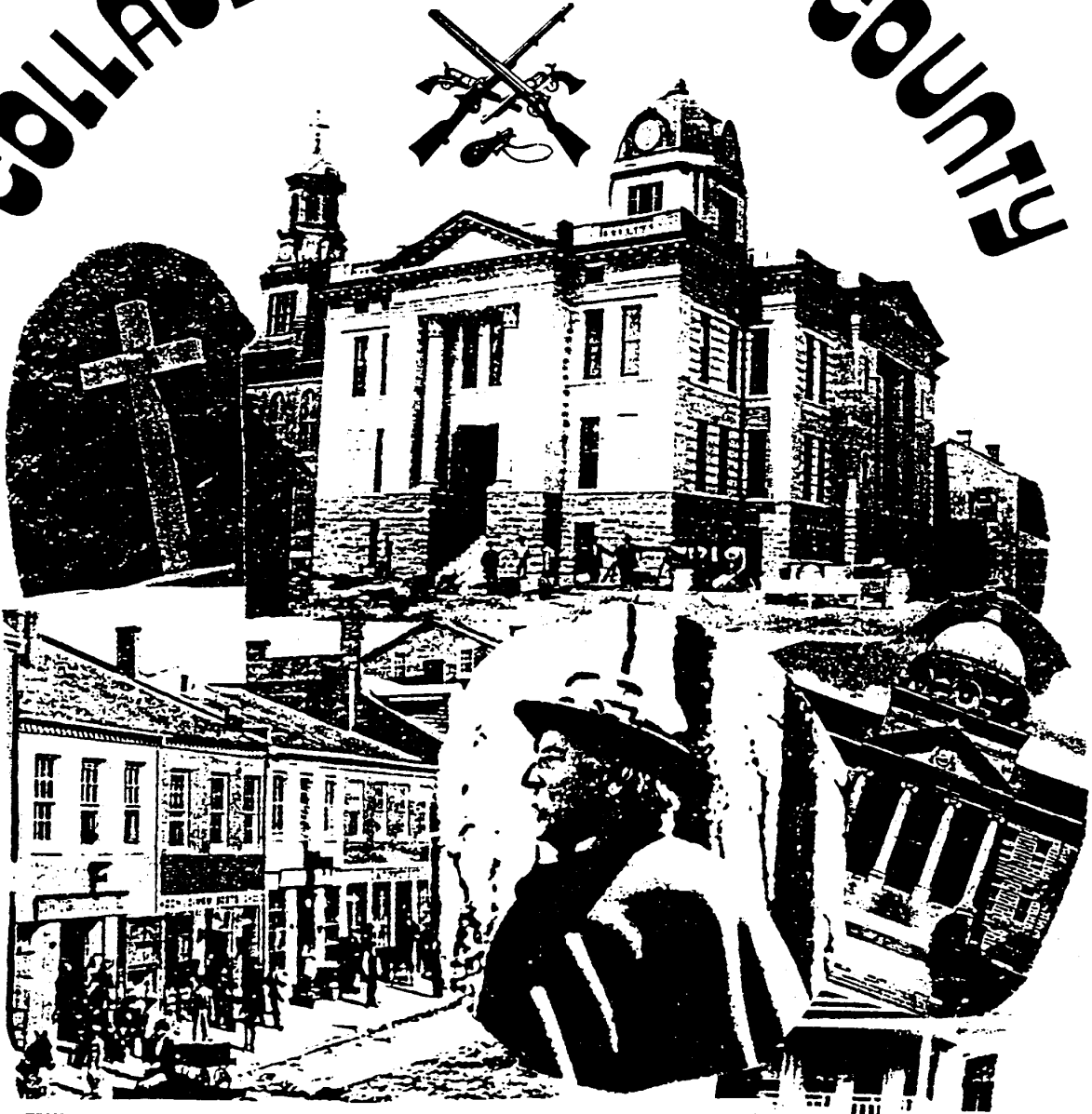


# COLLAGE OF CAPE COUNTY



CAPE GIRARDEAU EXPORTS 1874

| Item          | Amount       | Price   | Value     |
|---------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| 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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## From the President

Dear Cape Girardeau County Genealogical Society Members,

Our book sale was a whopping success! Thanks to excellent local publicity, dedicated work by our library volunteers, and a wide variety of books to be had, we not only made some money to support the library, but also emptied a number of boxes that had been stored at the Archive Center. The Society owes a big THANK YOU to all who helped with the sale, and to all those who purchased at the sale.

