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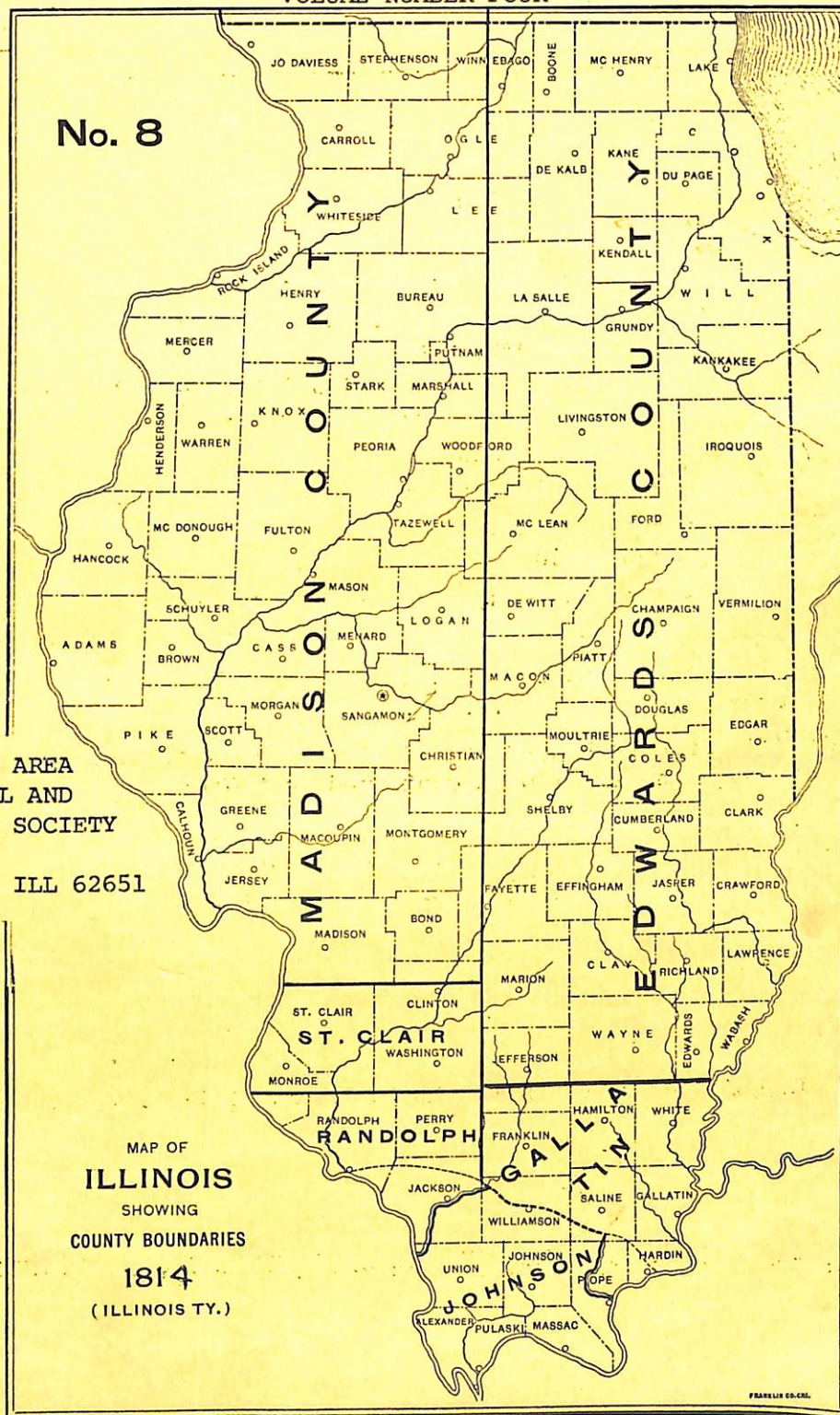
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MERRY CHRISTMAS, EVERYBODY, AND MAY YOU HAVE A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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## PRESSIE'S WANDERINGS

I recently had the pleasure of visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Maire, in Jacksonville, Florida. We talked a blue genealogical streak that pleasant evening. Then I wandered around eastern Tennessee in order to go to some of the courthouses in Bradley, Monroe and Loudon counties. Let me warn you -- never try to enter one on Wednesdays! They close at noon! The early Bradley (Cleveland, county seat) records are in another county from which they were formed.

The county seat of Monroe is at Madisonville. I found that Reba Bayless Boyer, of Athens, Tennessee, has published all their early court and marriage records in 2 volumes. I do not know the price of her excellent reference books.

The Loudon courthouse was closed by the time I reached there. Then I decided to take what looked like a good highway (72) to reach Kingston in Roane County, on highway 40 back to Nashville. Man! if you want to see what our forefathers had to cross in the way of mountains - don't miss this road. If you DO take it, be sure YOU don't miss THE road. There are twists and turns, and hairpin curves galore. When I glanced quickly down a ravine at the head of one of the hairpins I almost lost my 20-cent candy bar I'd just eaten! If I HAD missed that one, they would never have found my bits and pieces. But it was fun - try it, you might like it!

Roane County has a beautiful new courthouse, at Kingston, and was open for business all day. The old one is now a Museum, open only on Saturdays, however.

Jean Maire donated our Society some family histories, among them a book entitled "The Ancestry of Jacob Pence and Louellen Hatfield Pence:, Vol. I, by Harry R. Wallace, Wash. DC, 1964. It contains names PENCE, HATFIELD, LITERAL, HART and TERRY, families of Grayson & Hardin Counties, Ky., with a map of these two. The Hatfield's came from Western Pa. There is an interesting map of Washington Co. Pa. While no west central Illinois connections are shown, to my knowledge, we feel that this might be a valuable reference book of probable ancestors since those same names appear in our area.

We are xeroxing Jean Maire's last copy of "The Long Years, a Paternal [Spaulding] Genealogy" she compiled and published in 1967. While the index has many other in-law surnames, the basic allied names to her father, Paul Spaulding, who married Zelma Hackley, Greene County (Il), are COFFIN, COOK, HOLTZCLAW, KNIGHT, LOVELACE, MIDDLETON, SILL, STANFIELD, STOUT, & VERNON.

Among other things she gave us is some 1969 letters from Wm. D. Yancey of Grandview, MO., pertaining to Witt families of McMinn & Monroe Counties, Tenn. Included, is "The Name & Family of Witt", 12 typewritten sheets compiled by The Media Research Bureau of Wash. DC. One set of letters (5 pages) pertains to Musgra(o)ve research. Two pages refer to Enslow (Enloe) family history. One page lists the members of "The Lee's of Va.," copied from the book of that name by Burton J. Hendrick (Little, Brown & Co., 1935). Two pages are English [family] Bible Readings copied from Vol. 4 Kentucky Bible Records (1966), Ky. Society D.A.R. There is a portion of this page listing Swift & Jett names, and 5 Blackburns from family Bibles.

May I remind our readers that the D.A.R. record books have many such Bible readings on file at our own Illinois State Historical Library in Springfield. Many of these were collected by our own resident, Sara John English. While there last week, also, I found many marriage records from many states on file under the index card "Marriage Records:. I did not have time to examine any of them, except that I am xeroxing out the ones for Morgan County and Greene County for our own reference, and hope to provide an index for them - some day.



As you probably have found out the hard way, one individual can only xerox out 30 pages per one day from this Library, which makes it very inconvenient where one needs larger quantities from several books. So be prepared - take some friends with you who can order 30 pages under their name, for you!

While I am on the subject of libraries, may I suggest you take some of your address labels to stick on the book request slips you turn in to the librarian, which will save your writing time. Also, if you want to keep a copy of the slip, and don't want to make two, take along some small sheets of pencil carbon cut 3 x 5 to put between two of the requisition slips. You can use this "second" to file under title or author, and have a future reference as to where you found such-and-such a book. You could then make a few notes on your copy as to what you found of interest in this particular book.

Another donation from Edna Renner of Beardstown will be started in this Journal - Wills and Estates data taken from Probate Record Book A and B. We will finish B and her abstracts for Book C in our next March Journal.

We have not included any estate administrations for Morgan County, because we have not had the time it took to go to the Courthouse and copy down the information. We have been too busy xeroxing out the Burial cards from our City Hall in order to index our two largest cemeteries - Jacksonville East and Diamond Grove. While we have about 15,000 cards made, there is at least that many more to go yet!

Note: We are now sold out of the Jean Maire Greene County books @\$3.50, except for reference copies. So do not order one.

Several of our members have sent their 1977 dues already. Thank you very much, folks. We hope that the rest of you will tear off the bottom of our dues sheet at the back of this Journal, and send them in right away. YOU are what gives us encouragement, and makes us feel proud of this great organization that has been built up in five short years!

We have put together several copies of the Jacksonville East cemetery readings by Bob Dalton in one booklet. If you want a copy, please send \$2.00 to cover costs of printing and postage. This would make a nice gift for you to give to your local library.

Our great Financial Secretary contributed a clipping which reads:

[Sign in front of a quick-service restaurant:]

S M I L E  
T-Bone . . \$1.25  
with meat 6.50

She likes to "rib" me about the package of doggy bones I bought for 72 cents. On top of the spare beef ribs was a nice T-bone with a little meat left on. I made the most delicious "doggy-bone soup" out of it! Next day I added some chili and bragged about how good my doggy-bone chili was. After all, an unsalaried President of a big corporation has to eat cheaply as possible, these days - doggy-bone soup is better than dog food! Try it, you might like it!

Never a Christmas morning, Never the old year ends,  
Without a special thought, Of fondly remembered friends;  
For there is special pleasure In sharing Christmas cheer  
With those who bring us happiness, Each day throughout the year.

Christmasly (?) yours,

*Florence Hutchinson*  
President-Editor



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LIPSCOMB, Dr. S. J., died July 24, 1850 aged 48 years  
 LITTON, James, died Sept. 22, 1854 aged 75 years 9 months 22 days (There is an inscription of the other side of this toppled obelisk, but the stone is too heavy to be rolled over. Perhaps it has the following reading, made in 1929 by Mrs. Sara John English, but without the location.)  
 LITTON, Mary, died Sept. 11, 1854 aged 75 years 4 months 17 days  
 LITTON, Johnney, son of G. and ? Litton, died April 26, 1873 aged 4 years 3 months 23 days (Buried on same lot with James Litton.)  
 LOAR, Rev. C. (or G.), born in Baltimore, Md., Nov. 25, 1766 died Jan. 12, 1837  
 LOAR, Polly, wife of C. (or G.) Loar, born in  
 LOAR, Alex (?)  
 LOOMIS, Amy Alice, 1856-1867 (Buried on same lot with Sarah E. Loomis.)  
 LOOMIS, Sarah E., wife of J. Loomis, died Sept. 3, 1860  
 LONERGAN, T. (No dates, only a cross.)  
 LUDLUM, Andrew Todd, son of Cornelius and Levinia Maria Ludlum, died ? 5, 1846 aged ? months 29 days  
 LUDLUM, Cornelius, son of Cornelius and Levinia Maria Ludlum, died July 29, 18?? aged 8 months 10 days  
 McCAFFERTY, Martha A., wife of D. M. McCafferty, died Oct. 24, 1865 aged 34 years  
 McCORMICK, Amanda R., wife of Valentine S. McCormick, died Sept. 4, 1884 aged 58 years 4 months  
 McCORMICK, Luramah, our mother and wife of Valentine S. McCormick, died Dec. 7, 1864 aged 53 years  
 McCORMICK, Valentine S., died Sept. 21, 1873 aged 60 years 8 months 14 days  
 McCORMICK, Maggie, daughter of ? and A. McCormick, died June 6, 187?  
 McCOY, Rev. Asa Shinn, 1824-1903  
 (Rev. McCoy was pastor of Centenary Methodist Church in 1873 and 1874. The congregation of the church honored this man on May 25, 1975 by placing a bronze plaque on his grave. Rev. McCoy died in Pueblo, Colorado on March 24, 1903.)  
 McCOY, Lydia C., 1834-1913  
 (The lighted cross on the east tower of Centenary United Methodist church is endowed in perpetuity as a memorial to Lydia Chamberlain McCoy, wife of Rev. Asa Shinn McCoy. The memorial was presented by her children in 1932. A bronze tablet on the front of the church building gives this information.)  
 (The following McCoy family names are chiseled into a stone shaft that stands just south of the monument of Rev. and Mrs. Asa Shinn McCoy. The large, badly weathered shaft was toppled in the storm of June 14, 1957. On June 8, 1975 eight members and friends of the Robert Dalton family re-stored the shaft to its base.)  
 McCOY, Ada Woodson, July 13, 1828-Feb. 6, 1858  
 McCOY, John Woodson, Sept. 15, 1854-July 14, 1855  
 McCOY, Ada Jane, Jan. 27, 1856-Dec. 14, 1858  
 McCOY, Charles Asa, Jan. 28, 1858-Feb. 19, 1858  
 McCRACKEN, Mary B., wife of J. McCracken, died Aug. 23, 1855 aged 63 years 11 months 10 days (Stone broken across the date.)  
 McDONALD, Emma J. (No dates on this stone which is directly south of the military section. It is very difficult to read this stone.)  
 McKAY, Fielding, born March 24, 1810 near Milford, Shenandoah Co., Va., died June 29, 1879 (This marker is lot 304 Row A, the easternmost row of graves. The short spire keeps falling off its base.)



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McLEAN, Alice, died April 17, 1859 aged 35 years, wife of John McLean  
 McNALL, Ella L., wife of George McNall, born June 27, 1870 died Oct. 3, 1890  
 (Ella's burial is on the family lot of the Sanfords. Her tombstone is identical to that of R. L. Sanford.)  
 McNAMARA, Mary, daughter of M. and J. McNamara, died May 18, 1867 aged 1 year 1 month 6 days  
 McWILLIAMS, William, native of Scotland, died Nov. 26, 1850 aged 50 years  
 (A newspaper reporter wrote about this tombstone, probably about 1900. It was not recorded by English in 1929 or Dalton in 1976.)  
 MABERY, Mary Elizabeth, (family name uncertain) died Aug. 28, 1833 aged 1 year  
 MAHLER, Antony, died July 28, 1861 (or 1864, probably 1864) aged 29 years 10 months 9 days (The compiler recovered this tombstone from a pile of fill dirt between the cemetery and Mauvaisterre Creek. It belongs on Lot 341 of Row A in the extreme east end of the cemetery. However, at the present time, October 7, 1976, it is leaning against a Bailey tombstone on Lot 280 Row B.)  
 MAHONEY, Margaret Ryan, wife of Michael Mahoney, died June 19, 1874 aged 21 y  
 MALONE, Bridget, who died Jan. 23, 1865 aged fortieth year of her age.  
 MANN, Daniel, died May 5, 1835 aged 34 years (Mrs. English recorded this as Daniel, and a newspaper reporter recorded it as David Mann.)  
 MANSFIELD, Clara E. Guy, 1868-1932  
 MANSFIELD, George L., 1856-1932  
 (The Mansfields are buried on the Guy family lot, Lot 458 Row K.)  
 MANSON, Ruth S., wife of J. V. Manson, died May 5, 1854 aged 22 y 3 m 1 day  
 MAPES, Susanna, died April 24, 1854 aged (broken off)  
 MARONEY, Margaret Ryan, wife of Daniel (or Michael) Maroney, died June 9, 1867 aged 21 years also Mary, died June 12, aged 2 days  
 (This stone is very hard to read, and this reading could be incorrect.)  
 MARTIN, Nancy, wife of Thomas Martin, died March 26, 1877 aged 25 years 3 months 21 days (This stone is broken.)  
 MASNELL, Sarah Jane, wife of (remainder illegible)  
 MASON, Lee, 1896-1925  
 MASON, Miner, 1901-1925 (He is buried on Lot 498 1/2 Row KL 1/2.)  
 (The following three Mathers burials are a family grouping)  
 MATHERS, Anna, 1868-1870  
 MATHERS, Juliett, 1826-1912  
 MATHERS, John, 1813-1880  
 (A photograph of a painting of John Mathers, and the following story, appeared in the Jacksonville Journal of Feb. 15, 1974.)  
 An original painting of Jacksonville's first mayor, John Mathers, was presented informally to the city recently by MacMurray College, which has had the painting for many years.  
 Mathers was an early member of the MacMurray Board of Trustees, serving as secretary, treasurer and fund raiser. He was among the trustees who brought the college through the hard times of the Civil War.  
 Dr. Walter Hendrickson, professor emeritus of history at MacMurray College, presented the painting on behalf of the college to Mrs. Rose Cosgriff, city treasurer, who accepted on behalf of the city. Howard Sidman, professor and chairman of art at MacMurray, restored the painting, and Roger Pautz of the Art Center framed it.  
 John Mathers was elected twice, first in 1867 when the city went from the village board to the mayor-council form of government. He was re-elected in 1869. The Irish-born Mathers was a War Democrat who advocated abolition and supported President Lincoln's policies when the Civil War broke out.  
 The Mathers family came to America about 1823, when John was nine; they



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lived first in Lexington, Ky. The family moved to Illinois in 1826 and settled in Jacksonville in 1832. It is said Mathers attended Illinois College but no official record has been found.

"As mayor his term was singularly free from controversy, as far as I can determine from a reading of the newspapers of the time," Dr. Hendrickson said. "But we do know that he and the council had to face the problems of city government, including care of the streets and sewers and the franchising of public utilities, especially the street railway, which was chartered in 1867."

Mathers was baptized by John Wesley, was an ardent Methodist and for a time was a licensed preacher. He served in several circuits until 1848 when his health failed and he gave up what some have called "the strenuous life." He entered real estate and insurance in Jacksonville, where he was successful and became reasonably well-to-do. He died in 1880.

The painting of Mathers is by G. M. Stone, about whom nothing is known. He may have been an itinerant painter. "The painting is a good likeness, as compared with photographs of the man," Dr. Hendrickson said.

MATHERS, Eliza, widow of the late Wesley Mathers, died in peace Sept. 3, 1853 aged 73 (?) years 2 months 3 days

MATHERS, Wesley Sr., died in peace Aug. 23, 1832 (or 1852) aged 71 y 8 m 16 d (In 1929 Mrs. English recorded the death year as 1852.)

MEANS, Margaret, wife of Wm. Means, died Oct. 11, 1856 in the 57 year of her age

MELICK, Abraham, son of A. and E. Melick, Nov. 8, 1842-June 20, 1853

MELICK, Sarah, daughter of A. and E. Melick, March 30, 1851-Sept. 13, 1852 (The Melick children are buried on the Schureman family lots, which are Lots 141 and 142 Row B.)

MENEZES, Charlotte, born March 14, 1891 died Jan. 4, 1938 (Charlotte's concrete marker is in poor condition.)

MENGLE, J. H., Co. H, 32 Ill. Inf. (John Mengle, wagoner, enlisted Oct. 8, 1861. He re-enlisted, as a veteran, on Jan. 2, 1864 and was mustered out on Nov. 20, 1865. He is buried on Lot 520 Row K.)

MENGEL, Peter, Jan. 4, 1805-Jan. 25, 1865 (Mrs. English, in her 1929 listing, has his birth year as 1804 and has his name incorrectly listed as Mongel.)

MENGEL, Sarah Stephens, Aug. 17, 1817-Nov. 28, 1891 (Sarah and Peter are buried on Lot 520 Row K.)

MICHAELS, Theodore, 1850-1936 (A small metal marker.)

MIDDLETON, Emeline, wife of G. F. Middleton, 1822-1906

MIDDLETON, Grayson F., 1826-1902

MILLER, E. T., 1801-1883

MILLER, Henry, Aug. 20, 1800-March 12, 1866

MILLER, Lucinda Davis, 1811-1891

MILLER, Sallie, wife of Henry Miller, May 23, 1802-April 4, 1879

(The following Miller names are on the same obelisk.)

MILLER, Willie F., died Aug. 4, 1864 aged 11 years 8 months 14 days

MILLER, Emma F., died Aug. 6, 1857 aged 1 year ? months

MILLER (possibly NORTON), Ada, died Oct. 7, 1864 aged 2 years 5 months 14 days

MILLER (possibly NORTON), Myrtle A., Aug. 1, 1887-Feb. 2, 1890

MILLER, Daniel, died Oct. 13, 1902 aged 84 years

MILLER, Susan, wife of Daniel Miller, died Feb. 9, 1895 aged 70 years

MILLER, Mary L., daughter of D. and S. D. (?) Miller, died Sept. 17, 1864 aged 15 years 5 months 6 days

MILLS, Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mills, born June ?, 188? died (Buried on Lot 313 Row A.) Oct. ?, 1898

MILLS, Edward, 1851-1925 (Buried on Lot 313 Row A.)

MILLS, Susannah, 1854-1935 (Same marker as that of Edward Mills.)



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MINTER, Margaret, Dec. 9, 1804-Sept. 3, 1886  
 MITCHELL, J. E., died March 24, 1859 aged 57 years  
 MITCHELL, Mary, wife of J. E. Mitchell, died May 30, 1867 aged 66 years 10 m  
 MONROE, John Rinman, son of Tho. and Annie Monroe, Aug. 11, 1842-Sept. 25, 1842  
 MONT, H. E.

MORRIS, Charlotte, wife of D. F. Morris, died Dec. 4, 1897

(The following new item appeared in the Jacksonville Journal of Tuesday,  
 Dec. 7, 1897.)

The Death Record

Breckon

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Breckon, for many years residents of this city, but of late of Muscatine, Iowa, will arrive on the 11 o'clock train this morning on the C. P. & St. L. railroad with the remains of their daughter, Charlotte who died at home Dec. 4, 1897. Friends will meet the remains at the depot and will go direct to the East Cemetery for interment and a short service will be held there.

(Charlotte is buried on the Breckon lot, Lot 327 Row A.)

MOSS, Martha J., died July 24, 1901 aged 82 years 7 days

MURPHY, Margaret, wife of Patrick Murphy, died Sept. 22, 1853 aged 60 years

MYERS, Mrs. Mildred Adele, died March 13, 1963 aged 59 years 1 month 18 days

(Mrs. Myers' grave is marked with a funeral home marker.)

NEIL, Ann, wife of Rev. James Neil, died Aug. 10, 1869 aged 71 years

NEIL, Rev. James, died March 7, 1872 aged 81 years

NEWCOMB, A. W., 1810-1850

NEWLAND, Edward E., son of L. C. and S. A. Newland, died Nov. 30, 1864 aged  
 10 months

NEWLAND George, son of L. C. and S. A. Newland, died Feb. 24, 1862 aged 1 year  
 1 month 28 days

NEWLAND, Sam'l., Co. C, 120 Ill. Inf.

(The above Newland family members are buried on Lot 468 Row K.)

NEWMAN, Nelson B., May 5, 1828-June 7, 1862

NORTON (possibly MILLER), Ada, died Oct. 7, 1864 aged 2 years 5 months 14 days

NORTON, (possibly MILLER), Myrtle A., Aug. 1, 1887-Feb. 2, 1890

(The above two names are on the obelisk of the Daniel Miller family.)

NUNES, Christian, died Sept. 11, 1891 aged 70 years

NUNES, Manuel, April 10, 1810-Oct. 15, 1889

NUNES, Mary, 1818-1908 (Mary's military tombstone is next to Manuel's.)

NUNN, William E., died April 15, 1872 aged 21 years 7 months 20 days

NUNN, Catharine M., consort of William Nunn, born Dec. 25, 1829 died July 30,

1853 (She is buried beside Matilda E. Letton. They have matching stones.)

OSBORN, George, son of G. and ? Osborn, (remainder illegible)

(George Osborne is buried in Lot 479 Row K.)

OSTEN, John, died March 1, 1891 aged 59 years Erected by his sister.

(John is buried across the roadway and directly north of the military part.)

OWSLEY, Kate, daughter of J. E. and M. F. Owsley, died Dec. 17, 1851 aged 22 m

OWSLEY, Mary F., wife of John E. Owsley, died Dec. 25, 1851 aged 27 years

PAIGE, A. S., Co. C, 145 Ill. Inf. (Aaron S. Paige enlisted May 7, 1864 and  
 was mustered out Sept. 23, 1864.)

PATTERSON, J. (Jean?) Z., son of J. and F. (or E.) Patterson, died Aug. 2,  
 1854 aged 1 year 7 months 2 days

PATTERSON, J. S., Co. F, 3 Ill. Cav. (Buried same lot with J. Z.)

PATTERSON, Forest M., born Jan. 18, 1902 died July 16, 1942

(Forest has a concrete marker.)

PAXTON, Chester L., Illinois, Pvt. 1st Class, 803 Pioneer Inf. Aug. 31, 1924

(Chester is buried in Lot 498<sup>1</sup> Row KL<sup>1</sup>.)

PAXTON, David, Co. H, 67 U. S. C. I. (Buried in the military section.)



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- PEMBERTON, Rhoda, wife of Wm. Pemberton, died Dec. 15, 1863 aged 72 years 2 months 7 days (Mrs. English copied this as Pimberton in 1929.)
- PETERS, Emanuel, died July 24, 1891 aged 79 years
- PHELPS, S. S. (No other information. This stone is on Lot 432 $\frac{1}{2}$  Row kl $\frac{1}{2}$ .)
- PHILLIPS, Richard Jr., died Jan. 16, 1855 aged 58 years 8 months 13 days
- PICKETT, Hester Jane, wife of George M. Pickett, Jan. 25, 1826-Aug. 1, 1850
- PITNER, Alexander, 1804-1892 (Same marker with George M. Pitner.)
- PITNER, George M., 1855-1903
- PITNER, Kate L., died Sept. 23 (or 25), 1871, aged 34 years (Buried Sept. 26.)
- PITNER, Elizabeth, died March 27, 1852 aged 44 years 1 month 9 days
- PITNER, Michael F., son of Montgomery and Jane Pitner, drowned Aug. 28, 1832 aged 13 years 5 months 15 days
- PITNER, James T., son of Montgomery and Jane Pitner, drowned Aug. 28, 1832
- PITNER, Montgomery, died April 17, 1855 aged 53 years 2 months 26 days
- PITNER, Jane W., wife of Montgomery Pitner, June 23, 1807-Feb. 17, 1875  
(All of the Pitner burials are on Lot 311 Row A. However, persons interested in the Pitner family should look in the Jacksonville Journal of April 21, 1976. That edition carried a photo of the tombstone of Michael Pitner, died April 30, 1840 aged 64 years 3 months. The tombstone was unearthed in the back yard of 867 North Church Street when the occupants of that address were gardening.)
- PITTA, Mary, daughter of E. (or F.) and A. Pitta, died Sept. 13 (or 16), 1869 aged 18 years 3 months
- PORTER, Marion A., only son of James M. and Eliza Porter, died Jan. 23, 1840  
(This tombstone was read about 1900 by a newspaper reporter who found it in a crumbling condition. It was not recorded in 1929 by English or in 1976 by Dalton.)
- PORTER, Sarah, died Sept. 13, 1818 aged 67 years, wife of William Porter
- PORTER, William, died March 7, 181? aged 67 years
- PORTER, Sinclair, died May, 1875 aged 67 years 5 months 15 days
- POSEY, Sarah, wife of William C. Posey, died April 20, 1860 aged 61 years 9 d 9 months (She is buried on Lot 424 or 425 Row J, beside her husband.)
- POSEY, William Churchill, died July 12, 1849 aged 60 years 2 months, and was a soldier in the War Of 1812  
(He was a son of Thomas Posey who was born in Fairfax County, Virginia, in 1750. It is generally thought that Gen. Thomas Posey was a son of George Washington and Elizabeth Loyd. Persons interested in his life should refer to "Legends & Lore Of Southern Illinois" published by Southern Illinois University at Carbondale in 1963. William Churchill Posey arrived in Morgan County between 1822-1831. He was one of the founders of Illinois College. He and his wife, Sarah, from Winchester and Paris churches in Kentucky, were among the pioneer founders of "First Presbyterian Church Of Morgan County" organized June 30, 1827. In 1829 he was elected a trustee of Illinois College. Information about Wm. C. Posey is in the history of Illinois College written by Dr. Rammelkamp. When an unnamed newspaper reporter made a walking tour of East Cemetery about 1900, he had this to write about the Poseys: "Here is a name greatly honored, or rather two names. First was laid here the body of the sainted William C. Posey, one of the most Godly men that ever lived in Morgan County. It is related of him that he was once a candidate for sheriff and visited a rather tough part of the county and remarked: 'My name is William C. Posey and I am a candidate for sheriff, but I would rather have the grace of God in my heart than all your votes.' He died July 12, 1849, and his wife, Sarah, died April 20, 1860. He was a devoted member of the Presbyterian church,



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a faithful friend of Illinois College and of all good works. One of his daughters married the late Dr. Rees, father of the wife of Rev. C. R. Morrison of this city. Another married the late James I. Barrows, so well and honorably known by a large circle of friends. Other stones in the vicinity contain the names of Barrows and Rees.")

POTTER, Ida Amelia, daughter of J. L. and A. C. Potter, died July 30, 1861

aged 7 days  
POTTER, Mary E., daughter of J. L. and A. C. Potter, died Oct. 13, 1863 aged  
8 years 6 months

PRICE, Albert, Co. D, 13 U. S. C. H. A. (Buried on Lot 280 Row B.)

PRICE, William, Co. D, 109 U. S. C. I. (Buried in military section.)

PROSSER, Margaret K., wife of John H. Prosser, died Feb. 18, 1854 aged 62 y

PUSEY, Our Little Ann (?), twin daughter of W. H. and S. Pusey, died April 2,  
1853 aged 2 years 11 months 2 days

PYATT, Benjamin, born in Pennsylvania April 24, 1785 died March 16, 1866 aged  
80 years 11 months 22 days

PYATT, Margaret, wife of Benjamin Pyatt, she was born in Pennsylvania Dec.

27, 1791 died Aug. 5, 1871 aged 79 years 8 months 8 days

PYATT, Josephine, 1838-1913

PYATT, Oliver J., 1834-1909

(The following Pyatt burials are on Lot 207 Row G.)

PYATT, Lt. John, Co. K, 2 Ill. L. I., 1822-1898

PYATT, Caroline, 1825-1881 (Her stone matches that of Lt. John Pyatt.)

PYATT, Eliza Ellen, daughter of John and Caroline Pyatt, died Sept. 2, 1853

PYATT, Ida Belle, daughter of John and Caroline Pyatt, died Dec. 11, 1859  
aged 3 years 6 months 3 days

QUACKENBUSH, Elizabeth, died Aug. 20, 1850 aged 4 months 2 days

QUACKENBUSH, Mary L., died March 7, 1846 aged 1 year 6 months

QUIN, Elizabeth, died Jan. 20, 1870 aged 78 years 9 months 10 days

RANDELL, Eliza, wife of Thomas Ransdell, Jan. 25, 1825-Aug. 10, 1897

RANDELL, Thomas, Aug. 27, 1818-Aug. 10, 1897

RAPP, Charles E., son of M. and S. H. Rapp, born in Jacksonville, Morgan Co.,  
Ill., May 3, 1860 passed away Jan. 21, 1882 aged 21 years 8 months 18 days

ELIZA, Wife of Michael Rapp, died March 14, 1848 aged 36 years 2 months 2 dys

RAPP, Susan H., wife of Michael Rapp, born Nov. 5, 1822 passed away Oct. 4,  
1901

RAPP, Michael, born in Lebanon Co., Penn., Feb. 22, 1815 passed away March 8,  
1882 aged 67 years 14 days (The following paragraph was written by an un-  
known newspaper reporter following a walking tour through the cemetery,  
probably about 1900: Next we come to a name which will always be remember-  
ed with pleasure by all who knew him, that of Michael Rapp. He was a stur-  
dy citizen, scorning wrong and doing what he felt to be right at any cost.  
During the election of the fall of 1868 when so much bulldozing and intimid-  
ation were attempted and in many cases carried out, the evil doers found  
"Uncle Mike" a man they couldn't handle or intimidate. When they would try  
to stop a foreign born citizen or any other on some pretext or order he  
would say, when satisfied he was right: "I accept his vote; arrest me if  
you dare." It is needless to add that he wasn't arrested.)

RAPP, Susie, daughter of L.(?) H. and C. J. Rapp, died Dec. 8, 1881 aged 4  
months 25 days

RATIKIN, Matilda, wife of William Ratikin, died Sept. 17, 1847 aged 31 years  
9 days

REA, Benjamin, born in County Roscommon, Ireland July 9, 1819 died April 23,  
1900 (For a very detailed biography of Ben see page 594 of "History Of  
Morgan County, Illinois, 1878".



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- REA, Jane, wife of Benj. Rea, died April 4, 1884 aged 60 years 6 months  
(She was a daughter of John Cuttle.)
- REA, Mary J., daughter of Benj. and Jane Rea, died March 20, 1850 aged 6 mon.
- REA, John W., son of Benj. and Jane Rea, died March 4, 1882 aged 21 years 11 months 17 days
- REA, Eliza J., daughter of Benj. and Jane Rea, died Sept. 25, 1879 aged 23 years 10 months 28 days  
(The four tall Rea obelisks are in excellent condition, standing like four sentinels on Lot 343 Row G.)
- REARICK, George, June 7, 1791-June 5, 1865 aged 75 years. Soldier of 1812 Of The Pittsburgh Blues. (Mrs. English copied death year as 1855 when she put this monument in her records in 1929.)
- REARICK, Emma F., wife of George Rearick, 1810-1897 Monument Erected By E. F. Rearick In 1884 (This marker is on Lot 70 Row D.)
- REARICK, Lydia C., daughter of Geo. and Emma Rearick, Sept. 2, 1829-March 7, 1830
- REARICK, William G., son of Geo. and Emma Rearick, March 16, 1831-Oct. 26, 1831 (His individual tombstone has died March 16, 1831 aged 8 months.)
- REARICK, Henrietta H., daughter of George and Emma Rearick, Oct. 17, 1840-Dec. 19, 1843
- REARICK, William Alex, Oct. 15, 1847-March 19, 1885
- REARICK, George C., March 21, 1828-July 7, 1859
- REARICK, Sarah, wife of George C. Rearick, Aug. 27, 1827-Nov. 14, 1874
- REARICK, Emma J., died Jan. 14, 1861 aged 5 years 10 months  
(Emma J. was probably a child of George C. and Emma J. Rearick.)
- REED, William F., died Oct. 5, 1885 aged 21 years (Letters F L T enclosed in three interlocking chain links, probably a lodge emblem. This tombstone is in Row A, at the extreme east end of the cemetery.)
- REED, Henry, died April 21, 1894 aged 80 years (Masonic emblem. Row A.)
- REES, Annie E., daughter of Edwin and Margaret Rees, died May 4, 1870 aged 9 years 8 months 9 days (She and Emma C. Barrows are buried side-by-side and have identical tombstones. They are buried on the William Churchill Posey lot.) (Row JK $\frac{1}{2}$  Lot 424)
- REES, Edwin, died Dec. 23, 1882 aged 72 years  
(All the Reids listed below originally had individual tombstones. About 1967 the individual stones were removed and one large gray granite tombstone was substituted.)
- |                               |                                       |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| REID, Caleb C., infant, 1841  | REID, Enoch S., 1857-1908             |
| REID, John W., infant, 1843   | REID, Lydia C., 1849-1928             |
| REID, Martha Capps, 1818-1845 | REID, Stephen H., 1815-1889           |
| REID, Richard W., 1852-1911   | REID, Martha Garrett, 1816-1876       |
| REID, George W., 1853-1917    | REID, George W., 1817-1850            |
| REID, Jessie, 1869-1871       | REID, Elizabeth Reid Akers, 1804-1846 |
| REID, Sarah E., 1851-1852     | REID, Stephen H., 1773-1827           |
- REID, Mary Prather, 1786-1866 (In 1929 Mrs. English recorded this woman's individual tombstone as showing she died Jan. 2, 1866 aged 79 y 7 m 5 d and that she was the relict of Stephen Reid.) (Mrs. English also recorded the information that Stephen Reid died Oct. 9, 1827 aged 54 y 7 m 20 days.)
- REUTER, Frederick, born July 21, 1860 died Aug. 24, 1895 (This toppled, gray granite tombstone is on Lot 324 Row A. It is close to the tombstone of Hermann Holle.)
- RHOADS, Hattie (or Mattie) C., daughter of R. and R. J. Roads, died Oct. 17, 1852 aged 10 years 2 months 22 days
- RHOADS, Walter, son of J. and R. J. Rhoads, died 1858 aged 2 years 2 months
- RICHARDS, George M., died Dec. 30, 1861 aged 61 years 6 months
- RICHARDS, George W., died Jan. 5, 1863 aged 35 years



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RICHARDS, Daniel W., born Jan. 7, 1838 died Jan. 31, 1873 aged 35 years 24 d  
(Geo. M., Geo. W., and Daniel Richards are buried on the same lot.)

