

<b>ADAMS, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 12, 1888 Died on Wednesday of last week, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams. The baby was about 6 weeks old and buried on Thursday in Lake Cemetery.
<b>ANDRUS, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 5, 1888 Died, on Monday night, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Andrus. The child was buried on Tuesday evening.
<b>BADGLEY, LEE H.</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 25, 1888 Died at the residence of M. N. Wills, in Lamar, at four o'clock on Sunday morning, Lee H. Badgley, aged 27 years, 11 months, and 21 days. Lee Badgley was manager of the Home Lumber Company in this city. Some weeks ago he was taken down with typhoid fever and he could not rally. On Sunday afternoon his remains were shipped to his father's home at Butler, Bates county, Missouri.
<b>BALDWIN, JAMES MARVIN</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 15, 1888 Died at the residence of his parents, in Barton county, Missouri, November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, James Marvin Baldwin, son of Rev. H and Susan H. Baldwin, in the 17 <sup>th</sup> year of his age. Typhoid fever laid its fatal hand on him. He died on the Sabbath evening.
<b>BARHAM, LENA</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 16, 1888 Died on the 12 <sup>th</sup> of August, Lena Barham, daughter of B. Barham, of Verdella. Her death is a sad blow to her parents.
<b>BARNEY, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 22, 1888 Died on Sunday morning, at the home of J. F. Tevebaugh in Lamar, infant child of J. S. and F. Barney. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon.
<b>BICKFORD, MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888 Mrs. Bickford, sister of C. R. Logan of Lamar, died at her home in Greenfield last week at the advanced age of 75 years.
<b>BOGGESS, BARNEY</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 14, 1888 From Mr. Gladdish of Kenoma, we learn that Barney Boggess of Girard, Kansas died on Sunday, June 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Mr. Boggess owned considerable property in the county near Kenoma, and also quite a tract near Irwin.
<b>BOUGHN, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 9, 1888 We regret to learn of the death of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boughn of Newport. The child died on Sunday and was buried at Lake Cemetery on Monday.
<b>BRIDGES, MAGGIE</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 16, 1888 Died, in Lamar, on Saturday, August 11 <sup>th</sup> , at 7 p.m., Maggie Bridges, aged 10 years, 2 months, 11 days. She was one of the performing Bridges twins. She was born at Summitt, Mississippi, June 1 <sup>st</sup> , 1878. Her and her twin sister Delia were possessed of

	<p>fine musical ability. Under the training of their mother, Mrs. Bridges, they began a series of musical entertainment and met with unparalleled success. Maggie's health failed and the twin sisters came to Lamar to live with Mr. and Mrs. F.D.W. Arnold. A short time ago they gave a performance in Lamar, but Maggie's health completely failed from the strain. She died at the Lamar House. The funeral was preached by Rev. C. V. Criss and a large crowd was present. The body was laid to rest in Lake Cemetery.</p>
<b>BROWN, W.W. MRS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 13, 1888  Died on Tuesday at her home in Lamar, Mrs. W. W. Brown. She has been a sufferer for 10 years. She came here 2 years ago. Mr. Brown is engaged in railroad business in Texas, but is expected here today.</p>
<b>BURGESS, EARL</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 19, 1888  We regret to learn of the death of Earl Burgess, aged 10 months. The parents are relatives of John Milliard and were visiting him when they lost their child.</p>
<b>BURKHARDT, JOHN M.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888  John M Burkardt, an ex-shoe dealer, died suddenly at his residence, 100 ½ Locust Street shortly after midnight this morning. At seven o'clock last evening Burkhardt went home to supper. After supper he went away and returned at nine o'clock. He sat down on the front door step and after remaining there a short time he suddenly became sick and appeared to suffer greatly, vomiting at intervals. The symptoms were there of poisoning from arsenic acid. He rapidly grew worse and at 10:30 he was helped to bed. A doctor was summoned but the messenger failed to find one. At about 1 o'clock this morning he died and Dr. Inen, police surgeon was summoned. Mrs. Burkhardt stated that for the past two years her husband has suffered from pains in the stomach and was in the habit of taking morphine. She did not think he had committed suicide as there was no reason. Burkhardt formerly lived in Sedalia and removed to this city several years ago and opened a shoe store. He recently quit business and since that time has done nothing. He leaves a widow and three children, two girls and a boy.</p> <p>The above we clip from the Kansas City Times of the 21<sup>st</sup>. John Burkhardt was well known in Lamar. He was a bother of Fred Burkhardt who moved from Lamar to Kansas City about two years ago.</p>
<b>BUSH, EDWIN</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 20, 1888  Died in Lamar, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock Edwin Bush, aged 31 years. Only a few months ago, his sister Miss Eliza J. Bush purchased the restaurant now known as the Bush restaurant. Her brother who was already sick came later but by the time he arrived, death had already claimed him. He scarcely had strength enough to stand. His sister watched him day and night. On Monday afternoon after a touching funeral sermon the procession wended its way to the Lake Cemetery.</p>