I also have some other good news to present. Some years ago, many of you may remember (or may have contributed to) our purchase of a granite monument to commemorate the now-destroyed Ware Cemetery. This cemetery was apparently damaged in highway construction some 35 years ago, and was also vandalized by local residents. It was of great importance because Col. Christopher Hays and many of his family members were buried there. Col. Hays was not only a colonel in the Pennsylvania militia during the Revolutionary War, but he also came to New Madrid with Morgan, and later brought his family to the Cape Girardeau District. He served as a surveyor, and one of the first judges of the Court of Common Pleas in the district. The monument was placed on the opposite side of the creek (north) near the intersection of Highway 61 and the outer road, west of the Fruitland interchange for I-55. Recently, the area around the stone and another stone placed by the DAR since our monument was erected was beautified with permanent landscaping by Eagle Scout Tyler Tuschhoff. Tyler cooperated with the Missouri Department of Transportation (the site is on state right-of-way) and others to create a low wall around the monuments, and rock mulch underlain by a weed-proof cover. Thus, the monuments will not be “lost in the weeds” during the summer. Thanks, Tyler!

Finally, the staff of the Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, led by Archivist Steve Pledger and Assistant Archivist Drew Blattner, had initiated a project to further document local cemeteries. Staff members take time each Saturday, weather and work demands permitting, to visit local cemeteries and photograph the stones. So far, they have visited around 15 cemeteries, and are coordinating with the Society’s efforts so we don’t duplicate visits. One previously un-cataloged cemetery, Byrne Cemetery, has been located so far (see the summary in this *Collage*). Contact the Archive Center for additional information.

Hope all of you are able to find some more ancestors this winter!

Sincerely,



## THE SOUTHEAST MISSOURI KNOX FAMILY

Ezekiel KNOX, b. Rowan Co., NC 1804, d. Perry Co., MO Aug 1860, son of Benjamin KNOX and Katherine WILSON KNOX; m. Mary Ann HUGHEY, b. NC 1808, d. Perry Co., MO 1885; bur. Brazeau Cemetery. Immigrated to Missouri ca. 1827-1829.

1. Wm. P. KNOX, 1830-?
2. Robert KNOX, 1832-?
3. Henry Benjamin KNOX 1834-1924; m. Sophia ABERNATHY, 1839-1922
  - a. Charles KNOX, b. 1864; m. Carrie CASHION, b. 1871
4. Catherine Wilson KNOX b. & d. 1836, bur. Brazeau Cem.
5. Mary J. KNOX, 1836-1859; m. \_\_\_\_\_ LANE
6. John W. KNOX, b. 15 Feb 1839, Perry Co., MO, d. 6 Feb 1934, Cape Girardeau Co., MO, bur Apple Creek Presbyterian Cemetery; m. 10 Nov 1859 Martha E. McNEELY, b. 20 Jan 1840, Perry Co., MO, d. 23 Apr 1926, Cape Girardeau Co., MO, bur Apple Creek Presbyterian Church Cem., dau. of Ezekiel McNEELY and Mary Elizabeth WILSON McNEELY; moved to Cape Girardeau Co. 1864.
  - a. Chloe Ann KNOX, b. 1861, d. 10 Dec 1956; m. Lucius Luckey McNEELY, b. 1856, d. 14 Nov 1939.
    - i. Lelia Eda McNEELY, b. 1886, d. 1962
    - ii. Ethel McNEELY
    - iii. J. G. McNEELY, b. 1885, d. 1949
  - b. Lillie KNOX, b. 1863, d. 17 May 1959; m. David C. HOPE, b. 1861, d. 6 Jan 1942
  - c. Willis KNOX, b. 1870, d. 1959; m. Mollie WHITLEDGE, 1876-1945
  - d. Walter KNOX, b. 1872, d. 16 Aug 1961; m. Nora WILSON, b. 30 Mar 1875, d. 6 Aug 1948, dau. of Otho and Cora C. (McNeely) WILSON
    - i. Carroll, b. 1895
7. Jane KNOX, 1841-184[?], bur. Brazeau Cem.
8. James M. KNOX, 1847-1919; m. Willie A. \_\_\_\_\_, 1850-1887; bur. Brazeau Cem.
9. Catherine KNOX m. Richard E. WILSON, b. 20 Mar 1833, d. 19 Mar 1883, son of Thos. WILSON of NC
  - a. R. P. WILSON, b. 29 Mar 1857; m. Lillie SIEBERT 1882
    - i. Robt. Kent WILSON
    - ii. Kirk WILSON
    - iii. Alpha Irene WILSON

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### Couple, Wedded 60 Years

From Cape Girardeau *Morning Sun*, 11 Nov 1919 issue.

