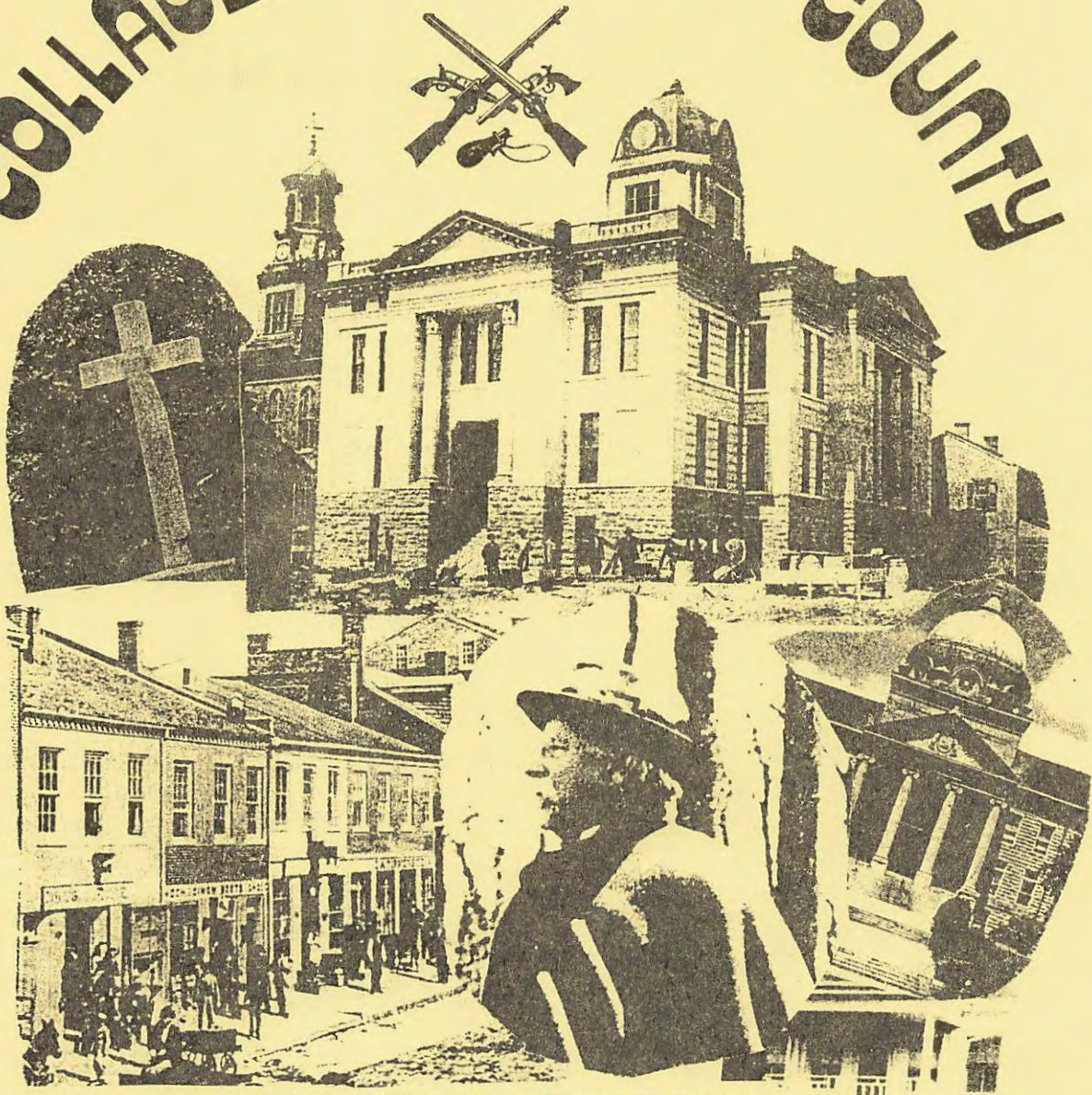


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CAPE GIRARDEAU EXPORTS 1874

| Item | Amount | Price | Value |
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| flour | 120,000 bbls | \$ 6.00 | \$720,000 |
| lime | 38,000 bbls | 1.15 | 43,000 |
| bacon | 300,000 lbs | .07 | 21,000 |
| lard | 50,000 lbs | .07 | 3,500 |
| hogs, dressed | 150,000 lbs | .05 | 7,500 |



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The Cape Girardeau County Genealogy Society organized in May 1970, a non-profit organization. Its primary purpose is education in the field of genealogy. Membership is open to individuals upon payment of the annual dues of \$5.00 per year or a couple for \$7.50 per year beginning in May.

