ADAMS, E. A.	Lamar Democrat, October 6, 1892
	Died in Lamar, on Monday, the 10 <sup>th</sup> inst. at the home of Luke Williams, E. A.
	Adams, the father of Mrs. Williams. The deceased was 56 years of age and at the
	time of his death was making his home with Mrs. Williams. His wife died in
	Colorado about 3 months ago and he immediately after came to Missouri,
	accompanied by his daughter, Miss Retta Adams. His body was shipped to Appleton
	City and was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Williams and his daughter.
ADDISON,	Lamar Democrat, October 27, 1892
NANCY MRS.	We regret to record the death of Mrs. Nancy Addison, 67 years old, at her home near
	the Cherry Grove schoolhouse in Doylesport township. Mrs. Addison came to
	Barton county in 1867, and has continuously resided here ever since. She was a
	member of the Presbyterian church and has been for many years. She leaves a family
	of 7 children all grown. She was buried at Doylesport on Tuesday at 11 a.m. From
	week to week we record the passing away of the old pioneers of Barton county. Mrs.
	Addison had lived a life full of usefulness. May she rest in peace.
ARMSTRONG, J.	Lamar Democrat, April 7, 1892
A. MRS.	Died, on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> of April 1892, at her home, Mrs. E. J. Armstrong, aged 58 years.
	Her remains were shipped to Petersburg, Illinois for burial.
ASHCRAFT, E. S.	Lamar Democrat, February 18, 1892
	E. S. Ashcraft was killed in a mine at Webb City on the 15 <sup>th</sup> inst. by a rock following
	on him.

AVERY,	Lamar Democrat, March 17, 1892
<b>MARRIETTA</b>	Died at her home, 5 miles east of Lamar on Friday, March 11 <sup>th</sup> , about 2 o'clock a.m.,
	Mrs. Samuel G. Avery, aged 61 years, 2 months, and 2 days. The announcement of
	the death of Mrs. Avery was a shock to the people of the county, among whom she
	had lived for so many years, and who had friends and acquaintances in every
	township. Her disease was pneumonia and her illness lasted during one short week.
	Mrs. Avery was formerly Miss Marrietta Davis, and was born January 9 <sup>th</sup> , 1831 at
	Miles, Cass county, Michigan and was the first white child born in that city. While
	yet a child, her parents moved with her to Stark county, Illinois. She married to
	Samuel G. Avery, October 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 1851. Mr. and Mrs. Avery came to Barton county in
	the fall of 1868, and the family resided here since. There was born to Mr. and Mrs.
	Avery 10 children, 5 boys and 5 girls, of whom all are living, save 1 daughter who
	died in her infancy soon after the family came to this county. The other children are
	all grown. Mrs. Avery was an educated lady and while taking charge of a large
	family, never lost her interest in books and papers. In years past she contributed able
	articles to this paper that attracted marked attention. She was an earnest member of
	the Christian Church for the past 35 years. She lived a Christian in her daily walk
	and conversation. She died a Christian feeling "It is well with my soul". The funeral
	services were held at the home and were conducted by the Rev. C. V. Criss, of the
	Methodist Church and these services were very sad and most impressive. The choir
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	composed of Mrs. G. E. Patrick, Miss Cordie McBride, J. M. Dye, and Wm. Clarkson, sang some beautiful pieces. Miss Ella Pigall was the organist. The procession was the largest ever witnessed in this county, and if arranged would have been a full half mile in length. Her body was buried in the Fairview Cemetery, near her home, and her soul has been wafted to God, who gave it.
AYERS,	Lamar Democrat, August 4, 1892
EVERETT	Everett Ayers, son of G. W. Ayers of Manhattan Kansas was drowned on Tuesday in the river and word was telegraphed to his sister, who has gone to Manhattan. His father and family lived here for a number of years and Everett was well known in Lamar.
BACON, CLARA	Lamar Democrat, March 10, 1892
	We regret to record the death of Miss Clara Bacon, daughter of W. S. Bacon, living south of Lamar. Miss Bacon was 19 years of age and had many friends.
BAUGH, JAMES	Lamar Democrat, September 22, 1892
н.	James H. Baugh, of Newport township, died on Wednesday night at 8:30 after a painful illness of 9 weeks. He leaves a wife and 3 grown sons. He was buried on Friday by the Masonic fraternity. Mr. Baugh was a member of Milford Lodge AF & AM, and they had charge of his funeral. The Lamar lodge aided their brethren in their sad duty. The family have the sympathy of the community.

# BEATTY, FRANK

Lamar Democrat, June 16, 1892

Frank Beatty, both deaf and dumb, was struck by a locomotive on the Missouri Pacific Railroad on Thursday evening {about 1-1/2 miles north of Lamar} about 7:30 p.m., and instantly killed. This train was put on lately and Frank was not aware of it, though he knew well the time of arrival of all the other trains. At the time of his death, his father who is in the employ of Mr. Tamblyn was at Greenfield, his brother Howard was at Kenoma, and his mother was visiting relatives in Ohio. Frank was occupying the home and taking care of it. Having a fondness for fishing, he went to the north bridge Thursday morning for that purpose. He had been quite successful, and was on his return home with his dinner bucket, string of fish and three poles when he was struck by the train. He was near the water and electric plant, walking on the track at the time. From the best information we can get, we learn that the cowcatcher struck him near the ankle on the right leg, violently throwing him up and back, the back of his head being crushed against the front of the locomotive. In this position he was carried fully 50 feet and rolled off at the side of the track. Frank had been cautioned by his parents to keep off the track but on this occasion he neglected their many warnings. He was a bright young man and was well known by everyone in Lamar. Not withstanding his affliction he was always cheerful and industrious. In the care of stock, he was almost a wonder, the horses and cattle soon learned his ways, and the sounds he made, though he could not talk. He delighted to attend all kinds of meetings and entertainment, and when others laughed he enjoyed it as much as anyone. He was buried on Sunday afternoon. The funeral services

being conducted by Rev. Ashley, at the Methodist Church, at 2 o'clock. McCook Camp, No 114, Sons of Veterans, of which he had been a member ever since its organization, having charge of the ceremonies. And the crowd that attended testified to the kind feeling that the people had for the poor boy. His death was so sudden that he knew not what hurt him; never felt a pain. He enjoyed life, and we had hoped that he could be spared for many years to come. Let us hope that when he awoke in the great beyond, where He reigns supreme, that his faculties were fully restored, and that he could not only hear the angels sing their sweet songs, but could join them in praise of Him who doeth all things well, and that his death will be as a link in the chain, that will bind the family on Earth to the son in Heaven.

BELL, LORAL T.	Lamar Democrat, July 21, 1892
	Died at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Ferguson, Tuesday morning at 12:55, Loral T. Bell, aged 20 years, 11 months, and 19 days. The funeral services were held this
	afternoon, (Wednesday) at the residence above mentioned, at 2 o'clock, interment at
I	Lake Cemetery. Loral Bell was an exemplary young man, and commanded the
	respect and friendship of all who knew him. He came here perhaps 2 years ago, and up to the time of his sickness, was an efficient clerk at Ryan and Kennedys. His
	sister was here and waited upon him during the latter part of his illness, doing all in
	her power to make him as comfortable as possible, little thinking when she came
	that his earthly career was so near at an end. His mother arrived from Kansas City about 25 minutes before death came, but too late to be recognized by her son. The
	mother and sister have the sympathy of all who have met either them or the departed
l l	boy.
BERGH, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, May 12, 1892
	Mrs. Bergh, whose husband deserted her some years ago at Milford, Missouri died
	on Saturday last, and was buried on Monday. She was very poor, as her worthless husband disposed of what little property they had when he left. John Moran kindly
	gave his services and secured everything necessary for her burial.
ŕ	Lamar Democrat, December 8, 1892
I	Hubert Berry, son of his parents, southwest of Lamar, died on the 5 <sup>th</sup> inst.
BLAKE, I	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
	A little daughter of Wm. and Dollie Blake of Pedro, aged 14 months drank some
	concentrated lye on Wednesday and died on Thursday. She suffered terribly.
BLEVANS, I	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892
	Died at her home in Richland township on January 8 <sup>th</sup> at 3:30 a.m. at the age of 42
	years, 6 months, and 5 days, Mrs. M. F. Blevans, wife of R. B. Blevans. She leaves a husband and 8 children to mourn her death, who have the heart felt sympathies of
t	their neighbors and friends. She died as she had lived, in the triumph of Christian
f	faith, and the true consolation of the family is that they can go to her.

	What have will not a wall or
	Whats home without a mother,
	What are the joys we meet;
	When her loving smiles no longer,
	Greet the coming of our feet.
	The days seem long, the nights are dreary
	But times roll slowly on;
	Oh how few are childhood pleasures
	When her gentle call is gone W. W. P.
BLOOM,	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
BELZORA	Died on Tuesday, February 9 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 at her home in Barton City township, at 7
	o'clock a. m., Mrs. Belzora Bloom, wife of Emmett Bloom, after an illness of three
	weeks, at the age of 39 years and 7 months.
	Past the struggle, past the pain
	Cease to weep, for tears are vain,
	Calm the tumult of the breast
	She who suffered is at rest. E. C. J.
BOLES, LEVI J.	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892
	Levi J. Boles, aged 72 years living in Milford township died on the 1 <sup>st</sup> of February. He leaves a large family, all grown. Mr. Boles for many years was quite a prominent man in this county. Of late he has taken no active part in county matters. He was largely connected in the township and highly respected by all who knew him. All of the older citizens of this county knew him personally.
BOSS, MATTIE	Lamar Democrat, August 18, 1892
BOSS, WATTE	Miss Mattie Boss, daughter of our friend, Fred T. Boss, died on the 15 <sup>th</sup> inst. Mattie was only 11 years old. She was not only a beautiful child, but even at that early age she had made many friends, who loved her dearly. We extend out sympathy to the family.
BOYER, DR.	Lamar Democrat, October 6, 1892
	Dr. Boyer, father of Mrs. John Jackson, died at Sedalia about 2 weeks ago. Mrs. Jackson and daughter Miss Willa went to Sedalia to attend the funeral and returned on last Sunday.
BRICE, INFANT	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
,	We regret to announce the death of the little 2 month old child of John Brice living near Iantha.