RICHARDS, Frank, Co. G 8 Ill. Inf. Spanish American War

RICHARDS, George, died Dec. 30, 1861 aged 61 years 6 months

RICKS, John, died Feb. 14, 1878 aged 42 years

RICKS, Mary, wife of John Ricks, July ??, 1842- ? 10, 18??

(John and Mary Ricks' names are on the tombstone as are the names of Edwin and Theodosia Bradbury. They are on Lot 506 Row M.)

ROBERTS, Andrew Stewart, son of C. and Mrs. Roberts, died (Broken off)

ROBERTS, Musician F. T., Co. G, 3 Ill. Inf., Sp. Am. War (Military Section)

ROBERTSON, John, Co. K, 33 Ill Inf., 1839-1903 (Musician John J. Robertson enlisted Aug. 21, 1861 and was mustered out Oct. 11, 1864.)

ROBINSON, Susan, wife of George Robinson, died Sept. 2, 1890 aged 76 years 7 months 7 days (She is buried on Lot 315 Row A.)

ROCKWELL, Olive E., wife of Austin Rockwell, who died Aug. 13, 1851 aged 27 y.

ROCKWELL, Hattie Hine, our beloved sister, 1834-1855

ROEDERSHEIMER, Jacob, born in Deitishheim, Bavaria, June 26, 1854, died as result of burns in Jacksonville on Dec. 2, 1935

(This man's unmarked grave is in the new plat of Jacksonville East Cemetery so he does not rightfully belong in this listing. However, he was so important in the labor union field that he mentioned here for anyone who may be seeking information about him. He could be called the "Father Of The Eight-Hour Work Day In Jacksonville". For biographical information about this man see the index to "Morgan County--The Twentieth Century", published in 1968, and page 30 of the Jacksonville Journal-Courier of Sunday, June 30, 1968. The newspaper story includes a photograph of Jacob Roedersheimer. A photograph of Mr. Roedersheimer hangs in the Labor Temple on South Mauvaisterre Street in Jacksonville.)

ROEDERSHEIMER, Mary Ellen, wife of Jacob Roedersheimer

(Mary Ellen is buried beside her husband. Her maiden name was Grogan. Her grave is unmarked in 1976 but the graves of her parents, on the same lot, are marked.)

ROLAND, ?, born Sept. 16, 1844 died Nov. 29, 1853

ROLAND, ?, born Oct. 29, 18?? died Oct. 3, 1861

ROLAND, ?, born (Illegible as the stone is weathered away.) died Feb. 8, 1861  
(The top portion of this obelisk is gone. Lot 138 Row G.)

ROSS, Lt. F. Marion, died Jan. 15, 1864 aged 21 years, 7 months 28 days, only son of L. B. and J. Ross

ROUT, Margaret J., wife of Richard Rout, died May 26, 1859 aged 30 y 5 m 11 d

ROWLAND, Abner C., died May 20, 1866 aged 53 years 7 months 16 days

ROWLAND, Love, wife of A. C. Rowland, died Oct. 11, 1890 aged 66 y 7 m 24 d

(Obelisk broken and repaired across her name, but Mrs. English recorded it in 1929. In 1976 the name is completely illegible.)

ROWLAND, Oscar, born Jan. 17, 1843 died Feb. 28, 1877

(The obelisk containing the names of Abner, Love and Oscar is next to the topless obelisk of the ROLAND family.)

RUARK, J. A., Father At Rest, Feb. 1, 1809-May 16, 1831

(This is a small gray granite marker of modern design, apparently a replacement for an earlier marker. It is on Lot 369 Row A.)

RUCKER, William, 1818-1890 (Lot 308 Row A, in extreme east end of cemetery.)

RUCKER, John W., M. D. died 1845 (?) (Broken, weathered stone on Lot 308.)

RULE, Anna S., wife of Aaron S. Rule, died Nov. 11 (or 14), 1880 aged 41 years 7 months 6 days (Buried in Row K, probably on Lot 522.)

RULE, William H., Co. I, 5 Ill. Inf., Sp. Am War (Buried in Row K.)

RUSSELL, Corporal James, Co. K, 3 U. S. Cav. (In military section.)



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- RUTLEDGE, Rev. Geo., died Sept. 7, 1871 aged 59 years 2 months 4 days  
(About 1900 a newspaper reporter wrote this about the burial lot of this family: The name of Rev. George Rutledge on another stone brings up the work of a Godly man loved and honored by many. Eliza A. and John E., who were his children, are near him.)
- RUTLEDGE, Mary Ann, wife of Rev. George Rutledge, born Sept. 15, 1819 died Dec. 1, 1882 aged 63 years 2 months 16 days
- RUTLEDGE, Eliza A., daughter of George and Mary A. Rutledge, died Jan. 8, 1855 aged 1 (?) year 10 months 6 days
- RUTLEDGE, John E., son of George and Mary Rutledge, died Dec. 14, 1851 aged 3 years 7 months 10 days (Above Rutledge graves on Lot 171 Row C.)
- RUTLEDGE, Charlie, son of V. J. and Lois Rutledge, died May 3, 1851 aged 4 months 26 days (His mother was the former Lois Stratton of Pike Co., Ill.)
- RUTLEDGE, Ida Craig, daughter of Rev. V. J. and Lois Rutledge, died Oct. 14, 1859 aged 1 year 5 months 14 days  
(Buried on Lot 137 Row G.)
- RUTLEDGE, Rev. William J., Chaplain, 14 Ill. Inf. A Founder Of The Grand Army Of The Republic. Memorial Placed By Daughters Of Union Veterans Of The Civil War 1861-1865 Department Of Illinois  
(Rev. Rutledge was born June 6, 1820 in Augusta Co. Virginia. He died April 15, 1900. William J. was a brother of Rev. George Rutledge. William J. Rutledge was a pastor of what is now Centenary United Methodist Church during two pastorates, 1845-1847, and 1859-1861. On Memorial Day of 1977 the church's congregation is planning to erect a bronze plaque on his grave, which already has one bronze plaque and a military marker. A wreath is placed on his grave every Memorial Day by representatives of the National Woman's Relief Corps Auxiliary To The Grand Army Of The Republic. Rev. Rutledge is best known and honored as the first person to suggest the organization that became the Grand Army Of The Republic. To learn much more about this distinguished man and of his two wives and 13 children, see the Jacksonville Journal of Tuesday, April 17, 1900. He is buried on Lot 137.)
- RYNEARSON, B. F., born in Platt Co., Mo., May 28, 1842 died Oct. 1883 aged 41 years 4 months 16 days. Battery 12, 2 Regt., Ill. Lt. Artillery
- RYNEARSON, Susan, Jan. 2, 1820-Feb. 20, 1905
- SACKET, George, born April 4, 1792 died Sept. 1, 1848 (?) (This stone is very badly weathered. The birthplace and site of death are given, but are not legible.)
- SACKET, Sarah, wife of George Sacket, born in (illegible) Aug. ??, 1792 married in (illegible) Nov. 2, 1845, died Jacksonville, Ill., ? 27, 1846
- SAMPLE, Bennie, son of ?, born May 4, 18?? died Oct. 22, 1853
- SAMPLE, Charles, Apr. 13, 1818-Feb. 18, 1890
- SANFORD, Etta, daughter of R. and M. Sanford, died Dec. 2?, 1869 aged 8 m 25 d
- SANFORD, Infant, daughter of R. and M. C. Sanford
- SANFORD, Infant, son of R. L. and M. C. Sanford
- SANFORD, R. L., April 5, 1832-April 29, 1888  
(A large tree made of concrete marks this burial lot of the Sanfords.)
- SAUNDERSON, Elizabeth (She is buried on the same lot as Albert and Ellen Kershaw. It is Lot 382 Row A, being the lot in the southeast corner.)
- SAVAGE, Ella O., died April 17, 1882 aged 25 years (This broken tombstone lies flat on the ground, approximately on the dividing line between the old part of the cemetery and the new Eastview addition.)
- SAVYER, Bennie, died Dec. 22, ????
- SCANLAN, Ellen Hall. Erected by John Scanlan in memory of his wife Ellen Hall, a native of the Co. Tipperary, Ireland, Parish of Marbarky (?) died Sept. 5, 1853 aged 21 years. Also her infant aged 2 weeks.
- SCHARLTES, Jacob, 8 Ohio Light Infantry (In military section.)



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- SCHOFIELD, Susan, died Sept. 10, 1880 aged 75 years 3 months 13 days  
SCHOFIELD, Richard, died Oct. 1869 aged 62 years 7 months  
(Susan and Richard have the same tombstone. They are buried on the same lot with Hubert Schofield.)  
SCHOFIELD, Hubert, son of J. O. and O. C. Schofield, died Aug. 7, 1856 aged 2 years 9 days  
SCHOFIELD, Joseph, died Aug. 1872 aged 44 years 2 months 20 days  
SCHOFIELD, David, died May 31, 1880 (remainder is illegible)  
SCHOONOVER, David, born Sept. 3, 1844 (?) died May 31, 188?  
SCHOONOVER, Phebe J., daughter of J. and ? Schoonover, born Aug. 5, 1868 died Feb. 10, 1869 (Buried on same lot with David Schoonover.)  
SCHOONOVER, David Jr., born Seneca Falls, N. Y., on Sept. 3, 1844 died May 3, 1880 aged 36 years 8 months 2 days (In 1878 this man was a marshal. The Jacksonville Police Department consisted of the city marshal, who was the chief, and five policemen. The marshal was elected by the people.)  
SCHUREMAN, Caroline, wife of G. B. Schureman, died Oct. 7, 1852 aged 21 years 1 month 14 days (Her tombstone is flat, close to the spire containing the names of Sarah, David and John Schureman. In 1878 her husband, George B., was a brickmason.)  
SCHUREMAN, David L., son of J. and K. Schureman, aged 9 months 16 days  
SCHUREMAN, John W., son of S. and C. H. Schureman, born Jan. 3, 1851 aged 10 months  
SCHUREMAN, Sarah, our mother, died March 26, 1852 aged 62 years  
SCOTT, Elizabeth, who died Aug. 4, 1838 aged 62 years. Widow of David Scott, a native of Farmington, Conn., who removed from Herkimer Co., N. Y. to Illinois in 1819 and died in 1825 aged 57 years. She had this to (illegible word) Had she pleased God? (In 1976 Robert W. Dalton and his teen-aged daughters, Kathryn and Brenda, succeeded in digging this tombstone up, lifting and cleaning it. The tombstone is in fine condition, apparently because its cover of earth and grass has protected it from the weather for many years. It is in the southeastern part of the cemetery.)  
SCOTT, James, died December 25, 1837 in the Christian faith. (Except for the name this tombstone is illegible in 1976. However, about 1900 a newspaper reporter noted the inscription. A matching sandstone marker standing next to James' tombstone is completely illegible. Sandstone tombstones seem to weather poorly, splitting apart in layers, then crumbling. James Scott is not buried on the same lot with Elizabeth Scott, nor on the lot with James and Margaret Scott.)  
SCOTT, James, native of Bradford County, Pa., who died Aug. 29th, 1848 in the 28th year of his age (He is buried beside Margaret, listed below.)  
SCOTT, Mrs. Margaret, died Aug. 2, 1849 aged 69 years. Erected to the memory of a beloved mother by her 8 children.  
SCUDERS, Ann, died Sep. 15, 1855 aged 22 years (Family name doubtful.)  
SCUDERS, (?), John, died Jan. 10, 1854 aged 23 years  
SCUDERS, (?), Sarah (?), died ? 9, 1850 (or 1859) aged 36 years 6 months  
SELBY, Alice, died Oct. 17, 1881 aged 77 years 8 months  
SELBY, John, Jan. 6, 1813-July 3, 1905 (This is probably the John Selby who became county coroner on Nov. 30, 1858.)  
SELBY, John, died Aug. 12, 1853 in the 72 year of his age.  
SELBY, Hannah, died Aug. 9, 1852 in the 71 year of her age, wife of John Selby.  
SELBY, Silas, our brother, born July 6, 1828 died July 28, 1852 aged 24 y 22 d  
SHARP, Charlotte, died Sept. 26, 1893 (Same stone with Benj. and Mary Berry.)  
SHARP, Catharine, aged 3 years 11 months 5 days (This child, first name uncertain, is buried on the same lot with Martin and Rispa Sharp.)  
SHARP, Elbert, 1818-1885



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SNAPE, John, son of Samuel and N. Snape, died March 15, 1852  
 SNAPE, Mary, daughter of Samuel and N. Snape, died Jan. 30, 1858  
 SNAPE, Emma, died April 6, 1863. Daughter of Samuel and N. Snape.  
 SNAPE, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and N. Snape, died March 7, 1865  
 SNAPE, Robert, died April 8, 1867

(All the Snape family burials listed here are on Lot 412 Row M.)

SNYDER, Gilbert, died Oct. 14, 1841 aged 37 years 8 months 1 day (The date can no longer be read, but Mrs. English copied it in 1929.)

SPALDING, William W., son of H. and E. M. Spalding, died May 14, 1856 aged 23 (William, Elvira and Horace are buried on Lot 472 Row K.) years

SPALDING, Elvira M., wife of Rev. Horace Spalding, born June 12, 1790 (?) died Jan. 9, 1897

SPALDING, Rev. Horace, died Jan. 10, 1881 aged 78 years 7 months 11 days  
 (The following biography is copied from page 731 of "History Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1878": SPALDING, HORACE A., public teacher in former years, but now a resident of Township 16 Range 9; is a native of Vermont, born in 1802. His father, Wright Spalding, a native of Connecticut, moved with his family to New York in 1807, and there followed farming. The subject of this sketch remained on the farm up to his seventeenth year; liberally educated, he then became a teacher, pursuing this vocation until he attained his 35th year, when he came to Morgan County, and taught school for a number of years in Jacksonville. In 1826, Mr. Spalding married Miss Elvira M. Ladd, a native of Haverall, N. H.; this marriage was blessed with two children: William Wright (not living), Martha Louisa, married Samuel Jumper, a farmer and resident of Township 16 North Range 9 West; children born of this marriage: Natie L., Edward A., John A., Sarah E., George, Frank, and Alice C., last named not living. Mr. Spalding has also one adopted daughter, Harriet, who married Morris Laupher, now living in St. Paul, Minn.)

SPARKS, John, died Aug. 16, 1872 aged ?? years (Buried on Lot 479 Row K.)

SPENCER, Richard B., Co. D 7th M.S.M., June 24, 1814-Jan. 6, 1893

SPENCER, William S., Co. C 10th Ill. Inf., born May 17, 1840 died May 5, 1918

SPENCER, Richard B. (?), Member ? U. S. N., born June 4, 1814 (or 1844) died June 6, 1893 (Wm. S. and Richard are buried on Lot 525 Row K.)

(The following Spencers are a family grouping.)

SPENCER, Louise, born Sept. 30, 1866 died Aug. 3, 1883

SPENCER, Thomas C., born May 4, 1878 died Aug. 30, 1883

SPENCER, Ellen E., born Aug. 24, died Nov. 6 of 1876

SPENCER, Ada May, born Sept. 23, 1881 died March 21, 1882

SPENCER, Bertha A., born Aug. 21, 1884 died March 2, 1888

SPENCER, Stephen (?) E., born March 27, 1887 died Aug. 11, 1888

SPENCER, Abbie, born Oct. 2, 1873 died Nov. 4, 1893

SPILMAN, Lizzie, daughter of T. A. and S. E. Spilman, died Sept. 30, 1854 aged 1 (or 4) year 2 months 2 days

SPRINGER, George, died Feb. 1, 1853 aged 23 years

STAGG, Isabella A., 1830-1897 (She was born in Ill., daughter of D. Ingalls.)

STAGG, James M., Co. A, 68 Illinois Infantry, 1820-1900 He enlisted in the 68th and served as a private. Enlistment date was May 27, 1862. His occupation in 1878 was carpentering.

STAGG, Lawrence Eldin, 1861-1906

STAGG, Louise Furgeson, wife of L. E. Stagg, 1906

(The Stagg burials given here are on the same lot.)

STACY, Lieut. T. P., 20 Batt'n. Q. M., 6th Ill. Cav.

STACY, Major James D., 6th Ill. Cav., 1827-1902

STACY, Martha A., 1828-1901 (Same stone with Major James D. Stacy.)