<b>CARR, LYDIA</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 4, 1888 Died, Miss Lydia Carr, daughter of Peter C. Carr, died at the Pacific Hotel, Friday September 21 <sup>st</sup> , 1888 aged twenty-two years, from consumption. Miss Carr had been suffering some time with consumption at her father's home in Lamar, Missouri. In order to try and benefit her health a trip to the Big Horn country was planned and put into execution. When reaching here, Miss Carr whose health had been failing died at the Pacific Hotel. She was buried on Saturday afternoon, the Rev. Huntington officiating at the grave. Rawlins (Wyoming) Journal
<b>CASSET, LULU</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 20, 1888 Died, in Verdella, December 7 <sup>th</sup> , of a complication of diseases, Lulu, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. J. Casset, aged two years and 10 months.
<b>CHISWELL, ALICE HAY</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 12, 1888 Died on Sunday at 11:30 a.m., Alice Hay Chiswell, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chiswell. The little bird of promise was born May 28 <sup>th</sup> , 1888 in Lamar. She was laid to rest in the Lamar cemetery, on Monday morning.
<b>CLARKE, DOT</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 9, 1888 Died on Saturday, August 4 <sup>th</sup> , Dot Clarke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clarke, living near Imo. Dot was seven years old and died from typhoid malarial fever.
<b>COLE, DAUGHTER</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888 The eight year old daughter of Mrs. Cole died on last Friday of pneumonia.
<b>COLE, JOHN B. JR.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 29, 1888 Died on March 26 <sup>th</sup> , 1888 John B. Cole, Jr. infant son of Dr. J. K. Cole and wife aged 2 years, 4 months, and 28 days.  The two little children of the brothers John B. and Dr. J.K. Cole suffered much during their short lives. The little girl for five weeks with whooping cough and the little boy with spinal meningitis. They were both buried in Lake Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Carter at the Baptist Church.
<b>COLE, MATTIE FRANCES</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 29, 1888 Died on Thursday, March 22 <sup>nd</sup> , Mattie Frances Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, age 4 months and 28 days.
<b>COOPER, ELLEN M.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 14, 1888 Died on Wednesday, the 13 <sup>th</sup> of June at 5 o'clock p.m. Ellen M. Cooper, wife of Andy J. Cooper, near Beloit. Mrs. Cooper was 37 years of age at the time of her death. She was buried at the Steelman graveyard. She leaves four young children, the youngest only two.

<b>COPE, DAUGHTER</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 19, 1888 On Saturday W. J. Cope, living five miles west of here was in the field burning corn stalks accompanied by his four year, old daughter. The grass caught fire, burning her almost to a crisp. The little girl died on Sunday and was buried at the Oak Grove Cemetery.
<b>CRESSWELL, ESSIE</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 7, 1888 We regret to announce the death of Miss Cresswell, daughter of E. E. Cresswell of Nashville. He had taken her to Colorado in hopes of improving health but she died a few days after arriving. He arrived here Sunday with the body and proceeded to his home where the sad rites were performed.
<b>CROMWELL, JIM</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 6, 1888 We regret to announce the death of Uncle Jim Cromwell. He has been a sufferer for a long time. He was one of the early settlers of Barton county. He moved here from Indiana.
<b>CUNNINGHAM, JAS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 29, 1888 Last week G. G. Cunningham was notified that his father and mother were very ill at their home in Polk county and he immediately went there. His presence could not save his father, Jas. Cunningham, who was 82 years of age and had been a resident of Missouri since 1859 and Polk county for the past 14 years. He was buried on Sunday. George is home now, but said his mother was very ill when he left. She is now about 72 years of age.
<b>DENNIS, LENA MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 20, 1888 Mrs. Lena Dennis, daughter of Mrs. Bradstreet, died on Monday night and was buried in Lake Cemetery on Wednesday morning.
<b>DODSON, SISTER</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 2, 1888 Harmony---The painful news was received last Saturday of the death of Sister Dodson.
<b>DUNN, J. W. DR.</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 11, 1888 On last Sunday, we with others in this city first learned of the death of Dr. J.W. Dunn. He died at Olympia, Washington Territory, on the first day of October and was buried on the second, the Masonic fraternity taking charge of his remains. Not many months ago, Dr. Dunn left Lamar for the west with the hope of improving his health, but it was too late as many of his friends thought then. His family are all at Olympia and were doubtless with him at the hour of his death.
<b>ELLISON D. M.</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 12, 1888 D. M. Ellison, brother of J. O. Ellison with Robinson Bros., died Tuesday night, January 3 <sup>rd</sup> at his home near Madison, Monroe county. J. W. Ellison of Iantha, another brother went to Monroe county to attend the funeral.