BRITSCH, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, February 25, 1892 U. L. Britsch and family left on Thursday for Linden, Indiana. Mr. Britsch has proved himself a good citizen and his removal has been caused by the death of his

	wife. We are sorry to lose him from the county.
BROADHURST, SARAH E.	Lamar Democrat, January 7, 1892 The death of Sarah E. Broadhurst, the seven year old daughter of John Broadhurst, of Milford, was particularly sad. She had been sick for some time past, and while sitting at the breakfast table last week she died in her chair and her body fell to the floor before anyone could react.
BROCKMAN, HEARTSELL J.	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892 Died, at Kenoma, June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 1892 Heartsell J. Brockman, son of John and Mary Brockman, aged 3 years. One more fair flower of earth has perished in its purity; has faded, withered and been destroyed by the ruthless grasp of death. One more sparkling gem has been transferred from its territorial casket of royal coronet beyond the grave. To the fond father and devoted mother of the departed we offer out heartfelt condolences. Bereaved friends allay your withering grief. Find consolation in the sublime thought that beyond this life there is a higher, holier, purer existence, a sphere as yet revealed not unto us, but unto others gone before. The etherial {sic} prescence {sic} of your lovely child may now be hovering around your lonely hearth, a guardian angel and a ministering spirit, whose glory may not be revealed to mortal vision. Life is but a breath, and time an atom in the vast ocean of eternity. A few short years and your home circle will be gloriously reunited and forever.
BUFTON, DAUGHTER	Lamar Democrat. August 11, 1892 We learn that a daughter of Billy Bufton died on Tuesday morning of typhoid fever. She was 13 years of age and a most excellent girl.
BULLARD, C.M. MRS.	Lamar Democrat, November 10, 1892 Mrs. C. M. Bullard, aged 22 years, died this week.
CANTERBERRY, BERT	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892 Bert Canterberry, aged 23 years, died last week of typhoid fever. He lived about 4 miles south of Lamar.
CHAPMAN. MRS.	Lamar Democrat. February 11, 1892 The death of Mrs. Chapman, at the age of 70 years, living about 7 miles southwest of Lamar, was reported on Thursday. She was buried on Friday at Oak Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Chapman had been a resident of Barton county for 18 years and was a most excellent lady.

CHURCHWARD, JOE	Lamar Democrat, March 31, 1892 Uncle Joe Churchward, of Nashville is dead. He has gone to rest, and he knew what was rest in the world. We have known him for a number of years, as an active busy blacksmith. On Wednesday morning he was missed from his shop, and his friends found him in his humble abode dead. They unite in saying it was heart disease, but
	whatever his disease may have been, Uncle Joe, in his shanty, alone with his God,
	rendered his account for deeds done in the body. There were no kind lips to kiss the fevered brow, no gentle hand of loving woman to administer to his wants, no soothing voice to cheer and console him, as he entered the Valley of the Shadow of Death. But he had many hearts glad during life. His manner was bluff, but his purse strings were loose, his heart large and generous. Who of us will pass judgment on Joe Churchward? He had his failings, who of us all are perfect? Peace to Uncle Joe. May the good that he has done more than balance his account and his life in the next world prove more delightful that the few short years he spent here.
COPE, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, August 25, 1892 Mrs. Cope, a sister of Mrs. A. J. Heinlein, died at her home a few miles north of Lamar, on Monday morning.
CRAIG, CHILD	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892 The little son of Emmett Craig died on January 31st. Mr. Craig resides in Doylesport and has the sympathy of all his neighbors.
CROMWELL, MOSE	Lamar Democrat, March 10, 1892 Uncle Mose Cromwell, one of the old landmarks of Barton county, died last week, and was buried in the old graveyard, east of town. Uncle Mose was known all over the county, he had lived here for many years. He had raised quite a family. For the last four years he had been a great sufferer from rheumatism, and his face, once so familiar on our streets, will be sadly missed.  Cromwell obit continued His death was not a surprise, as all knew of his serious illness, which combined with
	his many years, was unable to withstand the ordeal.
CROW, G.W.	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892 Judge G. W. Crow of Jasper county is dead. He had a large acquaintance in this county.
CROY, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, March 3, 1892 Mrs. Croy wife of Squire Croy, of Sheldon and daughter of Squire Legg, formerly of this county, died at her home in Sheldon last Wednesday.

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CURLESS,	Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892
NETTIE	Died May 21st, Nettie Curless, aged 14 years, 6 months, and 3 days. Nettie was the
	daughter of Joe Curless, one of Liberal's most substantial and respected citizens. Her
	illness was long and very severe.
DAUBIN, VERNA	Lamar Democrat, July 14, 1892
ETHEYLN	Died in Lamar, at 1:45 a.m. on Saturday July 9 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Verna Ethelyn Daubin, the
	infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Daubin, The funeral took place from the
	family residence on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Rev Hendrix officiated and his remarks
	were beautiful and eloquent. The song service was fine. A large number of friends of
	the family were in attendance, and a long line of carriages followed the remains of
	little Verna to Lake Cemetery. She was aged 11 months, and 19 days. She had been
	quite ill for several weeks and her death was not wholly unexpected. Mr. and Mrs.
	Daubin have the sympathy of this entire community.
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DAVIS,	Lamar Democrat, September 8, 1892
WILLIAM F.	Col. William D. Davis, of Vernon county, died at his house on Sunday morning last,
	from an overdose of morphine administered by himself, but with no suicidal intent.
DEVINE, ODNA	Lamar Democrat, July 21, 1892
	Died near Flora, Oregon, June 15 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Odna Devine, born in Barton county,
	Missouri, December 7 <sup>th</sup> , 1889 and died at the time and place above stated, age two
	years, 6 months, and 8 days. The circumstances attending her death were most
	painful, Mr. Devine being absent from home at the time. He left home, Monday
	morning for Grand Bonde, supposing the family to be in perfect health. Soon after
	he left it was discovered that Odna was not well, but it was thought not to be serious.
	The next morning however, the symptoms were more alarming and a messenger was
	sent for Mr. Devine, but before he reached home his little child had passed away.
	We laid her to rest in the new cemetery to await the resurrection morning. She is not
	dead but gone before. May God's sustaining grace be with the parents and enable
	them to bear up under this severe affliction, and may His Holy Spirit guide them into
	the way of all truth and bring them all, father, mother, brother and sister to a happy
	reunion with little Odna in the sweet bye and bye. G. A. Eddleman
DEY, EDIN	Lamar Democrat, May 19, 1892
	Died May 14 <sup>th</sup> , Edin Dey, aged eleven years.

DONAHOO, DR.	September 22, 1892
	Dr. Donahoo, a well known businessman of Medoc, Jasper county dropped dead at the supper table at his home one day last week. He was a stout, robust, healthy man, and his sudden call was a great shock to the community. The Doctor was well known in the southwest part of this county. He was a very wealthy man as well as an energetic, pushing man. We have many kind recollections of the Doctor. He was buried in the cemetery at Joplin.
DUVALL, C.	Lamar Democrat, April 21, 1892 C. Duvall, of Milo, was killed by a northbound Pacific train, near Nassau Junction, on Saturday at 7:30 p.m. He had been drinking heavily and gave no heed to the warning whistle. He was killed instantly.
DYE, EARL	Lamar Democrat. April 14, 1892 Earl Dye son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Rader, of Doylesport township died April 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 and was buried at Lake View Cemetery next day. The burial services were conducted by Rev. J. L. Goodman, of the Lutheran Church. "Suffer little children to come unto me".

EARLL, IDA	Lomor Domocrat August 25, 1902
<u>'</u>	Lamar Democrat, August 25, 1892
MRS.	From the Galena Oracle we learn that Mrs. Ida Earll died at the home of T. S.
	Powell, on the 15 <sup>th</sup> of August. Mrs. Ida Earll will be remembered as the widow of
	Lee Earll. She lived here a number of years.
ELLIOTT, E. A.	Lamar January 21, 1892
	E. A. Elliott, of Carthage, at one time a citizen of Lamar and related to Ed McVey
	by marriage, died at his home in that city on Wednesday.
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ELMORE, JOHN	Lamar Democrat, September 1, 1892
MRS.	Died at her home on Monday, August 29 <sup>th</sup> , one half mile north of Forest Grove
	Church, Mrs. John Elmore, aged 35 years. She leaves a family of 5 children.
	Charen, 1915. John Emiore, agea 33 years. She leaves a raining of 3 emiaren.
ESTES,	Lamar Democrat, September 29, 1892
BARTLETT	Died on Saturday last, Bartlett Estes, aged 2 years and 17 months. The parents live
	north of Milford.
	norm of Hamiora.
FAST, WILLIAM	Lamar Democrat, May 26, 1892
	Died at his home in Barton City township on Thursday the 19 <sup>th</sup> inst., William Fast,
	son of J. B. Fast. He was buried in the cemetery in Barton City.

FERRILL,	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
WILLIAM MRS.	Mrs. William Ferrill, the subject of this sketch, was born near Blaustown, Henry county, Missouri, December 6 <sup>th</sup> , 1843. She was married to William Ferrill, October 28 <sup>th</sup> , 1866, with whom she lived an exemplary life as wife, mother, and friend. Died of pneumonia fever, after a short illness, January 30 <sup>th</sup> , 1892. Just reached that golden noon tide of life as well as usefulness, she was called to Him whom she had been trusting, having professed religion while yet a girl, it enabled her to live a life, as wife and neighbor, worthy of imitation. She was laid to rest in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Sunday evening at 2 o'clock after services at the church. Besides husband and family, she leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss, untimely to the world, but a gain to the ransomed. R. B. B. Henry county paper please copy
FOLKER, J. H.	Lamar Democrat, April 21, 1892
MRS.	Died April 14 <sup>th</sup> , at 7 o'clock a.m. of apoplexy of the heart, Mrs. J. H. Folker, at her home in this city. Mrs. Folker was born in Witzel county, West Virginia in 1836. She came with her parents to Van Buren county, Iowa, in the spring of 1848. At the age of 17 years she was married to John Folker. They moved to Clark county, Missouri and made a home there, where they continued to thrive and live prosperously, till they came to Barton county in 1889. Here they purchased an elegant home and remained there to avoid the cold winds of Iowa. Mrs. Folker was 56 years of age at the time of her death; the mother of 9 children, only 4 of whom are left to mourn the loss of an indulgent mother. The maiden name of Mrs. Folker was Ross, daughter of Aaron and Polly Ross. She was a member of the Methodist Church, confessing her faith in Christ at the age of 20 years. She was a devoted wife,

	a loving mother, a true friend and an exemplary Christian. She had made friends of all who knew her; all loved her for her sterling virtues and unostentatious character. This community extends their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.
FREDINBURG,	Lamar Democrat, August 25, 1892
GEORGE	George, infant son of W. F. Fredinburg, living on the Parley Bingham place, died last
	week.
<b>FUQUA, CLAUD</b>	Lamar Democrat, August 4, 1892
	Claud, infant son of S. S. and E. V. Fuqua, died of cholera infantum on the 25 <sup>th</sup> inst.
	Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood in their
	bereavement.
GALLOWAY,	Lamar Democrat, October 13, 1892
ALLEN MRS.	Allen Galloway and three children, living on the J. K. Anderson farm, north of
	Lamar, are reported as ill with the fever. Later—Mrs. Galloway died on Tuesday
	morning.