Over at Jackson yesterday was celebrated an anniversary which falls to the lot of but few people. Comfortably lodged in their little home, and surrounded by their children, grand children and great grand-children Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Knox celebrated their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

The inclement weather prevented their children from having the kind of a celebration that they wanted to carry out, but all that goes to make a pleasant reunion was centered about the gathering of this most worthy family at their home yesterday.

The history of this fine old couple is closely interwoven with the period of development in the pioneer days when this and adjoining counties were yielding to the pioneer's axe and the mighty forests were being laid low in the onward stride of civilization. Like many of the settlers of this county their parents came from the state of North Carolina. Their ancestors in turn were among those who came from Ireland and Scotland.

Jno. W. Knox was born on February 15, 1839 in Perry county, Missouri, and his good wife, Martha E. McNeely was born in Perry county on January 20, 1840. Sixty years ago yesterday—on November 10, 1859, the then sturdy young lad of 20 summers and the young girl of 19 took upon themselves the vows that they have religiously observed thru these three score years. They were married at the home of the bride by Rev. A. Munson and after the infair held at the home of the groom they following day they returned to a little log cabin which stood about three miles north of Frohna on a tract of 80 acres of land given to the bride as a wedding present by her father.

There were 15 acres of ground only partly cleared at that time, but to this home the pioneer took his bride, and with the axe began to open up the way for planting and harvesting. After living at Perry county for about three years they sold their land at that place and bought the farm then known as the Jno. Wallace farm near Shawneetown, in this county, and lived there for 48 years. A few years ago after selling their home at Shawneetown they moved to Jackson where they are living at this time. A review of the activities of these fine old people is full of incident and event much of which, if chronicled would be more interesting than romance or fiction.

When the civil war started Jno. W. Knox enlisted in the State Militia company [and] served under three captains, Captains George Shaner, Jack Abernathy, and a brother H. B. Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox have two sons and two daughters, ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren. During the sixty years that they have been united as husband and wife not a single death has been recorded in their family. During this period, however, two nephews, Charles Emory Knox, and Dr. Pearl Hope, who they reared from infancy, have passed away.

The parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Knox bore the same name, Ezekiel Knox, and Ezekiel McNeely were the sires of, and Mary Ann Knox and Mary Elizabeth McNeely were the mothers of this couple.

Ezekiel Knox, the father of the family came from Rowan county North Carolina to Missouri in 1827 on horse back. He was one of the pioneer settlers of Brazeau community. His grandfather emigrated from Scotland to Ireland upon the request of the King of England. He went from Scotland to Ireland with a band of emigrants at the request of the King during the days when religious feeling between the Catholic and Protestants was very bitter. The Colony of which Jno. Knox was a member went for the purpose of constituting the balance of power against the Catholics, who were about to take control of the Government.

He married at Irish Presbyterian wife by the name of Gracy and in the year 1740 emigrated to America [and] settled in Rowan county, North Carolina. He had four sons and several grandsons in the Revolutionary War. The ancestry of the said Jno. W. Knox traces back to Adanus Knox, the first to bear the name Knox, which means—a round topped hill. Adanus Knox was a nobleman of Scotland, having married Lady Isabella, daughter of Sir Walter Lord, High Stewart of Scotland. Their descent can be traced through the annals of old English records to Uchtred, the founder of the Kingdom of North UMBERLAND, who with his brothers Hengist and Horsa came to Britain from Saxony about 450 A. D. Mr. Knox's mother was a Hughey from North Carolina and her ancestors were among the early settlers of the old North State. Mrs. Knox's father, Ezekiel McNeely came to Brazeau about 1829 from North Carolina, his ancestry being traced through the Pennsylvania colonist back to the clans of Scotland. Her mother, Mary Wilson, was a Tennessean. The family, years before having crossed the Cumberland Mountains from the old North State. Mrs. Knox is one of a family of eight children, five of whom are living, and their combined ages total 361 years.

In talking to a representative of the *Sun*, "Uncle John", as he is know to everybody, became reminiscent and told many interesting incidents that have occurred during the years that have passed since the day that he led his bride to the altar. When asked how long he had to woo the young damsel before getting her consent, he gave one of his hearty laughs and said that they went to school together four years, and that both had notions in their head before the last term of school closed. It was not long after that until his persistent attention had won her consent and the wedding was arranged. They lived about six miles apart and on their wedding day, Uncle John did not go in auto as is now the custom, but went on horse back, and in speaking of this, he said that he rode one of the best horses that "ever cut the dirt in Perry county."

Over one hundred people were present at the bride's home to witness the simple ceremony that united them for the long and useful career that lay before them. Of the one hundred and more who were present Uncle John is able to recall only four of the grown people who were present on that day that are still living. Augustus, who acted as best man for him, is one of the four. The other three that he recalls are Samuel Luckey, H. B. Knox a brother, who is living in Perryville; and Joe Lane, who also lives in Perry county. One of the small lads who was at that wedding is today R. W. McNeely of Walsh township, who says that it was the first wedding that he ever say.

When Uncle John was asked if they celebrated the wedding with an old country dance, he says they did not, that their Presbyterianism forbade it. About 30 or more people attended the infair at the groom's home the following day of the wedding and extended their congratulations and best wishes to the young people who were then just starting out.

When they moved to Shawneetown, both connected themselves with old Apple Creek church and both still retain their membership there today. When asked if they ever expected to transfer their membership Uncle John said, "no" and continued by saying that for 48 years he had attended service at the old church, that he had been elected as a ruling elder in it, that he had buried most of his friends and neighbors in God's Acre adjoining the church, that he had a lot there for himself and his wife and that his connection with that Church would not be severed.

The children who are living are Willis and Walter Knox, both of Jackson, Mrs. D. C. Hope, also of Jackson and Mrs. Lucius McNeely of Cape.

The family tree Uncle John had made in 1892 shows about 1200 descendants. The main branch of this tree was the original John Knox who married a Gracey and came to America about 1740. He settled at Rowan county, North Carolina and bought 600 acres of land for 37 pounds and 10 shillings. James Knox, a son of this pioneer Knox married a Gillespie. A daughter of this union married Samuel Polk, who were the parents of James K. Polk who later became President of the United States.

Willis Knox has a family tree which has been brought down to date and contains approximately 3300 names at present.

Mrs. Knox's bridesmaid of 60 years ago was Miss Martha Luckey who was an Aunt of Pink Luckey, a resident of Jackson. Mrs. Knox has four sisters who are still living. They are Mrs. Otto Price of Brazeau, Mrs. Julia Brantley of St. Louis, and Misses Carolyn and Emma McNeely of Jackson. The combined ages of the five sisters still living, is 361 years.

To know and understand the type of people represented by these sturdy pioneers who 60 years ago pledged their troth to each other, is to know and understand the kind of people who have contributed so much to make America great. No marriage license was required at the time when they stood before the minister to take the vows that would bind them until death should part, but that the pledges have been religiously kept is manifest from the rich, fruitful and useful lives they have lived. They started life together with true faith, stout heart and ready hands, faith in God, faith in their fellowman, faith in the future of their country. And that faith and courage and hope has not been dimmed by the lapse of years. Time has rested lightly upon them as they toiled, planned and worked together providing for their children with which they were blessed and providing against that day when going down the sun set side of life, they would be unable to assume the work and responsibilities they so willingly shouldered during the greatest part of their lives.

Today, while they are not surrounded by the luxuries that many want and that are so persistently sought after by thousands they have had in full measure that which has made life worth living. The years gave to them time for developing, ennobling work and these years were not frittered away. They had time for association with neighbors and friends. They took time for friendship and formed many links of firm, constant sustaining friendship. They took time for love and experienced all of its joys and but few of its sorrows. They have taken time to grow old peacefully, gently, gracefully. They have taken time to lend their efforts and influence to that which calculated to uplift and upbuild. They have taken time to upbuild home, school, church and community.

Today, as they near the twilight zone and the shadows of evening continually lengthen they are sustained by the same courage, the same unshaken faith, the same confidence that all is well, that characterized their efforts in the prime of life, peace and happiness is their lot, the reward of upright living, good health and strength, the love of children, neighbors and friends is theirs. They see their lives being lived over in grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Their cup of contentment is full. They have the confidence, the respect, the admiration of those who have come in contact and associated with them. They have lived long, nobly, and well and as lightly as the years now rest upon them it would seem after having spent an hour in their home that they might continue to live for another score of years without having to record a broken link in the long chain of years.

Those who attended the re-union were: Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hope, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McNeely, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Euese and child, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Knox, Miss Grace Knox, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Pink Lucky and two children, Mrs. C. P. Wilson, Miss Emma McNeely, and Miss Caroline McNeely.

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**Excerpt from “The Family of Knox” prepared by Mrs. D. C. Hope for the Cape Girardeau County Historical Society in 1929.**

John Knox, emigrant progenitor of our branch of the Knox family in America, was born in Scotland, most likely in Renfrewshire, in 1708. About 1727 he went with others to Ireland on invitation of the King of England to balance the power of the insurgent Irish Catholics. He married an Irish Presbyterian girl, Miss Jean Gracy, and about 1740 in company with his brother-in-law Patrick Gracy emigrated from Coleraine in the north of Ireland to America and settled in western North Carolina in which is now Rowan county on the south side of Third Creek on 600 acres of land purchased from James Stuart for £37 10 shillings that had been granted to the Earl of Granville by the King of England.

We know but little of the life and character of this ancestor but through the revelation of generations we know these pioneers lives hidden as they are from us, sources from which have come strong and living streams. A paper gotten up by one of his friends “to show as he traveled southerly selling horses” certifies that he was a man of worth and integrity. He died in 1758 and was buried in Thyatire Church Yard, a Presbyterian church of Rowan County, N. C.

Ezekiel Knox, great grandson of John Knox, emigrant, and son of Benjamin Knox and Katie Wilson was born in Rowan Co., N. C. in 1802 on the land John Knox, emigrant, settled on when he came to the Brazeau settlement in 1828. He married Mary C. Hughey in 1829 and began housekeeping in what was known as the Scott house near the village of Brazeau. In the following year he homesteaded 40 acres of land and built a house, the logs were from 8 to 12 inches in diameter and, although it has never been protected by porches or weatherboarding it is in a good state of preservation save that a storm unroofed it (at this time 1929).

Ezekiel was a man of splendid physique and had the reputation of being the strongest man in all that country. He was a great fox hunter and his “ahllloo” to the dogs could be heard farther than

the cry of his pack. He increased his land holdings by homestead and purchase until it became one of the most desirable in the community. His hospitality was unstinted and was claimed by friend and stranger alike and being interested in schools and those things that build a community, his influence was great. He made a trip to N. C. in a spring wagon in 1835 after the death of his father. At this time he received \$300 and a negro girl from his father's estate, he brought the negro girl with him. This was the only slave he ever owned and her home was with the family until death long after she was free.

He made a second trip to N. C. about 1845 on horseback with a brother-in-law (Miles Hughey) as companion. He reached home on Christmas day, having traveled the greater part of the distance in snow from 9 to 12 inches deep.

Ezekiel Knox was one of a family of 12. All of them grew to maturity and married; all except himself and a brother (Wilson) remained in N. C. His father was enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, serving at two different enlistments and was in the battles of Ramsour's Mill and Cowan Ford. He must have been a youthful soldier as his father (William Knox) was a captain in the same army.

When Ezekiel Knox settled at Brazeau there was no large timber, there was a sparse growth of trees from 6 to 12 inches in diameter with no underbrush but a heavy growth of coarse grass that could be tied over the head of a man on a large horse. These lands were spoken of as barrens and wild peas and other valued pasture. Plants grew luxuriantly, furnishing a splendid range for stock even though the winter. Wolves, deer and turkey was plentiful and at times wild hogs were very destructive to the growing corn or wheat.

A bushel of wheat was considered the price of a day's labor, dressed pork was 2 to 3 cents per pound, eggs were often not more than 4 cents per dozen.

Ezekiel Knox died in 1860 and lies buried in Brazeau Church yard which house he helped build in 1852.

Mary C. Hughey consort of Ezekiel Knox, was the daughter of Henry Hughey, her mother was a Gilliland; on her father's side she traces to Henry Hughey one of the first settlers of Rowan County, N. C., who had the distinction of serving on the first jury impaneled in that county.

Ezekiel Knox reared a family of 5 boys (W. P., Benjamin, John W., