1862 and they lived together happily until her death. She was brought home from Chicago, where she had been for treatment, on Sept. 3.

While her family deeply mourn the loss of a kind wife and mother, a happy greeting is awaiting her and it is soothing consolation to her bereaved family to know she died without complaint or fear.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. L. F. Minturn of the Episcopal church in Amazonia, and the remains were laid to rest in the Greenwich [sic] cemetery Wednesday, Sept. 6.

Date of death: 5 Feb 1888

Subject: Isabel (Galaway) Brown

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

Mrs. Isabel Brown, wife of George Brown, deceased, died at the residence of her son-in-law, W. S. Dorrell, west of Savannah, on Sunday, February 5, 1888, at the advanced age of 85 years, 8 months, and 18 days. Her maiden name was Galaway, and she was born in Barren county, Kentucky. She became the wife of George Brown in 1821; they removed to Andrew county in 1841. Deceased was a faithful member of the Dunker [sic] Church for over fifty years, and declared herself ready and willing to go and be with Christ, which is far better. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Samuel Huffman at the residence of Mr. W. S. Dorrell, on Monday, and the remains were taken to the cemetery near Cosby for burial.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 10 Feb 1888, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- At the residence of her son-in-law, W. S. Dorrell, west of Savannah, Mo., on Sunday, Feb. 5, 1888, Mrs. Isabel Brown, wife of Geo. Brown, deceased, aged 85 years, 8 months and 18 days.

Date of death: 30 Mar 1903

Subject: Marguerite Galbraith

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 02 Apr 1903, Thursday, p. 8

The seven months old babe of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Galbraith died at their home southeast of Hopkins Monday of pneumonia. The funeral was from the Methodist church at Gaynor City Tuesday.

Date of death: 2 Jun 1917

Subject: William H. Galbraith

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 07 Jun 1917, Thursday, p. 8

William H. Galbraith, 76 years old, died at his home near the Wabash depot at 8:30 o'clock Saturday evening from old age. He had been ill about two weeks.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the residence. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mr. Galbraith is an old resident of Maryville, having lived here for a number of years. He was a Civil war veteran. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, and three sons. His children are: Stella, living at home, Jim Galbraith of Bedison, Ed Galbraith of Kansas and Charles Galbraith of St. Joseph.

Date of death: 12 Feb 1902

Subject: Avanelle (Galbreath) Lewis

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 07 Mar 1902, Friday, p. 1

On Sunday or Monday the body of Mrs. Lewis, once Avanelle Galbreath, will be brought here and taken to Fillmore for burial. She was well known to many people in Northwest Andrew. Mayor F. Knickerbocker, of this city, was her guardian while a minor.

'Ava Gilbert' was the stage name of Avanelle Gilbert. It was announced by telegraph on the 12th of February that she was killed in the presence of a theater full of people at Newport News, Virginia, the night before. She was a trapeze or flying ring performer, and her foot accidentally caught in one of the rings, causing her to slip and fall a distance of twenty-five feet to the floor, breaking her neck, and in ten minutes she was dead.

Miss Galbreath was a native of Fillmore, in this county. She was a handsome woman, was fond of the stage, and married an actor, Philip Lewis, about five years ago, but later separated from him. Three years ago her mother moved to New York, where the daughter made her home with her four-year-old son. Miss Galbreath graduated from a college in Indiana. She first joined a

theatrical company in Canada and took part with them for a year. It was during this time she learned the flying ring act. She was 26 years of age.

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

Death came to a feast that had been prepared by Mrs. Elizabeth Galbreath, of No. 415 West Thirty-third street, for the homecoming of her daughter. Phil Lewis, her baby grandson, skipped about the house in glee, for his mamma was coming to visit him.

Neighbors had been bidden, but at the appointed hour Mrs. Galbreath's daughter did not arrive. She was an actress, a sensational trapeze [sic] performer, known as Mlle. Gilbrette, all over the eastern vaudeville circuit.

She was playing in Norfolk, Va., last Monday night, when fire started behind the scenes. Her presence of mind in organizing a bucket brigade saved the theater and averted a panic. As a reward her manager promised her a vacation and yesterday afternoon Mrs. Galbreath received a letter in which her daughter wrote she expected to be home last evening to see her little boy.

Hurried preparations were made for her coming. At 9 o'clock last night came a knock at the door. Mrs. Galbreath hurried forward, expecting to clasp her daughter in her arms. Instead she was confronted by a telegraph messenger.

'Your daughter killed here tonight by fall,' read the despatch [sic] from Newport News, Va. Mrs. Galbreath fainted, and doctors had to work all night over her to save her from death by heart failure.

Mlle. Gilbrette ended her aerial act with a swing from her trapeze, catching her feet in a loop about twenty-five feet from the floor. Last night at the Powhatan theatre her foot slipped and she fell headlong to the stage. Her neck was broken and she died within ten minutes.

Mrs. Galbreath said today that her daughter had performed in many New York theaters, but being a strict Methodist she had never seen her. She has never entered a theater. Mrs. Galbreath is the author of several works directed against the teachings of Ingersoll, and she is a regular contributor to religious magazines. She said the dead girl had run away and become a singer while at the World's Fair in Chicago. Four years ago, while traveling with a stock company she married Phil Lewis, the leading man, but he deserted her before their baby was born.

Mlle. Gilbrette's body will be brought here from Newport News and her mother will take it to Fillmore, Mo., to bury it beside her father and sister and brother.

The above taken from the New York World of February 12 tells of the sad ending of a life full of promise. Mrs. Lewis was born in Andrew county, and after her father's death was educated by Capt. Knickerbocker. He sent her to college at Valparaiso, Ind. where she graduated with honor in music. Her first venture behind the footlights was as a musician, taking up the other line of stage work later.

The remains will arrive in this city next Saturday or Sunday and will be laid away beside those of her father and brother in the Fillmore cemetery.

Same

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

Mrs. Elizabeth Galbreath and daughter Mrs. Barrett, and son John Galbreath and the little child of Mrs. Lewis, accompanied the remains of Mrs. Avanelle Galbreath from New York to Fillmore.

The remains of Mrs. Galbreath arrived here last Saturday on the 4:33 Maple Leaf train, and were taken to Fillmore, where they were interred in the cemetery at that place Sunday at 2 p.m. The funeral was preached by the pastor of the M.E. church.

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Source: *Holt County [MO] Sentinel*, 14 Mar 1902, p. 1

On Sunday or Monday the body of Mrs. Lewis, once Avanelle Galbreath, will be brought here [Savannah] and taken to Fillmore for burial. She was well known to many people to many people in northwest Andrew. Mayor F. Knickerbecker [sic], of this city, was her guardian while a minor. "Ava Gilbert" was the stage name of Avanelle Gilbert [sic]. It was announced by telegraph on the 12th of February that she was killed in the presence of a theater full of people at Newport News, Va., the night before. She was a trapeze or flying ring perfore [sic] and her foot accidentally caught in one of the rings, causing her to slip and fall a distance of 25 feet to the floor, breaking her neck, and in ten minutes she was dead. Miss Galbreath was a native of Fillmore, in this county. She was [a] handsome woman, was fond of the stage, and married an actor, Philip Lewis, about five years ago, but later separated from him. Three years ago her mother moved to New York, where the daughter made her home with her 4-year-old son. Miss Galbreath graduated from a college in Indiana. She first joined a theatrical company in Canada and took part with them for a year. It was during this time she learned the flying ring act. She was 26 years of age.-- Savannah Reporter

Date of death: 26 Apr 1912

Subject: Beryl Beale Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 May 1912, Friday, p. 5

Cawood. Mrs. S. Galbreath and Mrs. Ulie Craig were called to St. Joseph Friday by the illness of Burrel [sic] Galbreath, who died at a hospital there at 6:30 Friday evening, following an operation for appendicitis. Burrel was the twelve year old son of Lewis and Winnie Galbreath, who live near Barnard. The parents and relatives of this bright and beloved little one have numerous friends her who are in deepest sympathy with them in this sorrowful event.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 May 1912, Friday, p. 10

Died, at Ensworth hospital on the evening of April 26 at 6 o'clock, Beryl Beale Galbreath, only son of Lewis E. and Winnie Galbreath, aged twelve years, six months and twenty three days, leaving a broken hearted father, mother, a little sister and many relatives and kind friends to mourn. The body was taken to his parents' home seven miles west of Barnard where a large number of kind neighbors had gathered in sorrow and sympathy to do all possible for the bereaved ones and to supply their temporal needs. On the Sabbath morning his dear form was borne to the Graham M. E. church where the Rev. A. C. Brown, a former pastor, preached a most tender comforting sermon on Christ's love for his little ones, and little Beryl was truly a lamb of Christ's fold as his testament [sic] in the church where he had been a faithful member for two years, and his deeds of love in school, in the Sabbath school, and his bright loving thoughtfulness in the home life, gave abundant evidence that he was a little Christian. Beautiful flowers surrounded the casket but he was the sweetest flower of all. After the last tender words were spoken the last beautiful songs were sung the little body was buried in the Prairie Home cemetery beside the little brother whom he had missed so much, another tie to bind the bereaved ones to heaven. His little life of love was lent for a few short years but the memory of him will ever live with those who loved him so.

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Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Gazette*, 29 Apr 1912, p. 7

The body of Baryl [sic] B. Galbreath, aged 12 years, who died in a hospital here, was taken Saturday to his home in Graham, Mo., for burial. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Galbreath.

Date of death: 13 Feb 1922

Subject: Edith J. (Galbreath) Fisher

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 17 Feb 1922, Friday, p. 5

Rea Items. The remains of Mrs. Edith Galbraith [sic] Fisher reach Rea from Mayo Brothers hospital, Rochester, Minn., where she had undergone a fatal operation for an abscess [sic] in the head. She was known and loved by those in her girlhood neighborhood (the Walnut Grove) and her married life was spent in the Star Chapel neighborhood where the same can be said of her.

same

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 15 Feb 1922, Wednesday, p. 11

Maryville, Mo., Feb 15.—Mrs. Alvin [sic] Fisher of King City died Monday night at the Mayon Brothers' Hospital, Rochester, Minn., following an operation Saturday morning for the removal of a tumor on the brain, according to a message received yesterday by her sister, Mrs. George Moore, of this city. Mrs. Fisher is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Mary Galbreath, of near Bolckow; four brothers, Lewis, Joseph, James and Frank Galbreath, all of near Bolckow, and two sisters, Mrs. Ulie Craig of near Bolckow and Mrs. George Moore of Maryville. Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

Date of death: 2 Mar 1882

Subject: Esther Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Mar 1882, Friday, p. 1

Fillmore. March 6. The death of Miss Esther Galbreath, which occurred in this village on Thursday, about 3 o'clock, casts a heavy shade of sorrow and a pall of grief upon the hearts of our sympathizing citizens; it is a striking illustration of that frequent reminder, 'Life is uncertain.' Miss Galbreath was an exemplary young lady, greatly respected and highly esteemed by all who knew her. But a few days prior to her death she was an apparent picture of good health, enjoying life in the bloom of youth, and whose beaming countenance was radiant with the amiable purity of soul within. The deceased was the eldest daughter of John Galbreath, Esq., a resident of our village and a merchant of Kansas. The remains were interred in the Fillmore cemetery on Friday. The inconsolable grief of the family is shared by the entire community.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 10 Mar 1882, Friday, p. 5

Hester [sic], daughter of John and Elizabeth Galbreath, departed this life after a short illness of two weeks, of typhoid and pneumonia fever, in her 17th year. The subject of this notice was universally loved and respected for her quiet manner and lady-like deportment. Her bereaved parents have the deepest sympathies of the community. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by her school-mates:

Whereas, it has pleased God, in his mysterious providence, to remove by death one of our number in the person of Hester Galbreath from the school-room, with its trials, to the great recitation-room, with its rewards in Heaven; and

Whereas, Her conduct in our midst was truly worthy of our best efforts, the effect of whose example is sadly missed; therefore, be it

Resolved. That we extend to her bereaved parents, brothers and sisters, our heartfelt sympathy; that we drape her now vacant desk with emblems of mourning; and that a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the school record.

Date of death: 12 May 1887

Subject: James Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Sep 1889, Friday, p. 5

From Father's [John Anderson] Diary. Found after his death, by Lean Galbreath. Published by request.

Fillmore, Mo., Feb. 13, 1887.-- This Sabbath day my father's family are all at home once more, the first for a long time, and in all human probability will be the last one on this earth. My father is very poorly, and failing very fast, and when at our different homes are scattered, some one place and some another, and I feel that my own hold upon life was very slim at times. Sammie goes home to-day and Joe to-morrow; so the chances are that we will not all meet again.

Fillmore, Mo., May 15, 1887.-- My dear father has gone, after a long and useful life; he has left us for his home above, for which he has been striving these many years. Father died May 12, on Thursday at 10 o'clock and ten minutes. He passed away without a struggle. About 3 o'clock, Tuesday morning, he and I knelt in prayer for the last time on this earth. But he knelt in prayer about ten minutes before he died.

Same

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

The relatives of James Galbreath, who died in Texas last week, arrived here Monday. The remains were taken to Fillmore, Wednesday, where they were interred.

Date of death: 6 Jan 1899

Subject: James S. Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 13 Jan 1899, Friday, p. 8

The remains of James Galbreath were brought to Savannah, Tuesday, from Texas, where he died last Saturday. The remains were held here until the arrival of relatives from the East, when they were taken to Fillmore for burial. Mr. Galbreath was formerly in the jewelry business in this city.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 13 Jan 1899, Friday, p. 1

Died. Jas. S. Galbreath, in San Antonio, Texas of consumption, aged 31 years. The remains were brought here Tuesday and are now in the undertaking rooms of Mr. Kinzer. They will be held until the arrival of relatives from Chicago, when they will be taken to Fillmore for burial.

Date of death: 25 Aug 1889

Subject: John Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Aug 1889, Friday, p. 1

Fillmore. Aug. 27. Death has again visited our town, and claimed for its victim Mr. John Galbreath, one of our most honored and respected citizens. He was fifty years, three months and twenty three days old. In his death society loses a useful member, the bereaved family a loving husband and father, and Fillmore an enterprising citizen. The general respect in which he was held by his neighbors was shown by the large concourse of people who followed his remains to their last resting place. He was buried under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity, deceased having been a useful and active member of that benevolent order. The funeral was preached by Rev. Warner, of Oregon. He died on Sunday morning, August 25, at 3 o'clock, and was buried the following day in Fillmore cemetery. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 30 Aug 1889, Friday, p. 8

John Galbreath was born in the State of Delaware, May 2, 1839, and moved with his parents, when but a child, to Morgan county, Ohio, remaining there until August, 1861, when he answered his country's call, enlisting in Company F, 18th Ohio Infantry, as a private, returning home in the fall of 1864 a First Lieutenant. He was married in 1865 to Elizabeth Andrews, and moved to Fillmore, Mo. From this union five children were born, four of whom survive him. In 1868 he removed to his farm in Nodaway county. Selling the farm in 1876, he returned to Fillmore, where he resided, honored and respected by all, until his death. He was an active member of Fillmore Post, No. 170, G.A.R. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity, Monday afternoon, the funeral being attended by a large number of friends. He died Sunday morning, Aug. 25, 1889, aged 50 years, 3 months and 23 days. Rev. C. H. Warner, of Oregon, Mo., preached the funeral at the Methodist Church.

[Resolutions from Lincoln Lodge No. 138, A.F. and A.M.]

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 30 Aug 1889, Friday, p. 3

John Galbreath died at his residence in Fillmore, Sunday morning, August 25, 1889, after a short illness with flux, aged 50 years, 3 months and 23 days.