STACY, Mary Lila, dau. of J. D. and M. A. Stacy, died Jan. 24, 1855 aged 1-3-3



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SHARP, Mary, 1821-1908  
 SHARP, Martin, died Jan. 8, 1871 aged 85 years  
 SHARP, Nancy M., died Aug. ?, 1839  
 SHARP, Rispa, wife of Martin Sharp, died Sept. 2?, 1850 aged 61 years  
 SHEEHAN, John, a native of the Parish of ?, County Kerry, Ireland, died  
 Oct. 1, 1855 (Broken, the remainder is missing.)  
 SHEPPARD, Margaret Ann, wife of R. W. Sheppard, died Sept. 5, 1862 aged 32  
 years 13 days  
 SHEPPARD, Robert W., 1828-1888  
 SHEPPARD, Sarah M., 1849-1910 (All three Sheppards buried on Lot 492 Row D.)  
 SHIRLEY, Elizabeth G., 1831-1848 SHIRLEY, Wilbur F., 1845-1847  
 SHIRLEY, Evaline G., 1810-1839 SHIRLEY, Geo. Yates, 1804-1870  
 SHIRLEY, Thomas H., 1849-1859 SHIRLEY, Emily B., 1820-1900  
 SHIRLEY, George Y., Jr., 1835-1866 (All the Shirley names listed here  
 are buried in the same family  
 SHIRLEY, Howard, 1847-1863 grouping.)  
 SHIRLEY, John G., 1839-1843  
 SIERER or SIGLER, Mary E., daughter of ? ? and M., died Aug. 26, 1859 aged 1  
 year 3 months 28 days  
 SIMMS, Emmy, daughter of C. H. and A. M. Simms, died June 19, 1847 aged 2  
 months 23 days  
 SIMS, Susan J., wife of Felix M. Sims, and daughter of Wm. and J. Branson,  
 died Sept. 12, 1871 aged 26 years  
 SINS, Little Stella, daughter of F. M. and S. J. Sims, died Dec. 11, 1871 in  
 her 5th year  
 SIMMONS, Martha, daughter of S. and S. Simmons, died Dec. 6, 1847 aged 23 (?)  
 years 11 months 8 days  
 SIMMONS, Sarah, daughter of S. and S. Simmons, died Ma? ?, 1839 aged 9 years  
 7 months 21 (or 24) days  
 SIMMONS, Sarah, wife of Solomon Simmons, died April 22, 1839 aged 38 years  
 SIMMONS, Solomon, died Dec. 1?, 1858 aged 58 years 10 months 23 days  
 SINNOTT, Mother and Brother (No names, in Row K.)  
 SKEEN, Isaiah, M. D., born Jan. 18, 1827 died Jan. 18, 1855 aged 28 years  
 SKIDMORE, R., Co. E, 4 Ill. Inf. (In military section.)  
 SMITH, Archimedes, Surgeon's Mate, 1 Ky. Mtd. Vols., War Of 1812, Mar. 29,  
 1866  
 SMITH, Ralph, 1889-1893 (Buried beside Archimedes Smith.)  
 SMITH, G. C., Co. C, 3 Iowa Cav. (In military section.)  
 SMITH, Elijah, captain in the Revolutionary Army, 1755-1836 (His grave is  
 marked by a modern red granite tombstone and a metal D. A. R. marker. The  
 following paragraph was written by a newspaper reporter, probably about  
 1900, following a tour of the cemetery; "Jacksonville cemetery is honored by  
 containing probably the only resting place of a revolutionary soldier in  
 the county. It is the late Elijah Smith, whose remains are interred here.  
 He was a soldier through a good part of the conflict and served in a New  
 Jersey regiment." Note: The newspaper reporter was mistaken in his as-  
 sumption about Smith being the only Revolutionary War veteran buried in  
 Morgan County.)  
 SMITH, James S., From England, died Nov. 9, 1861 at the residence of J. Ber-  
 dan, aged 72 years  
 SMITH, Martha, daughter of Thomas H. and Mary Smith, died Aug. 24, 1859 aged  
 28 years 10 months 13 days  
 SMITH, Thomas H., died April 13, 1862 aged 63 years 4 months 4 days  
 SMITH, Rachel, wife of Jesse Smith, died June 15, 1854 aged 45 years  
 SMITH, Riley, Co. G, 19 Ill. Inf. (In military section.)  
 SNAPE, Samuel F., died April 15, 1894 aged 70 years 7 months  
 SNAPE, Nanny (or Nancy), wife of Samuel Snape, died April 10, 1889 aged 67 y



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STARR, Matthew H., Colonel, 6th Ill. Cav., Oct. 3, 1838-Oct. 7, 1864  
(This military hero does not rightfully belong in this listing as he is not buried in the old plat of this cemetery. His 8-ft. tall obelisk is in the southwest part of the new plat. His burial is included in this listing as a convenience to anyone seeking his grave site. Much information about this man, including his photograph, may be found by consulting page 5 of section 2 of the Jacksonville Journal-Courier of Sunday, Oct. 11, 1964 and page 5 of section 2 of the Jacksonville Journal-Courier of Sunday, Aug. 23, 1964.)

STEINLEY, Rev. C., pastor of The German M. E. Church, born May 20, 1829 died Jan. 4, 1869 Er hat seinen Lauf mit freuden vollendet. Erected by the S. W. G. Conf.

STEVENS, Rebecca M., daughter of Henry and ? Stevens, died Dec. 18, 1834 aged 17 years 20 days

STEVENSON, John William, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Stevenson, died Aug. 22, 1841

STEVENSON, Emily Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Stevenson, died May 21, 1839

STEVENSON, Eliza, wife of J. F. Barrows and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Stevenson, died July 29, 1844 aged 19 years 7 months  
(For a biographical sketch of the Stevenson family see page 47 of "Atlas Map of Morgan County, Illinois, 1872".)

STOUT, Hetty (possibly Netty), daughter of J. V. D. and H. Stout, died Dec. 7, 1854 aged 3 years 6 months (J. V. D. Stout was a native of Somerset County, New Jersey. He came to Morgan County in 1838 where he followed the occupation of farming.)

STOUT, Johnney, son of J. V. D. and H. Stout, died Sep. 11, 1854 aged 8 mon.

STOUT, Rachel (?) Ann, daughter of J. V. D. and H. Stout, died (broken across date) aged 11 (?) years 5 months 3 days (The compiler dug up the top half of this tombstone. It had apparently been buried many years.)

STREET, Eliza Ann, daughter of J. M. and E. M. Street, born at Shawneetown, Ill., Jan. 28, 1828 died near Jacksonville Sep. 25, 1844 (Lot 425 $\frac{1}{2}$  Row JK $\frac{1}{2}$ )

STRINGHAM, Ann, wife of P. Stringham, died Feb. 16, 1853 aged 52 years 1 month 1 day

STRAWN, Isaiah, buried March 16, 1879 on Lot 370 Row A. (No tombstone.)

STRAWN, Isaiah, son of James and Nancy Strawn, died May 9, 1874 aged 16 years 7 months 9 days (An adult Isaiah Strawn is buried not far from the Strawn mausoleum in Diamond Grove Cemetery.)

STRAWN, James G., born Licking County, Ohio on Oct. 13, 1824 died Feb. 18, 1887

STRAWN, Nancy, wife of James G. Strawn, died June 21, 1889 aged 63 years 6 months 28 days (The Strawns listed here are buried on Lot 370 Row A. The lot ownership is listed under name of J. Bradshaw. Nancy Strawn's maiden name was Nancy Bradshaw.) (The following biography is copied from page 692 of "History Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1878.") STRAWN, JAMES G., farmer, stock dealer and breeder of thorough-bred shorthorn cattle and extra horses for all purposes, Pleasant Grove Farm, Section 26, Township 15-9, post office Orleans. Was born in Licking County, Ohio, Oct. 13, 1824; came with his parents to this county in the Fall of 1829 on a visit; returned here in 1831, and settled in this county. Wife was Nancy, daughter of Judge John Bradshaw, who came from Tennessee and settled here in 1819; she was born Nov. 23, 1824, and married Sept. 19, 1844; have seven children: John A., Jacob H., William S., Charles B., James G., Joel G., and Isaiah, who died May 9, 1874; owns 1,300 acres, valued at \$97,500.

SUDGERS, Ann, died Sept. 15, 1855 aged 22 years



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- SUDGERS, J ? , died Feb. 9, 1850 aged 36 years 6 months (Lot 326 Row A.)  
 SUDGERS, John, died Jan. 10, 1854 aged 23 years (Lot 326 Row A.)  
 SWAIN, Rebecca, daughter of Thomas Sr. and Rebecca Hardy Swain, born in Leicester, England, on Oct. 2, 1821 and died Nov. 4, 1838. (The grave is unmarked and the cemetery records do not show the location.)  
 SWAIN, Thomas., Sr., died Sept. 24, 1837 (Thomas' grave is unmarked. He was a native of England. At the home in Leicester he made shoes and kept cows and made cheese which he sold. In 1837 he brought his wife, the former Rebecca Hardy, and their children to America, landing in New York City. Thomas died soon after the family arrived in Morgan County. Rebecca married William Hodgson on March 21, 1838. She is buried in Hebron Cemetery at Sinclair in Morgan County. The children of Thomas Swain, Sr., and his wife Rebecca Hardy Swain were Thomas (Aug. 5, 1820-Feb. 17, 1905), Rebecca (Oct. 2, 1821-Nov. 4, 1838), John (Jan. 24, 1823-Sept. 16, 1875), Joseph (Sept. 16, 1825-June 25, 1884 and buried at Lamar, Missouri), William (March 27, 1824-Oct. 7, 1844), Henry (Feb. 21, 1827-Aug. 15, 1898 and buried in Missouri), Sarah (Aug. 24, 1829-Nov. 20, 1842), Adelaide (Dec. 30, 1830-Dec. 5, 1865) and Charles Swain, born Oct. 8, 1832 and died March 14, 1868. Charles is buried on the island of Tahiti. (The compiler's wife, the former Mary Kathryn Grady, is a descendant of Thomas Swain, Sr., and the information given here is from family records.)  
 SWEET, Anna, born in Haverhill, Mass., died Feb. 19, 1871 aged 57 years  
 SWEET, Olive Maria, (illegible words) died Oct. 26, 1843 aged 8 months 14 dys  
 SWEET, William, (illegible words) died July 21, 1850 aged 15 years 4 (?) months 17 (?) days  
 SWEET, William, born in Haverhill, Mass., died Oct. 18, 1849 aged 37 years  
 (All the Sweet family names given here appear on the same obelisk in the east central part of the old plat.)  
 TANDY, Charles B., 1840-1853  
 TANDY, Martha H. Reid, wife of Willis Tandy, Oct. 3, 1805-Oct. 28, 1836  
 TANDY, Willis, 1788-Sept. 5, 1849 aged 60 years 9 months 17 days, a soldier from Kentucky in the War Of 1812 (From notes of Mrs. English.)  
 (The Tandy names are on the large Reid family tombstone.)  
 TAYLOR, Arthur, Illinois, Corp., 803 Pioneer Inf., Dec. 18, 1930  
 TAYLOR, Ernest, son of W. S. and A. A. Taylor, died April 19, 1898 aged 15 (or 16) years 9 months 4 days  
 TAYLOR, James (In military section.)  
 TAYLOR, John W., son of I. (?) and M. Taylor, died July 1, 1852  
 TAYLOR, Mary Elizabeth, died Aug. 5, 1865 (Remainder broken off.)  
 TAYLOR, Samuel, 1858-1920  
 (Mary Elizabeth and Samuel are buried on Lot 446 Row L. The lot's owner is listed as David Taylor.)  
 TAYLOR, Spencer, Nov. 4, 1826-Jan. 15, 1892  
 TAYLOR, Elizabeth, wife of Spencer Taylor, Dec. 28, 1820-Sept. 26, 1896  
 (The following biography is copied from page 523 of "History Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1878": TAYLOR, SPENCER (S. Taylor & Sons) residence N. Main near Independence Avenue. Was born Nov. 4, 1820, in Lexington, Ky. Came to Jacksonville in the Fall of 1829; was married to Miss Elizabeth Hilligass March 9, 1842. She was born in the State of New York Dec. 28, 1820. They have ten children living, namely: Mary E., born Jan. 25, 1845; William S., born Feb. 5, 1847; George W., born July 29, 1849; Anderson F., born Oct. 24, 1851; John S., born March 26, 1854; Martin A., born March 1, 1856; Leslie H., born 1858; Lewis H., born Oct. 23, 1859, and Charles L., born Feb. 10, 1862.  
 TENDICK, Jane, wife of John Tendick, died Aug. 14, 1854 aged 65 y 10 m 4 d  
 TENDICK, John, died Dec. 11, 1853 aged 64 years 9 months 10 days



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TENDICK, Jane, wife of Peter Tendick, died Feb. 9, 1855 aged 55 years  
(Jane's tombstone is broken across the date, but Mrs. English recorded it in 1929.)

TENDICK, Peter, died Feb. 23, 1855 aged 61 years and 8 months

TERRY, Philip, son of T. and T. Terry, died Sep. 17, 18?? aged 1 year 8 mos.

THOMAS, Henry H., Co. E., 78 Ill. Inf. (Buried on Lot 516 $\frac{1}{2}$  Row JK $\frac{1}{2}$ .)

THOMAS, William, Nov. 22, 1802-Aug. 22, 1889

(This man's red granite shaft stands on Lot 1 Row B. There are numerous references to him in "History Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1878". A most vivid description of the man will be found, however, in an undated newspaper story written about 1900 by a news reporter following a walking tour of the cemetery. He wrote: Here is a name with a peculiarly fragrant memory, that of Judge William Thomas. Elderly citizens can easily picture in their minds the old gentleman seated at his table, quill pen in hand, making the peculiar marks, at first so illegible but later on more easily read as one becomes accustomed to them. His spittoon was always nearby for the judge was an inveterate tobacco chewer, but one who knew his noble qualities forgot any little irregularities which he might have had. He used to enjoy telling how he "stole" through the legislature the bill for the charter of Illinois College. That was the time when the state's lawmakers didn't think much of the cause of education and failed to look kindly on any enterprise which sought the spread of knowledge. The judge was in the legislature at this time the bill was pending and had to use some wise, shrewd tactics to accomplish the desired object. The judge's remains are accompanied by those of other members of the family.

William Thomas was the first man to conduct a regular school in Jacksonville. The site of the structure is commemorated by a gray granite marker in the 200 block of East College Avenue.

A lengthy and concise biography of William Thomas will be found on pages 43 and 46 of "Atlas Map Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1872".

THOMPSON, William, son of A. C. and A. Thompson, died July 20, 1876 aged 10 months 7 days

THOMPSON, Eleanor, wife of William Webb, 1871-1902

THOMPSON, Alfred T., infant son, 1902-1902

(The above three burials are on Lot 319 Row A. Eleanor and her infant have the same tombstone.)

THOMPSON, William Prentice, son of S. (?) M. and M. N. Thompson, born Jan. 23, 1858 died May 18, 1868  
THORNBORROW, Hannah Wilkinson, (?), wife of Stephen Thornborrow, died Aug. 6, 1859 aged (illegible)

(The following three Thornborrow burials are on the same lot.)

THORNBORROW, John, infant son of S. and M. Thornborrow, died June 21, 1870 aged 4 months 25 days

THORNBORROW, Stephen, Oct. 20, 1832-May 22, 1918

THORNBORROW, Mary Ann, Nov. 11, 1844-Jan. 20, 1919

THORNTON, Louisa S., 1835-1838

THORNTON, Sarah V., 1837-1838 (Louisa and Sarah on same lot.)

THROWER, Catherine (Funeral home marker.)

TIEMEYER, Henry, born Feb. 2, 1821 died Oct. 2, 1882

TIEMEYER, Fried, born Jan. 28, 1858 died July 2?, 1873

TIEMEYER, Minnie, born Dec. 20, 1860 died Feb. 6, 1863

TIEMEYER, Friedline, born Nov. 7, 1863 died Nov. 7, 1863.

(The Tiemeyer burials are on Lot 460 Row K. Fried, Minnie and Friedline are children of H. and M. Tiemeyer.)



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- TIFF, James R., Co. K, 101 Ill. Inf. (Buried in military section.)  
 TIFF, William J., Co. K, 101 Ill. Inf. (Buried on Lot 444 Row L.)  
 TILTON, Robert, Nov. 27, 1865-April 19, 1916  
 TREMBLE, Henry, died May 1913  
 TROTTER, Rev. William David Rice, born in Glasgow, Ky., March 17, 1807.  
 Came to Illinois 1830. Entered The Ministry This Same Year. Died July 25, 1880. (This man is buried in the new plat, near the entrance to the cemetery, so he does not belong in this listing of old plat burials. However, he is included here as a convenience to anyone seeking information about him. His tall tombstone is of poor quality stone and is weathering poorly. On May 19, 1974, Centenary United Methodist Church dedicated a bronze plaque in memory of this man and the plaque is now at the grave site. Rev. Trotter was pastor of that church in 1839 and 1840. A detailed biography of this man will be found in the Jacksonville Journal of Wednesday, July 28, 1880. There are numerous references to him in the book "Log Cabins To Steeples".  
 TROTTER, Maria, wife of W. D. R. Trotter, born in Christian Co., Ky., Sept. 20, 1812 died Dec. 10, 1882 (She was a daughter of the celebrated circuit rider, Rev. Peter Cartwright.)  
 TILTON, W. I.  
 TODD, Elizabeth, died Dec. 12, 1840 (?) aged 15 months  
 TUCKER, Casander, wife of William Tucker, died Sep. 29, 1878 aged 78 y 6 m (She is buried near the northeast corner of the cemetery.)  
 TURNER, ? (Homemade, this concrete marker is nearly illegible but it does have "Wm." as part of the inscription. The marker is in the extreme southern row of graves, in the eastern half of the old plat of the cemetery.)  
 UPHAM, Abner A., C. G. 1 Mo. Cav., Born Nov. 28, 1838. Aged 23 years 2 months 20 days. Fell at the Battle Of Sugar Creek, Ark., Feb. 17, 1862. (Persons interested in this man should see the Jacksonville Journal-Courier of Sunday, Sept. 14, 1975 for a long story and a photo of this marker.)  
 VAGTS, Arthur, Illinois, Pvt., I Company Discharge Detachment, World War I, Nov. 12, 1885-Dec. 12, 1950 ("Vaghtsie" was a fat, friendly man who ran a bicycle repair shop on East Morgan Street, about one-half block east of the Public Square. His cluttered-up little shop was a favorite loafing place for young boys. "Vaghtsie" and his mother lived in an apartment over the bicycle shop. He always charged very small prices for his repair work. He would sit, day after day, re-spoking bicycle wheels while looking out the window and chatting with his young customers. After his death authorities found large sums of money hidden in the building. "Vaghtsie" left a last will and testament providing that the money be spent on the youth of Jacksonville.)  
 VAGTS, John, Co. A, 58 N. Y. Infantry, 1839-1892  
 VAGTS, John, son of J. and M. Vagts, died Dec. 31, 1887 (The Vagts burials listed here are on Lot 22 Row D.)  
 VANCELEAVE, Lucretia, wife of J. V. Vancleave, died March 31, 1853 aged 40 years 2 months 2 days (She is buried under a large evergreen tree on Lot 293 Row H, just south of the Grierson family lot.)  
 VANWINKLE, Elizabeth, died Sept. 1, 1879 aged 84 years (Elizabeth is buried next to Jason Vanwinkle.)  
 VANWINKLE, Jason, died Jan. 5, 1880 aged 85 years 3 months 7 days (According to page 616 Of "History Of Morgan County, Illinois, 1878" Jason came to Morgan County in 1831 in company with Isham and James Burnett and others. The trip from Kentucky consumed 27 days. Isham Burnett married Miss Lucinda Vanwinkle in Kentucky.)  
 VANWINKLE, T. S., born in Wayne Co., Ky., June 18, 1829 died April 11, 1856



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VANZANT, Cynthia M. wife of Isaiah Vanzant, died Aug. 23, 1874 aged 70 years  
7 months 10 days

VANZANT, Isaiah, died May 16, 1862 aged 69 years 4 months  
(It is difficult to read the weathered tombstones of Cynthia and Isaiah,  
located on Lot 240 Row H. There are also Vanzant burials near the entrance  
to the cemetery.)

VASCONCELLOS, Emanuel, born Aug. 1, 1812 died July 16, 1890 (Lot 461 Row K)

VASCONCELLOS, Ida, wife of Emanuel Vasconcellos, died Jan. 16, 1884 aged 69 y.

VAUGHN, Mary E., born July 5 (or 6), 1854 died Oct. 18, 1856

VAUGHN, Polly, born Feb. 12, 1825 (or 1823), married Dec. 5, 1840, died April  
27, 1885

VAUGHN, Rufus M., born Nov. 18, 1856 died Ma? 14, 1863 (or 1865)

VAUGHN, Rufus S., born Nov. 9, 1819 died Oct. 9, 1890  
(The Vaughn burials are on the same lot.)

VIERRA (VIEIRA), Joseph, 1841-1911, Co. A 10 Ill. Inf. (He has two markers.)

VIERRA, Mary, wife of Joseph Vierra, 1854-1929 (They are buried on Lot 448 of  
Row L.)

VOORHEES, William, son of J. and E. E. Voorhees, born Sept. 2, 1851 died Sept.  
21, 1852

VOORHEES, Stephen G., died March 7, 1887 in the 64th year of his age

VORHEES, Sarah, wife of Stephen G. Vorhees, died Oct. 26, 1899 in the 75th  
year of her age

VORHEES, Albert, son of S. G. and S. A. Vorhees, died Jan. 16, 1860 aged 9  
years 8 months 17 days

WAKELY, Anne Marsden, wife of Dr. T. A. Wakely, died March 4, 1866 aged 44 y

WAKELY, Dr. Thomas A., born in Newcastle on Tyne, England June 4, A. D. 1816  
died Nov. 16, 1872

WALKER, Phillip, who departed this life January 10, A. D. 1834 in his 33rd  
year (Despite its early date, this marker is in excellent condition. It is  
standing in the east part of the old plat.)

WALSH, Frank, son of M. and M. Walsh, died Feb. 11, 1865 aged 5 y 8 m 5 d

WALSH, Peter, son of M. and M. Walsh, died Dec. 25, 1868 aged 11 days (?)

WARNER, Nancy, wife of Moses Warner Sr., died April 12, 1858 aged 102 years  
2 months 8 days

WARNER, Sarah, wife of Samuel Warner, died May 6, 1866 (?) aged 52 years 6  
months 9 days

WARREN, Ann D., wife of Col. Wm. B. Warren

WARREN, Margaret, daughter of Col. Wm. B. and Ann D. Warren

WARREN, Col. William B. (In a newspaper story probably published about 1900  
the reporter wrote of this "fine granite monument".)

WASHINGTON, George, Co. E 3 U.S. Colored Heavy Artillery

WATKINS, John A., son of A. and O. Watkins, died Jan. 20, 1863 aged 1 m 16 d

WATKINS, Sarah E., daughter of A. and O. Watkins, died April 4, 1864 aged  
2 weeks 6 days

WATSON, Eliza M., consort of John Watson, died June 21, 1826. Also Martha,  
infant daughter.

WEAVER, Mary A., wife of Samuel Weaver, 1809-1873 (This nice gray granite  
marker is next to Samuel's weatherbeaten and damaged stone.)

WEAVER, Samuel, born in (illegible) Sept. 15, 1801 died Aug. 7, 1855  
(His badly weathered tombstone is broken into three pieces.)

WEBB, Eleanor Thompson, 1871-1902 (She is buried on the Thompson family lot,  
which is Lot 319 Row A.)

WEBB, John, died Dec. 23, 1879 aged 61 years 2 months 5 days

WEBB, ? , wife of John Webb (Her stone has fallen, is now illegible.)

WERNER, William, 1887-1937 (An oval metal marker.)

WEST, Ruth, wife of Timothy H. West, born April 11, 1810 died March 26, 1877



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WEST, Timothy H., Oct. 24, 1820-March 23, 1895  
 (In 1878 Tim was sexton of Jacksonville East Cemetery.)  
 WET???, Pau;ina, died March 1, 1861 aged 24 years  
 WETHERBEE, Charles A., son of A. and M. Wetherbee, died Aug. 26, 1850 aged 1  
 year 15 days  
 WETHERBEE, Mary, wife of Ambrose Wetherbee, died Sept. 28, 1850 aged 26 years  
 5 months  
 WETHERBEE, Truman F., son of A. and M. Wetherbee, aged 1 month 21 days  
 WIGHT, David, born in Dinldington, England. Became a citizen of Illinois in  
 1851. Died in Shelby County Dec. 12, 1862 aged 44 years 8 months 19 days  
 (About 1900, a newspaper reporter wrote this about David Wight, after the  
 reporter had toured the cemetery: David Wight was a man who went to Cali-  
 fornia and made a fortune. His wife was a daughter of the late Mrs. King  
 on South Main street and their only child is the wife of Wm. E. Hall.)  
 WIGHT, Mary, wife of David Wight, died May 27, 1854  
 WILLIAMS, Sarah E., born Feb. 18, 1833 died in peace Jan. 28, 1854  
 WILLIAMSON, James, 1798-1858  
 WILLIAMSON, Sarah, 1799-1854  
 WILLIAMSON, Sam'l., Co. D, 109 U. S. C. Inf. (Buried in military section.)  
 WILSON, Eliza M., consort of John Wilson, died June 21, 1836 aged 21 years  
 WILSON, Martha, daughter of John and Martha Vilson, died in Nov., 1836  
 WILSON, Robert, Illinois, Pvt., 365 Inf., Nov. 4, 1928  
 WILSON, M. J.  
 WINDSOR, J., Co. B, 3 Mo. Cav.  
 WINDSOR, Emeline, died March 18, 1865 aged 37 years 8 months  
 (J. and Emeline Windsor are buried on Lot 434 Row L. The owner of the lot  
 is listed as Jesse Windsor.)  
 WISEMAN, Achsah Lena Stagg, wife of Geo. A. Wiseman, 1929  
 (She is buried with members of the Stagg family.)  
 WILSON, Louisa, 1815-1849  
 WOOD, McLean F., died Aug. 6, 1865 (He achieved the rank of captain in Co. G  
 10th Infantry on April 22, 1861. He re-enlisted for three years service as  
 the 10th Infantry was organized as a three months company. He was serving  
 in the Hardin Light Guards when he was promoted to lieutenant colonel. On  
 Feb. 22, 1865 he was promoted to colonel of the 154th Infantry. He died at  
 Nashville, Tenn., on Aug. 6, 1865.)  
 WOODMAN, Amanda M., wife of W. C. Woodman, March 21, 1822-Feb. 22, 1862  
 WOODMAN, Harry, son of W. C. and Amanda M. Woodman, born Feb. 13, 1854 died  
 Aug. 2, 1862  
 WOODMAN, Edward, 1826-1891  
 WOODMAN, Mary E., wife of Edward Woodman, died May 27, 1863 aged 37 y 8 m 2 d  
 (The Woodmans listed here are buried on the same lot.)  
 WOODROW, Mary E., daughter of M. and M. Woodrow, died Oct. 1855 aged 6 years  
 WOODSON, Josie, mother, born March 6, 1887 died Aug. 6, 1924  
 (A concrete marker indicates her grave is on Lot 528 $\frac{1}{2}$  Row KL $\frac{1}{2}$ .)  
 WRIGHT, Isaac (In military section.)  
 WOOLLEN, Matthew Simpson, 1843-1897 (In military section.)  
 WYATT, Della Lynch, 1874-1925  
 WYCKOFF, Orpha Celia, daughter of S. and M. Wyckoff, died Oct. 30, 1864 aged  
 5 years 1 month 29 days (She is buried in Row K.)  
 YATES, Gov. Richard (The Civil War governor of Illinois was originally buried  
 in this cemetery but has been re-interred in Diamond Grove Cemetery.)  
 YOUNG, Mary Ann, died April 27, 1925 (Buried on Lot 319 Row A.)  
 ZACHARIAS, A. F., died Sept. 24, 1893 aged 75 years (Buried Lot. 497 Row L.)



Turner Cemetery is located in Township 13 North, Range 8 West, 3rd Principal Meridian, in Section 21, Morgan County, Illinois.

It is west of Route 111 - south and west of Waverly. The earliest known burial was in 1842. The data below is taken from the monuments in the cemetery, death certificates and newspaper clippings. Inscriptions were read in the 1960's by Myra N. and Guy W. Martin.

Editor's Note: During 1976, they, along with others, cleaned up this cemetery, removed the hedge, and installed a new fence. Donations are needed in order to maintain this reclaimed cemetery in a respectable manner, for the future. Won't you help?

Send letters of appreciation to Mrs. Guy Martin, 359 E. Tremont, Waverly, Ill 62692. A special fund for this purpose has already been set up, but contributions have been slow. Myra was hospitalized a long time last summer because she worked so hard on cleaning it up, and became infected with a bad case of poison ivy and smoke inhalation from poison oak which was being burned. Now people can walk around it without danger to themselves from poison ivy, tall weeds, briars and snakes. Later, Guy was hospitalized because of a heart attack while lifting the fencing on the truck. We owe these two avid cemetery workers more than a hearty vote of thanks for their efforts. Let's help to perpetuate the cleanliness of this cemetery for future use.

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| BLANEY, Mary C.         | Died 1 May 1881, Aged 48ys 2ms 25ds                  |  |
| " William               | " 6 Nov 1900 @ St. Louis, Mo. Aged 48ys              |  |
| BROWN, Julia            | " 23 May 1874 Aged 33ys 11ms 27ds, dau of S. & M.    |  |
| " Louella F. Turner     | 29 Jul 1876 - 17 Jul 1894 wif Edward Brown           |  |
| " J. B.                 | Died 16 Jun 1899 @ Chester, Ill. AE 66 Y 4 M 3 D     |  |
| " Mary A.               | " 8 May 1873 Aged 5ms 29ds dau of J.B. & E.A.        |  |
| " Mary                  | " 9 Aug 1861 " 63ys 2ms 17ds wif of S.               |  |
| " Samuel                | " 15 May 1882 " 78ys 4ms                             |  |
| " Nancy O.              | " " 30ys 16ds wif Benjamin                           |  |
| DEETER, Eliza (Turner)  | " 16 Mar 1920 " 65 wif of Al Deeter                  |  |
| EVANS, Julia E.         | " 26 Jul 1868 " 3ys 1mo ds dau of J.W. & M.J.        |  |
| GERARD, Hattie A.       | " 26 Apr 1896 " 1y 8m 6d " " C.L. & F.A.             |  |
| GOODELL, James L.       | " 22 Aug 1870 " 9m 8ds son J.C. & S. Amanda          |  |
| " Walter                | " 21 Aug 18 " " " [ner                               |  |
| HILTON, Elizabeth T.    | June 28, 1817 - Oct 18, 1909 dau Jno. & Ruth Tur-    |  |
| " William W.            | Sep 12, 1809 - Sep 8, 1876 Hus Elizabeth T.          |  |
| HUTCHISON, John         | Died 26 June 1864, Aged 28ys 5ms 17ds                |  |
| LAMBERT, Rhoda L.       | Apr 9, 1867 - Dec 28, 1899 wif Marshall G.           |  |
| LARGE, Charley Thomas   | 1874 1936  |  |
| MAYES, Bertha Lee       | Died 20 Sep 1893/8 Aged 2ys 4ms 15ds dau J.W. & L.A. |  |
| " John W.               | Oct 6, 1859 - Jan 31, 1946                           |  |
| " Lizzie Almira         |  |  |
| " (Vancil)              | June 7, 1861 - Sep 4, 1930 wif of J.W.               |  |
| " Maude                 | Nov 12, 1888 - Nov 2/9, 1903 dau Jno.W. & L.A.       |  |
| NICHOLAS, Mary J.       | Died 26 Nov 1872 Aged 46ys 3ms 24da wif J.M.         |  |
| MILLER, John            | " 12 Jan 1868 " 1y 6ms son J.H.S. Miller             |  |
| " Sarah L.              | " 12 Nov 1869, " 28ys 1mo 21ds wif J.H.S.            |  |
| MINER, Hardin W.        | Feb 4, 1850 - Apr 2, 1905                            |  |
| " Martha (Turner)       | Aug 16, 1852 - June 4, 1904 wif Hardin W.            |  |
| McMAHON, Almira Collins |  |  |
| " (Turner)              | Nov 8, 1825 - Dec 31, 1921 wif John D.               |  |
| " John D.               | Died 23 Jan 1893 Aged 66 ys 4ms 4ds                  |  |
| " Ivan T.               | Sep 1, 1847 - Mar 8, 1914                            |  |
| " Nancy M. (Turner)     | Dec 16/18, 1830 - June 9, 1882 wif Isaiah            |  |
| " Clement Loyd          | June 20, 1863 - July 22, 1882 son J.D. & Almira      |  |
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| McCLAIN, Mary          | Died Dec 23, 1847               | Aged 57 Y 6M 1 D        | wif of S.          |
| MC LAIN, Mary (Turner) | " Jan 2, 1861                   | " 48 ys                 | Wif of Wm.         |
| " William              | " Feb 25, 1861                  | " 52 Ys 11M             | Ds [E.             |
| PETERSON, John A.      | Apr 25, 1901 - Apr 28, 1902     |                         | son Albert & Daisy |
| REYNOLDS, Elizabeth    |                                 |                         |                    |
| (Turner)               | Nov 21, 1838 - Aug 15, 1906     |                         | wif Joel H.        |
| " Ida                  | 1866 - 1868                     |                         |                    |
| " Joel H.              | Aug 6, 1838 - Oct 15, 1866      |                         |                    |
| " Joseph               |                                 |                         |                    |
| RHEA, James            | Died Apr 28, 1854               | Aged 1 Y 6 Mos          |                    |
| " Lewis                | Died Sep 1876                   |                         |                    |
| " Thomas               | Died Aug 28, 1844               | Aged 11 Ys 5M 25Ds      | son James & V.     |
| " William J.           | Died June 24, 1862              | Aged 12 Ds(?)           | Son of L. & R.     |
| RIGG, Elizabeth        | Died Oct 19, 1855               | Aged 41 yrs 8 mos 13 ds | wif A. P.          |
| " James L.             | Died sep 8, 1845                | Aged 10 " 2 " 29 "      | son A.P. & E.      |
| RUSSELL, Margaret      | Died Apr                        | Aged 51 years           |                    |
| " Hezekiah             | " May 9, 1880                   | " 85 ys 7 ms 13d        |                    |
| SANDS, Ann Eliza       | June 24, 1837 - June 24, 1887   |                         | wif of H.A.        |
| STANDAGE, Joseph       | Died Sept 7, 1871               | Aged 2 yrs 6 mos 26 ds  |                    |
| " John                 | Died Mar 20 (?), 1860 (?)       | Aged 2 yrs 24 ds        | son Wm. W.         |
| TABB, Phebe McCready   |                                 |                         |                    |
| Buckles                | May 27, 1850 - Jan 15, 1917     |                         |                    |
| TURNER, David F.       | Feb 27, 1836 - June 4, 1884     |                         |                    |
| " Mary Elix. (Rhea)    | Oct 5, 1840 - Sep 27, 1901      |                         | wif of D.F.        |
| " Loyd                 | Feb 22, 1869 - Apr 7, 1901      |                         | son D.F. & M.E.    |
| " Sarah Jane Rebecca   |                                 |                         |                    |
| (Hart)                 | Died Sep 18, 1866               |                         | wif Evan Turner    |
| " Moses O.             | Died Mar 5, 1883                | Aged 6 ys 3 ms          | son E. & J.        |
| " Kenneth F.           | 1896 - July 13, 1886/96 (?)     |                         | son J.C. & A.      |
| " Isaac J.             | Died Aug 19, 1872               | Aged 1 yr 1 m 17 dys    | son J.M. & M.      |
| " Mary                 | Died May 21, 1895               | Aged 49 ys 7 m 17 d     | wif J.M.           |
| " John M.              | Died Feb 16, 1889(?)            | Aged 49 ys 10m 22 ds    |                    |
| " John (War 1812)      | Died Jan 6, 1866                | Aged 71 ys 18 ds        | ILLINOIS RANGER    |
| " Ruth (Downing)       | Died Aug 23, 1864               | Aged 69 y 7 m 24 d      | wif of John        |
| " Sarah J.             | Died Nov 7, 1859                | Aged 21 ys 4 ms 26 ds   | wif of Joel        |
| " Joel, Rev.           | Apr 23, 1835 - Jan 12, 1855 (?) |                         |                    |
| " Lemuel A.            | Died Apr 11, 1865               | Aged 2 yrs 6 ms         | son D.F. & M. E.   |
| " James M.             | Died Jan 8, 1852                | Aged 4 ms               | son J.R.S. & E.    |
| " Andrew J.            | Dec 13/18, 1814 - May 29, 1892  |                         |                    |
| " Eliza M. (Russell)   | June 7, 1818 - Feb 28(?) 1881   | 62y 8m 21d              | wif A. J.          |
| " Catherine (Stice)    | born 1797 died mar 19, 1854     |                         | wif of Israel      |
| " Jessie               | Jan 23, - Feb 1904              |                         | son Willis & Lou   |
| " Samuel A.            | Died Sep 29, 1871               | Aged 9 yrs 2 ms 7 ds    | son of E. & S.     |
| " Thomas R. G.         | Died Dec 13, 1854               | Aged 44 yrs 10 mos 3 ds | son of Andrew      |
| " Susannah (Barnhart)  | died Mar 26, 1843/8             | Aged 34yrs 4 ms 13 ds   | wif/TRG            |
| " Rachel               | Died Jan 26, 1855               | Aged 1 y 22 ds          | dau T.R.G. & M.    |
| " Martha               | Died Mar 30, 1857               | Aged 1 y 5 m 18 d       | dau of E. & S.     |
| " Martin Luther        | Feb 24, 1860 - Mar 18, 1941     |                         |                    |
| " Rachel (Whitlock)    | Jan 15, 1870 - Oct 26, 1896     |                         |                    |
| " George N.            | Died Mar 11, 1865               | Aged 7 Ms 13 Ds(?)      | son E. & S.        |
| " Ellen                | July 10, 1864 - July 23, 1864   |                         |                    |
| " William              | 1863 - 1913                     |                         | Hus of Ida         |

[Rest of 6 inscriptions continued to page 2 of Jones Cemetery readings].



JONES CEMETERY

Waverly, Illinois

Andrew Rynders Died Dec 20, 1889 Aged 91 Ys 11 Ms & 5 Ds Rest Father  
William Dennis Died June 15, 1874 Aged 28 years  
Reuben Dennis Died Mar 23, 1883 Aged 83 Ys 1 Mo 12 D  
Charles Edgar, Son of J.W. & M.E. Hilton Died Aug 16, 1867 Aged 1 Yr 8 Ms 1 Dy  
Willie R. Son of E & R. Chance Died Sept 17, 1869 Aged 18 Yrs 5 Ms 27 Ds  
Joseph E. Groves Died Feb 13, 1871 Aged 21 (?) ys 11 Ms 16 Ds  
Louisa J. Wife of J. England Died Feb 12, 1866 Aged 21 Yrs  
James Jones Co G 13th Ill. Cav. Born June 14th, 1817 Died Oct 2, 1862  
Elizabeth, Wife of A. Rynders, Died Dec 7, 1847 Aged 45 Yrs  
Mary E. Dau of E & V. Jones Died Apr 20, 1852 Aged 1 Yr 9 Mos 28 Ds  
John Mc N. Son of J.A. & P. Summers, Died Sep 22, 1854 Aged 1 Yr 4 Mos  
Susan C. Dau of J.A. & P. Summers Died Apr 5, 1850 Aged 11 Mo 5 Ds  
Eliza Ellen Dau of M & M. Summers Died Oct 18, 1862 Aged 2 Yrs 5 Mos \_\_\_ Ds  
Nevada Born Dec 24, 1875 Died Nov 5, 1881 Aged 5 Y 10 M 11 D ) Children of  
Carrie Born Feb 2, 1878 Died Mar 1, 1878 Aged 27 Days ) T.E. & S.E.  
Little Ralph Infant Son of Wm. D. & Ida L. Jones Born Feb 9, 1889 Died Apr 24, 1890 ) Church  
Stones with the initials - C.E.W. & A.S.W.  
N.W., Wife of Reuben Jones, Died May 10, 1873 Aged 45 Yrs 9 Mo 3 Ds  
John Robert, Son of R. & N.W. Jones, Died June 17, 1857 Aged 8 Mos 28 Ds  
Zoanna S. Wetherbee Died Aug 19, 1872 Aged 61 Years  
Watemon, Son of R & N.W. Jones, Died Apr 22, 1855 Aged 3 Yrs 24 Ds  
Brice Jones Born Jan 30, 1822 Departed this life May 11, 1857 Aged 35 Ys 9 Ms 12 Ds  
Sarah. E. Dau of J.W. & C.M. Bowyer Died Aug 30, 1850 Aged 7 Mos 16 Ds(S.E.B. on stone  
Wateman Jones Died Sep 30, 1871 Aged 73 Ys \_\_\_\_\_ 17 Days



Esthur, Wife of Wateman Jones, Born Nov 18, 1798 Died Sept 8, 1872 Aged 73 Yrs

9 ms 20 ds

Elah, Son of W & E. Jones Died Sep 16, 1836 Aged 7 Ys 8 Mos

F.E.A. - a footstone

John Arnett

I affirm the data on pages 1 & 2 to be an exact copy of the inscriptions of the JONES CEMETERY located southwest of Waverly, Illinois-T 13 N, R 7-8 W - Sec 18 in Morgan County; and that the said inscriptions were read by the undersigned on November 1, 1959. I also affirm that the JONES CEMETERY is no longer used as a burial ground and that the above date it was being used as a pasture for cattle. It is on the bank of a small stream of water and back in a field(to the south) of the road running East and West.

Myra N. Martin  
Myra N. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Feb., 1964

Guy W. Martin  
Guy W. Martin, Notary Public

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Page 3: TURNER CEMETERY (continued from page 20)

TURNER, Ida (Holmes) 1866 - 1908 wif of William  
" Mrs. Margaret Died July 9, 1911 Aged 82  
VANCIL, Jacob Co. K 7th Ill Inf. Govt. Marker  
WERNER, Jessie Catherine (Mayes) Aug 11, 1899 - Mar 22, 1918  
WRIGHTSMAN, Mahala (Turner) Died 1865 Aged 39 yrs 1 mo 22 ds, wif of Christian  
Died July 28, 1842, aged 31 yrs



PUPILS ATTENDING PACIFIC UNION SCHOOL Dist. #5 1879-1890, GREENE COUNTY

Some school lists came to our attention which we xeroxed. Pacific Union, found in Township 10 North, Range 13 West, was popularly called "Whistle Jacket. Does anybody know why? We have made a composite list of pupils, and arranged them alphabetically. As you will probably see, some of them are the same person, with a different spelling as set down by the teacher. We decided it might be of assistance to family history seekers if they were aware of spelling variance. The school was on John Snyder land. [See 1873 Greene County Atlas, T10N, R12W, 3 PM.]

The teachers, "in order of appearance" were:

|                                    |                        |             |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| Martha E. Bandy for term beginning | 5 Oct 1879, and ending | 31 Dec 1879 |
| Martha Bandy Ware                  | 1 Jan 1880             | 26 Apr 1880 |
| Ernest William Twitchell           | 4 Oct 1880             | 11 Mar 1881 |
| Emma Brown                         | 21 Mar 1881            | 21 Jul 1881 |
| Zelpha G. O'Donohoe                | 27 Sep 1881            | ?           |
| Angie Robley                       | 2 Oct 1882             | May 1883    |
| Zelpha G. O'Donohoe                | 1 Oct 1883             | Mar 1884    |
| Mary E. Swann                      | 10 Mar 1884            | Apr 1884    |
| A. W. Scott                        | 15 Sep 1884            | ?           |
| Mary E. Swann                      | 16 Mar 1885            | 15 Jun 1885 |
| A. W. Scott                        | 28 Sep 1885            | ?           |
| Zelpha G. O'Donohue                | 5 Apr 1886             | 8 Jun 1886  |

[There seems to be a skip in the records at this point. Evidently this particular book was not used in the interim from September 1886 to end of spring session in 1889.]

|               |             |          |
|---------------|-------------|----------|
| Henry Connole | 16 Sep 1889 | ?        |
| Minnie Booth  | 21 Apr 1890 | May 1890 |

List of pupils attending "Whistle Jacket" school:

|                   |                 |                  |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| ALLEN, Irene      | BUCHANAN, Claud | FLATT, Angie     | HALBERT, Della  |
| BALLARD, Alzora   | " Sarah         | " Damon          | " Florence      |
| " Ella            | " Thos. D.      | " Dan            | " Franklin      |
| BANDY, Anna       | CLOSE, Grace    | " Daniel         | " Julia         |
| " Emma            | Gracie          | : Dennis         | " Lucretia      |
| " James           | " Jessie        | " Earnest        | " Newton        |
| " Robert          | " Marsten       | " Erod           | HANNEN, Edward  |
| " Thomas          | " Mary A.       | " George         | " George        |
| BEEMAN, Florence  | " Mary M.       | : Harriet        | " Lillie        |
| BEMAN, James      | " Thomas        | : Hattie         | " Muzetta       |
| BOWMAN, Robert    | DARR, Charley   | " James          | HARPER, Oscar   |
| BRADFORD, Orville | " Cora          | " John           | HERMAN, Dora    |
| " Rosa            | " Marion        | " Robby          | " Ella          |
| BREEDING, Etna    | " Robert        | " Stella         | " George        |
| " George          | " Roberta       | " Stephen        | " Lillie        |
| " Robert          | DICKMAN, Anna   | GARRISON, Thomas | " Mersa         |
| " William         | EVANS, Cora     | GRAHAM, Harper   | HERMEN, Dora    |
| " Willie          | " Flora         | " Nathaniel      | " Edward        |
| BROWN, Douglas    | FISHBACK, Frank | " Pegram         | " George        |
| " Edd             | FISHER, Dora    | " Saur(?)        | " Lily          |
| " Eddie           | " Gusta         | " Walthan        | : Luella        |
| " Harry           | FLATT, Ada      | " William        | " Musa          |
| " Harvey          | " Adaline       | " Willie         | " Muzetta       |
| " Joseph          | " Angaline      | GUENS, Anna      | HERMENS, Edward |
| " Wadie           |                 | HALBERT, Cora    | " Etta          |



|                     |             |                   |                  |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------------|
| HERMENS, George     | RAPP, Henry | SACKETT, Charley  | SOLERMINK, Ben   |
| " Lilly             | " John      | " Earnest         | " Henry          |
| HOOPER, Joseph      | " Kate      | " Frank           | STONE, Della     |
| HUGGINS, George     | REECE, Ann  | " James           | " Jessie         |
| " Mary              | REID, Agnes | " Jimmy           | SWAN, Clarence   |
| " Stella            | " Alta      | " William         | " Jane           |
| JAKUES, Eva         | " Altie     | SCHRODER, William | " Matilda        |
| " Marden            | " Elnora    | SCOGANS, Frances  | SWIREŞ, Mary     |
| " Olie              | " Harvey    | SCROGGINS, Leeta  | TALLY, Jessie    |
| JONES, Joe          | " Howard    | SHRODER, Lottie   | TAYLOR, Clara    |
| " John              | " Mary A.   | " Thos. T.        | " Elizabeth      |
| " Lizzie            | " Nona      | " William         | TUCKER, Edward   |
| " Walter            | " Nonie     | SIMPSON, Frank    | VINGAUL?, Nellie |
| KING, Joseph        | " Roland    | SNYDER, Albert    | WARFIELD, Levica |
| LOGAN, Francis      | " Rolland   | " Alzora          | " Rachel         |
| " John              | " Richard   | " David           |                  |
| " Thomas            | " Wallace   | " Henry           |                  |
| Logan, Wesley       | ROWI, Harm  | " Mary            |                  |
| " Wishy             | " Lizzie    | " Mollie          |                  |
| LUIE (Tuie), Maggie |             | " Nancy           |                  |
| MALONE, Ella        |             | " Nettie          |                  |
| McGEHEE, Sarah      |             | " William A.      |                  |
| PATERSON, Hezekiah  |             | " Willie          |                  |
| " Hessie            |             |                   |                  |
| " Hezekiah          | * * * *     |                   |                  |
| " Hezzie            |             |                   |                  |
| " Martha            | *           |                   |                  |
| " Mattie            |             |                   |                  |
| " Rachel            | *           |                   |                  |
| " Sallie            |             |                   |                  |
| " Sarah             | *           |                   |                  |
| " Stella            |             |                   |                  |
| POLEMAN, Bennie     | *           |                   |                  |
| POHLMAN, Beny       |             |                   |                  |
| "OLLMAN, Benjamin   | *           |                   |                  |
| " Benny             |             |                   |                  |
| " Elizabeth         | *           |                   |                  |
| POLMAN, Bennie      |             |                   |                  |
| " Harm              | *           |                   |                  |
| POPE, Charley       |             |                   |                  |
| PROFIT, Elmer       | *           |                   |                  |
| RANVE(?), Herman    |             |                   |                  |
| " William           | *           |                   |                  |

*A candle's but a simple thing.  
It starts with just a bit of string,  
Yet dipped and dipped with patient hand,  
It gathers wax upon the strand  
Until, complete and snowy white,  
It gives at last a lovely light.*

*Life seems so like that bit of string.  
Each deed we do a simple thing;  
Yet day by day if on life's strand  
We work with patient heart and hand,  
It gathers joy, makes dark days bright,  
And gives at last a lovely light.*

U. B. Thurston

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This lovely poem about the growth of a candle that "gives at last a lovely light", reminds me that the development of family history comes in the very same way -- bit by bit, as we ferret out the strand's of parental lives gone before, to create a fund of knowledge to enjoy forever, and to pass it on to ours, or others, who may be interested in these particular threads of life winding their eternal ways throughout the humanity of the world. F.H.



Page 1: CASS COUNTY (IL) PROBATE RECORD BOOK A, 1837 - 1848 ABSTRACTS  
 Contributed by Edna Gorsage Renner, 1218 Edwards St., Beardstown ILL  
 for use of the Jacksonville Area Gen. & Hist. Society, Oct. 1976.  
 Edna has also sent us Record Book B abstracts for 1848 - 1849, and  
 Probate Record Book C abstracts for 1849 - 1853. We thought that pub-  
 lishing Book A would be a way of sharing these older records with our  
 members. The names appearing in this work will include that of the  
 deceased for whom the estate is being administered, the administrators,  
 perhaps some bondsmen, guardians and minors, and some surviving heirs.

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- 1 Elisha KARR, est; d 12 July 1837; James KARR, David KARR, Adm & bnd
- 3 Eli COX appt Gdn dau Elizabeth, minor, 9 Sept. 1837. Expense to Ky.
- 5-8 Henry RIMBELL, est; d 20 Sept 1837
- 9 Thomas POGUE, est; d 30 Nov 1837; Harriett POGUE, Benj GATTON, Admr.
- 12 Amelia VOGEL, minor, parents decs. Ottolf Shubang, her bro-in-law apptd  
Gdn. [Ottolf Suppan and John Jeremiah Oltman]
- 13 Acksel YONG, est; d 28 Jan 1838; Stephen LEE, Admr
- 15 Daniel WELLS, Will dtd 23 July 1836, Morgan Co.; d 27 Feb 1838; wf Eliza-  
beth, dau Nancy HI(E)CKMAN, eldest son Jacob, 2nd son Duckett WELLS, 3rd  
son Perry, 4th son Oathe, 2nd dau Julian CORR, 5th son Richard, 7th son  
Hanson, [6th son John?], Presley Wells, Lemuel Wells
- 19 Christian F. RANDAGE (Randig) est; d 22 Feb 1838; Admr Francis Arenz,  
Thomas BEARD; B. W. SCHNEIDER, Bnd
- 21 Thomas REDMON, Will dtd 13 Aug 1836; d 10 Mar 1838; wf Peggy, son John  
B. N. Redmon. Cyrus Matthews, Abner Tinen, Execs
- 33 Catharine IRELAND, est; d \_\_\_\_ 1838; Isaac C. Spencer, Admr; Catharine  
wid of \_\_\_\_ IRELAND, d int \_\_\_\_ 1838
- 36 Elias LACKLAND, est; d 18 Oct 1838; Susannah LACKLAND, Benjamin MEFFORD, Adm.
- 31 Gotleib JOKISCH; 4 July 1838 appt Gdn Johanna Christianna BELGERS
- 35 \_\_\_\_\_ LINDSEY, est; d \_\_\_\_ Sept 1838; Robert LINDSEY, Adm
- 38 Thomas RHEA, Mary, Elizabeth and William RHEA, orphan minor ch under age 14,  
ch of John RHEA, decd
- 39 Edward BOICOU(R)T est; d 28 Jan 1839; Non-cupative Will; wf Elizabeth,  
son John, dau Ann, minor; John, Thomas BOICOUT, Bnd
- 42 Charles W. CLARK, Est; d 14 July 1838(9?); Daniel Schaffer, Adm
- 46 James POUNDS, est; d 10 Jan 1839; Lydia POUNDS, Adm. Lydian gone from  
state by Oct 1839
- 48 Isham HAYS, est; d 15 Feb 1839; Eadon Nance, Adm
- 51 John CUNNINGHAM, est; d 25 Sept 1838; Andrew CUNNINGHAM, Adm
- 53 Benjamin SUTTON, est; d 3 Jan 1839; Elizabeth, Sylvester SUTTON, Admrs.
- 55 Jeramiah PIERCE, est; d 10 Apr 1838(9?); Wm. H. Nelms, Adm
- 56 Daniel BRIGHT, est; d 25 Sept 1838; James BRIGHT, Adm.
- 58 Elisha CARR, est; Mary CARR, wid; 30 March 1839 (see p. 1 above).
- 65 6 May 1839 Daniel PAYTON, est; d 29 June 1833; Mary PAYTON, Adm
- 67 Lydia JUDSON, est; d 15 Oct 1839; Isaac W. Overall, Adm



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- 69 22 June 1839; Henry HULL, Minor over age of 14, Amour ATWATER appt Gdn
- 76 2 Sep 1839 Nicholas KELLY, est; d 25 Aug 1839; Cornelius Vannalstine, Adm
- 77 George F. MILLER, Will dtd 23 Jan 1837; d 25 July 1839; wf Elizabeth, son George Frederick, John, William C., daus Sarah Elizabeth, Lucinda, and Rebecca CONE
- 61 William, Thomas, Mary Ann WRAY: William LYNN, Gdn. minors of John WRAY, decd.; bound to Peter Dick 13 April 1839
- 80 Frances BOHNE, Will dtd 25 Aug 1839; d 25 Aug 1839; debt due 2 eldest ch of her bro Samuel JUDSON; husband Henry H. BOHNE, Exec
- 85 13 Dec 1839 John DAVIS, decd; Jeremiah, Gilliam DAVIS, Thomas D. GUNN, Adm (nothing in file to identify him) p. 399, real estate
- 86 Andrew KNIPPENBERG, Richard F. KNIPPENBERG, Harriett M. KNIPPENBERG, minor heirs of Andrew KNIPPENBERG, decd; Edward Tull, Gdn
- 87 John Adam MASHMEIER, minor; Henry W. HEMINGHOUSE, appt Gdn 10 Aug 1840
- 87 George S. EATON, Mary Ann EATON, William A. EATON, minor heirs George H. Eaton, decd; David Eaton appt Gdn 10 May 1842
- 88 Richard KESTERSON (?); George McCOY, Gdn 25 Aug 1841
- 89 CUNNINGHAM, Archibald, James, Jennet, Margaret, Thomas, minor ch of John CUNNINGHAM. William BLAIR, Gdn appt 19 Oct 1839; John decd
- 91 William LEWIS; minor heir of John H. Lewis; Thomas WILBOURNE appt Gdn 10 Aug 1840
- 93 Stephen DOLSON, minor heir of Moses DOLSON; James DOLSON appt Gdn 8 Mar 1841
- 109 Walter C. GEAR est; d 8 Sept 1839; Charles J. NORBURY, Lemuel PLASTER, bnd; 6 Jan 1840
- 112 John CARPENTER, est; d \_\_\_\_ 1840; Leland CARPENTER appy Adm 6 Apr 1840
- 114 Cyrus ELMORE, Will dts 21 Aug 1839; d \_\_\_\_ 1840; Pr 5 May 1840; wf Elizabeth, Exec. Twp 18-19
- 119 Lucius LYONS, est; d 23 May 1840; Almira LYON, Samuel C. Lyon, Adm Bk C 207
- 122 Aaron MILLER, est; d 7 Sept 1840; Amos MILLER, Adm
- 124 5 Oct 1840 Jonas McDONALD, est; d 27 Oct 1840; Martha McDONALD, Stephen LEE, Admr
- 126 25 Jan 1841, William CRAIG, est; John CRAIG appt Adm 1-25-1841
- 128 10 May 1841, David SPENCE(?) decd; Lemmon PLASTER, Thos PLASTER, Admr
- 130 Henry MORRIS, est; Joshua MORRIS appt Admr 17 May 1841
- 132 5 Apr 1841, Jasper BUCK, est; d 1 Mar 1841; Charlton BUCK, Adm; Thomas BUCK, Bnd
- 134 11 June 1841 Amos HAGER, Will dtd 28 May 1841; d 28 May 1841; wf Judith, Exec; late Marian Louisa RICHARDSON, late Mariah Louise BROWN, decd., Eliza Ann TURNER 1/4 acre for burying ground. Feb 1844 - Judith HAGER now Judith WARD (Bk C 204), Ann, Amos, Shadrack RICHARDSON)



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- 136 Benjamin CAUBY, est; d 2 June 1841; Rosannah Cauby, Adm. Eliza A., James M., Elizabeth A., Alfred B., minor heirs; Daniel CAUBY appt Gdn 1 July 1850
- 138 Robert BUCKLEY est; d 21 Jul 1841; John L. Buckley, Adm, Mark BUCKLEY, Bnd 26 July 1841
- 140 12 Oct 1841 Henry W. LIBBIN, est; d 18 July 1841; George MAY, Adm
- 149 20 Nov 1841 Christian SCHENK, Will dtd 11 Feb 1841; d 16 Nov 1841; wf Mary
- 145 Apr 1842 Joseph McDONALD, est; d 5 Jan 1842; Thomas PLASTER, jr., Adm
- 146 Edward TULL, Will dtd 5 Jul 1842; d 13 July 1842, Beardstown. Land in Clark Co., Mo to John TULL and Susannah TULL; wf Mary Ann. Land in Adams Co., IL rights in Ferry at Beardstown. son David, wf, & Virginia A. TURPIN, Execs
- 150 John TAYLOR, Will dtd 15 Apr 1839; pr Sep 1842; wf; son Henry, Robert, dau Matilda SAMUELS, Rebecca MORGAN, Nancy McCAULEY
- 153 Robert ROBERTSON, Mary Ann ROBERTSON, minor heirs Amos ROBERTSON, late of Morgan Co., decd. George W BEGGS, Adm
- 155 17 Oct 1842 Eliza Ruth PAYNE, age 14; Sarah Frances, Mary Hellen PAYNE, minor heirs Thomas PAYNE, decd, Co. of Morgan. Thomas GATTON, Gdn
- 157 19 Jan 1843 Robert LEEPER, est; d 15 Nov 1843; William D. LEEPER, Adm
- 159 23 Jan 1843 Marian CUNNINGHAM, age 4 yrs, minor heir John C CUNNINGHAM; Edward DIREEN, Gdn 1-23-1843
- 161 10 Apr 1843 Charles D. MARCY, Henry A., Mary E., Benjamin W., Lemuel H. MARCY, minor heirs Dwight S. MARCH. Dwight S. MARCY, Gdn
- 163 17 Apr 1843 Benjamin SMITH, est; d 1 Sept 1843; George HACKETT, Adm
- 165 8 May 1843 Mary LEEPER, age 16; Elizabeth LEEPER, age 19, minor heirs of Robert LEEPER. Wm. D. LEEPER, Gdn; Robert LEEPER, minor heir of Robert LEEPER, Sr. (Bk C)
- 167 8 July 1843 Samuel HUNT, est; d 6 June 1843; Reuben HAGER, Adm
- 169 28 Aug 1843 Elizabeth KERSHAW, est; d 27 July 1843; Thomas PLASTER, Adm
- 171 27 Aug 1843 Isham REAVIS, Will dtd 10 June 1841; Mahala REAVIS, wf, Exec
- 171 27 Sep 1843 Philip SCHAFFER, Will dtd 24 Aug 1843; wf Hity, Henry SCHAFFER, Margaret SCHAFFER
- 179 16 Oct 1843 Casile PITTMAN, Howard Ross PITTMAN, Santa Fe PITTMAN; Rice H. SWIFT, Gdn
- 179 Price W. MYER, est; d 30 Sept 1843; Abraham MILLER, Adm
- 182 Ebenezer KELSEY, est; d 11-16 Sept 1843; Lawrence CLARK, Adm
- 184 8 Jan 1844 Ephraim REW, est; d 23 May 1842; Horatio G. REW, Adm
- 190 22 Feb 1844 James SIMS, Will dtd 29 Mar 1843, Pr 2-22-1844; wf Susan, son Blackman, 7 daus
- 194 27 May 1844 William BUTLER, est; d 26 Mar 1844; No kinsmen in this state
- 196 June 1844 Benjamin RUPERT, est; d Nov 1844; Charles H. OLIVER, Adm
- 200 20 Aug 1844 Abraham S. MILLER, est; d 16 Aug 1844; Rosina A. MILLER, wf
- 203 14 Oct 1844 Henry HAFKLUFT, est; Sophia, wid; Adm bnd 10-14-1844
- 205 28 Oct 1844 Temperance BAKER, est; Wm B. GAINES, Adm; Alolphus BAKER, bnd
- 209 Milton JONES, Will dtd 27 Aug 1841; Pr 2 Dec 1844; Runnels JONES (p. 225)



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- 213 Dec 9, 1844 George WHITE, est; d 6 Nov 1844; Stephen BUCK, Adm
- 214 Marlin TREDWAY, est; d 20 Feb 1845;
- 217 28 Jan 1845 John Adolphus BAKER, est; Joseph BAKER, Adm
- 219 10 Feb 1845 Mitchel RIGGINS, Est; Almira RIGGINS, wid., Adm
- 222 John E. RICKARD, est; d Feb 1845; Amos BONNEY, Adm
- 225 Milton JONES, Will dtd 27 Aug 1841; wf Susannah, dau Columbia JONES, son  
Runnels. Franklin Jones
- 227 Peter BUXTON, est; d Feb 1845; Levi Ream, Adm
- 230 25 Mar 1845 Marcus TROWBRIDGE, est; d 20 Feb 1845
- 232 29 Mar 1845 William MYERS, Will dtd 11 Mar 1845; wf Martha, dau Susannah  
MILHO, Delila DAVIS, Polly LUCAS, Barbara ADKINS, Hannah ADCOCK, Matilda  
MYERS; sons Sidney, David, Asa
- 242 15 May 1845 Henry MORRIS, est; d 1841; Joshua MORRIS, Adm; Elizabeth HOL-  
LINGSWORTH, m Isaac HOLLINGSWORTH; Margaret BISHOP m Harmon BISHOP;  
William MORRIS; John MORRIS; Jane DAVIS m John DAVIS
- 243 John CHESSOR, est; d 3 June 1845
- 246 11 June 1845 John B. WITTY, est; d 2 June 1845; Nlo LUCAS, Adm
- 248 24 June 1845 John L. COMSTOCK, est; d 18 June 1845; Dan L. CLARK, Adm
- 253 GDNS
- 254 14 Aug 1845 Louis PIEPER, est; d July 1845; Henry GOEDEKING, Adm
- 257 23 Aug 1845 Samuel R. PRATT, est; d Aug 1845; no widow; Oremel PRATT, Adm
- 261 23 Sept 1845 William BASSETT, est; d Aug 1845; Thomas Eyre, Adm
- 263 23 Sept 1845 George SCHWARZHAUPT, Will dtd 9 Sep 1845; Pr 24 Sept 1845;  
Katharine (or Catherine Taeger of Town of Beardstown) Exec
- 268 16 Oct 1845 Abednego SAMUELS, est; d 2 Sept 1845; Joseph PENCE, Adm
- 270 16 Oct 1845 John EARVIN, est; d Sep-Oct 1845; Mary Earvin, widow, Adm
- 275 10 Nov 1845 Rebecca MILLER, est; d Oct 1845; Silar MILLER, Amos MILLER, Adm
- 279 15 Dec 1845 William CARTER, est; d 11 Dec 1845; John T CARTER, Adm (BkC-43)
- 281 25 Dec 1845 David SHARP, est; d 21 Dec 1845; William M. HOUSTON, Adm
- 286 9 Jan 1846 George Christian DIEHM; d Dec 1845; Will dtd 7 Feb 1845, Morgan  
Co. George & Charles, sons of Herman & Catherine LIPPERTT of Morgan Co;  
Olbertine, dau; John CIRE, Joseph REICHEN (?) Exec
- 291 18 Jan 1846 John OETT, est; d Dec or Jan; Philip JACK, Adm
- 298 18 Feb 1846 Elizabeth HANCOCK, est; d 28 April 1845; William TAYLOR, Adm
- 308 13 Apr 1846 William SEWALL, est; d 7 Apr 1846; Elizabeth W. SEWALL, widow,  
Adm. Ann E. SEWALL, Catharine T.H. COLE, Robert COLE, Susan SEWALL, Wm.  
M. SEWALL, Mary Ann SEWALL, Harriett SEWALL Bk C p. 74
- 311 15 Apr 1846 Thomas WILBOURN, est; d 3 Apr 1846; Isaac DOUVALL, Adm
- 315 25 May 1846 George W. ROBERTS, est; d 25 Apr 1846; Joseph PENCE, Adm
- 320 15 June 1846 William MARSHALL, est; d Apr 1846; David HENDERSON, Adm



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- 325 28 Sep 1846 George G. SIMMONDS, est; d 6 Aug 1846; James LEONARD, Adm
- 331 7 Oct 1846 Thomas STOCK, est; d 5/15 Mar 1846; John A. ARENZ, Adm
- 337 3 Oct 1846 Robert LINDSEY, est; d 6 Aug 1846; Reuben HAGER, Adm
- 339 9 Nov 1846 James LOGAN, est; d 5 Nov 1846; Carleton LOGAN, Adm
- 341 12 Nov 1846 Lorenz LOTZ, est; d 1846; Charles Jokisch, Adm
- 343 19 Nov 1846 Henry L. NOLTE, est; d 24 Oct 1846; Halitt CLARK, Adm
- 346 H. A. HA(E)RMEYER, est; d 6 Feb 1847(?); Henry FOSTER, Adm (p 366)
- 347 David CLARK, est; d Nov 1846; Ann Elizabeth CLARK, widow, Adm
- 351 23 Dec 1846 William H. SMITH, est; d Dec 1846; David L. CROSS, Adm
- 354 \_\_\_ Dec 1846 William WADDLE, est; d Dec 1846; George H. NOLTE, Adm [Adm]
- 356 28 Dec 1846 John W. LIPPENCOTT, est; d 24 Dec 1846; Philadelphia LIPPENCOTT
- 361 9 Feb 1847 George W BIGGS, est; 2 Feb 1847; Keeling BERRY, Adm
- 363 18 Feb 1847 Nimrod DRISKILL, est; 11 Feb 1847; John J. DRISKILL, Adm
- 374 5 Mar 1847 Oliver JEWETT, est; Benjamin FLETCHER, Cordelia JEWETT, Adm
- 385 15 Mar 1847 Henry B. MILLER, Will dtd 1 Oct 1846 d 1847; wf Margaret; Rachel, Phebe, Caroline, son Lewis
- 388 22 Mar 1847 Joseph RHINEBERGER, Will dtd 28 Feb 1847; d Mar 1847; wf (not names), ch Louisa Ewing, Susan S. MANLY, Sophia FORGUER, William, John, Marcus RHINEBERGER
- 396 26 May 1847 Henry H. BOEHNE, Will dtd 2 Apr 1847; Selina BOEHNE, wf, Adm
- 399 2 June 1847 Est John DAVIS; real estate (p. 85)
- 403 31 May 1847 Herman LIPPERTT, Will; Written in German
- 407 22 July 1847 Henry H. HALL, Will dtd 13 June 1847; d 13 July 1847; wf Ann, dau Ann BASSETT wid of Wm. BASSETT; Henry H. HALL, jr. Eliza HALL, John P. Hall, Robert HALL
- 414 17 Aug 1847 Simeon F. PEARCE, est; d Aug 1847; Thomas POTHICARY, Adm
- 415 28 Aug 1847 Joseph HOUSTON, est; d Aug 1847; Nicholas Houston, Adm
- 416 1 Sep 1847 Thomas S. BERRY, est; d 1847; James BERRY, Adm
- 422 9 Sep 1847 James CARVER, est settlement, claims pd
- 425 10 June 1847 Henry EBAUGH, est; d 1847; Richard McDONALD, Adm
- 432 7 Oct 1847 Isaac S. MOORE, est; d 24 Sept 1847; John SAVAGE, Adm
- 437 9 Nov 1847 C. C. EMERICK, est; d 1 Nov 1847; Henry BOEMLER, Adm
- 439 9 Nov 1847 Michael KELLY, est; d 29 Oct 1847; J. D. DOWLER, Adm
- 442 1 Dec 1847 John McKOWN, est; d 27 Nov 1847; George B. THOMPSON, Adm Bk C p52
- 445 21 Dec 1847 G. C. FRAUMAN, est; d 18 Dec 1847; George F. FRAUMAN, Adm
- 447 21 Dec 1847 Caleb LEE, est; d 16 Dec 1847; David L. CROSS, Adm
- 459 2 Mar 1848 Thomas I. COLLINS, est; d 8 Feb 1848; William H. COLLINS, Adm



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462 27 Mar 1848 Lucy WILSON, est; d 19 May 1847; Jos. McLANE, Adm  
472 1 May 1848 William HASKINS, est; d 28 Mar 1848; Henry FOSTER, Adm  
475 10 May 1848 H. W. HEMMINGHOUSE, est; d 24 Jan 1848; George KUEL, Adm

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CASS COUNTY (IL) PROBATE RECORD BOOK B 1848-1849 Abstracts

Page # Edna Renner said in a note "Before I leave on another trip I'll send these to you as I promised. Will have more when the index is completed. As noted, I did not copy everything in the probate record books -- only names recorded in Wills and Estates, as others were just the related entries."

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1 17 Dec 1849 Thomas FINN, est; d 1849; Henry DUMMER, Adm  
3 17 Dec 1849 Jacob M. PETEFISH, Will dtd 3 Nov 1849; d 21 Nov 1849; wf Elizabeth, Thomas B., Andrew J., William, Jacob. William, Jacob, Execs.  
Land T17N R10W sec 33, other. Age 67, b Va  
8 17 Dec 1849 Laurence CLARK, est; d 23 Nov 1849; John CLARK, Adm Wm CLARK bnd  
10 18 Dec 1849 Thomas F. PAYNE, est; d 4 \_\_\_\_ 1849; P. S. PHILIPS, Adm (Pouminius)  
13 18 Dec 1849 John M. McALLESTER, est; d 1849; John DUTCH, Adm bnd 12-18-49  
16 7 Jan 1850 James BERRY, est; d 21 Dec 1849; Benjamin C. BERRY, Adm;  
Age 40, b Ky  
20 8 Jan 1850 Thomas RHEA, Mary RHEA; Report of Gdn William LYNN; Mary RHEA  
now m to Ezekiel FRIEND  
21 4 Feb 1850 Margaret REAM, est; d 1850; James CRUM, Adm.; next of kin  
25 5 Feb 1850 James LAURENCE, Will dtd 6 Sept 1845; Pr 5 Feb 1850; wf Sarah,  
ch Mary Jane, Jacob, Martha, Harriett Ann, and ch of former marriages --  
Alford, Sally, William, Delila, Lydia, Jason, Johnnithan, Catherine,  
wf Sarah, son Johnnithan, Exec; d 1849  
30 7 Feb 1850 Joseph M. WEBSTER, est; d 1 Feb 1850; John Y. CARTER, Adm;  
Age 40, b N.Y. (Bk C 277 Daniel, Mary, Joseph, Lauvena, Sarah)  
32 8 Feb 1850 Samuel MASTERSON, est; d 8 Jan 1850; John James, Adm, next of  
kin; b. Ky  
36 5 Feb 1850 Rachael M. BERRY, Absalom BERRY, Thomas S. BERRY, Eliza F. BERRY,  
Nathaniel BERRY, minors under age of 14, heirs of Thomas BERRY; Benjamin  
C. BERRY, bnd; William Stevenson, Gdn; Estate of Thomas S. BERRY; William  
BERRY, one of legatees has departed this life and a sum be divided among  
surviving heirs of Thos. Berry to wit: America BERRY, widow, and 5 ch  
38 5 Feb 1850 Isaac F. MOSELEY, Robert J. MOSELEY, Franklin A. MOSELEY, minor  
heirs of John J. MOSELEY. John J. MOSELEY, Gdn  
43 18 Mar 1850 Elizabeth CARTER, Nancy CARTER, minors; William Taylor, Gdn Re-  
port Bk A p 279) under age 14, heirs of Wm. CARTER (Lindsay LAKE, gdn)

These abstracts will be continued in our next Journal March 1977 - the Lord willing. Hope these heretofore unpublished records assist "somebody out there". Thank you, Edna.



The tombstone readings for the Bennington, Vermont cemetery were published in "Early Settlers of New York State" by Janet Wethy FOLEY, in Volumes IV, V, & VI, July 1937 to June 1940, by segments. A copy of her three volumes is in the Illinois State Historical Library. [Indexed under FOLEY.]

There are many valuable marriage, death, church records and Bible readings in these little quarterlies bound with 3 volumes together. The records of the old "First Congregational Church", at Bennington, beginning in 1762, were published in "Early Settlers" from April 1936, to, and including November 1936, as well as several other churches.

Because there were so many descendants of people in Bennington who came to West Central Illinois, particularly Greene and Morgan, I am publishing only the names found in the readings. If any of our members need further information they can either write to us, or try to find a set of these books in their nearby library. I found my first copy of this valuable book in the new Selby Library in Sarasota, Florida; otherwise I would not have known this book existed. They had only 1 volume, whereas our library in Springfield is lucky to have 3 volumes.

Janet Foley states in the beginning paragraph "For a long time no one knew where Vermont ended and New York began, therefore records of pioneers on the border are of interest in New York State." Likewise, because their descendants came to Illinois, these records, in my opinion, are of interest here. There are 75 Revolutionary War soldiers in this one cemetery, although all were not so identified. We will mark those with an asterisk (\*). It is too time-consuming to alphabetize these names, so you will have to scan the entire list. Rather than repeat the surnames, we will list the man "& wi" (wife).

|                             |                             |                        |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| SCOTT, Phineas &wi Thankful | WEBB, Benjamin              | ROBINSON, William      |
| *HOUSE, Joseph &wi Lydia    | ROBINSON, Hon. Jonathan     | " Catharine            |
| PARSON, Thomas C.           | " Alice (wife)              | " Reuben               |
| BOARDMAN, Mrs. Esther       | " Mary "                    | *SAFFORD, Samuel &wi   |
| BRUSH, Epenetus             | MERRILL, Mary R. (Robinson) | " Mary                 |
| GRISWOLD, Wm. &wi Alice     | MANNING, Julia (Robinson)   | " Deacon Joseph        |
| FAIRCHILD, Amos             | ROBINSON, Harriet           | " Ann (wife)           |
| DEMING, Harriot             | " Capt. Samuel              | *" Samuel &wives       |
| " Honor                     | " Samantha (wife)           | " Aurelia              |
| *SMITH, Ephraim, Esq.       | *HAWKS, Maj. Eleazer &wives | " Phebe                |
| FIELD, Jesse &wi Anna       | " Rhoda                     | " Fanny (dau)          |
| *ARMSTRONG, Mr. Hopestill   | " Anna                      | HOPKINS, Jemima        |
| LAKE, Lydia widow "         | WALBRIDGE, Henry & wi       | "consort of Stephen of |
| GERRY, Ominda (Armstrong)   | " Anna (Safford)            | the Ninepartners"      |
| DICKINSON, Ruth E.          | " Isabella                  | DEWEY, Jeviah          |
| LAWRENCE, Capt. Nathaniel   | FASSETT, Rhoda Walbridge    | " Parthenia            |
| " Deacon Samuel             | WALBRIDGE, Silas &wi        | " Eldad                |
| " Ruby Thayer               | " Rhoda                     | " Julia                |
| THAYER, Samuel &wi Rachel   | FASSETT, Col. Benjamin &wi  | WATERS, Mary           |
| BROWN, Samuel &wi           | " Betty                     | DEWEY, Rev. Jedadiah   |
| " Betsey (Hinman)           | " Hetty                     | " Betsy Buck (wife)    |
| HINMAN, Capt. Daniel &wi    | " John &wi Mary             | " Eldad                |
| " Annis                     | BRUSH, Samanthe             | " Mary                 |
| CUSHMAN, Mr. Charles        | " Samuel                    | " Capt. Elijah &wives  |
| ANDREWS, James              | ROBINSON, Sally             | " Eunice               |
| HAWKS, Wemmy                | " Aaron                     | " Mary                 |



|                             |                               |                                    |
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| HOPKINS, Mindwell           | "Persis, consort of Jacob     | FRINK, Miriam                      |
| "relict of Major Wait       | in feeding the hungry,        | WEEKS, Nathan                      |
| Hopkins"                    | clothing the naked, visit-    | BASSET, Harriet                    |
| ROBINSON, Hon. Moses        | ing the sick, and in all      | *EDGERTON, Eleazer                 |
| " Ruth, wife                | cases administering relief    | DEXTER, Nathaniel                  |
| FAY, Capt. Stephen          | to the poor and needy, she    | " Elizabeth D.                     |
| ROBINSON, Capt. Samuel      | had few equals."              | CARTER, Marshall                   |
| "founder of Bennington      | ARMSTRONG, Nolly (Robinson)   | WRIGHT, Charles                    |
| in 1761"                    | FOLLETT, Charles              | " Thomas J.                        |
| ROBINSON, Mary, his wi      | " Hannah, wi                  | " Catharine Jennette               |
| " Moses                     | SEARS, Jared                  | SHELDON, Mary                      |
| " Mary, his wi              | " Betsey, wi                  | HYDE, Phebe, dau                   |
| " Susanna                   | ROBINSON, Safford             | " Hannah, mother                   |
| BREAKENRIDGE, Lieut Jas.    | PRATT, John                   | SHERWOOD, Samuel                   |
| " Mary, wi                  | FRELIGH, Harriet              | " Ruth, wi                         |
| *HENDERSON, Thomas          | SQUIER, Truman &wi            | *BLAIR, Lieut. Robert              |
| " Jennet, wi                | " Abigail Marvin              | " Mary, wi                         |
| " Lucy, "                   | " Mary, dau                   | " Diadema, dau                     |
| BREAKENRIDGE, Daniel        | STRONG, Elisha                | *ROBINSON, David &wives            |
| " Azubah Haynes-            | HENRY, William                | " Sarah (Fay)                      |
| Payne (Younglove),          | " Anne, wi                    | " Eunice (Dickinson)               |
| wi of Daniel                | RAYMOND, Samuel C.            | " Nancy (Caldwell)                 |
| *FAYE, Benjamin             | " Fanny, wi                   | " Sarah, dau                       |
| *RUDD, Joseph &wi           | HATHEWAY, Laura               | FILLMORE, Hepzibah                 |
| " Sarah (Story)             | SMITH, Chas. Burrall          | "wife of Lieut. Nathaniel"         |
| FAYE, Dr. Jonas             | HATHEWAY, Simeon              | & maker of the famous              |
| FAY, Margaret (Dewey)       | " Deborah, wi                 | Bennington 13-star flag,           |
| HARMON, Dea. Nathaniel      | HENRY, Susan Warner           | with its "76" centered in          |
| " Elizabeth, wi             | BREAKENRIDGE, Mary W. (Henry) | the corona. [This his-             |
| PEARLE, Electa (Woodbridge) | HENRY, William                | torical note added by              |
| FOLLET, Timothy             | " Isabel, wi                  | Editor.]                           |
| *FAY, John &wi              | " James &wi                   | BINGHAM, Deacon Calvin             |
| " Mary                      | " Celinda (Austin)            | " Lydia, wi                        |
| " Joseph, son               | CHAPIN, Rev. H. B. &wi        | " Deacon Joseph                    |
| " Hiram, "                  | " Mary W. G.                  | " Ruth, wi                         |
| PARSONS, Sibbel             | BLISS, Lovicy                 | WATSON, Betsey B. Bingham          |
| FAY, Ruth (Fassett)         | *HASWELL, Anthony             | "relic of W. J."                   |
| *BILLING, Major Samuel      | " Lydia, wi                   | BINGHAM, Fanny                     |
| " Bulah, wi                 | " Betsey, wi                  | PICKETT, Saxton                    |
| WEBSTER, Jane               | " Eliza, dau &                | WALBRIDGE, Anna                    |
| ROBINSON, Nathan            | "adopted dau of Mrs.          | ROBINSON, Heman                    |
| *" Col. Samuel              | Fanny Nairn"                  | " Betsy, wi                        |
| " Hannah, wi                | " William &wives              | *FASSETT, Anne Maria               |
| " Esther, "                 | " Lydia B. Stacy              | ROBINSON, Hon. Stephen             |
| SAFFORD, Mercy              | " Sarah                       | " Sarah (Hubbell) wi               |
| FAY, Hon. David             | *BURT, Capt. William          | " David & wives                    |
| " Mary, wi                  | " Ruth, wi                    | " Betsey Baker <sup>1</sup>        |
| ROBINSON, Jerusha           | CAMP, Stephen                 | " Sally Shewell Baker <sup>2</sup> |
| *SAFFORD, Solomon           | *TICHENOR, Hon. Isaac, L.L.D. | *ARMSTRONG, Hezekiah               |
| " Submit, wi                | " Elizabeth, wi               | " Miriam, wi                       |
| " Jonas, son                | BUCKMINSTER, Joseph, D.D.     | " Zephaniah                        |
| *" Capt. Jacob              | CLARK, James                  | " Catharine                        |
| " Persis, wi                | *" Nathan                     | " Lyman                            |
|                             |                               | " Sally M.                         |



|                             |                        |                             |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| *HUBBELL, Deacon Aaron      | ROBINSON, Fay &wi      | CHANDLER, Lewis             |
| " Lucinda, wi               | " Seraph (Howe)        | " Sarah                     |
| " Sarah                     | " Elijah               | EDDEY, Angeline             |
| " Mehetabel                 | HAWES, Sophia          | NORTON, Col. Martin         |
| HOLMES, Nathaniel           | *SCOTT, Col. Jonathan  | " Betsey, wi                |
| *HUBBELL, Elnathan          | CADY, Cornelius        | " Joseph                    |
| " Isabella, wi              | CARSON, Alexander      | " Mary, wi                  |
| " James                     | *" Thomas              | " Samuel                    |
| KELLOGG, Margaret (Hubbell) | " Elixabeth, wi        | " Aaron                     |
| *ROBINSON, Joseph           | CUMMING, Robert        | " Sarah, wi                 |
| " Mary, wi                  | WHITE, Mrs. Elizabeth  | " Luman                     |
| " Dr. Ebenezer              | BEMAN, Sarah           | " Sabrina                   |
| " Amanda, wi                | " Joseph               | ROBINSON, Peter             |
| STEARNS, Rufus              | READ, Joshua           | FAY, Elijah                 |
| " Anna, wi                  | GRISWOLD, Ebenezer     | " Lydia, wi                 |
| *WEBSTER, Isaac             | NICHOLS, Rachel        | " Ruth Godfrey              |
| " Anna, wi                  | "Stop travelers as you | " Charles A.                |
| ROBINSON, Rebecca           | pass by, Come view the | HICKS, Maria Henry          |
| HINS DILL, Milton Hyde      | ground where you must  | RICE, Alvah                 |
| *SQUIRE, Capt. Saxton       | shortly lie."          | " Temmy, wi                 |
| " Sylvia, wi                | BURT, Miss Sybil       | ROBINSON, Samuel            |
| " Dorcas                    | HATHAWAY, Sophia       | " Sarah (Harwood), wi       |
| " Cylinda                   | ROGERS, John           | " Polly, dau                |
| HAYNES, David               | " Naomi Plink          | " Nathan L.                 |
| STORY, Deacon Stephen       | BARROUS, Mary          | " Minerva, wi               |
| *WALBRIDGE, Gen. Ebenezer   | ABEL, Eunice           | " Elizabeth Harwood, wi     |
| " Sarah, dau                | WOOD, Ephraim          | SCOTT, Col. Martin          |
| FRENCH, Deacon Jotham       | " Ruth, wi             | "killed in Mexican War"     |
| " Mrs. Betsey               | WHITCOMB, Samuel       | " Samuel                    |
| " Mary L.                   | " Rebekah, wi          | " Lucretia, wi              |
| HICKS, James                | DAY, Emeline           | CANFIELD, Rhoda Ann (Scott) |
| " Thedee, wi                | TRUMAN, Elizabeth      | SCOTT, Lucretia H.          |
| ROGERS, Dr. Stephen         | RICHMOND, Ezra T.      | " Henry                     |
| " Mary Cochran, wi          | VANDERPOOL, Phianna    | " Marianna, wi              |
| POOLE, Jacob                | LOOMIS, Betsey         | " John Kinsley              |
| " Zeruah, wi                | HILLS, Lydia           | " Rhoda                     |
| " Mary Printer              | *NORTON, Capt. John    | MARTIN, James               |
| PRINTICE, Althea            | " Lucretia, wi         | " Eunice B., wi             |
| " George                    | LOOMIS, Samuel         | ALBRO, Thomas J.            |
| WEEKS, Willard &wives       | " Charlotte, wi        | " Lucy A. Mitchell, wi      |
| " Betsey Clark French       | *" Jesse               | " Rachel, wi                |
| " Mary L.                   | " Lydia, wi            | HILLS, Elliott C.           |
| " Thomas                    | HYDE, Asa              | " Nabby, wi                 |
| " Catharine, wi             | BLACKMER, Franklin     | " Mary A., wi               |
| " David                     | " Eliza Norton, wi     | RICE, Jane (Hills)          |
| " Elizabeth, wi             | GAY, George            | ALBRO, Lucy M.              |
| " Betsey                    | CARPENTER, Richard     | CRAWFORD, Theresa Albro     |
| " Susan                     | " Betsey Austin, wi    | BURGESS, Archibald          |
| ROBINSON, Widow Abigail     | CHANDLER, Edwin S.     | " Mary, wi                  |
| CHURCH, Mr. W. —            | " Mary A.              | COLE, Isaac                 |
| NAIRNE, Charles             | " Deacon Samuel        | " Lucinda, dau              |
| HARWOOD, Hiram &wives       | " Lovina, wi           | SCOTT, Martin K.            |
| " Sally Stone, wi           | " Matilda Phelps, wi   | " Elizabeth D. Ratoon, wi   |
| " Mary B. Hicock, wi        |                        |                             |



VANDERSPIEGEL, John  
 " Laura Hubbell, wi  
 HASWELL, Zimri  
 " Delia M. wi  
 " Anthony J.  
 " Anna, wi  
 " Sibyl P. Hicks, wi  
 " Catharine E. Fassett  
 GRISWOLD, Rebecca  
 ROBINSON, Gen. Henry  
 " Martha P. H., wi  
 " Jane Eliza, dau and  
 "wi Jas. E. Manning &  
 wi Dr. A. Lottin"  
 ROBINSON, Rev. Joseph  
 FORD, Luther  
 " Betsey, wi  
 BERT, Daniel R.  
 " Elizabeth Ford, wi  
 " Luther R.  
 " Lucina Harrington  
 ALLEN, Louisa A.  
 CONSTABLE, Hattie, wi of  
 "George C. McEowen"  
 McEOWEN, J. V.  
 " Jennett, wi  
 HICKS, Fanny  
 MONTAGUE, Smith  
 " Julia, wi  
 GARDNER, Abraham B. &wi  
 " Sementa M. Willmarth  
 FASSETT, Henry H.  
 " Clarissa, wi  
 " Mary Fay Robinson, wi  
 STREET, Lucina  
 " Betsey  
 " Lucy  
 ROSE, Polly  
 ALLEN, Louisa A.  
 DOWNS, Elijah  
 " Matilda Lillie, wi  
 CONKLING, Daniel  
 " Harriet Hubbel, wi  
 " Daniel Hubbel  
 " Mary A. Wight  
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 Tibbits, wi Daniel H."  
 ROBINSON, Isaac T.  
 " Maria H. wi  
 " Daniel  
 " Lucinda M. Conkling  
 BRECKENRIDGE, Stephen P.  
 " Maria Norton, wi

SWIFT, Dr. Heman  
 " Ruth, wi  
 " Dr. Noadiah  
 " Jennet Henderson  
 WILCOX, T.  
 " Gratia, wi  
 " Mary, wi  
 SQUIRE, Newell  
 " Ruth Blackmer, wi  
 HARWOOD, Perez  
 " Philura Purmort, wi  
 POTTER, William  
 " Cynthia, mother  
 ELLINWOOD, Calvin  
 " Sarah Jacobs, wi  
 HAYNES, Nancy  
 BOARDMAN, James D.  
 " Roanna, wi  
 " Alfred  
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 " Hannah W. wi  
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 " Lucretia S.  
 DAVIS, J. Edward  
 " Julia (Bryant) wi  
 " Fordyce B.  
 " Edward B.  
 HARMON, Austin  
 " Elizabeth, wi  
 " Austin  
 RATTOON, Olive Brown(Harmon)  
 HARMON, Betsey (Hubbell)  
 " A. (Robinson)  
 " Brounson  
 FISK, Semantha (Harmon)  
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 " Mary Elizabeth Lyman  
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 " Charles Tichenor  
 " Mary Lucina  
 " Frank White  
 " Althine

WICKWIRE, Mary  
 LAWRENCE, Josiah  
 " John  
 " Mary, wi  
 " Solomon  
 " Mary, wi  
 JUDD, Isaac  
 " Ruth, wi  
 RANDALL, Harriot  
 ELWELL, Amasa  
 BALLARD, James M.  
 : Esther Vail  
 BROOKS, Jacob  
 " Lydia  
 SMITH, Leurendus  
 "only son of Dr. Gaius"  
 HATHAWAY, Rebecca  
 " Sarah  
 " Benjamin  
 WOOD, Hannah  
 " Anna  
 " Reuben  
 " Mary  
 " Lovicy  
 \*WALBRIDGE, Henry  
 LYMAN, Phineas  
 FAY, Elijah  
 " Deborah, wi  
 NICHOLS, Elisha  
 " Lucy, wi  
 "the Nichols monument  
 erected by Eunise  
 Wadsworth, daughter"  
 DEWEY, Loan  
 " Suky, dau  
 PALMER, Dellon  
 HARVEY, Simeon  
 " Hiram  
 SMITH, Lucia  
 HARWOOD, Benjamin  
 "first-born in Bennington"  
 HARWOOD, Diadama, wi

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 ings, plus the church  
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Following is a letter from our avid genealogist in Chicago, June Barekman, which may produce some interesting results for her, and benefit the development of our Morgan County family history. June is always a bright spot around the State Board meetings which we both have the honor and privilege to attend quarterly.

Dear Florence:

Can you please use this in the very excellent Jacksonville Area ... Quarterly? I certainly will appreciate it. Maybe I will reach many living kin this way.

"Finishing booklets on early families in Morgan County, Illinois. Desperately need help in bringing lines up to date.

COKER -- Claburne and Dennis settled by 1824, Thomas by 1840. Diamond Grove Precinct.

CHRISMAN -- George, John, Peter, settled by 1840; born in Christian or Fleming County, Kentucky.

Have large COKER and CHRISMAN files. These are my surnames. Will exchange. Use SASE, please."

Cordially,

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I am sorry not to include a query section in our Quarterly, but they take so much time to prepare, I'd rather leave it out than disappoint people who write expecting me to include them. Also, I have to carefully count pages and paper weight in order to keep postage costs down, since we have to mail them third class. Our postmaster will not accept Quarterlies at book or library rate any more. There are so many records to publish - cemeteries - courts - churches, etc. These should have priority. Family searches are temporary in nature, public records are long-term information that needs to be preserved for future ages. Tombstones are constantly deteriorating - courthouse records increasingly hard to get, and could, overnight, be lost forever. We had best capture them whilst we may.

For example, Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds of Bloomington, who by the way are helping us with Greene County cemetery indexing, decided to go to a certain County in Kentucky to search family records - Russel, I believe. The Courthouse had been destroyed by fire two days before! What a great disappointment!

My friends, I urge you to copy your family records and get them in readable shape as soon as possible! As with the disappearance of a courthouse overnight, with its tremendous collections of past history, you too, might suddenly be thrust on the other side of Life. What would you leave behind, for all of your efforts? A lot of unintelligible scribbling? or an orderly family history booklet that others could pick up, add to, and work on with pleasure?

As my poem went in the last Quarterly - "if you can't be a tree on the TOP of the hill, be a bush on the SIDE of the hill". If you can't afford to publish a big book, take a hint from June and make some smaller "family booklets". Divide your maternal and paternal lineages so as to avoid confusion of names, and putting families together who are not related, except for the #1 person (usually yourself), [unless you have some first-cousin-marriages among your grandparents!].

If you are waiting for people to answer your pleas for information, and they haven't answered - publish without them, for the first time, and promise to make a supplement later. Family history is too controversial in private and public records to reach perfection, normally. If you wait to "sift out all the facts", there won't be any facts down on paper for others to sift. 'Nuff said sifters?



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