

<b>ALDRICH, JOSEPH COL.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 25, 1890 This community was shocked to learn by telegram to Dr. H. T. Wells that Col. Joseph Aldrich, banker at Golden City died on Wednesday morning of cerebro spinal meningitis. His body was shipped to Quincy, Illinois on Monday.
<b>ANDRESS, MAUD</b>	Lamar Democrat, May 29, 1890 Died at her home near Lamar on the 26 <sup>th</sup> of May, Maud Andress, aged 19 years. (Later an inquest revealed heart disease----Bruce)
<b>ANDREWS, MAY</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 20, 1890 Little May Andrews, daughter of M. B. Andrews, aged 6 years, died last week of scarlet fever.
<b>ARFT, ROSA</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 17, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of Rosa Arft, daughter of August Arft.
<b>BAKER, KILFY MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 12, 1890 Mrs. Kilfy Baker died on the 6 <sup>th</sup> inst. at the age of 73 years and was buried in Baker graveyard.
<b>BAKER, MORRIS MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 19, 1890 Mrs. Morris Baker died on the 12 <sup>th</sup> of June in her 80 <sup>th</sup> year. Mrs. Baker was the oldest settler in Barton county, coming to this county before the war. Her home for many years was always filled with visitors and she took delight in having her children and grandchildren around her. Among her children are Zack and James Brady, formerly of this county but now residing in Vernon county. She was a kind considerate Christian woman and her long life was marked by many acts of charity and kindness.
<b>BALES, HARRISON</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890 Harrison Bales, living near the south county line was drowned Monday at Keltner Ford on Coon Creek. He was driving a 2 horse wagon. His body was found by Andrew Keltner. He has a brother, James Bales living in Lamar. He leaves a wife and 3 children.
<b>BEEM, H. L. DR.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 11, 1890 The death of Dr. H. L. Beem of Jasper county, 10 miles southwest of Carthage was similar to that of Harrison Bales, in that the accident happened while crossing a street. The doctor was thrown out and catching on the wheel was dragged some distance before the horses were stopped.

<b>BERRY, C. L.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, June 12, 1890</p> <p>On Saturday morning about 9 o'clock as Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Berry residing about 7 miles southwest of Lamar were driving on Gulf street, their horses took fright and began to run as they approached the square going south, it was evident to those who</p>
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	<p>saw it that unless the horses were turned they would kill little Rose Dye who was out riding her pony. An attempt was made to turn them at the northwest corner of the square and the excited animals turned short and threw Mr. and Mrs. Berry out. Mrs. Berry was severely bruised by the fall, but received no permanent injuries. Mr. Berry in addition to the injuries inflicted by the fall, was knocked unconscious when struck by the wagon, and remained so up to the time of his death, which occurred at 5:30 p.m. at the Burkey house. Drs. Dye and Drake who attended the unfortunate man pronounced his injuries fatal from the first. Mr. Berry was 63 years of age. He had raised a large family and they are all grown and married. Mr. Berry was an industrious man, a generous man, and very hospitable. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Lamar, who took charge of the funeral. Quite a number from Lamar went out to the Oak Grove Cemetery when he was buried.</p> <p>Lamar Democrat, July 10, 1890</p> <p>The funeral of C. L. Berry will be preached by Rev. Foar, of Parsons, Kansas on Sunday, July 20, 1890 at Coles Grove 4 miles south of Iantha.</p>
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<b>BIGELOW, JOHN</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890</p> <p>Liberal---Died on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February 1890, John Bigelow, aged 35 years. He was well educated, highly respected and engaged to be married. West Barton Globe</p>
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<b>BINGHAM, JOHN</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 10, 1890</p> <p>John Bingham, nephew of Parley Bingham died at the home of his uncle on Sunday last. Young Bingham was 21 years of age and highly respected.</p> <p>Lamar Democrat, July 24, 1890</p> <p>Died at the home of his uncle P. P. Bingham, of consumption on the 6<sup>th</sup> of July 1890, John P. Bingham, aged 21 years, one month, and 13 days. He was the son of Thomas Bingham, who died 19 years ago. Johnnie as he was familiarly known was the only son and consequently a great favorite. There were 3 sisters, the oldest was called up higher, about one year ago and within that short time the summons came for Johnnie also. He was a great sufferer for about 7 months, but he bore it patiently, without a murmur. He was a young man of many noble traits, conscientious and truthful. But few families have been called to give up so many loved ones. Alice and Minnie alone remain out of a family of six. Three have been called home within the last 2 years. Johnnie was laid to rest on the family graveyard on the farm of P. P. Bingham on the 7<sup>th</sup> of July at 4 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted by Bro. Huff of Lamar. A Friend</p>
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<b>BLACK, SAMUEL</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 18, 1890</p> <p>We regret to announce the death of Samuel Black, aged 84 years. He was visiting Mrs. William Dye and Mrs. Reed, when he was taken sick. His body was shipped to its old home for burial.</p>

<b>BLAKE, J. H. MRS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, April 3, 1890</p> <p>Mrs. J.H. Blake, aged 60 years, residing at Liberal during a fit of insanity, on Thursday last, committed suicide by hanging herself. She leaves a husband and six children. The children are all grown and living in Douglas county, Missouri. Mrs. Blake has been in ill health for a long time and quite frequently talked with her physician and friends about taking her own life. She went so far as to select her funeral robe and the ladies who were to officiate in laying out her body. The funeral took place on Friday.</p>
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<b>BOWLING, MARY</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 18, 1890</p> <p>Died in Lamar, on Sunday December 14, 1890, Mary Bowling, daughter of George E. and Jennie Bowling, aged 3 years, 5 months, and 27 days. It was only a few short days ago that we saw Mary on the street. We knew her well, she was a bright and beautiful child. Ralph and Clyde, her brothers, a few years older watched out for her when she came on the street. Membranous croup attacked the child, all that could be, was done for her, finally the surgeons knife was used, but to no avail, except to prolong life for a few short hours.</p>
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<p><b>BRIDGES, DELIA MCKAY</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 11, 1890  Died, at the Lamar House in this city at 5:10 a.m. Thursday, December 16, 1890, Delia McKay Bridges. The circumstances surrounding the death of the little lady are sad indeed and her untimely death will cause many heartaches in this community where she is so well known and loved. It is little more than 2 years since her twin sister Maggie answered the summons of the grim destroyer in the same room where Delia passed away so quietly and peacefully, surrounded by the same loving friends. Delia had been confined to her bed for 3 weeks by an attack of pneumonia and was rapidly convalescing till last Saturday when the relapse occurred that terminated her life Tuesday morning. Her death was a shock to the community, it generally supposed she had passed the danger point. The funeral took place at the Opera House yesterday, Rev. H. M. Cole officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold whose house had been her home for a number of years have the warmest sympathy of the community.</p>
<p><b>BRIDGMAN, WIFE</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 15, 1890  J. H. Bridgman, living in Vernon county, but farming in Barton county was assaulted by Tom Price and his brother last week, for the purpose of taking away the check rower. In the row that followed Bridgman was hit in the head with a monkey wrench and knocked unconscious. While wandering around in this state, he went to his brother's house; his wife being in a delicate condition was so frightened at seeing her brother-in-law covered with blood, that she died.</p>
<p><b>BROADHURST, WM.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Cemetery, April 24, 1890  Died in Milford, Missouri on Friday morning, April 18, at 7 a.m. Wm. Broadhurst, aged 66 years, 1 month, and 5 days. Another good citizen gone. He entered the land from the United States in 1857, where Milford now stands. He settled there in 1858</p>
	<p>and has lived in the county since that time. He was born in Cocke county, Tennessee, March 1, 1824. He was known familiarly as Uncle Billy. He was a staunch Democrat and was a member of the Methodist Church and was known as a consistent Christian. Tis said that he took Dr. A. B. Stone to his home and raised him from the time he was 9 months old. He had no children but leaves a wife.</p>
<p><b>BROWN, JOHN</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, June 19 1890  We learn of the death of John Brown from the Republic of Sunday. He was the representative of Nacarro county, Texas. He was a native of southern Illinois. He was the only brother of Hon. Robert Brown of this county. He heard from him just last spring and was planning to visit him. He knew nothing of his brother's death until his attention was called to the notice in the Republic.</p>

<b>BURCH, M. T.</b>	Lamar Democrat, May 22, 1890 Died on Thursday morning May 15, 1890, Albert infant son of M. T. Burch, residing in Newport township. Albert was 4 years old. He was the only child. The funeral took place at Newport on Friday.
<b>CAMPBELL, ANNIE MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890 Mrs. Annie Campbell, widow of Robert Campbell who was the owner and editor of the Sheldon Enterprise, died at her home in Sheldon, on Thursday last.
<b>CAMPBELL, EMMA MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 3, 1890 Died on Monday, Mrs. Emma Campbell aged 20 years. She was buried on Tuesday April 1 <sup>st</sup> .
<b>CLAIRAGE, MABEL</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 13, 1890 Died November 7, 1890, Mabel Clairage, 3 years old. Mrs. Clairage has been very unfortunate, this is the 2 <sup>nd</sup> child she has buried since September 1 <sup>st</sup> .
<b>CLARIDGE, LOTTIE</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 20, 1890 Little Lottie Claridge died last week. Mrs. Claridge has been a great sufferer. Her husband died during the summer and within the last 60 days she has lost 3 children.
<b>CLARK, ANNA MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 13, 1890 Mrs. Anna Clark, aged 68 years, died of La Grippe last week. Her body was sent to Cherokee City, Arkansas for burial.
<b>COMBS, TONY H.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 4, 1890 Tony H. daughter of Thomas and Hattie Combs, age 24 years, died at the family home on Friday afternoon, August 29, 1890 and was buried in Lake Cemetery on the day following. She was an amiable child, and a Christian woman, where delight was in the work of the church and Sabbath school. Her illness, consumption which was somewhat protracted, was patiently born and the closing hours of her life were in the full sunshine of Christian hope. It is doubtful if anyone was ever followed to

	our cemetery by a larger number of friends. At her request, the funeral sermon was preached by Rev. C. V. Criss, from the 13 <sup>th</sup> verse of the 14 <sup>th</sup> chapter of Revelations.
<b>COOK, JOHNSON</b>	Lamar Democrat, May 22, 1890 Johnson Cook, nephew of P. C. Cook of Verdella, was instantly killed at Montezula, Montana, on the Union Pacific railroad on Monday morning. His body was shipped to Lamar and will be buried at Iantha on Sunday.

<b>CORNETT, MARY MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 27, 1890 Last Thursday H. C. Brandon, business manager of this paper left for White Hall, Illinois having learned of the serious illness of his aunt Mrs. Mary Cornett by telegram. She had been a mother to him as a child. We learn that she died a few hours before he arrived. She was buried at Pittsfield, Illinois on Sunday March 23 <sup>rd</sup> .
<b>COX, WILLIAM J.</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890 William J. Cox, son of H. D. and Rebecca Cox was born near Deerfield, Vernon county, Missouri, November 25, 1871 and died at Joplin, Jasper county, Missouri, November 13, 1890, aged 18 years, 11 months, and 17 days. His remains were interred in Lake Cemetery, Lamar, on Saturday, November 25. Willie moved with his parents to this county some 8 years ago and settled with his parents on a farm near Caput, where they lived until last year when they moved to Nevada and thence Joplin.
<b>COY, DANIEL</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 17, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of Daniel Coy, at Milford, aged 33 years. He went down into a well to clean it and was overcome by the damps and died immediately.
<b>CRENSHAW, RUSSELL FINK</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 16, 1890 Died in Lamar at 1:05 p.m. Tuesday, October 14, 1890, Russell Fink Crenshaw, infant son of George and Virginia E. Crenshaw, aged one year, 6 months, and 26 days. Funeral services took place from the family residence on Gulf street and was largely attended.
<b>CRIM, JACOB MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 6, 1890 Died on Sunday February 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1890, at her home in Newport, Mrs. Jacob Crim, aged 70 years.
<b>CROMWELL, MOSES MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 2, 1890 Mrs. Moses Cromwell died of old age on Monday.
<b>DAUBIN, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 24, 1890 Died on last Saturday morning at 2 a.m. of cholera infantum Ella, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Daubin of Pedro. Little Ella was 13 months and was buried at Leroy.
<b>DAVIS, C. MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 16, 1890 Died on the 14 <sup>th</sup> of January in Lamar, Mrs. C. Davis, age 73 years. She died of general debility. Her remains were shipped to Douglas county, Kansas for burial.

<b>DEARDORFF, CHILD</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 25, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of the 10 month old child of C. M. Deardorff in Northfork township.
<b>DENNIS, DAVID</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 20, 1890 David Dennis living in Nashville township age 76 years died on Monday. He was highly respected for his excellent traits of character.
<b>DUNHAM, VIOLA</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890 A sad accident occurred at Lehigh last Saturday. The clothing of Viola, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dunham, aged five, caught fire while parching some corn on the open hearth and she was enveloped in flames. She ran screaming into the yard to her mother, but by the time the flames were out she was fatally burned. A doctor was summoned but she was past all aid. The accident occurred about 1 p.m. and she lingered till 9:20 that night. Joplin Herald
<b>EARNEST, CHARLES</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 20, 1890 It was a sad sight that met our gaze on last Friday morning at 7 o'clock as we entered the Gulf depot waiting room. On the floor was a young man, 20 years of age, who gave his name as Charles Earnest. His right hip had been torn from its socket and cut across to the bone, the left foot cut off at the ankle. He left St. Louis some months ago and worked railroad construction in Kansas, but had decided to go to Webb City. He was beating his way on the 2nd section of train #41 which is due at Lamar at 5:20 a.m. The train halted at the crossing of the Missouri Pacific and he attempted to get out of the car and in doing so he slipped and fell under the car. He was brought to the depot and Dr. Van Meter, the surgeon of the road, did all he could to relieve the pain and suffering. He said his mother's name was Mrs. Elizabeth Yerkley and she lived at the corner of 2 <sup>nd</sup> and Potomac streets, St. Louis. His mother was telegraphed an account of the accident.  Later—the unfortunate man was taken to Ft. Scott hospital and lived until Sunday. He was buried there.
<b>EASLEY, ROBERTA</b>	Lamar Democrat, May 29, 1890 Died May 19 <sup>th</sup> , Rosabel Easley, aged 18years. She was buried on the 20 <sup>th</sup> in Lake Cemetery.
<b>ELKER, MARY MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890 Died on Sunday, the 23 <sup>rd</sup> of November 1890, Mrs. Mary Elker, aged 55 years. Mrs. Elker died in Nevada and her remains were shipped to Lamar Monday afternoon. The funeral was preached at the Congregational Church. Rev. Cole preached the

	<p>sermon. Mrs. Elker lived in Lamar for many years and was closely connected with the ladies work in the Congregational Church. She was intelligent and cultivated. Her children were intellectual. Warren Watson, the present clerk for the U. S. Court of Kansas City, her son with his wife came down with the remains. G. F. Burkhart who married her daughter, came down in the morning and made the preliminary arrangements for the funeral. She was buried in Lake Cemetery late on Monday afternoon.</p>
<b>EVANS, JOSEPH</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, February 13, 1890  Died noon February 6, 1890, at his house in Lamar, Joseph Evans, 36 years. His body was sent to Greene county for burial.</p>
<b>FINLEY, GEORGE W.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890  Died at 5 o'clock p.m. Friday, November 21, 1890, George W. Finley, aged 28 years, 4 months, and 10 days. The funeral took place at the Congregational Church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The music on the occasion was rendered by Messrs. Dye, Cole, Timmonds, and Avery. The prayers and sermon by Rev. Cox. The Masons had charge of the funeral and escorted the remains from the home to the church and then to Lake Cemetery and there laid him to rest with Masonic rites. He had married Miss Julia Matthews within the last year, she is left a widow. For 42 long weary days he suffered with disease carefully watched by relatives and a trained nurse but finally succumbed.</p>
<b>GARRETT, JOS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 30, 1890  On last Thursday morning our city was shocked to learn that Deputy Sheriff and jailer, Jos. Garrett had committed suicide. Pressed by debt and despondent over the fact that the prisoners had escaped, he sought relief in death. Going into the stable back of the yard he put a pistol to his heart and fired. He died in a few minutes. He leaves a wife and 6 little children. Joseph Garrett was a highly respected, good, honest law abiding citizen. (There had been a big jail break in early January on his watch---Bruce)</p>

<b>GARY, MR.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, March 6, 1890</p> <p>Fort Scott, Kansas, Globe Democrat, March 3<sup>rd</sup>---Some time since an old gentleman came to this city and stopped with Mr. A. Majors of the Normal House, on S. main street. He was nearly 80 years of age and claimed to be without a relative or a friend in the world. For some 2-3 weeks he has been feeble with what Dr. Hendric pronounced a complication of heart trouble and Bright's disease. He always paid his rent regularly but was dressed very shabbily and very secretive and unsociable. Saturday night he gradually sank and yesterday morning he passed away. An inquest was held and it has developed that Majors has in his possession nearly \$28,000.00, which he and his son testified was given to Majors by the deceased before his death. The statement that he has no relatives is a mistake. He has a sister who is Mother Superior of a convent in New York. Some years ago he made her a visit from Lamar to New Orleans and return. He always went by foot, no matter</p>
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	<p>what the distance. Mr. Gary was well known to the old settlers of Lamar having come there some twenty years ago. For the past few years he has lived in Lamar little, business causing him to spend most of his time in Carthage and Mt Vernon.</p>
<b>GODDARD, EMMA</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, March 27, 2000</p> <p>We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Emma Goddard, wife of James Goddard. Mrs. Goddard was 27 years of age and leaves 3 children, the oldest 9 years and the youngest 10 months. She was buried at Forest Grove on Wednesday.</p>
<b>GOSS, Z. H.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890</p> <p>Z. H. Goss of Union township, aged 35 years died on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. His death was caused by injuries while working at a hay baler.</p>
<b>GRAEBER, INFANT</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, April 10, 1890</p> <p>Mr. and Mrs. Graeber of Kansas City, while visiting friends here had the misfortune to lose their 17 month old child. The child died of brain fever.</p>
<b>HEAGEN, J.W. MRS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 22, 1890</p> <p>By telegram we learn that Mrs. J. W. Heagen died at Morrilton, Arkansas on Wednesday morning.</p>
<b>HENSON, CHILD`</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, March 20, 1890</p> <p>We regret to learn the death of a little child of Mrs. Henson near Iantha.</p>
<b>HENSON, J. C.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 9, 1890</p> <p>Died at his home in Milford township at the age of 60 years J. C. Henson.</p>

<b>HICKMAN, FLORA</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 11, 1890 Little Flora Hickman whose parents reside near Newport, died last week and was buried in the graveyard near there.
<b>HIGGINS, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 19, 1890 There was born a nice little baby to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huggins on Saturday, but it only lived one day. On Sunday the baby died and on Monday it was buried.
<b>HUDSON, J. W. Q</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890 J. W. Hudson, marshal of Webb City was shot and killed on Monday by a man named Smith. The murderer is in jail.
<b>JAMES, ALEXANDER</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 7, 1890 Died at his home in Doylesport township Alexander James, aged 70 years. For 25 years he lived in Barton county and watched its growth and prosperity. He built the first brick house in Lamar. He was an old landmark and his death will cause a pang of sorrow in many traits in this county.
<b>JEPSON, MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 5, 1890 Mrs. Jepson of Arcadia, visited her sister-in-law at Pittsburg, Kansas, last week and on her return brought 2 of her sister-in-law little girls with her as company for her own little girl who was with her. Within a quarter of a mile of home she under took to ford Cox's creek and in so doing she and the 2 little girls of Mrs. Jepson of Pittsburg were drowned. Her own child grabbed the reins of the horse and was saved. There are three of the Jepson brothers, Andrew who lives at Barton City, one at Arcadia, and one at Pittsburg. The little girls were taken to their home in Pittsburg for burial.

<b>JONES, C.W.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 16, 1892</p> <p>Died at the home of his brother-in-law, H. S. McLean, in Lamar, Tuesday, October 14, 1890 at 10 o'clock p.m. C. W. Jones, of Leroy, aged 45 years. Wooster as he was usually called was born in Rochester, Maine, and in early life came with his parents to Barton county. His life has been spent almost wholly with his family and was blameless, without spot or blemish. Realizing fully that his time had come, he expressed his perfect willingness, his only regret being the parting from his family and parents. He had not an enemy in the county of Barton. His course in life was such as could be commended to all. He leaves a wife and one child, a little girl. He was buried in Lake Cemetery.</p> <p>October 23, 1890</p> <p>Wooster Jones was born in Rochester, Vermont, 44 years ago and died at the residence of his brother-in-law, H. S. McLean, in Lamar, Missouri October 14<sup>th</sup>, 1890.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Allie Tolan Criss</p>
<b>KELLY, BIRDIE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 16, 1890</p> <p>Died on Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> Birdie Kelly (colored) age 6 years of consumption.</p>
<b>KENNEDY, CHAS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 9, 1890</p> <p>Died in Newport township, on January 4, 1890, Chas. Kennedy aged 82 years.</p>
<b>KING, J. H.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, February 20, 1890</p> <p>With sorrow we learn of the death of J. H. King who opened the first ten cent store in Lamar. He was on his way from the territory to Lamar, with his wife and son when he died. Mrs. King and her son arrived last Saturday.</p>
<b>KIRBY, J. C.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, June 19, 1890</p> <p>J. C. Kirby of Golden City died last Thursday. He has lived in Golden City for the last 20 years.</p>
<b>LADD, C. F.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, June 12, 1890</p> <p>Golden City News---C. F. Ladd of Golden City has died. He was at one time a commercial traveler.</p>
<b>LANE, NELLIE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 10, 1890</p> <p>Nellie Lane daughter of Mrs. Lane aged 7 months died last week.</p>

<b>LOVELL, HELEN</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 6, 1890 Died at the residence of W. J. Lovell in Lamar at 9 a.m. March 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 1890, Helen, wife of J. C. Lovell, aged 25 years, 10 months, and 12 days. Her death was not a surprise to those who knew her. Mr. and Mrs. Lovell had lived in Pittsburg, Kansas for a time and the family doctor said unless she was removed from there she would die. The warning proved to be too late. They had moved to Cherokee, but the condition worsened and finally brought to Lamar, Mr. Lovell's old home. Mrs. Lovell's funeral took place from the Methodist Church at 2 p.m. on March 4 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>MAJORS, ROBERT</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 25, 1890 Died on Monday night at the house of J. A. Byers, just south of Lamar, of consumption, Robert Majors, aged 37 years. He was a native of Tennessee, but came to Missouri as a boy. He leaves a wife and a little boy. He remarked to his family just before he died that he was satisfied as to his future condition.
<b>MCRAE, JOHN</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890 John McRae, a former resident of Liberal, died in Nebraska on February 15, 1890.
<b>MEDICK, CHAS V.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 25, 1890 Chas V. Medick left here last Friday morning with a car load of poultry belonging to E. M. Green for New Orleans. At McComb, Mississippi he was run over by the cars and killed. Mr. Green was notified by telegraph and the body was shipped home, arriving on Tuesday night. He was buried on Wednesday morning.  Later---He was killed at 7:30 p.m. December 23, 1890
<b>MILLER, C. H. DR.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 27, 1890 Many Lamarites will remember Dr. C. H. Miller who came to Lamar from western Kansas for a short time. He left for Oklahoma then went back to Kansas. On Monday he was found dead in a boxcar at Pittsburg, starved to death. He came west from Pennsylvania. He leaves a wife and large family of relatives.
<b>MISENER, CHILD</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 23. 1890 A little 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Misener, an engineer, died on Sunday and was buried on Monday.
<b>MOORE, J. H.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 20, 1890 Died on the 14 <sup>th</sup> of February in Doylesport township, J. H. Moore aged 34 years.
<b>MOORE, ROBERT T.</b>	Lamar October 23, 1890 On the afternoon of the 8 <sup>th</sup> inst. F. W. Stockton received a telegraph announcing the death of Robert T. Moore, brother of Mrs. Stockton. Robert as he was commonly

	<p>known spent one summer in Lamar. He was rather small in size, of a nervous temperament, as gentle as a woman, pleasant and obliging. He was almost perfect in his work as a telegraph operator and his railroad work was without equal. He was his own worst enemy and at times under the influence of liquor he was crazed. While in this frame of mind he took a dose of poison that ended his life. He was a very useful man, he was an affectionate husband, a loving father and dear brother.</p> <p>Later--Mrs. R. T. Moore came to Lamar to live with her brother-in-law.</p>
<b>MULFORD, SON</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 20, 1890  Died on Tuesday morning, Mulford, son of J. B. Mulford, aged 19 years. He was sitting in a chair and without a moments warning fell dead out of his chair. The family lived about four miles south of Lamar.</p>
<b>MULLIN, A.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 10, 1890  Miss Jennie Beam informed us of the death of her uncle, A. Mullin, at Rutland, Illinois. Mrs. Beam had visited him lately.</p>
<b>NELSON, INFANT</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 10, 1890  A little child of Lewis Nelson, 16 months old died last week.</p>
<b>NETT, CLYDE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 29, 1890  Died on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, of May, of brain fever, Clyde Nett, son of J. W. Nett, near Dublin, aged three years.</p>

<p><b>OLDHAM, CATHERINE</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, March 20, 1890 Died on Tuesday night at 2 a.m., Mrs. Catherine Oldham, aged 53 years, 11 months, and 12 days. Mrs. Oldham was born in Tennessee and moved to Barton county in 1857, and has remained ever since. She married George Oldham in 1852. The funeral will take place on Thursday. Mrs. Oldham, or more familiarly known as Aunt Kitty was beloved by all who knew her.</p> <p>Lamar Democrat, March 27, 1890 Mrs. Catherine Oldham, who died in this city last Wednesday morning, March 19, 1890 was born April 7, 1836 in Tennessee. Her maiden name was Bynum, On the 8<sup>th</sup> of January 1852, she was married to George Oldham, at Lone Jack, Jackson county, Missouri. In the spring of 1857, Mr. and Mrs. Oldham moved to Lamar where they resided ever since except a short time during the war when they with other citizens were compelled to move away. When they first came to Lamar nearly 30 years ago, they brought with them Nicholas, Williams and George Crenshaw, three orphan nephews of Mrs. Oldham, small children, all of whom they raised to manhood; George the only survivor of the three now being one of our leading citizens, one of our best businessmen and a member of the banking firm of C. H. Brown and Co. To all older inhabitants, Mrs. Oldham's care of and devotion to the three nephew boys was known to be as sacred as a mother, and in her declining</p>
	<p>years George has not neglected or forgotten her. Mr. and Mrs. Oldham did not grow to be known and recognized as Uncle George and Aunt Kitty by reason of old age and long acquaintances, but they were known and so called by everybody before the war, when yet a young married couple, probably attributable to the fact they were raising the three nephews. She was devoted to the Christian Church and was a faithful member all of her life. (There was more to this obit as it was quite long)</p>
<p><b>PENCE, WM.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890 Wm. Pence aged 20 died on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. Mr. Pence was a brother of our foundry man. The funeral took place from the Presbyterian Church.</p>
<p><b>PENNELL, THOMAS</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 3, 1890 Thos. Pennell aged 20 years, died on the 30<sup>th</sup> of June of heart disease, at his home near Iantha.</p>
<p><b>PIERCE, FRANKIE</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 20, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of Frankie Pierce, the little 2 year old son of D. S. Pierce of Doylesport. Diphtheria, that dreaded disease caused his death.</p>

<b>POOL, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 6, 1890 There was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pool on Saturday night a little girl. The life of the babe was only a few hours as on Sunday night it died.
<b>POOL, MINNIE MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat. April 17, 1890 Died in Lamar at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 11, 1890, Mrs. Minnie Pool, wife of George Pool, aged 31 years and 9 days. Mrs. Pool has been an invalid for a number of years and her death was not unexpected. She spent one year in Colorado, but it did her no good; she leaves one child, a little boy. She was buried on Sunday.
<b>POWELL, MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Powell, mother of Geo. Powell who has been engaged with Geo. Pool, the jeweler.
<b>PRINGLE, JAMES</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 30, 1890 The aged and highly respected James Pringle died Sunday, January 19 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>RADER, J. N.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 20, 1890 J. N. Rader, age 55, died last week of pneumonia. He lived near Milford.
<b>REYNOLDS,</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 2, 1890 Mr. Reynolds the section boss of the Gulf railroad, died on Monday afternoon.
<b>RHOADS, J. F. REV.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 12, 1890 Rev. J. F. Rhoads of Girard, Kansas and his wife on Sunday last, went out to perform a wedding ceremony. While crossing a bridge the horse became frightened
	and backed off the abutment, falling a distance of 20 feet, the horse falling on Mr. Rhoads and killing him. Mrs. Rhoads jumped out of the buggy and escaped injury.

<p><b>ROBERTS, JAS. MRS.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 15, 1890</p> <p>The suicide of Mrs. Jas. Roberts at Liberal on Thursday, by taking a dose of Rough on Rats, was a shock to that community. Mrs. Roberts was sent to the asylum about 18 years ago, and after a time was dismissed and returned home and gradually got better to the extent she was considered entirely cured. About the middle of April she began to act queerly and kept growing worse. She imagined herself as being better off dead. She requested laudanum for the purpose of taking her life. About 10 o'clock last Thursday morning she managed to get hold of a box of Rough on Rats and took it; she told her daughter, Mrs. Ellison of it about noon and asked her to say nothing about it. She soon began to cramp and vomit and suffered terribly. Mrs. Ellison being a firm believer in the Christian Science did not call a doctor, hoping the poison would be thrown out of the stomach. Nothing was said to anyone about it, and about 6 o'clock Mrs. Roberts died. The people of Liberal learning of the facts desired an inquest held which was done on Friday. Mrs. Ellison was censured to some extent on not having summoned a doctor. Mr. Roberts was not home at the time and no blame attached to him. Mrs. Ellison insisted that her mother wasn't dead but in a trance. She was buried on Saturday. This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> suicide in Liberal in the last few months.</p>
<p><b>ROBINSON, CHILD</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890</p> <p>On last Saturday morning during a storm, a little son of Mr. Robinson living a few miles north of Iantha went out from the house a few feet to aid an old hen and little chicks. While thus engaged, a bolt of lightning struck him, killing him instantly.</p>
<p><b>ROCTOR, STELLA</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 4, 1890</p> <p>In memory of Stella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Proctor, died November 29, 1890, aged 8 years, 10 months and 28 days. The remains were laid to rest in Mr. Carmel Cemetery, Sunday the 30<sup>th</sup>.</p>
<p><b>ROGERS, GEORGE T.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 25, 1890</p> <p>On the 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 1890, George T. Rogers, cashier at the First National Bank in Lamar, was stricken down by death.</p> <p>A telegram Thursday from Brookfield, Pennsylvania announcing the death of Geo. T. Rogers, the cashier of the First National Bank of Lamar. He left the bank some months ago on account of ill health and hoped to recover his health by traveling and throwing aside his business cares. He took the step too late however, at the age of 34 years he was cut off. To Mrs. Rogers and the children the people of Lamar extend their heartfelt sympathy.</p> <p>Lamar Democrat, October 2, 1890</p> <p>On Thursday, September 18, 1890, the subject of this sketch died at the residence</p>

	<p>of his mother on Pickering Street, aged 34 years, 1 month, and 27 days. His life for the most part was spent in Brookville. The foundation of his education was laid in the public schools of this place. After he had gone through the branches taught here, he passed an academic course at Tuscarora Academy, in Eastern Pennsylvania, followed by one year's course at Yale College. He then returned home and went into the Prothonotary's office as clerk, during the term of J. B. Henderson. At the end of this term he was employed in the banking house of W. F. Clark and Son of this place. On June 6, 1878 he married Miss Edith Thompson, daughter of J. J. U. Thompson. Upon the occasion of his marriage he removed to Newton, Kansas, where his wife died, and he again returned to Brookville and entered the law offices of Messrs. Jenks and Clark as a law student, and after the usual preparation was admitted to the bar, and practiced law about one year. He was then employed at the Jefferson county National Bank as clerk, and at the end of two years service he was elected cashier and held that position until July 1, 1889. On June 28, 1882 he married Miss Sally Means. In 1880 he acted as chairman of the Republican county committee, and in 1888 was elected to the state convention where he presented the names of I. G. Gordon for re-nomination as supreme judge. In the summer of 1889, Thomas H. Means, S. S. Henderson, and other parties established a banking house in the town of Lamar, Barton county, Missouri. The deceased being a stockholder and also filling the position of cashier up to the time of his death. He was a man of peace, avoiding strife contentions. We shall ever remember our friend gone from us, and when the battle of life ends with us we hope to hail him on the other shore.     Jefferson City Democrat</p>
<p><b>ROGERS, JAMES I.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 27, 1890  On Monday morning about 10 o'clock a freight train on the Missouri Pacific ran over a young man about 20 years old, near the south 1<sup>st</sup> street crossing. His name is thought to be Rogers, but nothing on him to identify him.</p> <p>Later—On Tuesday night J. R. Rogers and wife of Joplin arrived and identified the articles found in the pockets of the young man. His name was James I. Rogers and he was an only child.</p>
<p><b>SHELTON, E. C.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 31, 1890  Piety Ridge Items---Squire E. C. Shelton died at his home on the 21<sup>st</sup> inst., after a month's illness.</p>
<p><b>SHEPHERD, W. M.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, April 24, 1890  Died at his home in Lamar, on Monday morning at 3 a.m. W. M. Shepherd, aged 34 years, 6 months, and 20 days. He was buried on Wednesday at 3 p.m. in Lake Cemetery. He leaves a wife and four children.</p>

<b>SHORT, EVELENA</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 17, 1890 Died of typhoid fever, in Barton county, Missouri Evelena, youngest daughter of J. W. and S. A. Short, aged two years, was a bright and lovely child. Father, mother,
	brothers and sisters with sad hearts had to say farewell. Mr. and Mrs. Short formerly resided in Henry county.
<b>SHORT, HENRY MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 6, 1890 The sudden death of Mrs. Henry Short caused by a row at the Short schoolhouse is deeply deplored by every good citizen in this county. Our informant says the Sweet boys and one Cox were at the bottom of the disgraceful difficulty. The row will be a lesson not only to the boys who broke up the literary entertainment, but to young men who go to those places with no other intentions but to create trouble. There were several other good men of the community wounded. (Short schoolhouse is 12 miles west of Lamar)
<b>SIMPSON, EMMA K.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 27, 1890 We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Emma K. Simpson.
<b>SMITH, ABBEY</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890 Aunt Abbey Smith, colored, the widow of Uncle Hannibal, died last Wednesday and was buried on Thursday. She had been a resident of the city for many years and was well known to all the older families in Lamar.
<b>SMITH, JOSEPH</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 31, 1890 Died on Monday, July 28 <sup>th</sup> , Joseph Smith, son of Rev. R. W. Smith, of Irwin.
<b>SPARKS, MARY</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 20, 1890 Died on the 12 <sup>th</sup> inst. in Union township at the age of 67 years, Mary Sparks.
<b>STELZER, HUGO</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 31, 1890 Died at Salt Lake City, July 16, 1890, Knight Hugo Stelzer, aged 26 years old. This from a draft from the Mindenmines, Missouri Knights of Pythias proclamation and memoriam.
<b>STEVENSON. A. L.</b>	December 11, 1890 Mrs. A. L. Stevenson of Joplin tired of life last week and having secured a pistol blew her brains out.

<b>SUMMERS, W. P.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 6, 1890 Died at 7:30 p.m. on the 2 <sup>nd</sup> of February 1, 1890, in Lamar, Missouri, W. P. Summers, pastor of the Christian Church in this city, aged 46 years, 3 months, 28 days. The serious illness was but a few days and his death was a shock to the community. He had been engaged here but a short time.
<b>THOMAS, BERT</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 3, 1890 Bert Thomas 13 years old was shot and killed by Jas. Roberts, 13 years old, at Nevada on the 25 <sup>th</sup> inst. The gun was not loaded as usual.
<b>THOMAS, W. H.</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 28, 1890 We regret to report the death of W. H. Thomas aged 75 years. He died at his home in Barton City township.
<b>THOMPSON, AMOS W.</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890 Amos W. Thompson, son of Dr. G. T. Thompson of Golden City died last Thursday at 2 o'clock.
<b>TIPTON, MYRA MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 3, 1890 From the South Dakota Tribune we learn of the death of Mrs. Myra Tipton, wife of W. E. Tipton, who was at one time superintendent of our schools.
<b>TULLIS, NORA O.</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 9, 1890 Died on January 6 <sup>th</sup> , at her home in Milford township, Nora O. Tullis from congestion of the lungs.  Lamar Democrat, January 23, 1890 Round Prairie news---Died at her home near Milford, January 6, 1890, Nora O. Tullis, aged 19 years. She was a bright and lovable girl just budding into womanhood, the favorite at the home, attentive at school and loved by all who knew her. The fatal disease, which in 24 hours cut asunder the cords of her young life, was congestion of the stomach. Her death has cast a shadow over the entire community and left a blank in the home circle. She was laid to rest in Round Prairie Cemetery on Tuesday evening.
<b>TURNER, PEARL MAY</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 16, 1890 Died, Pearl May Turner, age 2 years, 1 month, January 16. The immediate cause of death was softening of the brain.

<b>VAN POOL S. A. MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 25, 1890 Died at her home in Doylesport township, at nine o'clock on Monday morning, Mrs. S. A. Van Pool. Mrs. Van Pool attended the Milford picnic on Saturday and seemed to enjoy the occasion. On Saturday night she was taken suddenly ill and on Monday morning she died. The funeral was largely attended.
<b>WAGNER, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890 We regret to learn of the death of a 16 month old child of Doc Wagner, living near Lamar. The child died on the 7 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>WARD, CHARITY MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 6, 1890 Departed this life at 11:20 p.m., on March 1 <sup>st</sup> , Mrs. Charity H. Ward aged 78 years and 11 months. Mrs. Ward had lived in Barton county since 1853; in fact lived here before Barton county was organized. Mrs. Ward's life was an eventful one, as she had an excellent memory and it was very entertaining to talk to her. She lived here during the Civil War while Lamar was occupied one day by the Union, and the next

	by the confederates and the next by the bushwackers. Her sickness lasted about 2 months. She passed away quietly and peacefully as if going to sleep. She was surrounded by her children and grandchildren. The funeral took place from her home on Tuesday and was largely attended.
<b>WATKINS, WM. MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 13, 1890 Died on Sunday morning, Mrs. Wm. Watkins, age 81 years. Mrs. Watkins was the stepmother of Silas Watkins. She lived in Jasper county for 40 years. She was buried at Forest Grove.
<b>WHALEY, W. F.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 11, 1890 Died on Tuesday morning, December 9, 1890, at his home near Lamar, F. W. Whaley, aged 35 years, and 3 months. He devoted his time to teaching and a part to preaching the gospel. He came here from Crawsfordville, Indiana, about eight years ago.
<b>WIARD, J. M.</b>	Lamar Democrat. January 9, 1890 We learn that J. M. Wiard, a prominent farmer of Barton and a most excellent man dropped dead on Tuesday about noon, immediately after dinner. He had just had a hearty dinner and while attending some matter about the house dropped dead. He will be buried at Fairview on Thursday. He was 69 years old and leaves 10 children, 3 by his present wife all grown except 2 at home. He was known to all the old settlers of this county.

<b>WILHELM, JOHN</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 17, 1890 Died in Lamar on Tuesday April 15, 1890 at 2 a.m., John Wilhelm, aged 26 years, 1 month, and 19 days. The funeral took place at the residence of J. J. Fast on Wednesday. He was adopted when quite young by Mr. Fast and has lived there ever since. He was buried on Wednesday afternoon at the Lake Cemetery.
<b>WILSON, MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 27, 1890 The death of Mrs. Wilson of Doylesport, mother of James Wilson was reported to us on Tuesday by Cort F. Robinson.
<b>WILSON, Z. T.</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 14, 1890 Died at the Nevada Asylum on Monday morning, August 11 <sup>th</sup> , Z. T. Wilson, aged 41 years, 5 months, and 3 days. We have known Taylor Wilson as he was generally called for a number of years past. He had many friends in Lamar and at one time was elected constable. About 6 years ago, he suffered from sunstroke, this was followed by a stroke of paralysis 3 years later. His mind began to grow weak, and finally he was sent to the asylum about 9 months ago. He leaves a wife and 1 child. His brother James Wilson, went to Nevada on Monday after the body, returning on Monday night. The funeral took place from the Methodist Church at 2 o'clock on Tuesday and the body was laid away in Lake Cemetery.
<b>WOOD, JUDGE</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 6, 1890 On last Sunday, February 2, Judge Wood passed from this life to a better one. His death was very unexpected although his friends knew he had been in feeble health for the past few years. He was high minded and honorable with strong religious convictions. He was born in Ohio, moved to Indiana when a boy and from Indiana came to Missouri and has been a resident of this county for the past 20 years.
<b>WOOLEY, LAURA MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 23, 1890 Mrs. Laura Wooley, aged 34 years, dead last week of puerpal fever, at her home near Verdella.
<b>WORK, MARY W. MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 17, 1890 Died in Lamar, Missouri on Monday April 13 <sup>th</sup> , 1890 at 6 o'clock p.m., Mrs. Mary W. Work, wife of J. Q. Work, aged 32 years, 2 months, and 26 days. The funeral took place from the Christian Church at 10:30 on Wednesday morning and was largely attended. Mrs. Work's death was caused by inflammation of the stomach. She leaves a little babe about 6 weeks old. Her health has been poor since the birth of the babe.

<p><b>WRIGHT, THOMAS R.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, April 10, 1890 The death of Thos. L. Wright of Central township of Bright's disease was indeed sorrowful. Mr. Wright was 59 years of age.</p>
<p><b>WYATT, JOHN T. MRS.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, April 3, 1890 We are sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. John T. Wyatt of Golden City. She has been a consumptive for a number of years and finally succumbed.</p>

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