He was born in the state of Delaware [sic], May 2, 1839, and moved with his parents when but a child to Morgan county, Ohio, remaining there until 1861. In August 1861 he answer his county's [sic] call by enlisting in Company F, Ohio Infantry, as a private, returning in the fall of 1864 as 1st Lieut. He married Elizabeth Andrews in the spring of 1865, and moved to Fillmore, Mo. From this union five children were born, four of whom survive him. In 1868 he moved to his farm in Nodaway county, selling his farm in 1876, he returned to Fillmore where he has since resided, honored and respected by all. He was an active member of the Fillmore Post No. 170, G. A. R. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity, and followed by a large concourse of sympathizing friends. His funeral was preached at the Methodist church by Rev. C. J. Warner, of Oregon, Mo.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Sep 1889, Friday, p. 5

From Father's Diary. Found after his death, by Lean Galbreath. Published by request.

May 2, 1882.-- This is my 43d birthday, and my dear old mother cooked me a birthday dinner. At table she said it would very likely be the last she would ever cook for me. Last birthday dinner my poor dear Etta cooked, and today she lay under the cold ground.

*The vacant chair recalls to mind a face we loved so well;
The fireside picture on the wall hath, too, a tale to tell;
What noble charms, what womanly grace, What generous strife and will!
Lo, over all the darkened place are voices never still.*

Fillmore, Mo., July 4, 1882.-- One year ago today we ate our last 4th of July dinner with our darling Etta in Kenyon's grove. She's gone, and left us, to a place where they sicken and die no more. We miss her; we miss her; none can tell but them that have passed through the ordeal.

*Ah, once so fair the summit lay
Before the eager view,
And all along the miring way
The shining laurel grew.*

*Since silence fell upon our son,
A darkness through our doors,
And sudden mem'ry, with her strong
Re-echoed, Never more.*

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Source: *St. Joseph [MO] Herald*, 28 Aug 1889, p. 6

Editor of the Herald: At the burial of John Galbreath, S.V.C., of Filmore [sic] Post No. 170, Department of Missouri, G.A.R., who was also a Master Mason, the American flag, as well as all other emblems of the G.A.R., were ruled out, as the authorities conducting the services probably did not wish, at this solemn time, to be reminded that the deceased was one of those who dared to face the music and fight for the old flag. It appears to me that, through respect for the wishes of relatives and comrades, a compromise might have been affected agreeable to all except a few "last ditchers."

Poor Old Missouri

Date of death: Jul 1901

Subject: Mary Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 2 Aug 1901, Friday, p. 8

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Galbreath, of Cawood, came over to attend the funeral of their grandchild, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Galbreath's baby, and remained here several days.-- *Graham Post*.

Date of death: 14 Jan 1902

Subject: Samuel Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 6

Cawood. Jan. 15. Mr. Samuel Galbreath died yesterday morning at about 7 o'clock, of cancer of the stomach. Funeral services will be held at the Walnut Grove Church to-day at 11 o'clock a.m. by Rev. Petree.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 17 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 8

Cawood. Mr. Galbreath is very low at this writing.

Rea. We learn today of the death of Mr. Galbreath of near Cawood. This is indeed sad news to his many friends here.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 24 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 5 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 24 Jan 1902, Friday, p. 5

From the Whitesville *Banner*. Samuel Galbreath was born in Morgan county, Ohio, Feb. 9, 1842. Died Jan. 14, 1902. He was the son of praying parents who were old time Methodists. He grew to manhood in the same county where he was born and enlisted in Company I, First Ohio Heavy Artillery, July 5, 1865. He came to Missouri in the spring of 1866. On May 21, 1868, was united in marriage to Miss Mary Beale. To this union seven children were born, all of whom survive him. He joined the Methodist church about sixteen years ago, under the ministry of W. F. Sapp, at Mount Zion Church, but was never received into full connection. He always loved to read his Bible, and was a kind and affectionate husband and father, an honest, upright citizen, and a kind and obliging friend and neighbor. Through his last illness he exhibited wonderful patience and fortitude, and near the end assured his family that all was well and he was going home. He leaves a wife, four sons and three daughters and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss. The funeral was preached by Rev. Petree, of King City, after which the remains were consigned to their last resting place in the Walnut Grove cemetery.

Date of death: Feb 1908

Subject: Vyron R. Galbreath

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Feb 1908, Friday, p. 4

Byron [sic] R. Galbreath,

Youngest son of Lewis Galbreath and wife, died after twenty-six days of intense suffering; the little eyes were closed in death the little bud of so many hopes was transplanted in the garden of the Lord-- aged 3 years, 1 month and 6 days. All that loving hands could do was done, but of no avail. The little prattling voice so dear to the parents' heart is no longer heard in the home. A beautiful comforting funeral sermon was preached in the home on Sunday, Feb. 16, by their former pastor, Rev. Thompson, of Barnard M. B. church; then the little white, [sic] casket

containing the lovely little form was borne by loving hands to the beautiful Prairie Home Cemetery at Graham and laid to rest.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1895

Subject: Bridget (Gallagher) Cunningham

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 10 Jan 1895, Thursday, p. 5

Mrs. Thomas Cunningham died at St. Joseph hospital, this city, Wednesday morning, January 9, 1895, from meningitis of the brain. She had been removed from her home to the Hospital, but a few days before. Her maiden name was Bridget Gallagher. She would have been 32 years of age on the 30th of January, 1895. She was married to Thomas Cunningham ten years ago. She leaves a devoted husband and two children-- a little girl, Hazel May, aged eight years, and a little boy, Francis Ralph, aged about four.

The funeral services will be held at St. Mary's church, Friday, January 11, at 10 a.m., conducted by Rev. Fr. Anselm.

Her body was removed last evening to the suite of rooms of her cousin, Frank Gallagher, over Schumacher & Kirch's store. She was an amiable woman, of bright and cheerful disposition-- a good wife and loving mother, and her death is deeply lamented by a large circle of friends whose sympathies will be extended the husband and other relatives.

Date of death: 19 Apr 1919

Subject: Mary Ann (Gallagher) Haffey

Source: *The Kansas City [MO] Times*, 19 Apr 1919, Saturday, p. 16

Mrs. Mary Haffey, 57 years old, died yesterday at her home, 1305 Shawnee Avenue, Kansas side. She had been a resident of the Kansas side twenty-eight years. The survivors are her husband, Patrick Haffey, and seven children: Margaret and Edward of the home address; John, who is in France; Bert of St. Joseph; Mrs. Harry Bruce, 1825 South Twelfth Street; Mrs. Harry Smith, 1510 South Seventeenth Street; Mrs. John Tinner, 1427 Wyoming Street, and three brothers, John, Felix and Edward Galige [sic] of Marysville [sic], Mo. Funeral services will be held at 8:15 o'clock Monday morning at St. Thomas Roman Catholic Church. Burial at St. Mary's Cemetery.

Date of death: 26 Dec 1886

Subject: Peter Gallagher

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 30 Dec 1886, Thursday, p. 4

Peter Gallagher, died at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Cunningham, in this city, last Sunday night, of erysipelas in the head. He was buried Tuesday, the 28th, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. Father Pembroke at St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Date of death: 5 Jul 1888

Subject: Edmond Gamble

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 6 Jul 1888, Friday, p. 8

We learn that a son of Wm. Gamble, aged thirteen, died last night.

Date of death: 21 Oct 1923

Subject: Samuel Gallamore

Source: *Gallatin [MO] North Missourian*, 25 Oct 1923, Thursday, p. 1

Samuel Gallamore, one of the most widely known residents of this community, passed away last Saturday night at a hospital in Savannah, Mo., where he had gone for treatment. The end came suddenly, as he had been there only a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Gallamore left Gallatin some two weeks ago for a visit with their children, Dr. John Gallamore, of Fairbury, Nebr., and Mrs. Rosa Crabtree, of Lincoln, Nebr. He was there several days when it was decided to go to Savannah in an effort to get relief from his affliction, with the result that he passed away only a short time after reaching the hospital. Mr. Gallamore was one of the most widely known residents of this community and his kindly bearing and unique manner made friends everywhere. The body was brought to Gallatin Sunday and funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the Christian church, conducted by Rev. W. H. Funderburk. Burial was at Creekmore cemetery.

The following sketch was read at the services: Samuel Gallamore was born July 26, 1845 in Daviess county, Missouri, and resided all his life in this county save a period of two years. He was one of the oldest settlers in the county, being at the time of his death 78 years 2 months and 24 days of age. He was married to Miss Lizzie Mapes in 1874. To this union three children were born, Dr. John Gallamore, who lives in Fairbury, Nebr., and Mrs. Rosa Crabtree, of Lincoln, Nebraska. One child died in infancy. He joined the United Brethern [sic] church when he was a young man, and united with the Christian church, with his wife 48 years ago, last January. He is survived by his wife, two brothers and two sisters, Nelson Gallamore, of Kansas City; Thomas Gallamore, of Altamont; Mrs. Fred Snider of Altamont and Mrs. Renda Barker, of Gallatin, three grandchildren and one great grandchild. The children and relatives were all present at the funeral. Mr. Gallamore was a member of the Gallatin I.O.O.F. Lodge for 34 years. During all his suffering he did not burden those about him with his affliction, but rather a cheer [sic] smile, a kindly word and a good story was resorted to to relieve the sympathy with him in his suffering.

Date of death: 21 Feb 1886

Subject: Eliza (Gallaway) Keck

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Feb 1886, Friday, p. 8 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 26 Feb 1886, Friday, p. 3

Sister Eliza Keck died, in the triumphs of a living faith in a living Redeemer, at her residence in Savannah, at half-past 2 o'clock p.m. February 21, 1886. She was born January 31, 1825, in Bracken county, Kentucky, and was married to her now deeply bereaved husband February 5, 1845, in Georgetown, Brown county, Ohio. She was the only child of William and Nancy Gallaway, who survive her, but they mourn not as those who have no hope. Sister Keck joined the M. E. Church when only about fourteen years of age, and she was truly 'a devout woman, and one who feared God with all her house.' She was one of God's 'elect ladies;' and it may truly be said of her, she was 'the salt of the earth.' She was a friend to all, and had not, I reckon, an enemy on earth. She made no disturbance either in church, state, community or family. She was a

woman of peace and delighted in making peace. 'Blessed are the peacemakers; for they shall be called the children of God.' Sister Keck was a great but uncomplaining, sufferer for years. She was true to God and her vows; true to the church and every principle of right--in a word, she was a model of godliness, and was rich in good works. She has left, on the shores of time, a kind husband, Bro. C. C. Keck, an aged father and mother, three children and many true friends to mourn her death, but she and we had 'hope in her death.' The M. E. Church, South, in Savannah is poorer, but heaven is richer, since Sister Eliza Keck left us. May heaven bless her loved ones left behind.

Her funeral took place Monday, February 22, at 2 o'clock, from the family residence, and was largely attended by the best of Savannah's citizens. God said from heaven: '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.' Sister Keck will undoubtedly 'have a part in the first resurrection and shall not be hurt of the second death.'

D. F. Bone, Pastor.

Date of death: 24 Apr 1893

Subject: Mrs. Nancy Galloway

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Apr 1893, Friday, p. 1

Sister Nancy Galloway [sic] was born in Bracken [sic] county, Kentucky, in 1806. She was married to Wm. Galloway in 1824 and came to Missouri in 1857. She was a member of the Methodist Church for more than fifty years. On the 24th of April, 1893, in St. Joseph, she laid aside her mortal body to cross over on the other side, where husband and child had preceeded [sic] her. May those who remain, meet her on the other shore.

Date of death: 10 Apr 1909

Subject: Jacob V. Gallion

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Forum*, 15 Apr 1909, Thursday, p. 1

Jacob Gallion died late Saturday night at the Federal Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth, Kansas, at the matured age of eighty six years. He formerly lived in Maryville and was in the shoemaking business at that time. He will be remembered by many Maryville people. The aged man is survived by a son who lives in Trenton. Mr. Gallion went from here to the soldiers' home about six years ago. The body was interred in the cemetery adjoining the home.

Date of death: 24 Apr 1893

Subject: Mrs. Nancy Galloway

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Apr 1893, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At the residence of her daughter in St. Joseph, Mo., Nancy Galloway [sic], wife of Wm. Galloway, deceased, aged 87 years.

Mrs. Galloway was born in Bracken county, Kentucky, in 1806, and in 1824 was married to Wm. Galloway [sic]. In 1857 they came to Missouri and lived in Savannah for many years and since

the death of her husband a few years ago she has resided with her son-in-law and daughter. Her remains were brought here Tuesday and after services at the M. E. Church, South, with which denomination she has been connected for over fifty years, they were interred in the cemetery here.

Date of death: 2 May 1890

Subject: William Galloway

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 09 May 1890, Friday, p. 1

William Galloway, an old citizen of Savannah, died at his residence in this city, last Friday afternoon, at twenty minutes of four o'clock. He leaves an aged wife and three married daughters. The funeral took place from the M. E. Church, South, of which deceased was a member, on Sunday afternoon, a large number of persons being in attendance.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 09 May 1890, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- At his residence in Savannah, Mo., Friday afternoon May 2, 1890, Mr. William Galloway, aged 87 years and 9 months. He leaves an aged wife and several married daughters. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the M. E. church, South.

Date of death: 21 Mar 1897

Subject: Julia Ann (Gamble) Duff

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Mar 1897, Friday, p. 8

Died. At her home on Sunday, March 21, 1897, Mrs. Julian [sic] Ann Duff, wife of Edward Duff, aged 24 years, 8 months and 19 days. The burial took place at the Baptist church west of Savannah, on March 23, 1897.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 26 Mar 1897, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- On Sunday, March 21st, 1897, at 12:30 p.m., Julia Ann Duff, wife of Edward Duff, aged 24 years, 8 months and 19 days.

Date of death: 21 Dec 1883

Subject: Virginia Agnes Gamble

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 04 Jan 1884, Friday, p. 3

Virginia A., daughter of Wm. Gamble, died of pneumonia at the residence of her parents, in Lincoln township, Dec. 21, 1883, aged 14 years, 5 months and 10 days.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 11 Jan 1884, Friday, p. 3

The following deaths have been reported for the month of December, 1883:

December 21. Virginia Agnes Gamble, aged 14 years, pneumonia.

Date of death: 12 Nov 1919

Subject: William Gamble

Source: *The Gibbon [NE] Reporter*, 13 Nov 1919, Thursday, p. 7

Word has been received here of the death of William Gamble at Excelsior Springs [sic], Mo., yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. Mr. Gamble went to that place² some weeks ago in the hopes of benefitting his health. The remains will be brought here for burial.

Date of death: 23 Aug 1913

Subject: William M. Gamble

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 29 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

The funeral of William Gamble took place at the home a mile west of Savannah Monday afternoon conducted by Rev. A. R. Hunt. He had lived in Andrew county for forty-five years and a procession of forty-six vehicles followed the remains to the Savannah cemetery.