<b>ELLISON, MEM</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 5, 1888 We regret to announce the death of Mem Ellison, brother-in-law of our friend Lyman Perry and son of Mr. Ellison, living at Barton City. Mem died at Golden City on Friday night and his remains were taken to Barton City for interment.
<b>EPPERSTEINER, AUGUSTA</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 26, 1888 Died at the family residence in Lamar, Missouri, July 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 1888 Mrs. Augusta Eppersteiner, aged 37 years, 11 months, and 25 days. She died of a stomach cancer and leaves her husband and two young children. She was buried on Tuesday.
<b>FAUBION, J. W.</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888 J. W. Faubion of Milford, aged 24 years, died on last Saturday of consumption.
<b>FINK, GERTURDE</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 13, 1888 Died at the residence of her father in Lamar township on Friday, December 17 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, Mrs. Gertrude Fink, wife of Robert L. Fink, aged 24 years, 11 months, and 6 days. The funeral was at the Methodist Church on Sunday. Her death was not unexpected, she died of consumption. Mr. Fink took her to Colorado, but it was too late. Mr. Fink brought her back home to spend what time she had with her friends. As a girl she was stout, hearty and looked the picture of health. There were two children born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fink, but both died in a few days after birth. Mrs. Fink's ill health dates from the birth of the second child, she began to fail and declined rapidly until her death.
<b>FINNEY, SALLIE B.</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 30, 1888 Died in Lamar, Missouri at 12:40 a.m. Monday, August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, Mrs. Sallie B. Finney, wife of Capt. W. H. Finney, aged 54 years, 10 months, and 21 days. Mrs. Finney had lived here the last few years with her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Rhodes. She was buried in Lake Cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
<b>FLEMING, LAURA</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 26, 1888 Died on July 18 <sup>th</sup> , Miss Laura Fleming, aged 17 years, daughter of W. M. Fleming near Milford. She died of consumption.
<b>FOSTER, SOPHIA</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888 Sophia Foster, daughter of Samuel Foster died on last Saturday of consumption.
<b>FULKERSON, INFANT</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 12, 1888 Fred Fulkerson was called to St. Joe lately to the bedside of his brother who was very ill. Mrs. Fulkerson in his absence was in charge of the place and upon waking she found their nine month old baby who was next to her in bed had died during the night.  Lamar Democrat, January 19, 1888 The infant son of Fred and Lida Fulkerson died January 9 <sup>th</sup> , 1888.

<b>GILLMAN, W. G. MRS.</b>	January 12, 1888 From the Golden City Herald---Mrs. W. G. Gillman of Golden City is reported as dead at her son's residence in Sedan, Kansas.
<b>GOOD, CHARLEY</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888 Died at Sheldon, on Sunday last at 2 o'clock, Charley Good, infant son of J. T. and Mollie Good, aged five months and eleven days. The little babe was buried at Lamar on Monday.
<b>GROW, G. C.</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 22, 1888 Found dead on the 17 <sup>th</sup> of November, Saturday last, by a young man named Rutherford in the creek at the Gulf railroad bridge southwest of the city, the body of a man. Judge J. P. Hall summoned the following jury of inquest W. B. Clarkson, Jos. Little, W. Wilson, S. G. Tigert, E. A. Schenck and Enos Mote. After investigation it was learned that the dead man's name was G. C. Grow, a brakeman on the Gulf railroad and that on Thursday night, November 15, while his train was going through the bridge he fell off and in falling his right cheek was badly gashed and otherwise he was bruised. The water was only 4 feet deep where he fell. If he was not killed by the fall, he was so stunned as to make himself insensible. Whether he was drowned or killed by the fall cannot be known. His body was taken to the cemetery east of town and buried.
<b>HANES, GEORGE H.</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 15, 1888 Died, November 5 <sup>th</sup> , 1888 at his parents home in Barton county, Missouri, George H., only son of J. P. and Amanda M. Hanes, aged 2 years, 8 months, and 2 days.
<b>HAYS, JESSE</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 5, 1888 Died Mrs. Jesse Hays of consumption, on Saturday, leaving a husband and 2 young children, one a babe only 4 months old. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes occupied the Bower farm about 6 miles west of Lamar.
<b>HENDERSON, C.</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 26, 1888 The passenger who died on the train last night, #304, was C. Henderson of Delhi, Osborn county, Kansas, a member of Dehli Lodge A F and A M.
<b>HICKMAN, SON</b>	March 8, 1888 The son of Major Hickman of Sheldon a well known resident of Vernon county was murdered near Del Norte by unknown parties last week. Young Hickman was engaged in the lumber business on the line between Texas and New Mexico. Harry McCutchen the past master at Sheldon, left for Del Norte in order to bring the body back home.
<b>HIXON, ERASMUS C.</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 30, 1888 Died on Sunday last at 2:30 p.m., E. C. Hixon in his 46 <sup>th</sup> year. His remains were shipped on Monday night to Marshalltown, Iowa, where the family resides. He was