GARRETT,	Lamar Democrat, September 29, 1892
JOHN	John Garrett who was instantly killed at the Gulf yards in Kansas City on
	Wednesday last was buried by the Order of Select Friends on Thursday at the Waters graveyard in Northfork township. We learn that he was insured in this order for the
	sum of \$2000.00 that will be promptly paid. He had been a member of his order
	about 5 months. He leaves a wife and one child. The burial ceremony was conducted
	by Dr. Griffin, who is Chaplain of the Lodge. This is the first death in the Lodge at
	Lamar.
GARRETT, RAY	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892
<b>C.</b>	Died at the residence of G. W. B. Garrett in Lamar, on Thursday June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , Ray C.
	Garrett, infant son of Mrs. J. S. Garrett, at the age of 2 years, 8 months, and 3 days.
	The little fellow was sick for several weeks and medical skill failed to alleviate his
	suffering or stop the progress of his disease. Death came to his relief at last and the
	little boy is free from pain, he has passed away, his soul has returned to God, who
	gave it, and his body is put away in the cemetery. Life after all is full of sorrow.
	Some days must be dark and dreary, but the sunlight of Hope, dissipates the clouds,
	gives new life to all who believe in Him who ruleth {sic} over all. More especially
	so in this case, for we have the promise "Suffer little children for to come unto me,
	and forbid them not, for such is the kingdom of heaven".
GEALY, J. T.	Lamar Democrat, May 19, 1892
MRS.	The sudden death of Mrs. J. T. Gealy, which occurred yesterday afternoon, was an
TVIII.	event, the announcement of which will be received with sadness by her many
	friends. Mrs. Emma Conrad Gealy was born in Michigan, and was 30 years of age at
	the time of her death. Funeral services will be conducted at the Cumberland
	Presbyterian Church today at 3 p.m. The grief stricken family have the condolence

	and sympathy of the community.
GIPSON, J. N.	Lamar Democrat, December 22, 1892 J. N. Gipson, a member of the Odd Fellows, met with a horrible death at Mt. Vernon last Tuesday, the 13 <sup>th</sup> inst. He was engaged in the restaurant business, and at 10 o'clock at night while handling a lamp, it upset on him and he was fatally burned, dying within 26 hours. He had only lived at Mt. Vernon about a year, having previously resided in Butler, Bates county.
GREENE,	Lamar Democrat, January 21, 1892
JOSEPH	Died on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock Joseph Greene, aged 57 years, and 7 days. His disease was pneumonia. He leaves a wife and 2 daughters. Mr. Greene was well known to most of the people in Lamar. He was a member of the A. O. U. W. and this order took charge of his funeral Tuesday. His membership in the Workman's Lodge gives his widow and children \$2000.00

GRESHAM, WM. REV.	Lamar Democrat, September 22, 1892 Rev. Wm. Gresham, a Baptist minister, aged 28 years, living near Nevada, ate fifty castor beans on the advice of a friend, on account of stomach trouble. He died on the 14 <sup>th</sup> inst. from the effects of it.
GRIFFITH. SARAH	Lamar Democrat, October 20, 1892 Miss Sarah Griffith aged 80 years, died last week. Mrs. Griffith's husband was a Mason and the Masons had contributed to her relief in many instances. She was connected by marriage with quite a number of people of this county. She had lived out the full measures of her days and they had been days of usefulness. "Blessed are the dead, who died in the Lord".
HAMILTON, CLAUDE	Lamar Democrat, August 18, 1892 Claude Hamilton infant son of J. B. Hamilton aged 9 weeks, died on the 11 <sup>th</sup> inst.
HANSICKER, FRANK	Lamar Democrat, February 18, 1892 Frank Hansicker of Carthage, while toying with a loaded revolver shot himself through the lungs and died in a few moments.
HARRAH, SARAH ANN	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892 Sarah Ann Harrah died on the 7 <sup>th</sup> inst. at the age of 70 years.
HARRIS, BESSIE	Lamar Democrat, September 1, 1892 Died, on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> of August, at the home of her parents in Minden, little Bessie Harris, the beautiful child of Thomas and Joanna Harris. At the time of her death, she was 7 years, 1 month, and 1 day old. She was sick for 6 weeks and her disease had wasted away her flesh, but it didn't affect her mind. At her young age, she fully realized her condition. She never offered one complaint, never uttered a murmur, but patiently waited for the dread summons. She died quietly, as though she was going
	to sleep with pleasant dreams. It has been written, "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for such is the kingdom of heaven". The parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire township, in fact of the county.

# HAZLETT, Lamar Democrat, April 14, 1892 **CAROLINE** Mrs. Caroline Hazlett, aged 64 years, and 28 days, died at her home 4 miles east of Lamar at 6:30 p.m. on Friday April 8th, 1892. For the last 18 years she has been a MRS. faithful, consistent, member of the Congregational Church at Lamar. She was well known in Lamar and she was a welcome visitor wherever she went. Mrs. Hazlett was an excellent woman, and a very devout Christian. She was buried in Lake Cemetery on Monday and the number of people from both county and town who attended the funeral, testified to the high regard in which she was held by all who had the honor of her acquaintances. Lamar Democrat, April 21, 1892 Died at her home, four miles east of Lamar, at 6:30 o'clock, on the evening of April 8th, 1892 Caroline, wife of J. M. Hazlett, Sr., aged 61 years and 28 days. When it was known in the neighborhood that Mrs. Hazlett was dead, there were none whose hands were not filled with grief, though her death had been daily expected for some weeks. When death really came, everyone felt that their home, in some mysterious way, had been bereft. There was scarcely a home in the community where she was not a loved and honest visitor. Comforting the sick, the widows, and orphans in their affliction seemed peculiarly her vocation. To the orphan children, she was indeed a mother in Israel. Her maiden name was Caroline Leeds. She was born in Claremont county, Ohio, March 11th, 1831; while a girl she removed to Rock Island county, Illinois, with her parents. In 1849, she married J. M. Hazlett, who survives her. She was the mother of 7 boys and 3 girls, one daughter died in infancy, and one son was killed in Indian Territory, by a runaway team. All the children living were present at her death except a daughter, now absent in Colorado. One sister, Mrs. Corniff, of Bethany, Missouri was also present. She was buried in Lake Cemetery, on Monday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, the address being delivered at the Congregational Church, by Rev. White. Mrs. Hazlett has been a faithful consistent member of the Congregational Church for 18 years. The family desires to thank all who so kindly assisted in caring for her during her illness and death. May they in return, be helped and comforted, when their hour of trial is come. Of her, be it said; "Her children arise and call her blessed,

# her husband also, he praiseth her". **HEDGES, CORA** Lamar Democrat. September 22, 1892 Cora Hedges, aged seventeen, died at Round Prairie, on the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. She had been stopping in Jerico for her health, but failing to improve, she started for her home in Bates county, and died in route. The family are well to do. The body was shipped to Butler for burial.

# HEINLEIN A. J. Lamar Democrat, July 14, 1892 Died at his home in this city, at 1:30 a.m. Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, 1892, A. J. Heinlein,

	aged 55 years, 5 months, and 28 days. The funeral services were held at the
	Methodist Church at 4 p.m. being conducted by Rev. C. V. Criss, of Carthage who
	portrayed the past life of the deceased in a most beautiful manner, relating how the
	many months of suffering had been patiently borne, and that he was ready for the
	summons at any time, but that he would rather live and care for his loving wife and
	dear old mother—but the call came, and he surrendered. The church was nicely
	decorated; just back of the minister stood a large frame draped in black, bearing the
	inscription, "Our Superintendent", which had been tastefully arranged out of small
	white flowers. After the services the remains were conveyed to the Missouri Pacific
	Depot, and from there to the old home in Ohio, accompanied by Mrs. Heinlein and
	Dr. A. B. Clark of Joplin. Mr. Heinlein came to this county several years ago, first
	settling on a farm near Lamar, and afterward, moving to town. He was a zealous
	worker in the Methodist Church here, having been superintendent of the Sunday
	School for perhaps 4 years, and an active laborer in Sunday School work for over 40
	years. In his death, not only the church realizes that a man of God has been called
	hence, but his acquaintances also experience the loss. Surely there was a rich reward
	awaiting his arrival in the Great Beyond, where he has met loved ones who had gone
	on before. To the bereaved wife, mother, and other relatives and friends we extend
	our sincere sympathy, and hope that their life records will be as spotless as his, who
	shook off the mantle of clay a few days since, and who is now enjoying the presence
	of the Father of all. M. C. J.
HICKS, CORA	Lamar Democrat, September 8, 1892
MRS.	Died at her home 4 miles northwest of Lamar, on Saturday, September 3 <sup>rd,</sup> at 4:30
	p.m., Mrs. Cora Hicks, aged 23 years, 11 months, and 1 day. She left 2 children, one
	a small babe. Mrs. Hicks was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thornburg, and a sister of
	Stephen Thornburg whose death is announced in this issue. Sad misfortune seems
	too have befallen the family. The funeral was largely attended. Mrs. Hicks had many
	friends in the county. She was a splendid woman and her demise is sincerely
	regretted.
HICKS, FRANK	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892
	The sad news of the death of Frank Hicks, an attorney of St. Louis, brother of Mrs.
	E. H. Adams, from the effects of an accidental shot from a revolver was received
	this week. He was a man of fine legal ability and full of great promise.
	and tun of grown promise.
HIGGINS, J. H.	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
,	J. H. Higgins who lived near Boston, died of pneumonia last week, at the age of 50
	years.
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HOBOUGH,	Lamar Democrat, August 18, 1892
ELLA	Miss Ella Hobough, daughter of Wm. Hobough aged 8 years, died last week. She
	fell from a hay loft a few weeks ago and bruised her ankle, blood poisoning followed
	with the above result.

HODGEN, JOHN	Lamar Democrat, May 5, 1892
J.	Last week word was received here of the death at Ft. Worth, Texas, of John J. Hodgen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac C. Hodgen, of St. Louis. The corpse arrived here Monday evening and on Tuesday afternoon, after religious services at the residence of his uncle, Mr. J. T. Noyes, it was taken to the south cemetery and there buried, Rev. Emerson officiating. The deceased was born in this place in 1862, and when the family removed some 10 years later was but a small boy, since which time he has been here but very rarely. He had led a rough, roaming life, and had been a hack driver at Ft. Worth, for the last 8-10 years. His father, mother and sister, Mrs. Carroll, were present at his funeral, as also quite a number of old friends and acquaintances of the family. Pike County Democrat Many of our citizens will recall all of the parties named above as they lived in Lamar for a number of years.
HOLDEN,	Lamar Democrat, June 23, 1892
FRANK MRS.	Mrs. Frank Holden, sister of Mrs. W. L. Griffin of this place died at her home in Litchfield, Illinois on Friday last. Dr. Griffin who was in St. Louis attending the medical convention at the time of the lady's death, was present at the funeral.

# HOMESLEY, F. B.

Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892

We regret to learn of the death of F. B. Homesley, of Union township. He was a prominent citizen of this county and a good man. He has been sick for some time past, but the immediate cause of his death was an abcession(sic) in his ear. He was 47 years of age and leaves a family. He was buried at Sheldon on Wednesday.

Lamar Democrat, February 18. 1892

On January 25<sup>th</sup>, F. B. Homesley, one of Barton county's most prominent and respected citizens passed away at the age of 47 years, 10 months, and 10 days. A wife and 4 children are left to mourn the loss of a loving husband and a kind and indulgent father, while a large circle of friends deplore the loss to the community of one possessed of such sterling qualities of noble manhood. Kind, sympathetic and generous to a fault; his honest and uprightness were proverbial among his associates and business acquaintances. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and his conduct was ever that of an earnest Christian, preferring to set before the world, a noble example, rather than long boastings of piety. But he has gone from our midst forever. We regret his loss as one not easily repaired; yet we doubt not that in other and brighter worlds where heartaches and suffering are unknown, his spirit now dwells in peace and reaps the sure reward of a well spent life. A Friend

# HOPKINS, SANDERS A.

Lamar Democrat, January 7, 1892

Sanders A. Hopkins, near Joplin died on the 5<sup>th</sup> inst. from La Grippe. His symptoms indicate narcotic poisoning and a post mortem was held. The examination proved that he had taken morphine. He was 68 years of age and against the wishes of his family married a widow Smith about a year ago.

HOUSTON, J. P.	Lamar Democrat, March 24, 1892
110 05 1 01 1, 01 11	A noble and good man has gone to rest. Elder J. P. Houston died at his home in
	Nashville, Barton county, Missouri on March 19 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 surrounded by his family
	and devoted friends. Elder Houston was born November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1823 in Bourbon
	county, Kentucky. He became a Christian when about 18 years of age and lived a
	devoted Christian life till his death. He was married to his first wife in 1847, but they
	only enjoyed each other's companionship for 3 years. One son now residing in
	Illinois was the result of this marriage. In 1854 he was married to Miss Sarah
	Holtman in Bloomington, Illinois who now survives him. The result of this union
	was five children, one son and 4 girls, three of them are now living, Mrs. Lou
	Shelton in Barton county, Missouri, Miss Fanny D. Houston, residing with her
	parents, and Harve Houston who resides near Lamar, Missouri, a prominent stock
	dealer, well known to the citizens of this county. For many years Elder Houston was
	actively engaged in ministerial work, in the state of Illinois, where he spent the
	major portion of his life, but owing to his failing health, he was compelled to retire
	from the work he loved so well. He was a man well posted both in religion and
	political affairs of his country and a strong advocate of the Prohibition effort now being made in this nation. His life was one of uprightness, he earnestly detested sin
	in any form and with him there was no compromise. Those who are brought under
	the influence of such men are made better in life and character. He was a true man in
	every sense and a word against his name, where he is known would fall on
	incredulous ears. The people both in and out of the church had implicit confidence in
	him as a Christian. He was an affectionate husband, a kind father, a true citizen and
	a humble disciple. Thus his wife and children have all the consolation the Gospel
	gives, he is not dead, he still lives in the hearts of us all, and will continue to live in
	eternity with God, Christ, and the Angelic hosts. Blessed are they who fall asleep in
	the Lord. The funeral was conducted March 20 <sup>th,</sup> in the Nashville Christian Church
	by Elder J. E. DeJarnatt. The immense audience filled the house and bore testimony
	of the high esteem in which the people held him. He was laid to rest in Lake
	Cemetery, Lamar, Missouri March 21 <sup>st</sup> , 1892. Wm. McClure
HUDKINS, MISS	Lamar Democrat, December 15, 1892
	We regret to learn of the death of Miss Hudkins of Central township. The family had
	just returned from California. The young lady was taken sick soon after her arrival,
	her death soon followed.
HUDSON, T. B.	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892
MRS.	Died on the 13 <sup>th</sup> inst. at her home near Milford, Mrs. T. B. Hudson, wife of Truman
	Hudson, aged 50 years. Her death was caused by pneumonia.

HUGGINS,	Lamar Democrat, March 24, 1892
CARRIE E.	Died at her home in Lamar, Missouri, at 12:20 p.m. on Monday, March 21st, 1892,
	Carrie E. Huggins, wife of John T. Huggins, aged 22 years, 10 months, and 27 days. The funeral took place from the Christian Church at 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday and was largely attended. The death of Mrs. Huggins is particularly sad. Death in any
	form is a shock. In this case we find a young woman not yet 23 years of age, full of
	life, full of hope, ambitious for her husband, devoted to her child, her only child, little Mamie, whose 5 <sup>th</sup> birthday passed only 2 weeks ago. Everything was bright for her. So young, she had simply tested the joys of life, everything seemed bright before her. On Saturday and Sunday prior to her death, she was out with her husband and sister, she seemed well and hearty, so much so that it was remarked. Ere another day had passed, her spirit had returned to God, who gave it. Truly has it been said that "in the midst of life, we are in death". It is best however that a kind Providence hides the future from our gaze. We can but tender our sympathies to the husband and his motherless girl. May the Angel mother watch the footsteps of little Mamie, and may she grow up to womanhood, a credit to her father's care and her mother's early training. Mr. Huggins is a well-known businessman in this community, and his friends are legion. They heartily sympathize with him in his hours of misfortune.
HULSEY, VINEY	Lamar Democrat, August 11, 1892
	Viney Hulsey aged 40 years died on the 6th inst., and was buried on the 7 <sup>th</sup> . The deceased is a colored woman and had many relatives in this city.
HURST, J. A.	Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892
,	J. A. Hurst aged 77 years died of dropsy on the 29 <sup>th</sup> of May, and was buried at Sheldon.
INLOS, LENA T.	Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892
	Lena T. Inlos, aged two years and four months, died on May 27 <sup>th</sup> and was buried Sunday May 30 <sup>th</sup> at Morehead Chapel. The little child's death was caused by eating a lot of quinine pills that were found on the bureau, in the room.
ISENHOWER,	Lamar Democrat, March 31, 1892
LUTHER	Hog Eye Valley (Milford)Luther, eldest son of Powell Isenhower died of pneumonia on the 13 <sup>th</sup> inst. He was loved by his parents and highly regarded by all who knew him. D.O.
JAMES, CLYDE	Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892
	Clyde James, aged 6 years, died on the 25 <sup>th</sup> inst. and was buried on Wednesday the 27 <sup>th</sup> .

JAMES, JAMES	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892
Carramy Grantado	James, six year old son of Samuel James of Newport township, died on Wednesday of last week.
JEWELL, FRED	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892
L.	Fred L., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Jewell, of Arcadia, Kansas, died at the home of his grandparents, in California on the 19 <sup>th</sup> of May, last. He went to California over a year ago for his health, but that dread disease, consumption, had gained too much headway, and he passed away quietly and peacefully. Our sympathies go out to Mr.
	and Mrs. Jewell and family.
JONES, NANCY	Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892
MRS.	Mrs. Nancy Jones living 5 miles southwest of Lamar died on the 26 <sup>th</sup> inst. of pneumonia at the age of 84 years. She was buried at Lake Cemetery on Wednesday.
JONES, T.	Lamar Democrat, January 7, 1892
HODGE MRS.	Many of our people will learn with regret of the death of the wife of Dr. T. Hodge Jones. Mrs. Jones lived in Lamar for several years. She was an earnest advocate of morality and temperance, and we recall many articles from her pen in which she portrayed the evils of intemperance and the evil of immorality. She had a number of friends here who worked with her in the temperance cause. She did her best as a follower of the meek and lowly Nazarene. May she rest in peace.
JORDON, M.	Lamar Democrat, April, 1892 On Saturday, April 2 <sup>nd</sup> , M. Jordon, an old resident of Nevada, cut his throat with a pocketknife in his barn. Mr. Jordon is the father of Mrs. T. H. Hutton, and on her account, her husband shot and killed C. C. Deffenbaugh some months since. Mr. Jordon has been despondent ever since this trouble, in which his daughter was interested and finally ended his trouble by suicide.
KELLER,	Lamar Democrat, December 8, 1892
ISADORE	Isadore Keller of Fayette, Missouri, brother of A. Keller, of Lamar, died on November 30 <sup>th</sup> , at Waco, Texas, of nervous prostration. He and his family were enroute to Galveston, Texas, and intended to go by steamer to New York. Mr. Keller was well known throughout this part of Missouri, as he had been a traveling salesman for many years, but of late had been merchandising in Fayette. Mr. Keller was about 38 years of age, leaves a wife and 1 child. His brother A. Keller, of Lamar and wife met the remains at Nevada and went with them to Lexington, where the body was buried. The funeral was the largest ever witnessed at Lexington.

### KELLER, M. E.

Lamar Democrat, August 18, 1892

M. E. Keller, the father of our merchant, A. Keller, died at St. Aull hospital in Kansas City on Thursday August 11<sup>th</sup>, 1892 at 4 p.m. Several members of his family were present at the time of his death. His body was shipped to Lexington, Missouri and was buried on Friday at 5 o'clock p.m. Mr. Keller was well known to most of our people. His wife died about 2 years ago, and he came to Lamar to live with his son. He leaves 6 children, 3 daughters and 3 sons, A. Keller, I. Keller, Mrs. DeNeveu, Mrs. Donan, and Mrs. Loudeney. A. Keller and his brother I. Keller were in Chicago buying goods at the time of their father's death, but were present at the funeral at Lexington. M. E. Keller was about 65 years of age, had always been an active business man, and had accumulated a fortune. About 2 months ago he was suffering from a corn on the little toe of his right foot, and began to doctor it. From this, his toe began to cause him great pain, and finally he had it amputated, then gangrene set in and finally blood poison. He was taken last week to the hospital in

Kansas City, but it was of no avail. We extend our sympathy to the relatives.

Died in Kansas City Thursday, August 11th, Mr. M. E. Keller, of an embolism, superinduced by blood poisoning. Mr. Keller was born at Pinno, Germany, in 1823, hence was in his 69th year. When about 17 years old Mr. Keller came to America and settled in New York City, where he soon engaged in business. He continued in business there until 1864, when he removed to Independence, where he engaged in merchandising. About 25 years ago he came to Lexington, where he pursued the business of a merchant up to 2 years ago when he retired from active life and went to live with his son, Abe, at Lamar, Missouri. On the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October 1850, Mr. Keller was married to Mary Amelia Scott, of New York City. To this union were born 9 sons and daughters six of whom, 3 daughters and 3 sons are yet living. They are Isadore Keller, Fayette, Missouri, Mrs. M. Londoner, Denver, Colorado, Mrs. A. F. Donnon, Joplin, Missouri, Sam Keller, Lebanon, Missouri, Mrs. Gussie DeNevue, of Kansas City, and Abe Keller, Lamar, Missouri. As said above, Mr. Keller was for 25 years a leading merchant of Lexington, and no man was better known. He was always active and progressive and Lexington owes much of its prosperity to the impress of his force and active business habits. He was a man of large charity and much of his means went to the relief of other's needs. He could not turn a deaf ear to the appeals of suffering, and only a few days before his death, indicated the strength of his habit by the bestowal of a charity upon a beggar who came to the door of the hospital. Mr. Keller's death was caused by an embolism of blood clot on the brain, and his last days were of intense agony and suffering. Some time ago he had one of his toes amputated. This was followed by blood poisoning. Thinking that he would have better medical treatment in Kansas City than in Lamar, he went there, but death was too near to be avoided. His remains were taken to Machpelah Cemetery and buried beside those of his wife, who died 2 years ago, and his three departed children. Lexington Intelligence

KENNEDY,	Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892
WILLIE	Willie Kennedy, aged 5 weeks, died last week. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Kennedy have the sympathy of a number of neighbors.
KESSEL, HARRY	Lamar Democrat, January 21, 1892
L.	Harry L. Kessel, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Kessel, aged two years and 8 days died on the 16 <sup>th</sup> inst. and was buried on the 17 <sup>th</sup> .
KING,	April 14, 1892
DAUGHTER	JoplinApril 8 <sup>th</sup> , the seventeen year old daughter of L. L. King of Webb City attempted to fill the reservoir of a gasoline stove yesterday afternoon while the burners were lighted and an explosion occurred. Her body in places was burned to a crisp and she died in a short time.
KIRK, JNO.	Lamar Democrat, March 3, 1892
	Died on the 25 <sup>th</sup> inst., at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. S. H. Wade, Iantha,
	Missouri, Mr. Jno. Kirk, aged about 73 years. The deceased has been in poor health for some time and had come to Iantha hoping to improve, but in about 10 days after his arrival he submitted to the hand of death. Mr. Kirk was an acceptable member of the Methodist Church South, and requested that a minister of that church officiate in his putting away. (Couldn't read the rest of thisBRUCE)

KIRKPATRICK,	Lamar Democrat, November 24, 1892
KIRKPATRICK, A. J.	Lamar Democrat, November 24, 1892 On Friday, November 18 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Maj. A. J. Kirkpatrick, one of the oldest and best acquainted citizens of Barton county, quietly passed beyond the realms of earthly scenes to the eternal mysteries of unknown kingdoms. Mr. Kirkpatrick was born in Ohio, March 17 <sup>th</sup> , 1822. In early life he moved to Illinois, where he grew to manhood. He moved to Missouri about 18 years ago and settled near Nashville, in Barton county, where he resided until his removal to Lamar seven years previous to his death. As a citizen living on his farm in Nashville township he was universally respected for his honesty and integrity. He enjoyed the envied distinction of being firm and reliable in all dealings with his fellow man and among his neighbors, where he was most highly
	esteemed. His word or consent given in behalf on any object was cheerfully accepted as an infallible evidence of faith and truthfulness. The last illness, which resulted in death, can truly be pronounced as a remarkable example of fortitude and endurance. For 8 long languishing months he laid fighting the battle of a wasting disease with incredible perseverance. When the cold messenger of death seized his frail and exhausted body he uttered a few sentences and gently passed away. In early life Mr. Kirkpatrick was for 8 years a member of the Baptist Church, and was particularly distinguished for his loyalty and unflinching devotion to Christianity. Such in brief is the worthy career of an honest citizen, a genial and pleasant neighbor, a kind father and a loving husband. Among many relatives he leaves a wife, and one son, living in Nashville township. Funeral services were held at the residence, where a forcible sermon, full of tenderness and affection, was delivered by Rev. Hendrix, of the Baptist Church. At the conclusion of the sermon the procession paid their last respects by accompanying the remains to the graveyard.  A Friend
LANE, JOHN	Lamar Democrat, September 22, 1892 John Lane, aged 66 years, died on the 18 <sup>th</sup> inst. of paralysis. He has lived in this county for 15 years, and leaves a large family. He is the father of the "Layne Boys" so well and favorably known throughout the county. His children are all grown. We deeply sympathize with the family in their loss.
LANE, NORA	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892 Nora Lane the 5 month old child of Frank Lane died last week.
LEAS, FRANK	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892 Died in Lamar, at 6:30 a.m., Thursday, February 4 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Col. Frank Leas, aged 85 years, 1 month, and 4 days. Col. Leas was born in York county, Pennsylvania, on January 1 <sup>st</sup> , 1807. He removed with his parents to Prebble county, Ohio, when he

was about 2 years old. He was at one time sheriff of Prebble county. Col. Leas was a member of the celebrated firm of Gilbert and Leas, which ran stages between the principal cities of Ohio. They had large stables at Eaton, Ohio. He was a Col. of the state militia for a number of years. At the age of 25 he was married to Miss Mary Imboden, first cousin to General John Imboden, of Virginia. In 1850 he removed to Lewis county, Missouri and from there he came to Barton county and engaged extensively in stock raising and farming till the war, when everything he had was killed or destroyed as he was a southern sympathizer. He went back to Lewis county and remained there till about 8 years ago. He then returned to Barton county. It is said that Col. Leas was a Free Mason, but he never made the fact known to the brethren of Lamar. He was buried from the residence of Mrs. Lydia L. Taylor on Friday at 2 p.m. Rev. S. P. Clayton of the Southern Methodist Church preached a short sermon. Messrs. Ellis, Avery, Clarkson and Dye sang 2 beautiful selections and then his body was taken to Lake Cemetery and there buried. He left three children, Mrs. Agee of St. Louis, Dr. J. I. Leas of Chadron, Nebraska and Mrs. L. L. Taylor of Lamar. May he rest in peace.

### LEWIS, CHILD

Lamar Democrat, April 21, 1892

A little child of Mr. Lewis, of Lamar died on Sunday morning and the body was sent to Emporia, Kansas for burial.

### LITTLE, JOE

Lamar Democrat, May 12, 1892

Uncle Joe Little was taken seriously ill on Monday evening about 6 o'clock, He had done a good days work, and was sitting in the door of his smoke house, when he was taken down with a pain in his chest. He was immediately placed in bed and Dr. Dye called. In a few hours he was pronounced better. He rested fairly well until one o'clock at night. W. L. Mack was sitting up with him at that time, and he asked to be raised up in order to cough up phlegm that had gathered in his throat. When he was placed back on his pillow, he felt easier and breathed freer. Mr. Mack began to read for a few moments and noticing how quiet Uncle Joe was, went to the bedside and realized for the first time that he was dying. He immediately called Mrs. Little and she and Mr. Mack were the only ones present at his death. Charley Little was sent for, but he arrived too late to see his father alive. His sickness was only for a few hours, and he passed away as quietly as though dropping off to sleep. A few friends called on him about 8 o'clock and he recognized them, but was flighty at times. On the day of his death he had been busily engaged, and seemed to enjoy his usual health. Many of his friends had talked with him and his sudden illness and death was a shock to them. Joseph Little was born in the state of Tennessee sixty-five years ago. He was married in Knoxville, Tennessee, in 1849, and came to Barton county in 1855. There were born to Mr. and Mrs. Little five children, two of whom are still living, Mrs. M. H. Wilson and Charley Little. They lived in this county since 1855, with the exception of a few years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Little moved to Lamar, with the intention of taking a quiet rest in their old days. In his case, death came sudden, quick and fast. He was buried by the Masonic Order of which he was an honored member. His days were days of usefulness, he never ate the bread of idleness. He

	was always in favor of the poor, he was ever generous hearted and open handed. He was a kind father, a loving husband and a good citizen, obeying the laws of the land. The kindly feeling entertained for him was shown by the number of his old friends who came to Lamar, to visit the widow, and the number who attended the funeral. He died quietly and peacefully.
LONG, PHRANA	Lamar Democrat, September 8, 1892 Died at the home of her parents near Lamar, on the 24 <sup>th</sup> of August 1892, Miss Phrana Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Long, aged 21 years, 5 months, and 6 days. She was buried on Thursday the 25 <sup>th</sup> inst., and a large concourse of people followed her remains to the cemetery near the north bridge. Miss Long was quite well known in Lamar, where she had many friends who were astounded to hear of her death, when they had not even heard of her sickness. She was a most excellent young lady, highly respected for her many virtues, and her death is a sad blow to her parents.  May she rest in peace.

LOVELL, I. C.	Lamar Democrat, December 29, 1892
,	I.C. Lovell, familiarly known as "Curt" is dead. The news came over the wire on
	Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock. It was known that he had been sick with La
	Grippe, but it was not thought that he was dangerously ill. He was working under his brother, Ben Lovell, building a telephone line from St. Joe to Kansas City. There
	were 10 or 12 men in the gang, they moved their camp several times every week.
	Curt, though sick, moved along with the boys as far as Arkoe, where he died. Curt
	was 29 years and 10 months old. His wife died about 3 years ago, leaving him 2
	little children-Bessie, 6 years old, and Jaxie, 3 years old. The children are here with
	relatives. Curt was a steady, sober, industrious young man, careful and prudent. He
	was a member of the Methodist Church and has been for a number of years. He was
	also an active member of the Odd Fellows organization. He was a member of the
	military company known as Co. C, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Regiment. His body arrived in Lamar on
	Tuesday night and was taken to his father's house, accompanied by a number of
	friends and relatives. Funeral services were held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the
	Methodist Episcopal Church, under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. aided by Co. C. All
	of the family live here in Lamar, except Joe Lovell, his brother, who is now living in Denver, but who arrived in time for the funeral. His sickness was not known here
	except to members of the family and the sudden announcement of his death was a
	shock to the community. His death leaves the little boy and girl without father or
	mother, but they are blessed in thisthey have a good home with their relatives.
	The death is a sad one indeed. We extend our sympathies to the relatives.
	Lamar Democrat, January 5, 1893
	I.C. Lovelldeadson of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lovell. The funeral of I. C. was
	largely attended. The Joplin Canton together with the Lamar Canton and lodges
	from Golden City, Sheldon, Liberal, Jasper City and Minden Mines were duly
	represented. The crowd at the church was immense, not withstanding the weather.
	The 2 little children of Mr. Lovell, deceased will be under the care of the Odd
	Fellows lodge of Lamar.

LOYD, ELIJAH	Lamar Democrat, June 30, 1892 Elijah Loyd was found dead at his home in Joplin on the 26 <sup>th</sup> inst. One half of his head was blown away with dynamite. It is supposed that he committed suicide.
MADDY, JAMES	Lamar Democrat, April 14, 1892
н.	Died in Lamar, Missouri on Monday morning, April 11 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 James H. Maddy, aged 39 years, 2 months, and 9 days. The funeral services were held at the Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Maddy had many friends in the county, and he was highly respected and recognized as a good citizen.
MANN, PEARL	Lamar Democrat, December 22, 1892
	Miss Pearl Mann, who was shot by James Hargus at Montevallo, because she refused to marry him, died on the 14 <sup>th</sup> inst.

MARDICK, A. E.	Lamar Democrat, September 22, 1892
DR.	Dr. A. E. Mardick, of Golden City, father of Alex Mardick, died on Monday night at his home at the age of 76 years. He has resided in this county for 18 years during which he has been engaged in the active practice of his profession. For the last year he has been sick, and has done little except to improve his condition. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity at the Golden City cemetery. Another old land mark has passed away. The Dr. was highly respected as a citizen, enjoyed the confidence of the people as a professional man, and admired by all who knew him.
MARTIN,	Lamar Democrat, November 10, 1892
LUTHER B.	Died at his home 6 miles south of Lamar, Luther B. Martin, aged 65 years.
MARTIN, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892
	Tom Martin, our Circuit Clerk was called to Eldorado on Monday, January 4 <sup>th</sup> , on account of the illness of his mother. Mrs. Martin died on Wednesday the 6th inst. His father of whose illness he was unaware when he left home died on the 8 <sup>th</sup> inst. Mr. Martin returned home for a day or two, but returned this week to look after business connected with the estate. The death of his parents was caused by pneumonia followed by La Grippe.
MARTIN, P. S.	Lamar Democrat, May 26, 1892
MRS.	Died on the 22 <sup>nd</sup> inst., at Newport, Mrs. P. S. Martin, aged 35 years. She was an excellent woman and was highly respected.
MARVIN, R. P.	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892
, ,	Monday, Mrs. Hodge and Mrs. Tanner received a telegram from Jamestown, New York announcing the death of their brother, Hon. R. P. Marvin, ex-judge of the Supreme Court of New York, and the last surviving member of the 25 <sup>th</sup> Congress.
MCCOOL,	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892
ROBERT	Died May 30 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Robert McCool, infant son of J. J. McCool, of southwest
	township. Diphtheria caused his death, his sickness was only for a short time.
MCKINZIE,	Lamar Democrat, August 4, 1892
FRED	Fred McKinzie, living 5 miles west of Lamar, died on Monday, August 1 <sup>st</sup> at the age of 17 years.

# MCMILLEN, W. H.

Lamar Democrat, September 29, 1892

Died on Sunday morning at his home in Lamar, W. H. McMillen, of typhoid fever, after an illness of 2 weeks. Mr. McMillen has been a resident of Barton County for about 10 years, residing most of the time about 8 miles northeast of Lamar. Two years ago he came to Lamar and began clerking for J. G. Porter, and has been employed there ever since. About 2 weeks ago he was taken down with typhoid fever, from the effects of which he died. He came to Barton county from Chillicothe, Missouri, where his father and 2 brothers still reside. He leaves a wife and 3 children. Mr. McMillen was a member of the Holiness Church, and was a devout Christian man. Blessed are the dead, who die in the Lord.

# MCQUEEN, JOHN

Lamar Democrat, June 30, 1892

Hillsdale, Michigan---Residents of Hillsdale were shocked and surprised yesterday morning at the news of the death of genial John McQueen from heart failure, which occurred at his home on Budlong street a little before midnight the evening before. Mr. McQueen was one of the best known and oldest residents of Hillsdale, having removed here from New Jersey in 1856. He had been in his usual good health up to the time of his death, and had spent the last afternoon of his life mowing the Methodist Episcopal Church lawn. He had arisen to close some windows on account of the heavy thunderstorm Wednesday evening, and upon returning to bed, died without a struggle. The funeral services will probably be held to-morrow. Mr. McQueen's jolly and happy disposition and his unvarying good nature had made him universally popular, and the news of his death was a sad surprise to a large circle of friends. He was 63 years of age and leaves a wife and 3 sons. Hillsdale (Michigan) Democrat

The gentleman referred to is the father of J. H. McQueen our city clerk, and proprietor of the Fair. Upon receipt of a telegram announcing the fact of his father's death, Mr. McQueen left for Hillsdale, Michigan. He was detoured by washouts on the way, but arrived in time to be present at the funeral. This accounts for the absence of Mr. McQueen from the city. We regret the sad affliction that has overtaken him.

# MERRILL, FANNIE

Lamar Democrat, July 14, 1892

Died at her home in Leroy township, July 5<sup>th</sup>, after an illness of several months, Mrs. Fannie Merrill, wife of our esteemed neighbor, Dr. C. E. Merrill, aged 56 years and 10 months. Funeral was held at the house Wednesday afternoon, the 6<sup>th</sup>, after which the remains were taken to the Shiloh Cemetery and laid beside her loved children that passed away a few weeks ago. She leaves a fond husband and one living daughter to mourn her loss, but their loss is only her gain. In the death of Mrs.

Merrill we have sustained the loss of a kind friend whose companionship it was an honor and a pleasure to enjoy but we bow in humble submission to the Providence which has so badly terminated her earthly existence, fully knowing that in love and not anger all his chastening doth come, and we offer her bereaved husband and daughter, over whom sorrow has hung her sable mantel so often, our heartfelt condolence, and may relief come to their burdened hearts.

Let fate do her worst, there are relics of joy,

Bright disease of the past, which she cannot destroy;

Which come in the night time of sorrow and race,

And bring back the features that joy used to wear.

Long, long be my heart with such memories filled,

Like the vase in which roses have once been distilled;

You may break, you may shatter the vase if you will,

But the scent of roses will hang around it still.

Liberal, Missouri July 7, 1892 L.B.

# MERRILL, ROBERT & NELLIE

Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892

On Tuesday morning Judge Springer informed us that sad misfortune had overtaken the family of Dr. Merrill, of Leroy township. On Sunday morning last, his son Robert, aged 19 years died after an illness of 1 week, of pneumonia. His daughter Nellie, aged 24 years, died on Sunday night, about 10 hours later. She had been sick for some months with consumption. Both children were dead in the house of their father. They were buried in the same grave, at Shiloh Cemetery. This is a sad stroke to the father, whom we have known for many years. May God in His wisdom bring good to him out of this misfortune. May he realize that the promise of God will be fulfilled, and may he lay hold of the same and realize finally that the peace that passeth all understanding is greater than all earthly glory of any kind.

Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892

One of the saddest events we ever witnessed was the death of Robert and Nellie Merrill at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Merrill. After an illness of only one week, Robert passed away at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, aged 19 years and 10 months. Nellie after a lingering illness of several months, died at 10:30 p.m., just 12 hours after her brother's death, aged 22 years and 7 months. The double funeral was held at the house Monday afternoon, after which the remains were taken to Shiloh Cemetery, followed by a large concourse of friends, where they were laid side by side in one grave. "Amiable they won all; dead they saddened all". Who among us is more missed in the home circle and in society. Honored by the young, loved by the old, respected by all. Thus two pure and useful lives are ended, and the home that was full of the golden sunshine of happiness is filled with the mists of sorrow and gloom. There, cold and lifeless, are the hearts which just now were the seats of friendship; there, dim and sightless, are the eyes whose radiant orbs beamed

MILLIARD, JESSE MRS.	with intelligence; and there closed forever, are the lips on whose pursuavie {sic} accents we have so often, and so lately hung with transport. But they are not lost, only gone a little while before, only waiting on the other side for us all. We will look to Him who "healeth the broken heart and bindeth up their wounds". L. H. Liberal Missouri May 31, 1892  Lamar Democrat, October 13, 1892  Mrs. Jesse Milliard, aged 76 years, wife of Jesse Milliard, died on Monday morning, October 10. She has lived in this county for the past 26 years. She was a splendid lady and highly prized by all who knew her.
MOORE,	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
INFANT	A little child of Lige Moore, 18 months old died on the 4 <sup>th</sup> of February.
MOORE, N. B.	Lamar Democrat, February 18, 1892 On Monday morning a rumor reached our city that N. B. Moore and his little son James had been drowned in Horse Creek, on Sunday afternoon, as his team, with the front wheels of the wagon had come up to the place that he had lately purchased. Search was instituted and his blankets and lunch basket were found on the bank of the stream. Searching parties were immediately organized and a hunt for the bodies began. On Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. the body of Mr. Moore was found about 25 yards below the ford, where he had attempted to cross the creek. Within 2 feet of where the father was found, the searching party found his son James, the bodies having been in the water since 5 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The bodies were brought to Lamar and taken to Humphrey Bros., undertakers, and from there to the home of the deceased, being the property known as the Dr. Bull property in the north part of the city. No one saw them go into the stream, no one witnessed their struggles in the water. Mr. Moore had been looking after his stock and was on his way home when this happened. He had lately purchased the Schrock farm, and was not well acquainted with the ford, known as the Ryan Ford, where he had attempted to cross the stream. It is stated by parties familiar with the stream that the water at the ford on Sunday afternoon was fully 10 feet deep. It is surmised that the action of the water caused the uncoupling of the wagon, and the wagon box was washed down the stream near where the bodies were found. Mr. Moore came to Lamar from Carthage within the last year. He leaves a wife and four children. While living in Carthage, he was in business at Webb City, being superintendent for the Nevada Mining Company. He was a quiet gentleman, an active trader, a man of judgment and was liked by those who knew him. This sad disaster not only brings grief to his family, but casts a gloom over the entire county.

MORGAN, H. C.	Lamar Democrat, April 28, 1892
MRS.	Mrs. H. C. Morgan, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin, mother of Hon. C. H. Morgan, of this county, died at her home, on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> of April, of apoplexy. At the time of her death, she was living with two unmarried daughters. Two of her sons are living in South Dakota. Her burial took place on Wednesday. Mr. Morgan was in Joplin at the time
	he received the telegram announcing his mother's death and immediately left for his old home. Mrs. Morgan was known to some of the people of Lamar, as she came down here on a visit. We heartily sympathize with the family in their great loss. She has lived a long and useful life, being 77 years of age at the time of her death.
MORRIS,	Lamar Democrat, February 25, 1892
INFANT	We regret to learn of the death of a little babe of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morris on the 17 <sup>th</sup> inst. Mr. Morris is now in Indian Territory.
MUNSON, S. G.	Lamar Democrat, April 14, 1892
2.202.802.480	S. G. Munson, a highly respected citizen of this county, died at his home 5 miles northwest of Lamar on Sunday.
NOBLE, WM.	Lamar Democrat, June 16, 1892
MRS.	Died at 1 o'clock a.m. Friday, June 10 <sup>th</sup> , Mrs. Wm. Noble, of heart disease. During the evening she was feeling very well—in fact better than usual at the time she retired. Mr. Noble was occupying the same bed. He is engaged by the bus and transfer company and was awakened at 10 o'clock to meet the early trains. He dressed in the dark and went to the bed to bid his wife goodby, as was his custom, and she paid no attention to him. He lit a lamp and found his wife dying, or really dead. Messengers were sent after Dr. Dye, who pronounced her dead and the cause of her death as heart failure. She had died by the side of her husband, without a struggle—not enough to awake him. They had only been married for a few months and the shock was great to the young husband who idolized his wife. Mrs. Noble was buried on the 10 <sup>th</sup> and a large concourse of people attended the funeral.
NOLAND, FRED	Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892 Died on May 28 <sup>th</sup> , Fred Noland, aged 12 years. He has been a deaf, dumb and blind from birth.
ONSTOTT, WILLIAM MRS.	Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892 Mrs. William Onstott living at Esrom died on Friday the 21 <sup>st</sup> inst. of consumption. She was buried on Sunday last.

PARSONS, M. V.	Lamar Democrat, January 14, 1892
MRS.	We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. M. V. Parsons, at her home near Irwin on
	Tuesday night of La Grippe.
PEELER, JOE	Lamar Democrat, February 18, 1892
	Joe Peeler an orphan boy died of consumption near Barton City at the age of 19 last
	year.
PERKINS, BERT	Lamar Democrat, December 1, 1892
W.	Died on the 21 <sup>st</sup> inst. Bert W. Perkins, son of John E. Perkins, aged 12 years, 10
	months, and 13 days. He died of heart disease.

# PHIPPS, THOMAS J. Lamar Democrat, March 31, 1892 After being out about twelve hours the jury in the case of the state against Wm. C. Cook, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the fourth degree, and assessed his punishment at imprisonment and a fine of \$100.00. Cook was charged with the killing of Thomas J. Phipps at Caplinger Mills, Cedar county, on the 4<sup>th</sup> of April 1891. The testimony showed there had been trouble early in the afternoon, over a game of poker, and that Phipps and Cook had a fight about four or five o'clock and were separated, that about dust Phipps entered the drug store of Dr. Hackeman where he found Cook and assaulted him with an iron collar belonging to a circular saw arbor, they were separated in the house and Phipps went out doors and was immediately followed by Cook, they there engaged in a fight, when Cook struck Phipps on the head with the iron collar which he had wrenched from Phipps hand in the store, fracturing his skull, from which he died the following day.

# POOL, JOHN A. REV.

Lamar Democrat, November 3, 1892

Died on Tuesday morning, November 1st at 8:15 o'clock, Rev. John A. Pool of Lamar. The announcement of his sudden demise was a shock to the community. Our people could scarcely believe it. He was out of bed early in the morning and while making the fires fell over almost lifeless and died in a short time. He had been a Missionary Baptist for many years past and an active worker in the Master's cause. He came to Barton county in the fall of 1870 and has lived here since that date. He was born in Morgantown, West Virginia in December 1820, and was 72 years and 11 months old at the time of his death. He had been wedded twice. By his first wife he had five children; three of them are dead, the other two reside in Pennsylvania and were notified promptly of their father's death. By his second wife he had four children, George, Charlie, Frank, and Kate Pool, wife of Rev. A. K. Wray, all well known to our people. Rev. John Asby Pool was the son of a minister, and his natural tendencies led him to the ministry. He was noted as powerful, not only as a speaker, but in prayer. He was a thrifty prosperous man, at the time of his death his wealth was estimated from \$250, 000.00 to \$300, 000.00, the greater portion of which is invested in real estate. No man was ever more lenient with his creditors that John A. Pool. He had tided many a man over rough seas and through trouble. He has come to the rescue of many of our people, when they could not get relief from any other source. In the death of John A. Pool, Barton county loses a valuable citizen, his wife a devoted husband and his children, a loving father. We learn that the funeral will take place next Saturday at 10 a.m. We have all been accustomed to see him day after day on out streets. His familiar face will be sadly missed. He was ever kind, ever genial, and his manner was always cheerful. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord" was not written in vain, for Mr. Pool's face looked smiling even in death. We extend to the family our sympathy in their bereavement.

Lamar Democrat, December 15, 1892

The John A. Pool estate was settled by commissioners C. C. Daubin, Jno. Thompson, and J. M. Dye. They evaluated the property and appraised it at \$72,000.00 cash. Description of land to the extent, or value of \$9000.00 was placed

	in eight envelopes. The heirs drew one envelope after another. Mrs. Pool took the last, she gets the Ham farm near Boston.
PRIMMER, GEORGE	Lamar Democrat, March 3, 1892 The death of Lusetta Primmer on the 6 <sup>th</sup> of January followed by the death of George Primmer, on the 27 <sup>th</sup> of February is particularly sad. They have lived here for many years and were highly respected by all who knew them. (George was 75 years of age)

PRIMMER,	Lamar Democrat, January 7, 1892
LUSETTA	We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. George Primmer. She was an old resident of
	this county and was highly respected by all who knew her.
PRITCHETT,	Lamar Democrat, May 19, 1892
EDDIE	Eddie Pritchett, aged three years, died last week.
REED, CHILD	Lamar Democrat, May 19, 1892
	We regret to announce the death of a son of Jas. Reed, who died last week of
	consumption.
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REYNOLDS,	Lamar Democrat, December 8, 1892
CARRIE	We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Carrie Reynolds, of Milford, Missouri. Mrs.
	Reynolds died on the 5 <sup>th</sup> inst.
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RUMSEY, SMITH	Lamar Democrat, November 10, 1892
	Died at his home in Lamar, Tuesday, November 8 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 at 9 a.m., Smith Rumsey,
	aged 86 years, 9 months, and 19 days. He was born near Richmond, Virginia, and came to Missouri at an early date. He was one of those who went to California in
	1849, and now familiarly known as the "49ers". He leaves a wife and 7 children, 5
	boys and 2 girls. He lived and died an honest man, only asking what was due him,
	and rendering to others their dues. He had been sick for several weeks and at his age,
	his system could not withstand disease. His familiar face will be missed from our
	streets. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved family.
SHAWGO, MR.	Lamar Democrat, December 22, 1892
·	Mrs. W. J. Shawgo was informed by telegraph last Wednesday that her youngest
	brother at Strongheart, Illinois had died suddenly from heart disease.
SMITH,	Lamar Democrat, September 29, 1892
CHARLES	Charles Smith, 7 year old son of W. H. Smith of Newport died last Thursday.
SMITH, LEE	Lamar Democrat, December 29, 1892
	Lee Smith died in Barry county last week. He is a brother of M. F. Smith, of this
	county, who went to Barry county and accompanied the remains to their old home in
	Kentucky.
CMITH LUCVE	Lamer Democrat February 11, 1802
SMITH, LUCY E.	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892

SMITH, LUCY E.	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
	The Jerico Optic last week published a notice of the death of Mrs. Lucy E. Smith,
	wife of Dr. E. P. Smith, of Lamar. The doctor took his wife to Jerico some months ago, believing that the water would aid her, but it was to no avail.

SMITH, SUSAN	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892 Susan Smith died at her home last week at the age of 89 years and 10 months. She was buried at Doylesport. Mrs. Smith has lived a long and useful life.
SNYDER, HENRY G.	Lamar Democrat, May 19, 1892 Col. Henry Snyder, of Montevallo, died on the 10 <sup>th</sup> inst. at the age of 61 years. It was our pleasure to know Col. Snider personally. He was a good, man and a true democrat.
SNYDER, WILMET A. MRS.	Lamar Democrat, August 25, 1892 Died in Lamar, Missouri, at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 17 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 Mrs. Wilmet A. Snyder, wife of C. G. Snyder, aged 63 years and 6 months. The funeral took place on Thursday, from the family residence. Mrs. Snyder has been an invalid for a number of years, and her death was not unexpected. In fact, she had not been expected to live from day to day, for months past. She has been a great sufferer till death came to her relief. Mr. Snyder, his son, A. H. Snyder, and Mrs. Dix were present at the time of her death. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Hoffman, of the Christian church, of which church, Mrs. Snyder had been a member for many years.
SPERRY, JAS	Lamar Democrat, February 4, 1892 Our people were astonished to learn on Tuesday of the sudden death of Jas. Sperry, living 6 miles northeast of Lamar. The facts in the case as we heard them are as follows: On Tuesday morning he was feeling badly and saying that he would go out, feed the stock and do the milking, while his wife prepared breakfast, he went out to the barn. He also announced his intentions to his wife that they would attend the funeral of Levi J. Boles at Milford. Mrs. Sperry prepared the breakfast and called him, but receiving no reply she went to the barn and found him lying in the oat bin. She gave the alarm and with assistance of neighbors, he was taken to the house and died immediately. On a memorandum book he had written "I am sick and have taken acconite". He had been in the habit of taking acconite when sick and must have taken an overdose unintentionally. He has no children and was in easy circumstances. He came to Barton county about 9 years ago from Illinois. He was well known and highly regarded by all. He was buried at Lake Cemetery on Wednesday.
STARKS, THOS. MRS.	Lamar Democrat, May 5, 1892 From the Liberal Commercial we learn of the death of Mrs. Thos. Starks, of Leroy township. Mrs. Starks was a daughter of Judge Jim Morris who now resides in Arizona. We knew Mrs. Starks when she was a girl. She was like her mother, kind

	hearted, even tempered, would forgive faults in others, if they were inclined to do better. She was a most excellent woman. We extend our sympathy to the husband, a great big hearted man devoted to his wife and children. His loss cannot be replaced.
STEELE, JOHN MRS.	Lamar Democrat, April 14, 1892 Mrs. John Steele, living one and one half mile west of Milford, died this week, at the age of 66 years. Mrs. Steele was better known as Mrs. Putnam, and she was a most excellent woman.
STITT, SAMUEL MRS.	Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892 Mrs. Samuel Stitt died on the 20 <sup>th</sup> inst. of pneumonia and was buried on the 21 <sup>st</sup> . She leaves a husband and several children.
STONE, MRS. (MOTHER)	Lamar Democrat, March 24, 1892 Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stone left for Emporia, Kansas Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Stone's mother, who died of apoplexy on Sunday. From Emporia they will go to Kansas City, where Mrs. Stone will remain with relatives, till Mr. Stone selects a new location.
THOMAS, ALMEDA MRS.	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892 We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Almeda Thomas of Verdella. She died on Tuesday, and was buried on Wednesday. We learn that she was married in January last.
THORNBURG, STEPHEN	Lamar Democrat, September 8, 1892 We regret to announce the death of Stephen Thornburg, aged 21 years and 6 months. His parents made a sale of their personal property some weeks ago with a view of going to Colorado, on account of ill health of Mrs. Thornburg. On the day of the sale the son was taken down with the flux and soon became very ill. He died on August 31 <sup>st</sup> and was buried on the 1 <sup>st</sup> of September. He was an excellent young man and highly respected.
TIPPY, DAUGHTER	Lamar Democrat, January 21, 1892 We regret to announce the death of the little 5 year old daughter of Mrs. Tippy. She was taken with membranous croup on Monday and died on Tuesday morning.

# TOBIAS. Lamar Democrat, June 2, 1892 Died on Wednesday night, May 25th, 1892 Michael V. Tobias at the age of 84 years, MICHAEL V. of Brights disease. Mr. Tobias was born in Pennsylvania and moved to Ohio at the age of 34 years. He lived in Montgomery county, Ohio for 20 years and then moved to Van Buren county, Iowa, and remained there till last fall, when he came to Lamar, to end his days with his son, M. V. Tobias of Lamar, who is his only child living. Mr. Tobias made every necessary arrangement for his own funeral even to the erection of the monument at his grave, which he had done more than a year ago in the cemetery at Moriah where his wife is buried. He was anxious to lay down the burden of life and go down in the valley of the shadow of death. His son left on Thursday morning with his body, for the purpose of fulfilling the wishes of his father TRIBBLE, MARY Lamar Democrat, May 12, 1892 MRS. Mrs. Mary Tribble, the mother of Mrs. Chas. Fink, died at the home of Judge Fink on Saturday, at the age of 88 years. Her remains were shipped to Girard, Illinois on Monday. Mrs. Tribble was a most excellent lady. Her days were full of usefulness, and her reward will be that of every well spent life. **TUCKER, JANUS** Lamar Democrat, December 22, 1892 Janus Tucker, a brakeman on a freight train on the Gulf railroad was killed Sunday morning between South Greenfield and Lockwood. He fell between the cars. His left leg was cut off, his right leg mashed to a pulp. His left arm was cut off. His death followed immediately. His remains were gathered up and taken to Lockwood. TYLER. Lamar Democrat, August 18, 1892 Died at her home 5 miles northeast of Lamar on Thursday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, 1892 at 12 CORNELIA A. o'clock, Mrs. Cornelia A. Tyler, wife of Brockholst Tyler, aged 63 years. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Lamar, on Saturday August 13th, and were largely attended. Mrs. Tyler was well known in Lamar, had many friends who appreciated her. The announcement of her death was a great surprise to many, who were not even aware of her illness. TYLER, HENRY Lamar Democrat, April 21, 1892 The death of Henry Tyler, familiarly known as "Pink" was not a surprise to his friends. For a year past he has been complaining and quite sick for the last 3 weeks. It was our good fortune to know Mr. Tyler intimately. He was an honest man, hated shams, loved his friends and had a good word for everybody. He was lately elected a member of the Democratic Central Committee of this county and his zeal in the interest of the party was noted in the county. His love for fair square dealings in everything was often the subject of remark. He was a Christian man and died firm in the faith. To his family we extend our sympathies.

USHER, ANNA L.	Lamar Democrat, February 25, 1892
MRS.	From the monitor we learn of the death of Mrs. Anna L. wife of J. H. Usher of
	Minden, of puerpal fever. She died on the 13 <sup>th</sup> , and her remains were taken to
	Hopkinsville, Kentucky for burial.
VAUGHN, J. B.	Lamar Democrat, August 11, 1892
	Died on Friday August 5 <sup>th</sup> , 1892 at his home in Lamar, at 1:30 p.m., J. B. Vaughn, at
	the age of 45 years, 5 months, and 25 days. The funeral took place at 3 p.m. on
	Saturday, and was largely attended. Mr. Vaughn came from Milford to Lamar. For
	years he had been engaged in the mercantile business there, and quit when he found
	that his health was giving away, and moved out on a farm. He made a trip through
	the southwest and west for a year with the hope of deriving some benefit, but in vain. Consumption had fastened itself in his system, and it was only a question of time. He moved to Lamar with his wife and children and lived a quiet and retired life to the time of his death. His friends were true and tried and he was a great lover of his friends, strong in his likes and dislikes. He fully recognized his condition and regretted only the leaving of his wife and children; so far as he was concerned, he was ready. He is at rest, he sleeps well, no more pain, suffering of anxiety.
VOGHT,	Lamar Democrat, July 14, 1892
CLARENCE A.	Clarence A. Voght, infant son of George Voght died last week, aged 11 months and 2
	days.
WALDRON,	Lamar Democrat, October 27, 1892
CHILD	A little child of C. J. Waldron, aged five months, died on the 19 <sup>th</sup> inst.

# WALKER, MARY J. MRS.

Lamar Democrat, May 5, 1892

Died in Kansas City, on Wednesday, April 27th, 1892 Mrs. Mary J. Walker of Lamar, at the age of 57 years, 2 months, and 5 days. Her remains were brought to Lamar and the funeral took place from her home. Mrs. Walker was born in Rensalaen county, New York in 1835. Her life has been a most useful one. For a number of years she has lived in Lamar. Some months since her health began to fail and she was advised to leave here and visit with friends, in the hope that a change might prove beneficial, but it proved different. The change seemed to hasten that which her friends had feared and dreaded. The funeral services were held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and were conducted by Rev. G. A. Hoffman and W. W. Warren, of the Christian Church, and were very impressive. Mrs. Walter's later years were devoted entirely to her home and its duties and she lived a very quiet retired life. Only her intimate friends knew of her self-sacrificing, faithful and conscientious character. Her early life was in securing a good education and disseminating her knowledge to others. She leaves a son and daughter to go on through life without a mother's watchful care and love. May the Heavenly ever guide and protect them.

# WATSON, WARREN

Lamar Democrat, March 31, 1892

Warren Watson, known in Lamar by all of our old citizens from his infancy, was run over on Tuesday night, a week ago, by a Santa Fe freight train at 15<sup>th</sup> street and Askew at Kansas City. His right hand was cut off and his left leg crushed, in addition he was badly cut and bruised about the face. From these injuries he died on March 24<sup>th</sup> and was buried on Sunday. Mr. Watson's family consists of his wife and 2 little boys. He came to Barton county Missouri with his mother in 1870, and afterward served as clerk in the Legislature. At the close of the session, he began the study of law. In 1875, he was appointed Deputy Clerk under H. C. Gessberg at Jefferson City. In 1876, he married Mrs. Suster of Jefferson City, a highly accomplished lady. In 1877 he took charge of the Kansas City Circuits Clerk office and afterwards became clerk, and filled the position ably to the date of his death. He was buried in Elmwood Cemetery. Judge Phillips adjourned court on Saturday in

honor of his memory and in a short address to the bar, paid a high tribute to Mr. Watson's ability, faithfulness, accuracy and honesty. The members of the Kansas City bar also held a meeting in honor of him, and remarks were made by the leading lawyers in the city. Mr. Watson owned a fine home in Kansas City, but it was destroyed by fire last year, and the family were living in Independence where he had bought land. He had accumulated quite a little fortune. He was a man of fine literary ability, a great student, and a fluent writer. His death was a shock to his many friends here. It will be remembered that G. F. Burkhart married Mr. Watson's sister, and a strong attachment existed between Mr. Watson and himself. A bright light has gone out. May God bless the widow and the two little boys.

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Is almost more than we can bear(sic) t our faith fail not
We know that we shall meet him there. Oh!
r darling little Earle,
You have joined the heavenly choir,
ur spirit has passed the gate of peace.
Our Savior said "Come Higher" How
eet it is to think
That in a few short years
will meet you on the River's brink
yond this "Vale of Tears".
nar Democrat, April 7, 1892

WHITE, TOM MRS.	Lamar Democrat. October 20, 1892 Mrs. Tom White of Neosho, who has at various times visited her friend, Mrs. Tamblyn in Lamar, died on last Thursday and was buried on Friday. She leaves 2 children of tender years, a boy and a girl. Her husband, Tom White, has owned property in Lamar and for a long time was a partner of Harry Tamblyn. Mrs. White was a very quiet woman, not fond of show, kind and hospitable. Her home was always a model of neatness and comfort. The death of Mrs. White will be keenly felt
	by Mr. White and his 2 little children. We extend our sympathy to them.
WHITMAN, A. REV.	Lamar Democrat, March 17, 1892 Rev. A. Whitman, who was at one time pastor of the Baptist Church here, died at Summertown, Tennessee about the 1 <sup>st</sup> of March.
WHITTAKER, J.	Lamar Democrat, February 11, 1892
R.	J. R. Whittaker, aged 48 years died at his home in Doylesport township last week.
WILDERMOOD, MRS.	Lamar Democrat, June 9, 1892 Mrs. Wildermood, a sister of Wm. and Ed Wells of Lamar, died about 2 weeks ago at her home in Ohio. Mrs. Wildermood and her husband and 2 little girls visited their relatives here some months ago. Mr. and Mrs. Wells, parents of Mrs. Wildermood, went to Ohio on learning of her death. Her sickness was of short duration.
WILLIAMS, JAXIE	Lamar Democrat, August 25, 1892 Jaxie, infant son of H. Williams, aged 18 months, died last week.
WILLIS, HAMILTON	Lamar Democrat, January 28, 1892 Hamilton Willis, a well-known citizen of Union township died on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> of January, at the age of 53 years. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity. His remains were sent to for interment.

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