All Mr. Gamble's life he had been a hard worker and of recent years he had been a constant sufferer with that he thought was rheumatism but the disease had become so acute that he was taken to the hospital and operated on Monday and it was found that he had been suffering from a cancerous tumor in the lower part of the abdominal cavity and that at the time of the operation it was about the size of a half gallon cup. He rallied after the operation and lived until Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

William Gamble was born in New Castle, Penn., June 11, 1835, being seventy-eight years, two months and twelve days old. He came from new Castle, Penn., to Iberia, Ohio, with his parents in early childhood. He was united in marriage with Miss Sophia Monahan January 1, 1863, at Marion, Ohio. To this union seven children were born. Three of whom preceded him to the better land in infancy and one daughter grew to womanhood. He came to Andrew county in 1868 settling on a farm west of Savannah.

same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 29 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

William Gamble was born in New Castle, Pennsylvania, June 11, 1835, died in St. Joseph at the Ensworth hospital at 8 p.m. August 23, 1913, age 78 years, 2 months and 12 days. He moved from New Castle, Penn., to Iberia, Ohio, with his parents in early childhood. He was united in marriage with Miss Sophia Monahan New Year's day 1863, at Marion, Ohio. To this union seven children were born. Oliver Montgomery, Katie Elizabeth, Robert Henry, Jennie Agnes, Julia Ann, Daisy May and Eddie, four of whom preceded him to the better land, via. Oliver M., who died in infancy, Jennie, Julia Duff and Eddie. He moved to Andrew county, Mo., in 1868, settling on the farm west of Savannah which he still owned at the time of his death, he having thus lived in this

² Actually to Savannah, MO.

county continuously for 45 years. The funeral was conducted from the family home by Rev. A. R. Hunt and interment was in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 25 Dec 1917

Subject: Marie (Gander) Ueligger

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Jan 1918, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Maria [sic] Ueligger, widow of John A. Ueligger, died at the home of one of her sons, five miles south of Fillmore, Dec. 26 [sic], and the body was buried in Fillmore cemetery, Dec. 28, beside that of her husband, who died twenty-five years ago. Her maiden name was Gander.

She was born in Switzerland, July 14, 1846. In the year 1867 she was married to John A. Ueligger. There were born to them six sons and four daughters. One son and one daughter died in infancy, and one son, John A., Jr., at the age of 17 years. The living are Chas. A., of Devol, Okla.; Albert E., Adolph and Ernest, all of Fillmore; Mrs. Emma Straub, Alhambra, Ill.; Clara Sundberg, Louisville, Ky., and Elsie Fuhs, LaGrange, Ky. Besides these she is survived by one brother and two sisters, seven grandchildren and twenty-two great-grandchildren.

She was an excellent Christian woman, became a Christian while yet a girl, uniting with the German Reformed church, and lived faithful to the end. Funeral services were held from the home, the sermon preached by Elder W. A. Chapman of Rosendale.

The surviving brother is Jacob Gander, the sisters, Mrs. John J. Sever and Mrs. Christ Ador, both of Stanford, Ky., and Mrs. John Waldberger of Louisville, Ky.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 04 Jan 1918, Friday, p. 4

Fillmore. January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Straub from Alhambra, Ill., Charles Ueligger of Walters, Okla., Julius Gander of Louisville, Kentucky, and Albert Ueligger and wife from St. Joseph came to attend the funeral of their mother Mrs. Maria Ueligger, who died December 25, at the home of her son Adolph Ueligger. She was buried Friday in the Fillmore cemetery.

Date of death: 2 Aug 1897

Subject: Maria (Ganley) Ryan

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 05 Aug 1897, Thursday, p. 8

Died, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. Cummings, near Burlington Junction, Mrs. Maria Ryan, Monday evening, August 2d, 1897.

Deceased was born in County West Meath, Ireland, sixty-seven years ago. In 1852 she was married to John Ryan, at Springfield, Mass. The issue of this union was numerous, four of whom still survive: Simon and John, who reside west of Quitman; Mrs. Mary Stitts, of Bates county, Mo.; and Annie, already mentioned. Her worthy husband preceded her to the great finality about five years ago. They moved to Nodaway county in 1865, where they resided until death summoned them to their other home.

Mrs. Ryan was the embodiment of all the ennobling qualities that characterize the purest and highest type of woman. O, holy Christian mother, thou art the prototype of angels.

Wednesday she was buried from St. Mary's Church and laid to rest in the cemetery south of the city.

P. J.

Date of death: 18 Jun 1921

Subject: Alfred Christian Gann

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 24 Jun 1921, Friday, p. 1

Rev. A. C. Gann, who at one time was well known to Andrew county and Savannah citizens, died at his home in Maryville, last Saturday. Rev. Gann it is said was instrumental in the building of Wesley Chapel in this county.

Date of death: 26 Feb 1923

Subject: Ann Elizabeth (Gann) Rinear

Source: *The Lawton [OK] Constitution*, 26 Feb 1923, Monday, p. 1

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie E. Gann Rinear, who died this morning at 11 o'clock will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Clair's chapel. Reverend Lamb will have charge of the services.

Mrs. Rinear was born in Union County, Pa., June 4, 1852. She was married February 25, 1869 to I. E. Rinear, of Jasper county, Michigan. She is survived [sic] by three children; one daughter, Mrs. Bertie Swisher and two sons, one of whom is dead, and the other, Carl Rinear lives at Denver, Colorado.

Date of death: 9 Feb 1893

Subject: William S. Gann

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 17 Feb 1893, Friday, p. 8

Another one of our citizens has gone the way of all earth.

The subject of this sketch, Mr. Wm. S. Gann, died at his home in Bellvue, Huron county, Ohio, Thursday, Feb. 6, 1893, at the age of 53 years, 5 months and 10 days.

Mr. Gann was born in Union county, Pennsylvania, in 1838 [sic], and was aa school boy of ours. In his early days he learned the shoemaker's trade, but afterward decided to go to farming, and went to Huron county to begin his enterprise. There he met Miss Susan Hatpster, a daughter of the late David Harpster, whom he married twenty-eight years ago, and who, with their only son, David B. Gann, an attorney at Chicago, survive [sic] him. Mr. Gann has two brothers and two sisters, Rev. A. C. Gann, of Maryville, Mo., and Geo. T. Gann, of Colorado, while his two sisters

reside in Kansas. Mr. John C. Gann, formerly a resident of Savannah, but who died three years ago, was also a brother.

Mr. Wm. Gann purchased a farm in 1867, near Flag Springs, in this county. In 1875 he sold out and returned to Ohio, though he always retained a warm and friendly feeling for Missouri people, often visiting here to renew of acquaintances.

Until three years ago Mr. Gann was a hearty, robust man, but at that time he was attacked with the grippe, from the effects of which he never recovered.

He was in life a hard, earnest worker; an honest, modest man. A lover of his country, of his God and church; a Christian without pretense; a lover of domesticity and his home. His kindly, honest manner won for him many warm friends. His was ever such a life as might be safely followed by those who looked to him for guidance, and may well be looked back upon with contentment by the loved ones behind; a memory which is of itself a precious legacy.

The funeral took place at the M. E. Church, of which he had been a member since 1860, Rev. M. J. Keys, officiating.

H. M. Smith

Date of death: 16 Jun 1901

Subject: Spencer L. Gant

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 21 Jun 1901, Friday, p. 1

Spencer Gant, a boy fourteen years old, who was working for W. M. Howden, one and one-half mile west of Skidmore in Nodaway county, was thrown from a horse Sunday afternoon and dragged and kicked to death.

Same

Source: *Skidmore [MO] Standard*, 21 Jun 1901, Friday, p. 1

It is with sadness that we chronicle the death of Spencer Gant, age 15 years, who was trampled to death by a young horse last Sunday evening about five o'clock. . . . The funeral was conducted by Rev. D. W. Conner, Monday afternoon at four o'clock, at the residence of W. M. Howden, 1 1/2 miles west of town, where he had been making his home. The remains were laid to rest in the Masonic cemetery. The sympathy of the entire town and community is extended to the grief-stricken mother.

Same

Source: *Skidmore [MO] Standard*, 28 Jun 1901, Friday, p. 1

Spencer L. Gant, the subject of this sketch, was born in Auburn, Neb., April 1, 1886, and died June 16, 1901. He was the son of Dr. T. S., and Mrs. Annie Gant. He spent the main part of his life in Auburn and Kerney [sic], Neb. Coming to Skidmore, Mo., last February, he made his home with W. M. Howden, helping him on the farm.

In the character and habits of Spencer were traits commendable to all young men and boys. He never swore an oath or used a vulgar word or phrase, either in or out of the house, and was always polite and thoughtful.

His aptness in the study of the Bible and its history in the home and in the Sunday School was far above the average boy of his age. His mother and father have the deepest sympathy of this community in their sad bereavement. And we would not forget to express our sympathy for the family of W. H. Howden whose very hearts are bowed down with sorrow.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Jun 1901, Friday, p. 1

Spencer Gant, a 15-year-old boy was dragged to death by a wild colt Sunday afternoon at the farm of William Howden two miles west of Skidmore.

The boy had mounted the colt to break it to ride and it threw him. His foot caught in the stirrup and the horse ran with him, dragging him until he was dead.

Burial took place at Skidmore Monday afternoon. The boy's mother is a widow.-- Maryville Tribune.

Date of death: 22 Aug 1913

Subject: Joseph S. Gantt

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Aug 1913, Friday, p. 1

After an illness of three weeks with locked bowel Joseph Gantt died at his home near Cosby Monday morning at four o'clock at the age of sixty-seven years. He came to Andrew county when he was twenty-one years old from his birthplace in North Carolina and he had lived here practically all his life and had farmed. For about twenty-seven years he was a faithful member of the Baptist church and he was a good citizen and neighbor and has gone to the reward of the faithful and just. In 1875 he was married to Miss Mary Jenkins of Buchanan county and she with four children survive him, Arthur, of Bolckow, Owen, at home, Mrs. Sam Howell of Clarksdale and Mrs. Will Stuart of King City.

Date of death: 10 Feb 1920

Subject: Matilda Louise (Garbe) Heinz

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 20 Feb 1920, Friday, p. 1

Cosby and Vicinity. February 17. Mrs. Julius Beppis and daughter of Falls City, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wild, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cornelius of St. Joseph attended the funeral of Mrs. Matilda Heinz Thursday.

Matilda Louise Garbe Heinz was born near Cosby, October 8, 1876, and died February 10, 1920. She leaves a sorrowing husband, two daughters, Esther Mae, and Hazel Marie and two sons, Milton and Floyd, also an aged father, six sisters and four brothers, besides many other relatives

and friends. At an early age she became a Christian and joined with the Evangelical association. In later years she united with the Methodist Episcopal church of Cosby of which she remained a faithful member, she was a loyal Sunday school teacher and also an active worker in the Epworth League. She was loved by all who knew her. The funeral service was held at the Zion Evangelical church by her pastor, Rev. F. G. Hilbers, assisted by Rev. P. G. Nuffer. Interment was in the cemetery nearby.

Date of death: 5 May 1899

Subject: Rebecca (Garbison) Boham

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 18 May 1899, Thursday, p. 5

Rebecca Garberson [sic] was born in Mount Vernon, Knox county, Ohio, July 20, 1817, and was married to Ephriam [sic] Boham, September 20, 1851, died May 5, 1899, at her home near Arkoe.-- Barnard Rustler.

Date of death: 24 Nov 1881

Subject: Josephine (Gardiner) Crosby

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 25 Nov 1881, Friday, p. 8

The wife of John S. Crosby, Esq., of St. Joseph, died, yesterday morning.

Date of death: 19 Jul 1877

Subject: Abram A. Gardner

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Jul 1877, Friday, p. 8

A correspondent of the Maryville *Republican* announces the death of Dr. A. A. Gardner, formerly of this city, as follows: Dr. A. A. Gardner, father of E. M. Gardner, died in Oregon, Holt county, on the 19th inst., after a protracted illness. The Doctor was well and favorably known in this vicinity, having practiced his profession for two years in Graham. While here he was also engaged in the mercantile business. He was held in high esteem by all his acquaintances. He lived to raise up a large family of sons and daughters who stand high in this community, whose sympathy they have in their bereavement.

Date of death: 23 Feb 1923

Subject: Elizabeth Rosette (Gardner) Negus

Source: *The [Maryville MO] Daily Democrat-Forum*, 28 Feb 1923, Wednesday, p. 4

Obituary – Elizabeth Rosette Gardner was born in King County, Illinois, October 4, 1850 and departed this life Feb. 23, 1923, at her home eight miles southeast of Hopkins, Missouri, after a year's illness. Her mother having died, she grew to womanhood at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rollins, who has been with her the last months of her illness. Feb. 22, 1876, she was united in marriage to George Negus of DeKalb, Illinois, where they resided on a farm for four years. In the spring of 1880 they moved to the place where they lived until the time of her death, Feb. 23, 1923, aged 72 years, 4 months and 19 days.

The deceased leaves to mourn her departure her husband, George Negus, one brother, Adolph Gardner and one sister, Mrs. Bundy of Rhodes, Iowa; one sister, Mrs. Bennett of Twin Falls,

Idaho; one sister, Mrs. Rollins of Dekalb, Illinois. In the year 1896 they took little May Stewart, aged six, who made her home with them until her marriage to Seth Harrison. Mrs. May Harrison, who now lives in Kansas, has been helping care for her foster mother the last few weeks of her sickness.

About twenty-eight years ago, Mrs. Negus was converted at a meeting held in Gaynor City, Mo., by Bro. Craig and Miss Kate Weaver, and united with the Gaynor Christian church, where she has remained a faithful member ever since. She has always taken an active part in church and Sunday school work. She was a loving wife, a kind neighbor and steadfast friend, and was held in high esteem by all her friends and neighbors and will be sadly missed in her home and the entire community.

The funeral services were conducted from the Hopkins, Mo. Church of Christ Feb. 25, 1923, by her pastor, Challie E. Graham, assisted by R. L. McCallon, pastor of the church at Hopkins, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Hopkins cemetery. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of a host of friends. May the kind loving Father comfort and bless them.

*"Servant of God, well done,
Thy glorious warfare passed;
The battle fought, the victory won,
And Thou art crowned at last."*

Date of death: 2 May 1923

Subject: Irmol Mae Gardner

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 02 May 1923, Wednesday, p. 3

Ermil May [sic], the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gardner of Burlington Junction, died about 4 o'clock this morning at the home of her parents following an illness of whooping cough and pneumonia. The baby was born December 4, 1922. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Christian Church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Ernest Taggart. Burial will be in the Ohio cemetery.

Date of death: [Sep] 1892

Subject: J. W. Gardner

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 9 Sep 1892, Friday, p. 8

At a regular meeting of the Rosendale Lodge No. 294, I.O.O.F., held September 7, 1892, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in his mysterious providence to remove from our midst our beloved brother, J. W. Gardner; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is with feelings of profound sorrow, which words are inadequate to express, that we are called to part with our dearly beloved brother and friend.

Resolved, That by his death the fraternity has lost a true friend, society a useful member, and his family a devoted father.

[*Other resolutions*] ...

A. M. Lewellen, E. M. Ward, I. W. Cagg, Committee

Date of death: 8 Oct 1918

Subject: Leah Maxine Gardner

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 10 Oct 1918, Thursday, p. 8

A short funeral service for the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gardner, was held at the home of James Weable yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Ernest Snider, pastor of the Methodist church.

Same

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

The condition of Mrs. Ernest Gardner, who underwent a very serious operation at the St. Francis hospital in Maryville Tuesday afternoon, is improved, according to word received from there this morning.

Date of death: 4 May 1883

Subject: Mary (Gardner) Dean

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 10 May 1883, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Mary Dean, the beloved wife and companion of Mr. John Dean for more than half a century, departed this life at 10:30 a.m., on the morning of May 4, 1883, at the residence of her son Dr. J. W. Dean, of this city. She had been suffering for about a month with an ear ailment. On the morning of the day preceeding [sic] her death, she took much worse and from that time on was not able to speak.

The maiden name of Mrs. Dean was Mary Gardner. She was born August 1, 1810, in Clark county, Kentucky, and was in her 73d year. She was married to John Dean September 29, 1831, in Kentucky. In 1834 they moved to Indiana and lived there for forty years on one farm. They moved to Maryville in 1869. Mrs. Dean was the mother of five children, the three older of whom are dead. The two living children are George Dean, who lives seven miles west of Maryville, and Dr. J. W. Dean of this city, with whom his parents have been living for the past year.

The funeral services were held at two p.m., on Saturday at the Main street M. E. church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Parker. The deceased had been a true and consistent member of the Methodist church since she was sixteen years of age. After the funeral services, her remains were consigned to the grave in Miriam cemetery.

Mrs. Dean was a truly Christian woman, of amiable disposition and cheerful nature. While her years grew upon her, seemingly she was as youthful as when a girl. She lived a longer life than is

allotted to most mortals and a much happier and more useful one. Nearly fifty-two years had she and her husband lived together in all the congeniality and happiness of two loving souls blended in one; and their separation now is not probably to be very long. The faithful loving wife has gone on before to the Spirit Summerland. From beyond the pearly gates of Paradise comes the echo of her loved voice. The devoted husband in his thoughts and affections are [sic] with her in the fairer home above, and he sees the wonderous [sic] light upon the supernal pathway growing more and more and more radiant, and ere long his spiritual vision will be enraptured with a gleam of the angel bridge, luminous in the holden mist of a heavenly sunlight falling upon it, and then will there be a reunion of loved ones and never more shall they be separated [sic]. Is this too grand a hope for the Christian man or woman to entertain? To such an one, death simply strips off the soul's earthly garment and puts on an immortal, incorruptible garment fashioned like unto the glorious body of the Son of Man. Christianity inspires such a sublime hope. This is the hope of the aged husband who survives. Wife and mother will be missed from the family circle and this fact draws out the sympathy of the community, but there cannot be the least anxiety as to her future and eternal welfare. All say who knew her that a good woman has been called to her reward.

Date of death: 26 Aug 1881

Subject: Sarah (Gardner) Meek

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Sep 1881, Friday, p. 2

Flag Springs. Quite a number of deaths have occurred in this and the surrounding localities within the last ten days. There were three at King City, two at Union Star; [*others named*]. Aunt Sallie Meek died last Friday of cramp colic....

Date of death: 5 Apr 1907

Subject: Sarah Jane (Gardner) Lichtenwalter

Source: *Chester [NE] Herald*, 11 Apr 1907, Thursday, p. 1

The funeral of Mrs. Lichtenwalter, who reside [sic] six miles northwest of Hubbell, occurred [sic] Monday April 8th. Mrs. Lichtenwalter was a highly respected woman and had a large number of friends in this place. Her daughter, Miss Ella Lichtenwalter, was primary teacher in the Chester schools for a number of years. The deceased was seventy years of age at her death and left a husband, four grown daughters and two sons to mourn her loss. A large concourse of neighbors and friends were present at the funeral services held in the Hubbell M. E. church and followed the remains to their last resting place, the Chester Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Rice, of Hubbell, conducted the services and was assisted by Rev. A. O. Hinson of Chester. The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family.

Date of death: 23 Mar 1902

Subject: Townsend W. Gardner

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 29 Mar 1902, Saturday, p. 1

Townsend W. Gardner, better known as 'Tom' Gardner, died at his home in this city last Sunday afternoon, aged 71 years and 7 days, after about two months' illness. Some weeks ago an

operation was performed upon him for appendicitis, and for a time he seemed to rally and strong hopes of his recovery were entertained, but his strength finally gave way and he sank to rest.

Mr. Gardner was one of the first settlers in Burlington Junction, and for years run [sic] a meat market here, acquiring considerable property. About two years ago he moved to St. Joseph, but returned here last October.

The funeral occurred in the M.E. church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Mendenhall officiating. Mr. Gardner was a man of genial disposition and had many friends who regret his departure. He leaves a widow and one son to mourn his loss. Below is a brief sketch of his life:

Townsend W. Gardner was born in Friendship, N.Y., March 16, 1831. When he was but a boy his parents moved to Middleport, Ill. When a young man he located in Amago, the above named state where on the 16th day of October, 1854, he was united in the holy bonds of matrimony with Miss Levina Blakesley, of the same place. In 1856 he with his wife moved to St. Charles, Butler county, Iowa.

In 1858 they removed to Waterloo, Blackwell county, Ia., and residing in Waterloo about four years he removed to Ottumwa, Ia., and after a short time to Brookline, Pawshiek county, Iowa.

In about 1870 he, with his family, removed to Lincoln, Neb.; then after a few years he returned to Clarinda, Ia., then to Vallisca [sic], Ia., and in 1879 he came to Burlington Junction where he engaged in business. He remained in this place until about three years ago when he moved to St. Joseph, where he resided until the 19th of last October, when he with his family returned to Burlington Junction where he lived until his death, which occurred Sunday, March 23, at 2:00 p.m.

On November 18, 1880, he buried the wife of his youth. To them was [sic] born five children, of which only one, Wallace E., is now living. On August 25, 1896, he was married to Mrs. Eliza Higley, the now bereaved widow.

Mr. Gardner led quite an eventful life in his younger days. He crossed the plains to California in 1850, when but 18 years old, stopping on the way at St. Joseph three weeks, where he was detained by the sickness of his partner, Lon Blakesley. He worked in the gold mines of Canon Creek two years and then returned by way of the isthmus, crossing over the route of the proposed Nicaragua canal. They carried their baggage from the Pacific coast to the lake on pack mules, and from there to Greytown went by steamer. While on the lake an exciting race occurred between the steamer he was on and a competing boat.

Ham and bacon, and anything else that would make a fierce fire, was used for fuel, and the greatest excitement prevailed, but the other boat won the race. At Greytown he took passage on a steamer to New York by way of Havana, Cuba where he landed and took a trip of about five miles into the country to a sugar plantation. He was very favorably impressed with Cuba and always thought it ought to be a part of the United States. He and Lon Blakesley came to Burlington Junction in July, 1879, and bought lots at the first sale of town lots here. They camped under the cottonwood trees near the Wabash railroad.

Date of death: 31 Aug 1892

Subject: William Gardner

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Sep 1892, Friday, p. 1

Died.-- At his residence in Rosendale, Wednesday night, August 31, 1892, Mr. Wm. Gardner aged 78 years. His remains were taken to Rushville, Buchanan county, his old home.

Date of death: 19 Feb 1917

Subject: Mary Ann (Garland) Jenkins

Source: *St. Louis [MO] Globe-Democrat*, 17 Feb 1917, Saturday, p. 11

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jenkins, 79 years old, who died Wednesday of pneumonia in her home in Caseyville, will be this afternoon at 2 o'clock with burial in Caseyville Cemetery. Her husband, Morgan Jenkins, one of the oldest residents of the township, died fourteen months ago. A son, John Jenkins, of Collinsville, and two daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Louis Hoeltman of Collinsville, survive her.

Date of death: 26 Sep 1880

Subject: Vienna (Garland) Mayfield

Source: *The [Paris KY] Free Kentuckian*, 29 Sep 1880, Wednesday, p. 2

Lewis-- Sunday morning David Mayfield gave his wife a dose of strychnine in mistake for calomel. She died before medical aid could reach her.

Date of death: 26 Jun 1904

Subject: Edna Mary (Garlichs) Brunner

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 1 Jul 1904, Friday, p. 8

Fillmore Mrs. Ed [sic] Bruner [sic] died Sunday at her home, east of town; was buried Tuesday at Amazonia.

Date of death: 19 Mar 1918

Subject: Harriett S. (Garman) Clayton

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Mar 1918, Friday, p. 1

Charles Clayton was called to Cameron Tuesday by the serious illness of his step-mother Mrs. W. F. Clayton. She died Wednesday with pneumonia. She lived in Savannah from 1901 to 1904 at the First M. E. Parsonage, the wife of Rev. W. F. Clayton.

Date of death: 4 Jun 1923

Subject: Daniel N. Garner

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Jun 1923, Friday, p. 1

Danial [sic] N. Garner died at his home between Oregon and Forest City, Mo., Monday June 4, 1923, aged 48 years 9 months and 6 days. He is the youngest son of James J. and Sarah Garner

and was born in Richardson county, Nebraska. When a young child he was brought to this country by his parents and has lived most of the time since in this and Holt counties. He was married to Miss Dora Bond, and she with two sons and one daughter survive him. The funeral services which were held at Oregon on Wednesday were attended by the following from this city: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neri Norris and Mrs. Nannie King. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Dray and a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Norris.

Date of death: 17 Jul 1917

Subject: Daniel Wesbter Garner

Source: *The Pawnee [OK] Courier-Dispatch*, 19 Jul 1917, Thursday, p. 1

Daniel W. Garner was born August 25, 1840, in Andrew county, Missouri; died July 17, 1917; aged 76 years, 11 months and 23 days. He was married four times. No children by his first two marriages.

Married to Mary Ann Clark in Holt, [sic] county, Missouri, May 1, 1868, to this union were born six children: Surreldy, William J., Foushee N., James K., Alexander and Daniel, the last two being twins.

Married to Annie Brown October 15, 1886 at Winfield, Kansas. Six children were born to this union: Mary E., Clark D., Geo. L., Stella, Lee B., and Ella M.

They all survive him except Surreldy, Alexander, Daniel and George.

All of the surviving family were at his bedside when death came, except Mary E., who lives in Texhoma, Oklahoma.

His only surviving brother, J. J. Garner and his nephew, J. R. Garner, of Larned, Kansas, arrived a few minutes before death came.

All that loving hands could do was done to relieve him in his suffering in his few days of sickness and death. He was laid to rest in Masham cemetery Wednesday evening.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. F. S. Darby at the cemetery.

Date of death: 16 Aug 1884

Subject: E. Neri Garner

Source: *The [Troy] Kansas Chief*, 18 Sep 1884, Thursday, p. 3

Iowa Township has lost another pioneer, Neri Garner, one among the oldest settlers in that Township, died, a few days ago.

Date of death: 21 Feb 1901

Subject: Foushee Garner

Source: *The Severance [KS] News*, 01 Mar 1901, Friday, p. 4

Died. In Severance, Thursday, Feb. 21, Faushee [sic] Garner, aged 73 years.

Mr. Garner was born in Ray county, Missouri, in 1828. In 1850 he married Sarah Ann Clevenger, who died in 1876. One child survives him, Mrs. S. I. Newton of this city. He leaves many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mr. Garner has been quite feeble for a long time, and while his death was not unexpected, still the blow is a heavy one to his many friends and relatives, who all honored and loved him.

Date of death: 6 Jan 1912

Subject: James B. Garner

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 11 Jan 1912, Thursday, p. 2

James B. Garner, a well known old resident of this country, died at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. S. Angell, corner of Fourth and Buchanan streets.

The time for the funeral services has not yet been decided, as word from West Virginia friends and relatives in the west is being waited for.

Mr. Garner had been in failing health for a year or more, but he had been in a precarious condition for two or three months. He was about 72 years old. He had been a resident of this county for many years, and formerly lived on a farm southwest of Maryville, retiring from the work and moving to Maryville about twenty years ago.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. D. S. Angell, with whom he has lived since the death of his wife, a year ago last summer.

Date of death: 11 Dec 1848

Subject: Jeremiah Garner

Source: *The St. Joseph [MO] Weekly Gazette*, 15 Dec 1848, Friday, p. 2

On Saturday last about six or seven miles from this place, where a company was working on a road, a man by the name of Hiram Stanley struck Jeremia Garner on the back part of his head with a hoe, causing his death about 10 o'clock that night. We gather the following particulars as connected with this sad affair.-- The affair grew out of an old grudge. Garner had drubbed Stanley smartly about two weeks before; Stanley was dissatisfied, and alledged [sic] that he had not had fair play, and said he intended to fight it over. Garner hearing his desire, on the day the murder was committed, went to him and offered him a fight, which Stanley declined. A friend of his present, took it up on Stanley's behalf, who was soon flogged by Garner; and after they parted and Garner had stepped to one side, Stanley slipped up behind him, and struck him with a hoe, exclaiming, 'there, d--n you, take that!'-- and immediately made his escape. Garner fell to the ground, but immediately arose and walked about one hundred yards, when he again sunk to the ground. He never spoke from the time he was struck to his death. Stanley has thus far made his escape.-- Empire.

Date of death: 5 Jan 1920

Subject: John Vincent Garner

Source: *The Fredonia [KS] Daily Herald*, 07 Jan 1920, Wednesday, p. 1

Vince Garner died Monday evening, of pneumonia. He had been sick for some time but was not considered dangerous until the last week when all of his children were sent for. He was an old resident of this country and well known by every one and will be sadly missed by his friends.

Same

Source: *Wilson County [KS] Citizen*, 23 Jan 1920

John Vincent Garner was born in Jamestown, Russell-co., Kentucky, September 30, 1840, and died at his home in Duck Creek-tp. At 8:30 p.m., January 5, 1920.

In February, 1850, he move with his father, Quarles Garner, from Russell-co., Kentucky, to St. Joseph, Mo., by steamboat, landing there in March 1850. In 1855 his father purchased the farm that is now the city of Atchison. In 1858 he left Kansas for Texas and returned two years later locating in Leroy, Kansas. He united with the Christian church in 1860 at Leroy, Kansas.

During the Civil war he served as teamster for the Union army, driving an ox team hauling provisions to the various western forts from Montana to Mexico.

In the spring of 1870 he, together with father and three brothers, each took claims in the southern part of this township where he resided for a few years. Here on June 30, 1872, he was united in marriage to Martha Louisa Malone. She passed away March 4, 1873. On October 24, 1876, he was united in marriage to Mary Ellen Wigham in Andrew-co., Mo. To this union were born nine children, eight of whom survive him: Mrs. W. T. Kimsey, Longton, Kans.; Anna E. Garner, at the home; Mrs. S. O. McPherson, Lafontaine, Kans.; J. T. Garner, Neodesha, Kans.; Mrs. H. E. McPherson, Lafontaine, Kans.; Mrs. C. C. Brannan, Emporia, Kans.; Mrs. W. L. Matthews, Owasso, Okla.; Delos Garner, Lafontaine, Kans. An infant daughter passed away February 13, 1891. Mary Ellen Wigham, the wife and mother, laid down the burdens of this life to make her home in the land above April 13, 1908.

J. V. Garner and family moved from northern Missouri to southeastern Kansas in 1887, living in Elk, Chautauqua and Wilson-cos. Since 1901 he has been permanently located in Wilson-co.

This early Kansas pioneer spent more than fifty years of his life in the eastern part of the state. Many were the hardship endured during these early border days. In driving ox team composed of from three to five yoke of oxen to a wagon of which about twenty-five made what was called a train, he had many interesting and thrilling experiences with the indians [sic] of the plains, hand to hand conflicts often occurred. For some time he rode the Pony Express in Colorado before the railroads crossed the great west, his route being sixty miles and two horses being used each way of the trip.

Although actively engaged in church work only part of the time since his conversion, his faith never wavered, his trust remained steadfast, his hope never faltered to the end. The desire and dream of his last days were to be with the ones he loved in the better land.

A man prompted by the highest moral purpose and ideals, a citizen respected by his fellow man, a kind considerate father, over generous to a fault.

He leaves besides his children to mourn his loss; thirteen grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Delos Miller, Nowata, Okla., four brothers, namely W. A. Garner, Bartlesville, Okla., G. W. Garner, New Orleans, La., H. H. Garner, Riverside, Calif., S. L. Garner, Wichita Falls, Texas, besides a host of other relatives and friends. W. A. Garner, of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, a niece, Mrs. J. A. Tillotson, of Nowata, Okla., and his wife's sister, Mrs. W. T. Aikman, of Joplin, Mo., were present at the funeral. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Buxton Saturday, January 10th, and the body laid to rest in the Bellview cemetery. His sons and son-in-laws acting as pall bearers.

Date of death: 22 Jun 1898

Subject: Martha Ann (Garner) Walker Calvin

Source: *The Chandler [OK] News*, 24 Jun 1898

News comes to us of the death of Mrs. A. H. R. Calvin, of consumption. She died Monday at 10:30 a.m. and was buried Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Mrs. Calvin lived in north Fox township and was the mother of W. I. Calvin, of this city, who is taking quite an extended trip in the west. Her family has the sympathy of all who know them.

Date of death: 9 Jul 1898

Subject: Mary Ann (Garner) Trapp

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Jul 1898, Friday, p. 8

Died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Brown in Graham, mo., [sic] of heart failure and old age, Mary Ann Garner Trapp, widow of the late Elder W. R. Trapp, who was well and favorably known not only in Andrew county but throughout all of Northwest Missouri. Mrs. Trapp was born in Ray county, this state June 3, 1821 and died July 9, 1898, being 77 years, 1 month and 6 days old. She was the mother of eleven children, eight of whom still survive to mourn her loss, A. C. Trapp of this county being one of them. He life was one of sacrifice and self-denial, taking the care of her large family upon herself that her husband might devote his time more fully to the calling of his life, that of preaching the gospel. She will be dearly remembered by many old friends in this county.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 22 Jul 1898, Friday, p. 8

Mary Ann Trapp, nee Garner, was born in Ray county, Mo., June 3, 1821, and died in Graham, Mo., July 9, 1898, aged 77 years, one month and six days. She was married to Elder W. R. Trapp Jan. 18, 1838, in Lafayette county, Mo. There was [sic] born to them eleven children, seven sons and four daughters. One son and two daughters are dead, leaving eight children to mourn their loss. Her husband, Elder Trapp, one of our first and most useful pioneer prachers [sic], died several years ago. It was the pleasure of the writer to know Mrs. Trapp and her husband for over forty years. She became a member of the Christian church about 1840, and ever lived true and

faithful to her Christian calling, and died in the triumphs of a Christian's hope. She was a faithful and devoted Christian wife and mother. Her life was the common life of a preacher's wife, full of cares, toil and anxiety, with occasional sorrows, but all these she bore with Christian fortitude and sweetness that marked the true heroine. She was always proud of and took great interest in the work and success of her of her [sic] husband in the ministry, and cheerful [sic] took care of the large family that he go and preach. She did her work well and wisely, as is shown by the large and well trained family of children. Now she rests from her labors and her works do follow her. She had been a sufferer for a number of years, but on the morning of July 9 passed from her suffering with joy and rejoicing, in the assurance of a better life. The funeral services were conducted at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Brown, at 3 o'clock, Sunday, July 10. Her children and grandchildren were present, together with many sympathising [sic] friends. The body was laid to rest in the beautiful Prairie Home Cemetery, near Graham, to await the judgement call to life.

May the Lord bless and comfort her sorrowing, children [sic] is our sincere prayer.-- J. M. D. in Graham Post.

The above Mrs. Trapp is the mother of Ex-Sheriff A. C. Trapp and is an aunt of Mrs. R. Chronister.

Date of death: 29 Nov 1901

Subject: Mary F. (Garner or Waller) Smith Smith

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 06 Dec 1901, Friday, p. 1

Mary F. Smith was born in Jackson county, Mo., Oct. 13, 1829, and died at Hiawatha, Ks., Nov. 29, 1901, aged 72 years, 1 month and 13 days. She was married to Vincent T. Smith April 16, 1846. Of this union ten children were born. She was married to John L. Smith in March, 1878. Funeral services were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Blair, Hiawatha, Ks., and at Long Branch Christian church, where she was buried.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 06 Dec 1901, Friday, p. 4

Mary F. Smith was born in Jackson County Mo., October 13th, 1829 and died at Hiawatha, Kan., Nov. 26th [sic], 1901, age 72 years, 1 month and 13 days. She was married to Vincent T. Smith April 16th, 1846, of this union ten children were born. She was remarried to John L. Smith March 1878. Funeral services were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Blain at Hiawatha, Kan., and at Long Branch Christian church near Savannah, where she was buried.

Mrs. Smith leaves six children to mourn her loss. They are, J. W. Smith, of Graham, Mo.; T. E. Smith, of St. Joseph; Jos. H. Smith, of Sabetha, Kansas; S. M. Smith and Mrs. W. P. Blain, of Hiawatha, Kansas, and Mrs. HJ. W. Carter, of Hackberry.

Date of death: 16 Sep 1921

Subject: Nancy C. (Garner) Harness

Source: *Highland [KS] Vidette*, 22 Sep 1921, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Nancy Garner Harness was born in Nodaway County, Mo., November 19, 1852, and died at Dawson, Nebr., Friday, September 16, 1921, aged 68 years, 9 months and 27 days.

She was the widow of Louis Harness, who preceded her in death some 25 years. Surviving are four sons: LeRoy of Abilene; David of Arliss, Mo.; Wm. of Peck, Ida.; Eddie of Dawson, Nebr.; and two daughters, Mrs. Alice Ramsey of Dawson, Nebr.; and Mrs. Ollie Barloe of San Diego, Cal.

The body was brought from Dawson by auto hearse, and was interred in Walnut Grove Cemetery, the Christian Minister from Dawson conducting the services.

Eddie Harness, who made his home with his mother, and Mrs. Ramsey came down from Dawson. The others were unable to attend. Quite a number of former close friends, together with relatives from nearby towns, were present, and listened with sad hearts as the minister read the burial service. Mrs. Harness was one of Doniphan county's pioneers.

Date of death: 6 Dec 1894

Subject: Nancy Neel (Garner or Varner) Hatcher

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 14 Dec 1894, Friday, p. 6

Nancy Neel Hatcher was born in Kentucky October 13, 1823. At the age of three years she removed with her parents to Morgan County, Ill. In July, 1840, she was united in marriage to J. W. Hatcher, with whom she lived happily until April 13, 1875, when he was called to the 'land beyond.' Twelve children were born to them-- six sons and six daughters. Four sons and three daughters are still living. At the age of thirteen years she obeyed the Gospel of Christ and united with the Baptist Church, of which she remained a faithful and devoted member until in 1876, when she united with the Christian Church, in which she remained in good standing and full fellowship until December 6, 1894, when, after a brief illness, she passed peacefully away from earth to join the loved ones gone before. When she beheld the angel of death approaching she signified a ready consent to yield to the summons from the Master, whom she had so long and faithfully served. Funeral services were held at the Christian Church in Fillmore, conducted by Elder W. A. Chapman, after which the mortal body was followed by a vast crowd of weeping friends to the Fillmore cemetery, where it was tenderly laid to rest. Truly she 'went about doing good.' Farewell, grandma, till we meet again.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 14 Dec 1894, Friday, p. 1

Nancy Neel Hatcher was born in Kentucky, October 13, 1843. At the age of three years she was taken by her parents to Morgan county Illinois, where she grew to womanhood. In July, 1840, she was united in marriage to J. W. [sic] Hatcher, with whom she lived happily until April 13, 1875, when he was called to the 'Land beyond.' Twelve children were born to them, six sons and six daughters. Four sons and three daughters are still living. At the age of 13 years she obeyed the Gospel of Christ and unite with the Baptist church, of which she remained a faithful and devoted member until 1876 when she united with the Christian church, in which she remained in

good standing and full fellowship until December 6, 1894, when, after a brief illness, she passed peacefully away from earth, to join the loved ones before. When she beheld the angel of death approaching she signified her ready consent to yield to the summons of her master whom she had served so long and faithfully. Funeral services were held at the Fillmore Christian church, conducted by Elder W. A. Chapman, after which the mortal body was followed by a vast concourse of weeping friends to the Fillmore cemetery, where it was tenderly lain to rest. Truly she 'went about doing good.' Farewell, grandma, till we meet again.

A Friend.

Date of death: 30 Jan 1918

Subject: Pearl I. (Garner) Kelley

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 08 Feb 1918, Friday, p. 8 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 Feb 1918, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Pearl Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garner of Oregon, Holt county, was born July 11, 1885, and died at St. Joseph, January 30, 1918, at the age of 32 years, 6 months and 19 days. She was married December 21, 1904, to Charles Kelley. Two children, a daughter, Viola, aged 12 and a son Elmer, aged 9, were born to them, who with her father J. W. Garner, and five sisters, Mrs. Minnie Guy, Mrs. Stella Hagglin, Mrs. Etta Sipes, Mrs. Bertha Steeby, Mrs. Ida Anderson, and three brothers, Albert, Jasper and Roy Garner, besides many other relatives and friends are left to mourn her going. Funeral services were conducted at the Huiatt cemetery with the address by Rev. Meyers of Oregon.

Date of death: 5 Dec 1916

Subject: Peter Garner

Source: *The Tarkio [MO] Avalanche*, 08 Dec 1916, Friday, p. 1

Peter Garner, an old resident of this place, died at his home here last Tuesday, the 5th inst., aged 78 years, 8 months and 15 days. Mr. Garner was a veteran of the Civil War and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral services were conducted at the family residence here on Thursday and were conducted by rev. Cunningham of Rock Port. The body was taken to Corning Friday morning and was laid to rest in Ht. [sic] Hope Cemetery near that place.

Date of death: 28 Nov 1900

Subject: Sarah Ann (Garner) Goodloe

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 07 Dec 1900, Friday, p. 5

Mrs. Sarah Goodloe died at her home in Verdon, Nebraska, on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Goodlow was the widow of John Goodloe and the family were among the pioneer settlers of Andrew county. She was a sister of Mrs. M. Chronister and a cousin of ex-Sheriff A. C. Trapp.

Date of death: 13 Feb 1891

Subject: Sunbeam³ Garner

³ Another source gives this name, too.

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 20 Feb 1891, Friday, p. 3

Died.-- At the residence of her father, near Farmersburg, Chautauqua county, Kansas, of pneumonia, Friday, Feb. 13, 1891, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Garner, aged 5 months and 15 days.

*Little Sunbeam left her earthly home,
For the golden shore,
There she's gone to join the angels,
Where she'll live forever more.*

Date of death: 15 Jul 1923

Subject: Caltha T. (Garnett) Masters

Source: *Skidmore [MO] News*, 19 Jul 1923, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Kate Masters, a former resident of Skidmore, died at the home of her son Fred Masters, in Omaha, at 10 o'clock p.m. Sunday. The body was brought to Maryville Wednesday morning and was taken to the home of Ed Masters, where the funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at one o'clock, conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, pastor of the Christian church at Maryville.

The body was accompanied from Omaha by her son Fred, and wife, and daughter, Mrs. John Wells of Edgley, North Dakota, a sister Mrs. L. V. Austin of Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Lyle Gray and Miss Jessie David, nieces and Clyde Masters, a nephew.

The following relatives of Skidmore attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Garnett, Mrs. Mary Garnett, Mrs. Delia Masters, Mr. and Mrs. John Masters. Among the others from Skidmore were: Mrs. Chas. Beverlin and son George, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. Homer Aldridge, Mrs. Chas. Reese Mrs. E. D. French and Mrs. Elmer Owens.

The ballbearers [sic] were nephews of Mrs. Masters.

Date of death: 31 Jul 1887

Subject: John A. Garnett

Source: *The Knox County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Jul 1887, Thursday, p. 5

Rev. John A. Garnett lies dangerously sick of typhoid at his father-in-law's-- Mr. W. H. F. Owen

Same

Source: *The Knox County [MO] Democrat*, 04 Aug 1887, Thursday, p. 5

Died, at the residence of his father-in-law, W. H. F. Owen in Novelty, on Sunday eve last, Rev. John A. Grnett. The remains were taken to the Garnett grave yard for burial on Monday eve. Truly a good man has gone hence, while a wife and little boy are left to mor [sic] the departure of husband and father.

Date of death: 11 May 1916

Subject: Alfred Flatman Garrard

Source: *Sheridan [MO] Advance*, 18 May 1916, Thursday, p. 1

Mr. Alfred Garrard died at his home one and one-half miles south west of Gaynor, May 11 at 10:30 p.m., following a long illness. Last November he suffered a stroke of paralysis and has been helpless since that time. Mr. Garrard was born in England in 1825, He came to America with his parents when ten years of age. He first settled in Pennsylvania for a time then moved to Indiana. In 1870 he moved to Missouri. He was married to Miss Ellen Roach in 1865 [sic]. They were the parents of ten children, two girls and eight boys. The children living are Lizzie and William, at home; John Garrard, Parnell; Walter Garrard, Sheridan; Robert Garrard, Allen, Texas; Ben Garrard, Blockton. He leaves one sister, Mrs. Emma Fryar, who lives at Ravenwood. Mr. Garrard was a kind father and good neighbor and will be greatly missed in his home and community.

Date of death: 11 Aug 1894

Subject: Ruby Garrard

Source: *Sheridan [MO] Advance*, 16 Aug 1894, Thursday, p. 8

Gaynor City. Died, the six months old twin girl baby of Walter Garrard and wife. It looks hard to see those little twins parted so young in life. Those parents have the entire sympathy of this community.

Date of death: 18 Feb 1913

Subject: Andrew Robe Garrett

Source: *Burlington Junction [MO] Post*, 06 Mar 1913, Thursday, p. 1

Andrew R. Garrett was born at Marietta, Ohio, October 27, 1831, and died at his home in Eureka Springs, Ark., February 18, 1913, aged 81 years, three months and twenty-one days.

When ten years old, he moved with his parents to Bureau county, Ill, where he grew up and received his education and where he afterwards engaged in farming and stock raising and also became a shipper of grain and was widely known in northern Illinois.

In 1880 he sold his farm and other interests in Illinois and in 1882 he moved to Clearmont, Mo., where he lived until the spring of 1907 when he went to Eureka Springs, Ark., where he lived until his death.

On November 13, 1855, in Illinois he was united in marriage to Minerva H. Nichols. To this union seven children were born all of whom with their aged mother survive him. They are Etta Riffe, Eureka Springs, Ark.; A. H. Garrett, Clearmont; D. T. Garrett, Burlington Junction, D. N. Garrett, Pleasanton, Kan.; James A. Garrett, Summerfield, Kan.; John Garrett, Eureka Springs, Ark., and Kitty Smith of Clearmont.

The funeral was held at the Methodist church in Eureka Springs and the remains were laid to rest in the Eureka Springs cemetery.

Date of death: 20 Apr 1904

Subject: Elizabeth (Garrett) Gates

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 28 Apr 1904, p. 7

Elmo News. The body of Mrs. Elizabeth Gates, who died in Maryville Wednesday morning was brought to Elmo that evening and taken to the home of Benjamin Honsaker southwest of Elmo. Funeral services were conducted Friday at the High Prairie church and the body laid to rest in the Spoor graveyard. Mrs. Gates was 94 years of age and had lived in this country many years. She leaves two sons and one daughter.

Date of death: 29 Oct 1912

Subject: Henry C. Garrett

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 01 Nov 1912, Friday, p. 12

Henry C. Garrett died Tuesday, October 29, 1912, at his home in Savannah, after a lingering illness of cancer of the liver, aged fifty-five years, two months and twenty-three days. Mr. Garrett was born in Knoxville, Tenn., August 6, 1866, and on July 3, 1881, was united in married to Miss Gracie Nix. To this union four children were born, three daughters and one son, the latter being deceased. The remains were placed in the Savannah cemetery after the funeral which was under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

Same

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

After an illness stretching over some five years, Henry C. Garrett died at his home here Tuesday evening, aged 56 years, 2 months and 28 days. Cancer was the malady from which he suffered, all that medical or surgical skill having been done to relieve him.

Funeral services were conducted from the late residence Thursday morning under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. which had stood by him with true fraternity through the years of his illness.

Mr. Garrett was born in Knoxville Tenn. Aug. 6, 1856, and married to Gracie Nix July 3 1881. To this union four children were born, one son dying in infancy.

Same

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

Henry Garret [sic], who has been in bad health for several years, died at his home in Selecman Heights Tuesday, October 29, 1912, aged 56 years, 2 months and 23 days. Mr. Garrett was born in Knoxville, Tennessee [sic], August 6 1856, and on July 3, 1881 was united in marriage [sic] to Miss Gracie Nix, and of this union four children have been born, three daughters and one son the latter being diseased [sic]. Mr. Garrett has been a resident of this county many years and lived north east of Savannah until a few years ago when he moved to this city. He was a leading member of the Independent [sic] Order of Odd Fellows and his funeral services were conducted

from the residence yesterday morning under the auspices of that order. Rev. A. R. Hunt conducting the service. Interment was at the Savannah cemetery [sic].

Date of death: 5 Jan 1896

Subject: infant son of Benjamin Garrett

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 10 Jan 1896, Friday, p. 1

Died, On January 5, 1896, infant son of, Ben. and Rosa A. Garrett, at their home near Flag Springs, aged two weeks and six days. We miss the precious little babe. But Jesus who said 'Suffer little children to come unto Me' has taken the little lamb to reign forever in the paradise of God. May these sorrowing ones so live that they meet their dear little jewel in that better land where there will be no more death neither sorrow nor crying, for the former things have passed away.

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

Wm. C. Smith

Date of death: 22 Feb 1911

Subject: John Garrett

Source: Andrew County [MO] Democrat, 24 Feb 1911, Friday, p. 1

John Garrett, an old soldier and a long resident of Andrew county, died at his home on South Sixth St., Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. He was 79 years, 9 months and 7 days old. Funeral services will be conducted from the Baptist church, this Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Same

Source: Savannah [MO] Reporter, 24 Feb 1911, Friday, p. 8

John Garret [sic], who has lived in Savannah for many years and who was a soldier in the Civil War, died at his home in Savannah Wednesday, February 22, aged 79 years, 9 months and 7 days. He had been confined to his bed for a year and had suffered. Rev. J. R. Bluthe will hold the funeral services at the Baptist church, today, Friday, and the remains will be placed in the Savannah cemetery.

Date of death: 1 Feb 1912

Subject: John Buster Garrett

Source: The Guthrie [OK] Daily Star, 06 Feb 1912, Tuesday, p. 6

John B. Garrett, living four miles west of Mulhall, died February 1. He was 75 years old and has been a resident of Oklahoma thirteen years. He served as a private during the civil war, being a member of a Kansas regiment. His body was taken to Kansas for burial.

Date of death: 24 Dec 1906

Subject: Loretta I. Garrett

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 28 Dec 1906, Friday, p. 1

Died at her home in St. Joseph, Retta I. Garrett, daughter of Samuel F. and Sarah Garrett, on Dec. 24. She is survived by her parents and two sisters, Mrs. Walter Sanders and Mrs. J. W. Ardery, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her death. She united with the M. E. church early in life and ever remained a faithful and devoted member. Her girlhood days were spent in Savannah, where she will long be remembered for her many Christian graces and lovable nature. She was a most patient sufferer. In the light of eternity we shall know why this devoted daughter and most cherished sister was so sadly taken away in the midst of her usefulness. 'Thy will be done.' The impressive funeral services were in the afternoon, Dec. 26, conducted by her pastor, Rev. B. F. Crossman, at the family residence, and interment in the vault at Mount Mora cemetery.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 28 Dec 1906, Friday, p. 1

Died, at her home in the City of St. Joseph on December 25, Retta I. Garrett, daughter of Samuel P. and Sarah Garrett. She is survived by her parents, and two sisters, Mrs. Walter Sanders and Mrs. J. W. Ardery, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

She united with the M. E. church early in life and ever remained a faithful and devoted member.

Her girlhood days were spent in Savannah, where she will long be remembered for her many Christian graces and lovable nature. She was a most patient sufferer. In the light of eternity, we shall know why this devoted daughter and most cherished sister was so sadly taken away in the midst of her usefulness. 'Thy Will be done.'

The impressive funeral services were held on the afternoon of December 26 at the family residence, conducted by her pastor, Rev. B. F. Crissman, and interment in the vault at Mt. Mora cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 28 Dec 1906, Friday, p. 1

Miss Retta Garrett died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Garrett, in St. Joseph at 2:45 Monday afternoon, Dec. 24, after a long illness. The Garretts formerly lived in this city and are well known to many of our people. Impressive funeral services were conducted at the family residence Wednesday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. B. F. Crissman, and interment was in the vault at Mt. Mora cemetery.

Miss Garrett is survived by her parents and two sisters, Mrs. W. J. Sanders and Mrs. J. W. Ardery.

Date of death: 18 Feb 1923

Subject: Mary Wright (Garrett) Miller

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 19 Feb 1923, Monday, p. 1

Mrs. Mary Miller, eighty-eight years of age, and a resident of Nodaway County for forty-three years, died yesterday afternoon at 2:30 at her home in Graham, after a long illness of a complication of diseases. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Mrs. Miller is survived by a daughter, Miss Cora Miller at home, and three sons, Robert Miller, Cope, Colo.; Harvey, of Westlaco, Tex.; and Martin Miller, Des Moines, Ia. Her husband died fourteen years ago.

Date of death: 31 Jan 1884

Subject: Nellie Garrett

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 07 Feb 1884, Thursday, p. 4

Pleasant Hill Items. Mr. and Mrs. John Garrett were called to mourn the loss of their youngest child, a little girl almost one year old. She died on the 31st of January and was buried on the 1st of February at Cane's [sic] cemetery. She was a bright and lovely child and was loved by all the family and they will all miss her, but their loss is her eternal gain. The funeral was largely attended. Rev. Crowley preached a very touching sermon.

Date of death: 13 Mar 1920

Subject: Olie Lee Garrett

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Mar 1920, Friday, p. 2

Rea. March 16. Several from Rea and vicinity attended the funeral of O. L. Garrett at Whitesville Tuesday.

High Prairie. The sad news reached this neighborhood Saturday of the death of O. L. Garrett of Kansas City, formerly of Whitesville. He was operated on at Kansas City for appendicitis early Thursday morning.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 19 Mar 1920, Friday, p. 4

Bachelor Hall. March 17. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Scott were called to Kansas City the last of last week by the serious illness of their son-in-law O. L. Garrett, who passed away Saturday, March 13, after a short illness. The subject of this sketch requires something more than a passing notice. Having been a resident of this community for a number of years and active in the business, social, as well as in church circles. He was highly respected and the influence of his life will abide especially in the lives of the young men with whom he was associated. We are again reminded of the truth. 'That in the midst of life we are in death and should be admonished to live that when our summons comes to join the innumerable caravan which moves to that mysterious realm, where each shall take his chamber in the silent halls of death, go not like the quarry slave at night scourged to his dungeon, but soothed and sustained by an unfaltering trust, approach thy grave like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams.'

Whitesville. March 16. The remains of O. L. Garrett, who died in a Kansas City hospital from an operation, were brought here Tuesday. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church and burial was in the Whitesville cemetery.

Same

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 19 Mar 1920, Friday, p. 5

Mr. O. L. Garrett, of Kansas City, died Saturday, of appendicitis at a Kansas City hospital, and was buried at Whitesville, Tuesday. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Bonnie Scott, of Whitesville, and a little daughter, Virginia Lee.

Same

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 02 Apr 1920, Friday, p. 5

O. L. Garrett, of Kansas City, but formerly of Rea, was born in Saline county, Missouri, January 13, 1887, and died in Kansas City March 13, 1920, at the age of 33 years, and two months.

On January 28, 1909, Mr. Garrett was married to Miss Bonnie Scott, daughter of G. M. Scott of Whitesville. To this union one child was born, Virginia Lee, who is now eight years old.

Mr. Garrett was field man for the Poland China Journal and was successful as a stock man, as he had an interest in a large stock farm near Kansas City. He also was partner with Earnest Deal until last fall in the Poland China hog business of Whitesville.

Business friends from Iowa, Illinois and Indiana were present at the funeral to show their love and respect for this straight-forward Christian business man of our country.

The funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist church of Kansas City by Rev. Aberauth, also services were held at Whitesville. A large crowd was in attendance. There were many and beautiful floral offerings. The body was laid to rest in the Whitesville cemetery.

Date of death: 18 Mar 1886

Subject: Rose M. Garrett

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 01 Apr 1886, Thursday, p. 5

Clearmont. The hearts of many were made sad by the death of Miss Rose Garrett, aged fourteen years and four months. As she was only sick for ten days her schoolmates and companions can hardly realize that she has been taken from them. She was a dear, sweet child beloved by all who knew her and her sudden death has been a great blow to her friends and relatives. The bereaved family have [sic] the heartfelt sympathy of a saddened community. Funeral services were preached by Mr. Sunderland from Burlington Junction, and the burial took place in the Clearmont Cemetery.

Date of death: 26 Nov 1909

Subject: Samuel F. Garrett

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 Dec 1909, Friday, p. 1

Samuel F. Garrett, who lived in Savannah and conducted a hardware store in the St. Charles Hotel building in the early 70s, died at his home in St. Joseph November 26. He was a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, and a pioneer business man of Northwest Missouri, and was born at Cassville, Pa., April 23, 1831.

At the age of 16 years he enlisted in Co. M, Second regiment Pennsylvania infantry, for the war with Mexico. With his company he descended the Ohio and Mississippi rivers to New Orleans, thence by sailing vessel, where he participated in the capture of Chapultepec and the city of Mexico, by General Scott. He was mustered out of the service at Pittsburg [sic], Pa., July 26, 1848, and removed to Iowa in 1850, coming to St. Joseph a year later. The following year he located at Savannah, where he was married to Sarah E. Brown Jan. 13, 1853.

Mr. Garrett had for fifty-nine years been an active communicant of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was a member of the First M. E. congregation in St. Joseph. He had made his home successively in Savannah, Atchison, Maryville and St. Joseph.

Mr. Garrett is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Walter J. Sanders and Mrs. J. W. Ardery, both of St. Joseph; a sister, Mrs. Kate Roberts of Bolckow; and two grandchildren, Miss Retta Sanders and Robert G. Sanders of Maryville.

The funeral took place from the residence in St. Joseph at 2:30 p.m. Sunday.

Same

Source: *The Andrew County [MO] Republican*, 03 Dec 1909, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 03 Dec 1909, Friday, p. 5

Samuel F. Garrett, a Veteran of the Mexican and Civil Wars, and a pioneer business man of Northwest Missouri, died at 11:20 o'clock today, at his residence, 316 North Twentieth street. He was born at Cassville, Pa., April 23, 1831.

At the age of sixteen years he enlisted in Company M. Second regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry, for the war with Mexico. With his company he descended the Ohio and Mississippi rivers to New Orleans, thence by sailing vessel, with the regular army, to Mexico where he participated in the capture of Chapultepec and the City of Mexico, by General Scott. He was mustered out of the service at Pittsburg, Pa., July 26, 1848, and removed to Iowa in 1850, coming to St. Joseph a year later. The following year he located at Savannah where he was married to Sarah E. Brown, January 3, 1853.

Mr. Garrett had for fifty-nine years been an active communicant of the Methodist⁴ Episcopal Church, and was a member of the First M. E. congregation in St. Joseph. He had made his home in Savannah, Atchison, Maryville and St. Joseph. He was engaged in the hardware business here years ago with the late Captain Frank B. Kercheval, the style of the firm being Kercheval & Garrett.

⁴ The *Democrat* printed "Medoth."

Mr. Garrett is survived by his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Walter J. Sanders and Mrs. J. W. Ardery, both of St. Joseph; a sister, Mrs. Kate Roberts of Bolckow, Mo., and two grandchildren, Miss Retta Sanders and Robert G. Sanders of Maryville.

The funeral will be from the residence at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.-- Saturday's News Press.

Date of death: 29 Dec 1906

Subject: Ellis S. Garten

Source: *The Evening [Newton] Kansan-Republican*, 31 Dec 1906, Monday, p. 8

Ellis Garten of Cimmaron, Kansas, died Saturday night at a hotel in Kansas City. He was there for a few days on business and died of pneumonia after an illness of only a couple of hours. A wife and three children are left to mourn him besides his father, mother and three brothers. Mr. Garten's little daughter Wanda has been visiting her grand parents here for several weeks and expected to go home with her father when he came through Saturday night and was waiting here when the telephone message was received of his sudden death. The body was taken to Cimarron yesterday afternoon and it is thought the funeral will be held on Tuesday.

Mr. Logan Garten of St. Joseph, accompanied the body from Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Garten, Curtis Garten and little Wanda went from here on No. 5 yesterday afternoon.

Date of death: 13 Sep 1911

Subject: Logan A. Garten

Source: [Newton] *Kansan*, 14 Sep 1911, Thursday

Logan A. Garten, son of D. A. Garten of this city, died at St. Joseph, yesterday. Mr. Garten and Mrs. Charles Hutton, a niece, have gone to St. Joseph. Mrs. Garten, wife of Logan visited here a short time ago. The following dispatch from St. Joseph tells of the death.

Logan A. Garten, 57 year old, secretary of the park board and public utilities commission, died tonight shortly after he boarded a street car for the union depot, where he was to meet his wife, who had been visiting in Kansas. Heart failure is believed to have been the cause. Mr. Garten was appointed to his municipal position two days after he had completed thirty-two years in the newspaper business.

He began newspaper work under General Nobel Prentis in Newton, Kansas. Since that time he has been employed on many metropolitan papers, at one time being connected with a Kansas City newspaper. He came to St. Joseph from Los Angeles about a year ago.

Same

Source: *The Springfield [MO] News-Leader*, 14 Sep 1911, Thursday, p. 1

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 13.-- Kneeling on the floor of a street car, his arms on the seat in front of him, Logan A. Garten, aged forty-seven years, and secretary of the St. Joseph park board and public utilities committee, was found to be dead when passengers went to him this evening.

Garten had been a newspaper man many years and worked in Kansas City, Denver, Los Angeles, Springfield, Mo., St. Joseph and other cities. Six months ago he was appointed to the office he held here when death came.

Logan A. Garten was city editor of The Republican for four years, coming here from St. Joseph when E. E. E. McJimsey took charge as editor, and remaining until April 2, 1910, when he resigned and returned to St. Joseph to take the city hall run on the St. Joseph News-Press. He was exceedingly well known in this city and his many friends will read with much regret this morning the news of his sudden demise.

As city editor of The Republican Mr. Garten wrote and edited the famous 'Sayings of the Scrap Heap Man,' which he later caused to be published. He was a man rich in experience and mellow with the bright side of all that came within his life.

Beginning when a mere lad as 'printer's devil' in a country newspaper in Newton, Kan., the home of his parents, Mr. Garten became in turn a printer and writer and then left the small town to seek his fortune elsewhere. He worked from coast to coast in the reportorial departments of city newspapers, at times holding desk positions and at other occasions 'coving a run.'

He had worked in thirty-seven commonwealths of the United States and was perhaps one of the most widely known men in the journalistic field. From Los Angeles and Sa Francisco to Pittsburg, Pa., Cincinnati, Chicago, and Cleveland, in Denver, Col., in Kansas City, St. Joseph, Springfield and other cities of the west, middle west and east he was known and wherever known he was liked.

Beloved of his reporters and respected by all, Logan A. Garten trained many a young man with the foundations of the newspaper [world,' and oftentimes referred to an office over which he had jurisdiction as a 'journalist college.'

Mr. Garten is survived by a widow only, his two children having died in birth. Letters to friends here in the last few months stated that he was suffering from bronchial tuberculosis.

Date of death: 11 Apr 1884

Subject: Thomas N. Garten

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 17 Apr 1884, Thursday, p. 3

Thos. N. Garten, an old and estimable citizen of Union township, died last Sunda after about a weeks [sic] illness of lung fever. Mr. Garten was born in Monrow county, Virginia, November 6, 1826. He moved to Nodaway county in June 1866. He had been twice married, his second wife, four boys and four girls survive him. His eldest daughter married Jas. C. Pistole. The funeral services took place at the family residence on Monday, conducted by Rev. T. A. Canaday. Mr. Garten was an upright, honorable man and his death is a loss to the community of which he was a useful and esteemed citizen.

Date of death: 13 Jun 1918

Subject: Hattie T. (Gartin) Cummins

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 13 Jun 1918, Thursday, p. 1

Mrs. Thomas A. Cummins died at 1 o'clock this morning at her home on East Fourth street. She had been ill for the last few weeks with paralysis, but her condition seemed to be improving nicely until a short time before her death when she suffered a relapse [sic]. Funeral arrangements will not be made until relatives from a distance are heard from.

Mrs. Cummins was about 50 years old. She is survived by her husband and four children, Lawrence of Clearmont; Andy Chris of Maryville; Frank of Des Moines, and Miss Marguerite at home. She also leaves her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. N. Garten [sic] of Albany, Mo., and two sisters and two brothers, who are: Mrs. S. G. Ferguson, San Bernardino, Cal.; Mrs. W. L. Salisbury, Pharr, Tex.; Mitchell Garten and Ray Garten of King City.

She was a member of the Women's Catholic Order of Forresters [sic] and the members of that lodge will attend the funeral services in a body.

Date of death: 30 Nov 1911

Subject: Nora Blanche (Gartin) Puckett

Source: *St. Joseph [MO] News-Press*, 30 Nov 1911, Thursday, p. 6

Mrs. Nora Blanche Puckett, thirty-six years old, wife of K. E. Puckett of Gower, this county, died at 2 o'clock this morning at a local hospital. The body will be taken to Gower tonight and the funeral will be at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Christian Church there.

Date of death: 26 Aug 1917

Subject: Richard Boston Gartin

Source: *Clinton County [MO] Democrat*, 31 Aug 1917, Friday, p. 3

News from Gower. Richard Gartin died at his home Sunday evening about eight o'clock. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hoover of Agency in the Baptist church here Tuesday morning. Burial in the Allendale cemetery. Mr. Gartin is survived by his wife and four children, L. R. and Geo. Gartin, Mrs. L. L. Moxley and Mrs. Ed. Ruddle of St. Joseph.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1923

Subject: James Oscar Garton

Source: *Norcatour [KS] Dispatch*, 19 Apr 1923, Thursday, p. 1

James Oscar Garton was born in Nodaway County, Missouri, September 11, 1866, and died at his home near Norcatour, Kansas, April 8, 1923, aged 56 years, 6 months and 28 days.

On October 27, 1897, he was married to Lella B. Ward. To this union were born five children, Nyra, Norma and Ralph, who were at his bedside; and two sons who preceded the father in death.

Besides his family he leaves to mourn his departure an aged father at Raton, New Mexico; four brothers, Henry H., at Clearmont, Wyoming; Jessie B., Raton, New Mexico; Fred, of Norton, Kansas, and Frank, of Burlington, Colorado; and one sister, Mary E. Baker, of Burlington, Colorado.

He united with the Methodist church of the Norcatut Federation about two years ago. He had been in poor health for almost twelve years, and for the last year and a half he was an invalid.

His last days were days of intense suffering, but his testimony, to his pastor, and to his wife and loved ones, showed the strength of his living faith in Jesus Christ, his loving Savior.

His suffering is ended, and he has gone to realize the triumph of his faith and the saving grace of the Son of God.

The funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. A. L. Groseclose, Lutheran pastor of Norcatut, and his body was laid to rest in the Norcatut cemetery to await the resurrection morning.

The pallbearers were members of the Norcatut Odd Fellows lodge, of which organization he was also a member. The lodge members participated in the burial services at the grave.

Text: John 5:25, 'Verily, verily, I say unto you, the hour cometh, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live.'

Theme: Death is swallowed up in victory.

Date of death: 20 Sep 1902

Subject: John Bunyan Garton

Source: *Norton County [KS] News*, 26 Sep 1902, Friday, p. 8

Died on the morning of the 20th inst. John B. Garton, at the ripe age of 88 years. This Mr. Garton was the father of J. B. Garton, the prohibition candidate for county attorney and we think always voted the democratic ticket. He was kind and agreeable to everybody and will be missed by many old as well as young folks.

Same

Source: *Norton [KS] Courier*, 16 Oct 1902, Thursday, p. 5

John Bunyan Garton, born in Switzerland Co., Indiana, January 12, 1814. Married to Louisa Lloyd, in 1833, three children were born to them two sons and one daughter, he lost his wife in 1839, came to Missouri in 1839, was married to Sara Dass in 1840, nine children were born of this union five sons and four daughters. Again lost his wife in 1874, was married to Adaline H. Burton in 1875, with whom he was living at the time of his death. Three sons and one daughter are living. He was converted and united with the . E. Church in 1840, of which he was a member at the time of death. Age 88 years, 8 months and 8 days. Brother Garton departed this life at 9 o'clock a.m. Sept. 20, 1902 at his home located in the door yard of his son, J. B. Garton. The

funeral services were to take place Sept. 21, but on account of the rain the services were postponed until Sept. 28, at schoolhouse No. 66 at 3 o'clock. A large audience was present. The discourse was delivered by Rev. J. R. Thompson, Text: Job 14-14, 'If a man die, shall he live again?'

J. R. T.

Date of death: 26 Sep 1896

Subject: John Caples Garton

Source: *The Jennings [KS] Gazette*, 02 Oct 1896, Friday, p. 4

J. C. Garton was born in Nodaway county, Mo. on the 28th day of December 1852. In 1879 he moved to Kansas and united with the Newlite Church. Later in life he joined the M. E. Church and remained a faithful member of the same until his death on September 26th 1869 [sic]. Mr. garton [sic] expressed himself as haveng [sic] no fear of death and said he was ready to go. He leaves a family of four children, three sons and one daughter, to mourn his loss. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. E. E. Damon, at the school house; from there, the remains were taken to the Cemetery, followed by a long train of sympathizing friends, where the body was laid to rest until the sounding of the trumpet of the Lord.

Date of death: 8 Nov 1910

Subject: Louis J. Garton

Source: *The [Hill City KS] Reveille-New Era*, 10 Nov 1910, Thursday, p. 8

Mr. Louis Garton died Tuesday night of typhoid fever. Mr. Garton has been sick for twelve weeks.

Same

Source: *The [Hill City KS] Reveille-New Era*, 17 Nov 1910, Thursday, p. 3

Miss Florence Garton was obliged to discontinue her school work during the illness of her mother and the death and burial of her father, Louis Garton.

Date of death: 29 Sep 1912

Subject: Ronald Ora Gartside

Source: *Sheridan [MO] Advance*, 03 Oct 1912, Thursday, p. 1

Ronald Ora Gartside, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora [sic] Gartside died at the family home north of Sheridan, Sunday, September 29, 1912 at the age of of [sic] almost 16 months. The little lad was born June 17, 1911, and while he did not linger long with his loved ones he had gained the love of the whole community which was shown when the funeral services were held, as a very large number of friends were present. The funeral services were held from the family home, September, 29th, conducted by Rev. F. J. Smith of the Sheridan M. E. church and the remains were laid to rest in the Luteston cemetery northwest of Sheridan.

Date of death: 10 Jul 1881

Subject: child of Roy Garvin

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 15 Jul 1881, Friday, p. 1

Cosby. July 11. Roy Garvin and wife buried their child in the Bethel cemetery, to-day, It died in St. Joseph, Sunday morning, with summer complaint. It was their only child.

Date of death: 16 Sep 1894

Subject: Charles A. Gary

Source: *The Atchison County [MO] Journal*, 20 Sep 1894, Thursday, p. 3

Died. Sunday morning, Sept. 16th 1894, after much affliction, Charles A. Gary.

The deceased has been a resident of this city for many years and for the past fourteen years has been blind. He was an intelligent, industrious and most worthy man, and notwithstanding his many afflictions, met them all with the fortitude of a hero.

His funeral was preached on Monday morning at the Christian Church by Elder Dawson and the burial was conducted by the Masonic fraternity of which body he was a worthy member.

Date of death: 24 Aug 1900

Subject: Harriet E. (Gary) McFarland

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 03 Sep 1900, Monday, p. 3

Mrs. Seth McFarland, who left Barnard a year ago to seek health in Boise City, Idaho, died there recently. Five children, the oldest of which is fourteen, and a husband survive. Mr. McFarland is a brother of Mrs. A. B. Allen of this city.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Tribune*, 20 Sep 1900, Thursday, p. 9

Seth McFarland arrived in Barnard Wednesday, from Boise City, Idaho, with his five children, and the remains of his wife who died in Boise City about three weeks ago. Burial occurred in Barnard Wednesday. Mrs. A. B. Allen, who is a sister of Mr. McFarland, went down to attend the burial services, returning home Wednesday night.

Date of death: 23 Nov 1919

Subject: John Summerfield Gary

Source: [Boise ID] *Evening Capital News*, 25 Nov 1919, Tuesday, p. 11

The funeral of John F. [sic] Gary, who died in Portland Sunday, will be held at the family home, 1815 North Tenth street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The service will be in charge of the Elks lodge with Rev. W. W. Van Dusen, assisting. The body of Mr. Gary will arrive in Boise tonight as it is being brought here by his father [sic], O. M. Gary.

Date of death: 22 Mar 1889

Subject: Phebe Ann (Gary) Newman

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

Rosendale. Feb. 20. Mrs. J. F. Newman went to St. Joseph, to-day, to undergo a surgical operation.

Date of death: 20 Mar 1889

Subject: David P. Gaskill

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 28 Mar 1889, Thursday, p. 5

Mt. Ayr. Uncle David Gaskill was buried in the grave yard at Oak Hill last Thursday. He was an old settler and esteemed by all and a fervent christian for many years.

Date of death: 2 Feb 1886

Subject: Ira Alonzo Gaskill

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 21 Jan 1886, Thursday, p. 4

A three year old son of Wm. Gaskill who lives six miles east of Maryville, was badly burned last Tuesday. The boy and a baby were left alone in a room by their mother who was attending to household duties in another room. Hearing screams she ran to her children and found the clothes of the little boy on fire. She smothered the flames out and took the children in her arms and ran to a neighbors [sic] house for assistance. The neighbors hurried back to the house and found its contents on fire, but by energetic work they put the fire out and saved the dwelling from burning. Dr. G. W. Wilson was called to attend the child but the little boy is burned so badly that it is feared he cannot recover.

same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 04 Feb 1886, Thursday, p. 4

The death of the little Gaskill boy, from the effects of the terrible burn he received a few weeks ago, should be a warning to never leave matches where children can get hold of them.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 04 Feb 1886, Thursday, p. 5

In company with Dr. G. W. Wilson a Republican representative last Friday went out to see the little son of Wm. Gaskill, who was so horribly burned about three weeks ago, full particulars of which were published in the Republican at the time. We knew the little fellow was badly burned, but were not prepared for the horrible sight that met our view, and which no pen can adequately portray. From above the naval [sic] down to his knees, the boy is completely roasted, and the burned flesh looks like sole leather, and is hard as a bone. Whether the poor little fellow will live or not, the future alone can tell. The burnt cuticle is sloughing off nicely, but the patient is becoming very weak. Dr. Wilson thinks if he can be sustained until the sloughing process is complete and the walls of the abdomen are not burned through, he has fair chances of getting well. But it will bring tears to the eyes of the hardest, to see the little sufferer-- only three years old-- with traces of the terrible agony depicted on his fair, emaciated young face, yet he bears all without a murmur, and submits to the dressing unflinchingly. His only desires is to have his

mother with him all the time, and if she gets out of his sight for a moment, he feebly calls, 'Mamma, Mamma.' Everything is being done for the little sufferer possible, and it is the earnest wish of all that he may be permitted to live. Later-- The vital spark has fled. Despite the skillful medical attendance, and the fond, loving care only a mother can bestow, on Tuesday morning at six o'clock the angel of death released the patient little hero, and bore the spirit aloft to the Maker who gave it. The body was buried on Wednesday. The heart-broken parents have the sympathy of all in their great bereavement.

Date of death: 9 Jan 1920

Subject: Julia Arabella (Gaskill) Billups

Source: *The [Spokane WA] Spokesman-Review*, 11 Jan 1920, Sunday, p. 16

Oroville, Wash., Jan. 10.-- Mrs. Lloyd Billups was found dead in bed by a woman who is working in the family. She had passed away peacefully in her sleep, as she was lying with one hand under the side of her face and no evidence of a struggle. Doctors decided she had died of heart failure.

Same

Source: *The [Oroville WA] Weekly Gazette-Tribune*, 16 Jan 1920, p. 1

Last Friday morning Mrs. Loyd [sic] Billups, living in the south part of town, was found dead in bed. Mrs. Billups had been a sufferer from turburculosis [sic] for some time, but she attended the revival meeting at the M. E. church the night before, and apparently was feeling better and was in better spirits than she had been for some days. Mr. Billups was away from home at work. As Mrs. Billups did not appear for breakfast Friday morning a woman living with the family went to call her and discovered that she was dead. Dr. Efner was called and he found the body lying in a natural position, the face resting on one hand. Death had come during sleep and Mrs. Billups had passed away without a struggle. Dr. Efner attributed death to heart lesion. The family came here from near Chesaw, where the remains were taken for burial. Mrs. Billups was a native of Missouri, some 30 years of age, and leaves a husband and three children to mourn her loss.

Date of death: 18 Sep 1889

Subject: Elisabeth (Gasser) Garber

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 27 Sep 1889, Friday, p. 5

Amazonia. Mrs. Garber's funeral was preached at the German church, Friday.

Date of death: 10 Jul 1919

Subject: Margaret (Gaston) Howard

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 18 Jul 1919, Friday, p. 4

Bolckow. July 16. Margaret Gaston was born December 6, 1843, at Geneseo, Livingston county, New York, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Adah Hopper, near Bolckow, on July 10, 1919, at the age of 76 years, 7 months and 4 days. She was united in marriage to Sidney M. Howard on July 25, 1857. To this union were born five children, four of whom have preceded her to the great world beyond. She leaves to mourn her death her daughter, Mrs. Adah Hopper, a

sister, Mrs. Jennie Ryon, and a brother, James Gaston. The last two named reside at Byron, Illinois. The funeral was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hopper, conducted by Rev. R. W. Moore of Barnard, assisted by singers from his church choir. The burial was in the Bolckow cemetery.

Date of death: 8 Apr 1905

Subject: Alмеры (Gates) Langford

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 21 Apr 1905, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Almeary Langford died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Liggett, in King City, April 8, 1905, aged 82 years, 5 months and 13 days. Mrs. Langford was born in Monroe county, Kentucky, October 15, 1822. She was married to Wilbern G. Langford December 8, 1839, and of this union were born eleven children, six of whom survive the mother.

Date of death: 5/6 Oct 1908

Subject: Edward Earl Gates

Source: *Ravenwood [MO] Gazette*, 09 Oct 1908, Friday, p. 5

Little Earl Edward Gates, the sixteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gates, after a lingering illness of several weeks, died Monday morning, October 5th, at 7 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted at the residence northwest of town by Elder Arch McCord, on Tuesday, October 6th, at 2:00 p.m., after which the little body was laid to rest in the I.O.O.F. cemetery, Oak Lawn. The grief-stricken family have [sic] the sympathy of all.

Date of death: 13 Jul 1920

Subject: George Wesley Gates

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 16 Jul 1920, Friday, p. 1

George Gates, a former resident of Elmo, and well known over this part of the County, died at his home 7 miles southwest of Elmo on Tuesday night July 13, at 8:30.

Mr. Gates had cancer of the stomach, and a few weeks ago it was found that the disease had gained such a hold on him, that it was only a question of time when he would pass over.

The funeral was held today, Thursday, at the home, conducted by Rev. James R. Campbell, and burial at High Prairie Cemetery. We hope to have a suitable obituary next week.

Same

Source: *The Elmo [MO] Register*, 23 Jul 1920, Friday, p. 1

George Wesley Gates was born in Jones, [sic] County, Iowa Sept. 5, 1860, and died at his home 6 miles southwest of Elmo on Tuesday July 13, 1920 aged 59 years, 9 month [sic], 8 days.

He came with his parents to Nodaway County, Mo, when he was 12 years old and spent the greatest part of his life in the County.

He was married in 1884 to Kate Smith, who died in 1889, having three children, Mrs. J. G. McKnight, Mrs. Harvey Sands, and Kate who died in infancy. Mrs. Sands died in 1919 of the 'Flu.'

In 1891 he married Mrs. Hattie Allen. To this union three children were born Mrs. Roy Pruitt, Miss Hallie [or Hattie] and Jacob Dyer.

His wife, the four children, with three step children, Mrs. Jennie Gillespie, Dr. N. R. Allen and Sam J. Allen, survive to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father.

Funeral Thursday July 15, services conducted by Rev. J. R. Campbell, and burial at High Prairie cemetery.

Date of death: 2 Mar 1895

Subject: James B. Gates

Source: *Nodaway [Co. MO] Democrat*, 07 Mar 1895, Thursday, p. 4

From Saturday's Daily.

It is with profound sorrow we chronicle the sad news contained in the above headline. Only yesterday morning, while out in his stable yard, he was kicked on the bowels by one of his gentlest horses while his horses were running about the yard kicking and playing. He received a severe kick on the bowels, and one of the horses' feet, striking him on the head. He was knocked six or seven feet and fell to the ground. Members of the family happened to see him fall and they went out and took him to the house, and Dr. J. H. Todd was sent for. When the doctor got there he found the bowels swelling and the man suffering intensely. Later Dr. Dean was also called, and everything that medical aid could do was done, but the physicians recognized at first that the case must result fatally. He was conscious most of the time and remained alive until about ten o'clock to-day when the vital spark left its tenement of clay, and big, strong, tender-hearted, good-natured James B. Gates, as we knew him in flesh, ceased to be.

Such is life and sometimes such is death. We know not when, or where or how, but sooner or later the scythe of time cuts the brittle thread.

The untimely accident which removes a good and useful man in the twinkling of an eye as it were, is deeply lamented, and expressions of sorrow are heard on every hand on the streets of our city to-day.

The following sketch of his life was prepared by his neighbor and friend, Albert S. Watson:

James B. Gates was born near Oshkosh, Wisconsin, May 19, 1851, and was a son of S. G. and Eva (Fitzgerald) Gates. When three years of age, he removed with his parents to a farm, ten miles west of Muscatine, Iowa. There he was reared to manhood as a farmer. He was converted when a young man and joined the United Brethren Church. At the time of his conversion he, with sixty others, was immersed in the Cedar river. Of this he often spoke as the happiest period of his life. He remained in fellowship with his church until April 26, 1874, at which time he removed to

Nodaway county, Missouri. Only a few days previous to the accident which caused his death he expressed himself to his wife as ready to die when the Almighty called on him. He was married to Miss Minnie C. Moore, March 31, 1874, at Muscatine, Iowa. To them were born four children. The eldest, an infant son, died February 7, 1875. The surviving children are: Laura Ann, Lillie Mabel and John Moore. Mr. Gates was a man extensively acquainted throughout the county. The family have [sic] lost a kind husband and an indulgent father, the community a good citizen, an obliging neighbor and a true friend.

Funeral services were held at the family home, one mile and a half west of Maryville, Tuesday, March 5, at 1:30 p.m., conducted by Elder C. M. Chilton, pastor of the Christian Church. His central thoughts were the uncertainty of life; death comes not as a punishment for our sins, the best often suffer most, but it comes as one of the wise laws of nature, -- plan of God; perfect happiness is not here, often just when we get ready to live we die; what the? Death does not end all. Life continues through an endless world after this. Be prepared. God points out the way in his blessed book, the Bible.

The burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery. How sad it is that a man so young, so useful, should be cut off in the very prime and vigor of life. Yet this is often so. We can see only from the temporal, and not the eternal, standpoint. Said the Apostle Paul: 'The things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are unseen are eternal.'

The wife and children have the sincere sympathy of the community in this unexpected, sudden affliction which has fallen upon them. May the God of grace strengthen and comfort as only He can.

Date of death: May 1891

Subject: Joshua Gates

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 08 May 1891, Friday, p. 3

St. Joseph Herald, [*date illegible, could be 5th or 6th*]

Joshua Gates, a farmer of Andrew county, died rather suddenly at Lake Contrary yesterday morning. Mr. Gates lived near Whitesville, in Andrew county, and came to St. Joseph about a week ago with J. R. Smith, with a race horse. Saturday Mr. Gates complained of feeling badly and sent for Dr. Riley. The doctor prescribed for him and the man began to improve. In a few hours he relapsed, and died unexpectedly at an early hour yesterday morning.

Just before Gates' death the mare that they had brought to St. Joseph gave birth to twin colts. The colts are very small and were viewed by hundreds of people who were at the Lake yesterday.

Date of death: 25 Jul 1911

Subject: Laura Ann Gates

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 24 Jul 1911, Monday, p. 1

Miss Laura Gates living west of the city, is dangerously ill with a complication of diseases.

Same

Source: *The Maryville [MO] Daily Forum*, 26 Jul 1911, Wednesday, p. 1

Miss Laura Gates, the eldest daughter of Mrs. James B. Gates, died at 6:15 Tuesday evening at the Gates home, one mile west of the city, after a three days' illness with convulsions, caused by uremic poisoning.

Miss Gates had been in poor health for the past three years, but was able during this time, even though suffering at times severely, to look after work at the farm which had been her complete charge for some years. Against the advice of physicians she refused to undergo an operation for a serious liver trouble, fearing the shock of the operation more than the disease. For the past three months she had been rapidly failing, but would never give up and attended to her duties as usual. Last Saturday she was in town, transacting business, but was so ill that she told her physicians that she would have to give up her work. This was the first occasion when she had ever considered herself as being too ill to continue active work. Sunday morning she was taken violently ill with convulsions, which continued at intervals until Tuesday noon, when she lapsed into unconsciousness, remaining in that state until her death.

Miss Gates was an unusual woman for her years. She possessed a keen business astuteness, a rugged integrity and strength of character beyond the average, and was a remarkably capable business woman. Her father died in March, 1895, when she was 18 years of age. She was the eldest of the children and at that time assumed the entire charge of the farm. The farm was then 160 acres, partially mortgaged. Under her management, the indebtedness has been paid and the farm lands increased to nearly 300 acres. She followed out the intensive cultivation plan in farming. Her work and business intelligence have been recognized by every one in the county.

Miss Gates was a woman of great ambitions and had always planned that when her young brother was of age to take up the farm work that she had carried on, she would take up some special university work and educate herself on special lines that she had been unable to take the time for earlier.

Miss Gates was of courteous manner and ways, making fiends easily and minning [sic] the highest respect and confidence of every one with whom she had business dealings. She was a consistent member of the Christian church and even with her busy life had time to keep constantly in touch with church work. She was president of the Young Women's Mission Circle and active in its duties. She was born Sept. 23, 1876, on the present home farm west of the city. She leaves beside her mother, a younger sister and brother, Lillian and John, both living at home. No arrangements have been made for the funeral or will be until some out of town relatives arrive.

te of death: 21 Jan 1902

Subject: Lydia Ann (Gates) Selby

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 30 Jan 1902, Thursday, p. 2

Mrs. Samuel Selby died at her home in Lincoln township, Tuesday, January 21, 1902.

Date of death: 29 Mar 1923

Subject: Melissa Janet (Gates) Wiles

Source: *The [Morganville KS] Tribune*, 05 Apr 1923, Thursday, p. 8

This morning the Tribune received a card announcing the death of Melissa Janet Wiles, wife of Rev. L. B. Wiles, a former pastor of the M. E. church here. She died at their home in Barnsdall, Okla., on March 29, 1923, at the age of 64.

Same

Source: *The Cherokee [KS] Sentinel*, 06 Apr 1923, Friday, p. 3

Mrs. O. B. Loveland received the sad news of the death of Mrs. Melissa Wiles, wife of the Rev. L. B. Wiles at their home in Barnsdale, Okla., March 29, 1923. At the time of her death she lacked one day of being 64 years old.

During her residence in Cherokee she was greatly beloved and many a heart will be saddened by her death.

Date of death: 5 Nov 1922

Subject: Silas R. Gates

Source: *The Long Beach [CA] Telegram*, 06 Nov 1922, Monday, p. 17

Silas R. Gates, 81, passed away last night at his residence at 331 Orange avenue. He was a native of Ohio and had lived in Long Beach 10 years. He leaves a widow, Katherine Gates, two daughters and five sons.

Deceased was a member of the G.A.R., and the First Baptist church. Funeral services will be held at Cleveland's chapel Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, the Rev. George D. Knights officiating. Burial will be at Sunnyside.

Date of death: 25/26 Oct 1919

Subject: Lemuel Emerson Gault

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 07 Nov 1919, Friday, p. 1

There are some of the older residents of this city and county, who will remember Lemuel Emerson Gault who was one of the early settlers of this county coming here in 1866, and residing in this county for a number of years. He lived on a farm on the Fillmore road, coming here from Tennessee, where he was born in 1840. His death occurred [sic] at his home in Maryville last Sunday. His wife and six children survive him,

Date of death: 17 May 1890

Subject: Monteverde Gault

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 15 May 1890, Thursday, p. 5

Pleasant Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Gault have a very sick girl about 13 years. Dr. Moore, of your city, is the attending physician.

Same

Source: [Maryville MO] *Weekly Democrat-Forum*, 22 May 1890, Thursday, p. 5

Verdie, the 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Gault, who reside three miles west of Maryville, died last Saturday and was buried Monday, the funeral being conducted at the residence by Rev. Henry A. Sawyer. Verdrie was the third children in a family of seven children, and the first one called from that happy family circle. Her disease was quick consumption, the result of an attack of La Grippe. The remains were interred in Miriam cemetery, and were followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of sympathizing friends and neighbors. The stricken family have the sympathy of all.

Date of death: 11 Mar 1901

Subject: Thomas W. Gaunt

Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 15 Mar 1901, Friday, p. 5

Captain T. W. Gaunt, the pioneer nursery man of Northwest Missouri, and widely known throughout the state, died of heart failure at his home in Maryville, Monday night. He had been a resident of that city since 1857.

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Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 22 Mar 1901, Friday, p. 4

Died, at his home adjoining Maryville, at 9 o'clock Monday night, March 11, 1901, Thomas W. Gaunt, aged 70 years, 11 months and 7 days.

Mr. Gaunt was born in Staffordshire, England, on April 4, 1830. His father was a fruit and flower gardener, and under his direction Mr. Gaunt acquired the taste and skill which he afterwards put to so good use in establishing and carrying on his business as a nurseryman. He also acquired a good business education in his native land.

After arriving at manhood Mr. Gaunt concluded to become an American, and sailed from England on August 3, 1853, arriving in New York on September 12 of the same year. He remained in that city with friends during the following winter, and in the spring of 1854 moved to McDonough county, Illinois, where he worked for a nursery firm for a year. The firm concluded to establish a nursery in Andrew county, Missouri, and sent Mr. Gaunt to take charge of it, he arriving in Savannah in April, 1855.

After remaining in this city two years Mr. Gaunt concluded to start in business for himself, and accordingly went to Maryville and put out a nursery on the land where it has since been located.

During the civil war Mr. Gaunt served as Captain of Company G, 36th Regiment Enrolled Missouri Militia, and has been a member of the Grand Army of the Republic since its organization. He was also a member of Nodaway lodge No. 470 A.F. and A.M. and of the Odd Fellows.

Captain Gaunt was married January 29, 1861, to Miss Mary A. Castillo, who died November 12, 1900, and to them were born five children, William, who died five years ago, Mrs. Josephine Powers, of Salt Lake City, Mrs. Jennie Miller, of Tacoma, Washington, Misses Carrie and Gertie Gaunt, who are living at home and who were at their father's bedside when he died.

In political belief Captain Gaunt was a staunch Republican, but never engaged actively in politics. In losing him the community loses a good citizen and one that has done much toward the upbuilding of his city, county and State.

Funeral services were held at the M.E. church in Maryville at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. E. B. Lytle preaching the sermon.

Date of death: 2/3 Sep 1909

Subject: Howard F. Gay

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 03 Sep 1909, Friday, p. 1

Mrs. Herman Clizer and children of Hackberry went to Whitesville Thursday to attend the funeral of Frank Gay's child.

Date of death: 5 Feb 1906

Subject: N. Hubert Gay

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

Whitesville. Born to Frank Gay and wife Thursday last a boy. The little one is sick now with pneumonia.

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Source: *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 02 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gay on last Thursday, a boy. The little one is now sick with pneumonia.

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Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 09 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 8 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 09 Feb 1906, Friday, p. 8

Whitesville. The infant son of Frank Gay and wife died Monday, after a few days' illness, and was buried here Tuesday.

Date of death: 21 Aug 1904

Subject: William Henry Gay

Source: *Savannah [MO] Reporter*, 26 Aug 1904, Friday, p. 1 and *Andrew County [MO] Democrat*, 26 Aug 1904, Friday, p. 1

William Henry Gay was born in Bartholomew county, Ind., Nov. 16, 1844, died at his home one mile south of Whitesville, Mo., Sunday, August 21, 1904. He was a civil war veteran, having

served in Co. F, 119th Indiana Vol. Cavalry from August 21, 1863, to Feb. 18, 1866. Came to Missouri some twenty years ago and has lived here since. On the 20th of February, 1867, he was married to Bertha Ann Mullen, who survives him. Eleven children were born to them, eight of whom are still living. They are Marion O., of St. Joseph; Ed E., Trenton, Chas. A., Mena, Ark., Clara F. Dickey, Britten [sic], Okla.; Rose B. Clizer, of this county, and Harry F., Bessie May and Claude, at home. He was converted and joined the M. E. church when a young man, and continued in this faith until the end of life. For a number of years he was a railroad man, but later gave up a good position to take up farm life again. Three of his sons are railroad men and have good positions. He was a kind-hearted, sociable man and enjoyed the companionship of his family and friends intensely. Funeral services were conducted by Elder Chapman at the Baptist church at Whitesville at 11 o'clock, Aug. 22, and interment in Whitesville cemetery.

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