	born in Ohio, the family moved to Iowa while he was still a child, he joined the army when he was 18. Geo. Hixon, his brother arrived on Monday and he and Mrs. Hixon accompanied the body. They had no children and she is virtually alone in the world. (From Probate record, his wife's name was Martha A. Hixon---BRUCE)
<b>HOFFMAN, JAS. MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 2, 1888 On last Friday night Mrs. Jas. Hoffman living near Nashville was drowned or smothered. She was riding on a load of hay being hauled by her husband when the load overturned while going through a draw and by the time he got the hay off of her she was dead.
<b>HUMPHREY, MARY E.</b>	Lamar Democrat, June 28, 1888 Died on Thursday night, at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Mary E. Humphrey, wife of J. J. Humphrey, of Lamar. There are five little children left motherless, three girls and two boys.
<b>JACKSON, THOMAS</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 6, 1888 We regret to learn of the death of Thomas Jackson, aged 50 years and also the 14 year old son of Thos. Young in a mine explosion within three hundred yards west of Morgan's State Line Shaft.
<b>JENKYNS, DAUGHTER</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 11, 1888 We regret to learn of the death of the daughter of Mr. Jenkyns of Milford. She has been suffering from typhoid fever.
<b>JOB, R. A.</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 5, 1888 R. A. Job, who lived for the past five years with Dr. I. N. Van Pelt, died at his home in Ohio, on Saturday last. His disease was consumption, he was about 29 years old.
<b>JOHNSON, IVY AMANDA</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 9, 1888 Died, on August 5 <sup>th</sup> , Ivy Amanda Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson, living on the Foster farm, just north of Lamar. She was 18 months old. Her death was caused by cholera infantum.
<b>JOHNSON, WM.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 20, 1888 John Earp received a telegram on Friday last, stating that Wm. Johnson, an uncle of Mrs. Earp, had been killed, but no particulars. He was roadmaster on a division of the Rock Island Railway in Iowa. Mrs. Jones, mother of Mrs. Earp and sister of Wm. Johnson left on Friday night for Iowa City where he met his death.
<b>JOLLY, ROBERT</b>	Lamar Democrat, April 5, 1888 We regret to learn of the death of Robert Jolly, son of E. Jolly living near Dublin. Robert was about 16 years old and was buried on Friday last at the Waters graveyard.

<p><b>KEITH, E. C.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 25, 1888  Died on the 17<sup>th</sup> inst., at his home in Lamar, E. C. Keith, aged 67 years, 9 months and 11 days. Mr. Keith came to this county from Riley county, Kansas about four months ago and located here. His remains were shipped to Clay Center for burial on the 18<sup>th</sup>. He was conscious up to the morning of his death. All his family were present except one son, A. B. Heath.</p> <p>We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who extended aid and sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father E. C. Keith.  Mrs. E. C. Keith and children</p> <p>A.B. Keith, son of E. C. Keith who died on the 17<sup>th</sup> arrived in Lamar on the 18<sup>th</sup>. He has been in the newspaper business for the past 15 years as an editor. He and his family were in Montana this summer, hence he failed to receive word of his father's illness.</p>
<p><b>KENT, MILT</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, February 9, 1888  Milt Kent, who lived on the state line, died last week and was buried on Sunday.</p>
<p><b>KISER, ISRAEL</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 5, 1888  Israel Kiser an old resident of this city has passed away at the age of 68. At his funeral Monday, by the Odd Fellows Lodge, we noticed in addition to his family, Miss Mattie Kiser of Lancaster, Ohio, Mrs. G. B. Scott, of Armondale, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harkless of Kansas City.</p>
<p><b>LEE, SARAH</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 3, 1888  Mrs. Sarah Lee, daughter of Mrs. Joe Ellis, died suddenly in Chicago on Friday last. Her sister, Mrs. Thos. Huggins and Mrs. C. H. Pool and her mother, Mrs. Ellis left on Friday afternoon for Charleston, Illinois to be present at the burial.</p>
<p><b>LIDDLE, MARY E.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 13, 1888  Died at her residence in Lamar on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, Mary E. Liddle, wife of George Liddle, aged 39 years and eight months. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church on Friday morning. She was buried at Lake Cemetery. She leaves her husband and 2 little children, one, three years old and the other just 15 months. There are but few relatives on either, side and none living here. Mr. Liddle is known as an excellent man, intelligent, industrious, sober and prosperous.</p> <p>Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888  The subject of our poem is Mary E. Liddle, consort of Geo. W. Liddle. She was born in Clay county, Missouri. She died in Lamar, on Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, at eleven o'clock p.m. in her thirty-ninth year. She gave her heart to her Savior while it was young and tender. She joined the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Barry, Clay county, Missouri, over twenty-two years ago, where she lived a consistent Christian life, among many warm friends until December 12<sup>th</sup>, 1883 at which time</p>



	<p>she married Geo. W. Liddle, her surviving husband, and moved to Barton county and settled in the spring of 1884 in Lamar, and was received into the first Presbyterian Church, of Lamar, May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1884 where she lived until her death. She leaves two small children and her husband, with many warm friends who sympathize with them in their bereavement. Her body is in the grave, but her name and memory are tenderly cherished by all who knew her. Ah yes! There is a voice heard amid the silence of her Christian tomb, more eloquent than that of the forum, her life was sufficiently long to demonstrate to all who knew her; the vitality and power of the religion she professed, her piety was shown forth in all the relations of life, whether as church member, wife, mother, or neighbor. The truth is such Christians, in one sense, never die, for their words and deeds are ever coming up before us, urging us to swifter progress and more earnest toil. "Blessed are the dead, which die in the Lord". From henceforth, yea, said the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors and their work do follow them.</p> <p>How very lonely seems our house,  Since you, dear wife have fled,  How hard to think our precious one,  Are hidden with the dead.</p> <p>And yet no murmur passed our lips,  When we resigned you up  For well we knew twas Jesus hand  That held the bitter cup.</p> <p>Yet not to thee, Oh Grave have we,  Our precious one resigned,  But to the tender arms of him,  Who doth our faith refine.</p> <p>Yet, ah we miss you! But to say  How much, all words are in vain;  Our hearts would shrink could we not feel,  Our loss has been your gain.</p>
<b>LILE, GEORGE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, March 22, 1888  George Lile, a venerable old citizen of Haines Grove, died last week at the residence of Job Reeves. Mr. Lile was an old pioneer of Barton.</p>
<b>LINDSAY, HANNAH</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, February 23, 1888  About 2 weeks ago we announced the death of Mrs. Jno. Lindsay at Carthage, relatives of the Hunt Bros. of Lamar. We regret to learn that her little daughter Hannah, aged seven years, died last Saturday.</p>

<b>MACKEY, MR.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 2, 1888 Mr. Mackey living three and one half miles south of Kenoma died Friday evening, January 28 <sup>th</sup> , of pneumonia. He leaves a wife and several children who mourn his loss.
<b>MCWILLIAMS, JOHN W.</b>	Lamar Democrat, February 23, 1888 It is with regret that we record the death of John W. McWilliams of Verdella. He came here from Iowa. He was taken ill with pneumonia about a week before his death. His father and mother arrived the day before he died and while he was conscious. His burial was postponed until Thursday, awaiting the arrival of a brother and sister. He was a cousin of B. C. McWilliams of this county.
<b>MILLS, LILLIE MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888 Died on Wednesday September 19 <sup>th</sup> , at 9:15 p.m. Mrs. Lillie Mills, wife of E. H. Mills. Mrs. Mills was 27 years of age and her husband, mother and father came here from Colorado in August last. Her death was due to typhoid fever. She was treated by Dr. Van Meter. She leaves 2 little children, one girl 8 years old and a son about 8 months old. Dr. Young of the Baptist Church performed the funeral services which was largely attended and she was buried in Lake Cemetery on Thursday. F. B. Wise, brother of Mr. Mills, from Walton, Harvey county, Kansas was here for the funeral and left on Saturday.
<b>MINNICE, MABEL</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 23, 1888 Died at 8:45 o'clock on Friday morning, Mabel Minnice, one of the twin children of Samuel J. and Mary A. Minnice, aged 9 months and 11 days. The funeral took place on Saturday at 9 o'clock in the morning. The little girl was buried in Lake Cemetery.
<b>MORRIS, ELIZABETH MRS.</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888 Died on Friday night, at 11 o'clock at the home of her son, William E. Morris, Mrs. Elizabeth Morris aged 85 years, 3 months, and 18 days. On Thursday she was taken with a chill from which she never recovered. She was born in North Carolina and moved from there to Kentucky, thence to Illinois and four years ago came to live with her son, Mr. Morris. Most of her life was spent on the frontier. She was buried on Sunday, the funeral service being preached by Rev. Burr.
<b>NEAS, ETTIE</b>	Lamar Democrat, March 8, 1888 Died on February 27 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, Ettie, daughter of Jacob Neas, age eleven years. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Burr and her form laid away in Lake Cemetery.     John Beam
<b>NEWLIN, H TAYLOR</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 25, 1888 Died at his father's residence in Lamar, on October 19 <sup>th</sup> inst., H. Taylor Newlin, aged 19 years, 6 months, and 19 days. He was buried on the 20 <sup>th</sup> and a large concourse followed his remains to the cemetery.

<b>O'DONNELL, P.</b>	Lamar Democrat, October 25, 1888 Died, on Monday night, at twenty minutes after twelve, P. O'Donnell. Mr. O'Donnell came to Lamar about 18 months ago and bought the building in which he has been running the Vienna bakery and gun shop. Last Thursday he was taken sick and kept continually growing worse until he died. The immediate cause of death was rupture. Just before death he spoke of his two sons and two daughters who live in Aurora, Illinois. He came here from Salina, Kansas with several thousand dollars and has made money since he came here.
<b>OFFUTT, JAMES</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888 James Offutt living southwest of Lamar died of typhus pneumonia on last Saturday night.
<b>PALMER, LEONA</b>	Lamar Democrat, July 26, 1888 Died on Monday, Miss Leona Palmer, aged 16 years, daughter of Squire Palmer, residing near Kenoma, of consumption.
<b>PARRY, CHATTIE</b>	Lamar Democrat, December 13, 1888 The announcement of the death of Miss Chattie Parry, on last Thursday morning, was not wholly unexpected to friends of the family. She suffered from a complication of diseases and her friends realized she couldn't last long. She was aged 22 years, 11 months and 6 days. The funeral took place at the Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon. A long line of carriages and buggies followed her remains to Lake Cemetery.  Died at her home in Lamar, at 1 o'clock Thursday morning, December 6 <sup>th</sup> of heart disease and general disability, Chattie A., daughter of Joseph C. and Nancy Parry, age 22 years, 11 months, and 6 days.
<b>PITTENGER, MARY</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 12, 1888 We learned from E. E. Cresswell and Frank Wise who came to Lamar after the coffin on Friday last, of the death of little Mary, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Pittenger. Her disease was diphtheria.
<b>PORTER, ELLA</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 12, 1888 Died, southwest of Esrom early Wednesday morning, January 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, after intense suffering for two weeks, little Ella, infant daughter of K and R. Porter, aged 1 year and 1 month.
<b>PUGH, EDWARD</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 9, 1888 Died on August 3, Edward Pugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Pugh, living on the Stephens farm, southeast of Lamar. The little fellow was only seven months old. His death was caused by cholera.

<b>REX, MARY</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 27, 1888  J. W. Rex telegraphed his brothers on Saturday that their sister Mary, living in Ohio was very ill and not expected to live. Robert Rex left on Sunday and G. W. Rex of Jasper City left on Wed.</p> <p>Later news—She died on Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 1888. All three brothers were present.</p>
<b>RICHARDSON, JOHN M. MRS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 30, 1888  Mrs. John M. Richardson, wife of Col. Richardson, well known in this county, died at Abilene, Kansas on Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>.</p>
<b>RYAN, ALLIE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 2, 1888  Died on Wednesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 1888, Miss Allie Ryan, aged 20 years. She was sick only a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan were in Colorado at the time of their daughter's death.</p>
<b>SHEPHERD, SARA M.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, August 2, 1888  Died on Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 1888, at the Commercial House in Lamar, Missouri, Sara M. Shepherd, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Shepherd, aged 10 months and 20 days. The little child was buried in Lamar cemetery on Sunday.</p>
<b>SMITH, INFANT</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 25, 1888  A three year old child of Wm. Smith, at the Pacific Coal works near the town of Minden Mines, about 20 miles west of here fell into a cistern Monday evening and was drowned.</p>
<b>SNYDER, ASA</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 3, 1888  Asa Snyder, son of N. K. Snyder, aged 18 years while visiting relatives in Kahka, Clark county, Missouri, met his death by accident on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April by falling from a scaffold. He was engaged in painting the Baptist Church and the scaffold he was standing on gave way. Asa was well known in the county as he and his parents resided here for many years. They are now living in Eldorado Springs, while a large number of relatives still live in this county.</p>
<b>SPEECE, B. F.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 26, 1888  Died in Lamar on Tuesday morning, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 1888 B. F. Speece aged 51 years. He was a member of McCook Post GAR.</p>
<b>STEELMAN, DAVID</b>	<p>Lamar Missouri, May 24, 1888  On last Wednesday evening David Steelman, Mr. Manning and Dr. Speece went to the creek with the purpose of setting a trammel net. The creek was high and the boat upset and Steelman went down within a few feet of the bank. He was in about 10 feet of water and only came up once and said "Oh, Oh " and was never seen again. Manning was saved by the efforts of Dr. Speece. Manning was purple when pulled</p>

	<p>from the water and said the first thing he remembered was Dr. Speece rubbing him. The body was searched for that night but it took some hours work on Thursday to find it where he had sank. There were 200 people present and most of those friends with David Steelman, the genial station agent for the Missouri Pacific Railroad at Beloit. Young Steelman was about 22 years old and his family well known all over the county.</p>
<b>STEPHENSON, PETER</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 3, 1888  Died on Thursday morning, April 26<sup>th</sup>, 1888 at his home five miles northeast of Golden City, Peter Stephenson, aged 70 years and 17 days. Deceased was born in Kentucky on the 9<sup>th</sup> of March 1818. He moved to Indiana in 1838. He moved to Holt county, Missouri and resided there for 27 years. In 1865 he moved to Dade county. He leaves a wife and two sons, one of his daughters, Mrs. L. Capron, is now living in Lamar.</p>
<b>TEETER, HARRY</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 22, 1888  The following is in memory of Harry Teeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Teeter, who died Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 1888. A poem followed this.</p>
<b>THORNTON, SADIE</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 26, 1888  Died on July 18<sup>th</sup>, Sadie Thornton, daughter of John Thornton, aged 10 months. Mr. Thornton lives in Union township.</p>
<b>THURMAN, MR.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January, 19, 1887  Just as we go to press last, we learned of the death of Mr. Thurman, father of our fellow citizen, B. G. Thurman, who was present during the last days of his illness.</p>
<b>TILFORD, W. M.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 18, 1888  Died on Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, in Lamar, W. M. Tilford, 61 years of age. The deceased was born in Washington county, Indiana and came to Missouri last April and made this his home. The immediate cause of death was heart disease. He was buried in Lake Cemetery, the burial being largely attended.</p>
<b>TRIPLETT, EPHRAIM</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, January 12, 1888  Ephraim Triplett lost his life at Bellville last week. Cause, fall in a mine shaft.</p>
<b>VANHUN, G.L.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, September 20, 1888  From S. F. Rader, we learn of the death of his brother-in-law G. L. Vanhun at his home in Tennessee last week. Murdered by 2 men who rented part of his land.</p>
<b>WALKER, EMMA</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 11, 1888  Died on October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1888, Emma Walker, aged five years, daughter of Casper Walker, living near Milford.</p>

<p><b>WALKER, H. J. DR.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 4, 1888  Died on Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, at his home in Lamar, Dr. H. J. Walker, in the 75<sup>th</sup> year of his age. Dr. Walker was an independent thinker and had not practiced medicine for years. He was highly respected and will be missed. He was buried in Lake Cemetery on Monday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.</p>
<p><b>WALSH, MARY MRS.</b></p>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 27, 1888  Mrs. Mary Walsh died at the residence of her son in law, Mr. L. Shuster on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the 84<sup>th</sup> year of her age. The lady was born in County Antrim, Ireland and came to the country in 1828, and resided in Indiana county, Pennsylvania. She was the mother of ten children, six of whom survive her. They are Mrs. J. K. Anderson, of Lamar, Missouri, Mrs. L. A. Calhoun of McKeesport; Mrs. L. Shuster, of New Brighton; J. E. Walsh of Cattaragus county, New Jersey; W. E. Walsh of McKeesport; and C. W. Walsh of Allegheny City. There are 31 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. Mrs. Anderson and family were the only ones that could not be present at the funeral, which occurred on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Grove Cemetery. Revs. Jordan and Conway officiating. Her six grandsons acted as pallbearers. They were Janus, George and Bert Calhoun, Charles and Lewis Shuster, and Charles H. Walsh. Mrs. Walsh lived to a good old age, retained her faculties in a remarkable degree and died a good Christian, having been a member of Union Methodist Church, Allegheny, for a number of years. Her loss will be mourned by many friends.</p> <p>Darling mother thou hast left us,  Gone to brighter worlds on high;  Gone to meet our other loved ones  While our hearts with sorrow sigh.</p> <p>Thy loving hands are gently folded  On thy cold and silent breast  Thou art gone from us forever  To thy long and peaceful rest.</p> <p>But we look to God for comfort  Earthly help is all in vain  And we hear the Still Voice whisper  Do my will-thou'll meet again</p> <p>We shall miss thy form so aged  With the toils and cares of life:  We shall miss thy trembling footstep  In this busy world of strife.</p> <p>But we must not weep for mother  Must not call her back again</p>

	<p>For we know she now is happy In a land all free from pain.</p> <p>We our last farewell have uttered And our tears of sorrow shed, Mothers gone from earth to heaven She is numbered with the dead.</p> <p>Composed and written December 17<sup>th</sup>, by her granddaughter, L. Lane Davis-Brighton (Pa) Leader.</p>
<b>WATERFIELD, WILLARD F.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, November 29, 1888 Died at the residence of B. R. Cheathan, in Washington county, Arkansas, on the 20<sup>th</sup> of November, 1888, Willard F. Waterfield, aged 28 years and 7 days. His death was caused by typhoid fever.</p>
<b>WEBB, TOWNSEND MRS.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, December 13, 1888 Died on Tuesday night, 11:45 p.m., Mrs. Townsend Webb, aged 33 years, 11 months, and 18 days. She had been suffering for several years with consumption and her death was not unexpected. She leaves one child Dolly, 13 years old. Her sisters are Mrs. Geo. Pool, Mrs. A Tullock, and one brother Arthur Pullum. She has 2 half brothers, A. B. Pullum at Chatanooga, Tennessee engaged in railroad business and another, Wm Pullum who farms near Frisco, Arkansas. She accepted work at the Missourian and this office prior to her marriage to Mr. Webb. She was a rapid composer and delighted in the work. After the marriage she quit the office but would often work short times on visits. Then her health began to fail, Mr. Webb sent her to El Paso, Texas, her mother, Mrs. Pullum accompanying her. Finding no relief she returned and before her health failed she selected her own coffin and made all arrangements for her burial. Funeral services will take place from the residence on Friday at 3 p.m.</p>
<b>WEBSTER, L.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, October 11, 1888 Judge Bates received a telegram on Monday morning that L. Webster of Wichita, Kansas was dead. Mr. Webster was a brother of Mrs. Bates and was known here by our businessmen. Judge Bates left for Wichita on Monday evening and Mrs. Webster will probably return with him and remain here a couple of months.</p>
<b>WERNER, F. C. REV.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, July 12, 1888 Died at Baileyville, Illinois, on Monday, July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1888, Rev. F. C. Werner in his 74<sup>th</sup> year. Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church in Lamar, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Saturday last. The Rev. Werner was the father of Mrs. Dunwoody, of Lamar, and was buried in our cemetery.</p>
<b>WILKINS, C. T.</b>	<p>Lamar Democrat, May 3, 1888 C. T. Wilkins, a well known citizen living east of Lamar about 8 miles, fell dead on</p>

	Monday while plowing in his field. Mr. Wilkins was 70 years of age, but he didn't look to be more than fifty. He leaves a large family, mostly grown.
<b>WILLIAMS, GUY</b>	Lamar Democrat, November 29, 1888 Died at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Williams, near Kenoma, on Wednesday, September 19 <sup>th</sup> , 1888, little Guy Williams, aged four months, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Williams.
<b>WILSON, NANCY</b>	Lamar Democrat, January 26, 1888 Died on Tuesday evening, January 24 <sup>th</sup> , at her home five miles northwest of Lamar, Mrs. Nancy Wilson, wife of W. W. Wilson. She was buried at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday.
<b>YOUNG, SON</b>	Lamar Democrat, September 6, 1888 We regret to learn of the death of Thomas Jackson, aged 50 years and also the 14 year old son of Thos. Young in a mine explosion within three hundred yards west of Morgan's State Line Shaft.

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