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CGCGS publishes a quarterly, COLLAGE OF CAPE COUNTY, in March, June, September and January, sent free to members. All members are encouraged to submit articles for publication in the COLLAGE OF CAPE COUNTY.

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The captors of the Iron Mountain train robbers are as bad a lot as the robbers themselves. It has come to light that they took the money from the train robbers and divided it among themselves. They are under arrest and will probably be induced to "shell out". Bad fellows.

Missouri Cash Book, Thursday, October 13, 1881.

The Cape Girardeau County Genealogy Society does not assume responsibility for errors expressed by contributors. THE EDITOR.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings:

It has been a long, dry, hot summer; but, nevertheless, the July meeting was well attended. Dave Turner of Taylor Publishing Company, guest speaker for the evening gave a presentation on the "how-to's" involved in compiling a County History.

Some members have been very busy working on cemetery records. Alice Spillman, Chairman of the Cemetery Committee, is up-dating the original Cape Girardeau County Cemetery book she previously published. Also, members are indexing the records of the St. Mary's Church and St. Vincent's Church in Cape Girardeau. Although both projects are extremely time consuming and tedious, we are anxiously awaiting their completion.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to CGCGS members Alma Lee Slinkard, Hazel Sander, Maxine Seabaugh and Becky Heuer in the recent loss of loved ones.

The program for our September meeting will feature Clinton Wunderlich, speaking on "German Immigration in the 1800's".

***** Ellen Jean Adams, President *****

HOW TO WASH CLOTHES

A Kentucky grandmother gave a young bride this "recept" many years ago. We are sharing it with you as it was written just in case you wish to use it the next time you wash clothes.

1. Bild fire in back yard to heet kittle of rain water.
2. Set tube so smoke won't blow in eyes if wind is pert.
3. Shave one hole cake lie soap in biling water.
4. Sort things, making three piles. 1 pile white, 1 pile colored, 1 pile work britches and rags.
5. Stur flour in cold water to smooth then thin down with bilin water.
6. Rub dirty spots on board, scrub hard, then bile, rub culored but don't bile. jest rench and starch.
7. Take white things out of kittle with broomstick handle then rench, blew and starch.
8. Spred tee towels on grass.
9. Hand old rags on fence.
10. Pore rench water in flowers bed.
11. Scrub porch with hot soapy water.
12. Turn tubs upside down.
13. Go put on clean dress, smooth hair with side combs, brew cup of tea, set and rest a spell and count blessings.

FACTS AND FINDINGS, West Frankfort, IL

Have you located a "Missing Ancestor"? If so, share your tremendous find by sending us the story for publication in COLLAGE OF CAPE COUNTY.

KAGE SCHOOL. . . A-ONE ROOM SCHOOLHOUSE

The Little Red Schoolhouse

"The one-room schoolhouse is too much a part of America to be forgotten and its lessons live on in the worlds of those who learned there as children and grew up to mold the nation. The little red schoolhouse did the job well."

Eric Sloane

Although Kage School was a one-room schoolhouse, it wasn't the "little red schoolhouse" so often conjured in our dreams and recollections. However, it was a typical version of our pioneer school for it was a hand-hewn log school equipped with benches of hewn slabs--peg legs and no backs, one section of blackboard and a fireplace in the back of the room.

According to Deed records, Kage School had its start when on the third day of June, 1854, for the sum of \$18.00, Christian Kage and his wife, Amalie, transferred one acre of land to the trustees (Benjamin Miller, John D. Hopper and Christian Kage) of School District #4, School Township #8, County of Cape Girardeau. Soon thereafter, the school was built by Christian Kage and Henry Kempe for \$180.25, with size of the structure being 20 x 24 feet.

Earliest records of the students and teachers haven't been located but it is known that Kage School opened its doors for education October 28, 1854 with 92 children that first year. The original log structure was used until 1880 when Henry Klaproth purchased the building and cleared it away for \$13.00. The present brick schoolhouse was built and continued educating the young people of the area until it closed its doors in 1966 after 112 years.

Kage School, a distinct reminder of past education, still stands on Kage Road, a short distance from the intersection of North Kingshighway and Mt. Auburn Road in Cape Girardeau.

Despite the fact a great deal of records concerning the school are not available, it is known that Miss Beatrice Joyce was one of the teachers. Possibly, she could be considered "dean" of Kage School as she taught there for 12 years. Miss Joyce began teaching in the "brick schoolhouse" in 1915 and remained there for four years. Returning in 1921, she taught until 1929.

Salary for Miss Joyce in 1924 was \$55.00 a month. Teaching 1st grade thru 8th grade in a one-room schoolhouse had to be quite a job back in 1924. Look at her schedule for the day!

SEPTEMBER 4, 1924 to APRIL 25, 1925*

8:50 - 9:00
9:00 - 9:20
9:20 - 9:35
9:35 - 9:50
9:50 - 10:05
10:05 - 10:20
10:20 - 10:35
10:35 - 10:45
10:45 - 10:55

Exercise
Arithmetic - 8th grade
Numbers - 1st and 2nd grades
Arithmetic - 4th grade
Arithmetic - 6th grade
Grammar - 8th grade
ALL RECESS
Reading - 1st grade
Reading - 2nd grade

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| 10:55 - 11:10 | History and Spelling - 6th grade |
| 11:10 - 11:25 | History and Government - 8th grade |
| 11:25 - 11:45 | Reading - 3rd and 4th grades |
| 11:45 - 12:00 | Reading - 8th grade |
| 12:00 - 1:00 | NOON |
| 1:00 - 1:15 | Reading and Spelling - 1st and 2nd grades |
| 1:15 - 1:30 | Reading and Language - 3rd grade |
| 1:30 - 1:45 | Agriculture - 6th and 8th grades |
| 1:45 - 2:00 | Language - 4th grade |
| 2:00 - 2:20 | ALL WRITING AND DRAWING |
| 2:20 - 2:35 | RECESS |
| 2:35 - 2:45 | Story and Spelling - 1st and 2nd grades |
| 2:45 - 2:55 | Spelling - 3rd grade |
| 2:55 - 3:10 | History and Spelling - 4th grade |
| 3:10 - 3:25 | Geography - 8th grade |
| 3:25 - 3:40 | Geography - 6th grade |
| 3:40 - 3:55 | Health - 8th grade |

*That year Beatrice Joyce had 40 pupils at Kage School.

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|-----------|---|
| 1st grade | 4 |
| 2nd grade | 7 |
| 3rd grade | 2 |
| 4th grade | 8 |

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|-----------|---|
| 5th grade | 5 |
| 6th grade | 6 |
| 8th grade | 8 |

MISSING ANCESTORS.

Quite often in our research we "lose" an ancestor. He/she/they literally drop out of sight, never to be heard from again. Usually the assumption is that he/she/they have died or moved on to broaden their horizons.

If by chance you have been searching for Benjamin Franklin Shrum, your in luck! The following is a brief account of his whereabouts.

Benjamin Franklin Shrum

Benjamin Franklin Shrum was the third son and fifth child born to Andrew and Elizabeth Lewis Shrum. He was born January 23, 1860 near Millersville, Missouri. The family story is that Benjamin had been sent to the store some distance from his home to pick up their mail. A man and his family were passing through in a covered wagon and offered him bed and board to take care of the stock. They were going to Texas and he left with them. He would have been 16 years old. He did not return to this area of his birth until he was in his late 70's or early 80's. (He returned briefly to visit.)

Benjamin Franklin Shrum married Ida May Campbell at Alvarado, Texas, and they were the parents of twelve children. Benjamin remarried in 1909, to Mittie Ardelia Bell, and ten children were born to this union. He died at his home on November 10, 1947 at the age of 87 years, 9 months and 10 days, and is buried in Oakdale Cemetery, northeast of the city of Weatherford, Texas.

(The information is from a descendant: Bobbie Shrum Ryan, Box 87, Loveland, TX)

LETTER FROM JOHN WELKER TO JACOB WELKER---1846

The following is a transcription of a letter filed in the Administration Papers of Peter Welker, 20 November 1846 (Probate Records, Cape Girardeau County, MO). John and Jacob Welker, the correspondents, are sons of Peter Welker and Sarah Yount; also grandsons of Leonard Welker who came to Cape Girardeau County, MO with Colonel Frederick Bollinger.

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Patterson Village, La
August 21

To Jacob Welker
Cape Girardeau County
Jackson, Missouri

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Bayou Bluff August 1st 1846

State of Louisiana Parish St. Mary

Dear Brother I embrace this opportunity of writing to you I will inform you that we are all well at the present time and hope that these few lines may find you and all the family Mother and all in good health I will say to you that I have received your letter dated June 6 and which gave us much satisfaction to hear that you and all were in good health I will inform you that I have not received a letter from uncle Henry Yount I will say to you that can allow my note that can be knowned that I gave the note and is just allow them I will inform you that we wished to to seel our farm and we wished to go to Texas and I will say to you that if uncle Henry Yount has any money over to you will write to me and I will write to you in answer to your letter and let you know where to send it now I will inform you and all that we had a fine Daughter Born on the thirty Day of may and the old lady call her Sarah Elizabeth we weight her on twelvth of this month and she weight fifteen lbs the crops her or very poore this year ther the long Dry sheel that we have had in this Country has be ten Days in this year it has a very un__ing year the mussceater ar very bad to knight and I must bring this letter to a close wish you to write to me in answer to this letter as soon as you get this sa nothing more to write But remain you affecnet Brother inteel Death

To Jacob Welker
From John Welker

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LIST OF ACQUISITIONS

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|---|--|
| A Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers and Patriots in Alabama | Ozark Region |
| Butler County, MO Cemeteries Vol I & II | Perry Countians Remembered |
| Callahan County, AR Cemeteries | St. James United Church of Christ Book |
| Emigration to Pennsylvania | of Family Homes and Cemetery Census, |
| Genealogical Helper (111 back issues) | Tilsit, MO |
| Little Egypt | Southeast Missourian Index, 1982 |
| 1812 Missouri Territory | Tattle Tales |
| Moniteau County History | Virginia Genealogist |
| | Water Over The Dam |

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DEATH OF RICHARD J. WATKINS

Sikeston Standard

Richard J. Watkins died at his home in Sikeston Tuesday, November 1, after an illness of two weeks. He was born in Jackson, MO., June 19, 1843, and was the tenth child of a family of twelve children, three of whom are still living, viz: Wash I. Watkins, of Rogers, Ark.; William B. Watkins, of Sikeston; and Mrs. Geo. R. Wilson, of Allenville, Mo. He was the son of Gen. Nathaniel Watkins, so well known in his day, whose mother was also the mother of Henry Clay of Kentucky. Mr. Watkins was loved and respected by all who knew him, and his passing will be sincerely regretted by all. He was one of the kind who light the pathway; was always cheerful and ever pleasant in his manners toward his fellow-man. Besides a host of friends he leaves four children: Mrs. J. H. Stubbs, Miss Susie Watkins and Louis Watkins, of Sikeston, and Henry Watkins of Oran, to whom The Standard joins the entire community in extending sympathy. The remains were laid to rest at Watkins Cemetery, near Morley, by the side of his wife, who preceded him to the grave by a few months.

We published this week from a Sikeston paper an account of the death of "Dick" Watkins. Mr. Watkins was well known by many of the older citizens of Jackson and this county. He was born here and was a son of Gen. Nathaniel W. Watkins, one of the old-time lawyers of this section of the State and a man of much prominence in his day. Among the boyhood friends and associates of "Dick" Watkins now living in this vicinity may be named our fellow-townsmen Jake Kneibert, Charley Medley and Ed. and Jim Jenkins. "Dick" Watkins was a brother of Mrs. Amanda Wilson of Allenville. His father, Gen. Watkins, was a half-brother of Henry Clay. In addition to the article in another column clipped from the Sikeston Standard, we publish also the following tribute to the deceased from the Sikeston Herald:

"Richard Watkins was a true type of honesty and manly principle. He had no enemies, always doing what he knew to be right, then going ahead. Few men of this section and of every community where he was known were more respected or highly regarded. The Herald editor had a long conversation with him during the fall of 1912 and found that he was a gentleman of the old school who believed in right living, right thinking, and in loyalty to the home, church and nation. He was a true-blood Democrat in politics. Thus passes away a man who was loved and honored; one who will be missed by scores of friends as well as relatives. The world is much better for having had such a noble character as Richard Watkins in it. Peace, sweet peace, to his ashes."

MISSOURI CASHBOOK. November 20, 1913.

JACOB DOYLE'S DIARY

CONTINUED FROM VOLUME 3 NUMBER 2. . . .

1885

- Jan 1 Arrived City of Helena, St. Louis.
 2 Arrived Centennial, St. Louis.
 3 Mary Belle, daughter of P. Dempsey died yesterday.
 4 Arrived yesterday Chas Morgan, St. Louis.
 5 Jno Sho_____ died.
 12 John Ivers died aged 60 years, 18 days.
 18 Snow 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep.
 19 Gen. Robert E. Lee born 1807.
 20 Gen. Robert Edward Lee died October 12, 1870.
 23 Jno Tompkins died.
 28 3 below zero, heavy snow storm yesterday eve.
 30 Wilson Blair died age 59.
 31 John Adam Frank died last night, age 26.
- Feb 4 Navigation resumed.
 6 Wm. Liles (pilot) died 4th.
 11 Navigation suspended for the 5th time.
 Benj McLeary died.
 Rev. Father T. D. O'Keefe died.
 17 Enos Hunter died.
 19 Steamer City of Helena burned at Memphis yesterday.
- Mar 1 Arrived Dacota Below, Navigation resumed.
 Arrived H. A. Tyler, St. Louis.
 5 Sim G. English died aged 35 years.
 7 James Oller died aged 72 years.
 10 Aunt A. B. Gales, 88th birthday.
 11 Chas W. Sackman died yesterday, aged 65.
 19 Mrs. E. D. Henry died aged 50 years.
 30 Judge Wm. S. Bassett died 27th.
- Apr 4 Chas Buckmiller died.
 8 Mrs. P. D. Hoffen died.
 11 John Witmon died.
 18 Mrs. N. C. Harrison died today.
 20 David Taylor died 1855.
 29 Planting corn today.
- Jun 1 Lewis Fisher (Jeweler) found dead in his bed.
 3 Bradley Blackburn (colored) died yesterday.
 8 Branch Penetentay (jail) located at Cape Girardeau.
 15 Wheat Harvest commenced today.
 16 Heavy rain last night, crops greatly damaged.
 22 Capt. Isaac McKee suicide Saturday.
 24 Lot 6 sacks new wheat sold in St. Louis \$1.02.
 30 Stacking wheat today.
- Jul 13 Mrs. Dr. Finney died yesterday at 6 p.m.
 23 Gen'l U. S. Grant died this morning at 8 o'clock, aged 63.
 27 Louis Roth died.

Aug 8 Frank Gassett died this morning in Brooklyn, N.Y., age 48.
 9 Alfred Bell died.
 12 T. F. Bassett funeral today.
 13 Mrs. Mary E. Wall died last night, aged 57.
 14 Mrs. Henrietta Himstedt died yesterday aged 58.
 John Uhl died this morning aged 31.
 15 Hon. Waldo P. Johnson died yesterday at Osceola, age 68.
 16 Mrs. Susan Hitt, wife of Judge Sam Hitt died yesterday aged 54.
 20 Mrs. Julia Marchildon died, aged 54.
 21 Mrs. King, wife of the late Capt. Eugene King died, aged 66.
 22 Lena Blackwendt died yesterday, aged 6 years.
 24 Mrs. Sanford, mother of Linus Sanford died, aged 84.
 29 Joseph Meyers (carpenter) died.
 30 Mrs. Dr. Hatter died at Oak Ridge.
 31 Mrs. Masters died 29th.

Sep 1 Cris Stein died, aged 77 years.
 2 Chris Geltmacher died yesterday 48 years.
 10 Capt Chas T. King died last night, aged 41 years.
 11 J. F. Schwepkin's infant child died yesterday.
 16 Threshing wheat today.
 20 Arrived New Ferry Boat, Cape City.
 23 Mrs. Henrietta Bohnsack died.
 24 Went to Brownwood today.

Oct 10 Cardinal McCloskey died, aged 75.
 16 Arrived City of New Orleans.
 17 Mrs. Jas Carroll died this morning in St. Louis, age 29.
 20 Mrs. Jas Oller died yesterday, aged 52.
 22 Mr. John Painter and Miss Sophia Horrell married.
 29 Gen'l George B. McCellen died aged 58.

Nov 1 Mrs. Hickey, mother of Rev. J. W. Hickey, former President of St.
 Vincent College died, aged 80.
 21 John Dell's dwelling house burned this morning.

Dec 11 First ice in the river.
 12 Navigation suspended.
 13 First snow last night.
 22 John A. Gilroy died in St. Louis yesterday, aged 27.
 25 John Taylor's house burned this morning.
 26 Patrick O'Tool died yesterday.

1886

Jan 3 Mrs. Philip A. Smith died yesterday, age 69.
 8 Heavy snow fall, regular blizzard.
 9 8 below zero.
 19 The writer of this crossed the Mississippi on the ice jam, 1856.
 Did the same January 19, 1886.
 22 Benedict Schwepker died yesterday.
 24 Heavy snow fall yesterday evening, 4 inches.

Feb 3 Snow 9 inches deep.
 4 Henry George (baker) died last night.
 8 Chas. B. Mack died this afternoon.
 Zalma Block retired from the Hotel business.

Feb 9 Cris Betten, took charge of the St. Charles Hotel.
10 Mag. Gen W.S. Hancock died aged 62.
12 Mrs. Margret Fagan died this morning age 61.
13 Jacob Williams, Jr. died this morning.
16 Henry Look died 13th, age 55.
21 Miss Alice Morris departed for her home in Pa.

Mar 3 Eugene (Bud) Sheperd died at Cairo, Ill.
5 Samuel A. Hill, died March 5, 1854.
10 Blanset died this morning.
15 Mrs. Elizabeth C. Reely died 1879, aged 68.
18 Dr. Patrick Gilroy died 1878.

Apr 6 City Election Mrs. Blanset died.
9 Mrs. T. J. Rodney's residence burned last night.
13 William Ellsworth died last night.
18 Rev. Father Kleiser formerly pastor of St. Mary's church, this city, died at Perryville on the 15th.
28 Wm H. Douglas took his departure today.
29 Robt. Block called today.
Jeff Baldwin born October, 1832, died at Little Rock, Ark. April 13, 1886.

May 1 Dr. Harris took charge of the Post Office today and removed the same to Rider's drug store.
8 Mrs. Clarrissa Brown died yesterday.
14 Visited Gordonville today.
16 Went to Thebes, Ill. today.
19 Lewis M. Bean and Miss Fannie Markley married.
25 E. K. O'Brien left for home yesterday.
30 Mrs. Hugo Ermits died.

Jun 3 Mrs. Cleveland and Miss Frances Folsom married at the White House June 2.
23 First new wheat at St. Louis sold for \$1.10.
29 Frank O'Brien returned after an absence of 20 years.

Jul 3 First yell of the katydid.
4 Judge David C. Hope died this morning aged 76.
6 Dr. Thos Holcomb died yesterday evening, aged 75.
12 Ferdinand Angst died, aged 55.
13 Virginia, dau of C. Betten died last night, 2 years and 5 months.
15 Wm Thorhauer died aged 48.
16 Mrs. Ellen Campbell, wife of Jas Campbell, died aged 44.
22 Ben Broderick arrived from Calif., absent 11 years.
23 Joseph Hemerle died in St. Louis, aged 34.
27 Mrs. Susan Steck died yesterday, aged 64.
28 Mrs. Ada Bryan and son arrived from Calif.
29 George Williams (colored) died.
31 There was a snow 18" deep on the 10th of May 1847 in St. Louis.

Aug 16 Mrs. S. A. Bryan left for home last night.
25 Thos S. Anoaes, an old citizen of Scott County, died at Springfield, Mo. age 44.
31 Beautiful weather threshing wheat today.

Sep 1 Great Earthquake at Charleston, S.C. last night. Other points in the south suffer severely.
 7 Chas Edward, son of J. A. and Lizzie Matteson died, age 1 year 11 months 12 days.
 11 Ben Broderick left for San Francisco.
 17 Wm Hitt died last night, aged 48.
 18 Timothy Broderick died last night, aged 76.
 21 Miss Martha A. Spaulding died, aged 25.
 Oct 2 Miss Emma Uhl died, aged 20.
 5 Steamer La Mascotte exploded her boilers and burned at Neeley Lndg. The following persons from this city were lost. Judge Hager and wife, Mrs. Will Wheeler and 2 children, Miss Robish, Miss Kreager, Fred Lind, Albert Rice and Charley Ancil, both colored.
 11 Bart Sheridan died 9th, age 25.
 12 Mrs. Wheeler and Miss Robich found yesterday and buried. Judge Hager's body found 9th. Mrs. Hager's body found at Thebes, Ill. yesterday.
 15 Mrs. Jas Morris died yesterday evening.
 20 Finished planting wheat today.
 Nov 1 Arrived City of New Orleans.
 2 Election Day.
 5 Miss Minnie Cans died yesterday, age 20 years 10 months 24 days.
 6 Dr. Alex Nunn died.
 15 Mrs. Phena Brown, wife of Tim Brown, died last night.
 17 Thomas Walker died today, aged 57.
 23 Chas Francis Adams died 21st, aged 79.
 26 Lewis Brown died at Caruthersville, MO, aged 53 years 10 months.
 29 Micheal Jungers aged 63 _____.
 Dec 2 Navigation suspended this evening.
 Hon. Robt A. Harcher died at Charleston, Mo.
 4 Jas Hosey's house burned last night.
 13 Steamer J. N. White burned at Point, 50 or 60 lives lost.
 17 Zelma Block died yesterday evening, aged 76.
 18 River full of floating ice.
 21 Capt Jas B. Nesmeth left for Texas.
 26 Judge Hensen, shot and killed Joe Howel yesterday.
 28 Steamer City of Narches burned at Cairo this morning.
 29 Tow Boat R. S. Hayes, burned at Cairo yesterday.
 30 Mrs. Dr. Wm. B. Wilson died last night, aged 54.

1887

Jan 8 River gorged here last night.
 10 Chas Hutters died 8th, aged 21.
 Wm Hobbs died.
 11 Pedestrians crossing the river on the ice.
 14 Mayor Alonzo B. Carroll died yesterday, aged 45 years 7 months 12 days.
 21 Samuel Kelley died.
 23 Ferdinand Hanny committed suicide in St. Louis 58 years.
 24 Joseph Schmickie died in Jackson, Mo., 23 years.

Feb 3 Peter Freiderich died suddenly this morning, age 64.
4 August Temenstine died.
7 Henry Clay Dean died, aged 65.
27 Robt S. Reynolds, Jr. died yesterday at Princeton, Ind. age 21.

Mar 8 Henry Ward Beecher died, aged 74.
10 Miss A. B. Ale's 90th birthday.
12 Joseph Lansmon born 1812.
15 Wm. G. Garrett died this morning, age 56 years 9 months 12 days.
19 Mrs. Maria Theuenkauf died, aged 58 years 5 months 12 days.
22 Peach trees in full bloom.
23 William Boatner, a former resident of the county, died in Bollinger County, age 79.
25 Bernard Rollwing died, aged 73.
26 Jno Bray, an old citizen, died at Egypt Mills, age 71.
29 John O. Olhausen died yesterday.

Apr 11 Col. Chas E. Moss, an old resident, died at Eureka Springs, Ark. 9th, age 69.
15 Henry Kurre, Sr. of Kurreville died.
17 John Conran died, age 53.

May 6 William Gilroy died yesterday evening, aged 24.
7 Christopher D. Houts died 6th, age 68.
15 John Seibenkotten died last night, aged 68.
22 Wm Paar and Katie Frank married.

Jun 1 Paul Jones died, aged 29.
12 Miss Amanda Harris and Ed F. Blomeyer married.
23 US McGuire died at Jackson.
28 F. A. Kage's livery stable burned last night.

Aug 2 Slight shock of Earthquake at 12:00 this morning.
8 Henry Clark died last night, age 36.
14 Albert Kirk stabbed Zalma McKnight 12th, death resulted in a few months.
18 Dr. Beachamann killed 13th, kicked by a horse.
19 Dr. Gett, a former resident of this city, returned on the boat after an absence of over 30 years.
23 J. V. Slinkard called today.

Sep 1 Threshing wheat today 777 bus.
6 Adoption of Snider today.
7 Mrs. Henry Meyer died.
14 D. A. Glenn's child died this morning, 21 months.
15 Mrs. Dr. Cannon died yesterday.
16 The writer and L. R. Bean, returned from surveying land at Price's Landing.
20 Jno Stratman and Miss Booth married, also Joe Fuerth and Miss Betton.
21 Steamer ~~CHAMBERLAIN~~ ~~ARRIVED~~ ~~AT~~ ~~1264~~ arrived from St. Louis.
22 Sent decds to Mrs. Ervan.

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IN
FUTURE ISSUES

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Since several of our members do have publications for sale, we decided to spotlight their publications. The name, price and ordering information will accompany each members "spotlight".

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DID YOU KNOW?????

When Virginia was first being settled colonists were hard to come by, so the King of England sent over convicts, orphans and beggars.

Tombstones were first used to weigh down the soil over a corpse so that the spirit of the deceased could not "return".

PRIMARY PAGES

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If you have not completed an Ancestor Chart, please do so and send it to CGCGS, P.O. Box 389, Jackson, MO 63755.

QUERIES

HARDIN
FULCHER

Seeking information on Monroe Hardin. 1900 census was 8 yrs old and living with an uncle, Monroe Fulcher, Sandy Woods Twp, Scott Co MO. Also living in household were two grown cousins, two sisters, Mary age 13 and Lottie age 10. Were the Hardin children orphans? In 1917 Monroe Hardin was still in Scott Co. Would appreciate any information on this Hardin family.

Etty Wagoner
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Arnold, MO 63010

GROVES
HAYDEN

Need parents, siblings Belemus H. Groves (ca 1804 KY, d before 5 Dec 1874, Cape Co. Married Elizabeth Maria Hayden, dau of William and Ann Cox Hayden, 12 March 1830, Cape Co.

Nancy Locker
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DAMBACH
ROTH
MAYNARD
FEIG

Wilhelm Ernest Dambach b 12 Nov 1880 MO m Lena Margaret Roth 19 Dec 1901 (place unknown). Need info on their parents birth and death locations. Names are Frederick Dambach, Ernestine Maynard, August Roth and Ernestine Feig. These people are my grandparents and great grandparents.

Pat O'Neill
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SHEPHERD
NANCE

Searching for Shepherds of Jackson, MO. Any folks of Amanda Shepherd b 1863 m Isaac Jefferson Nance. Moved to Independence Co, Batesville, AR. Also searching for anyone named Nance of Cape Girardeau, MO. Looking for descendants of Thomas Nance b 1830's. Father of Isaac Jefferson Nance b 1863 Cape Girardeau, MO. Will answer any correspondence.

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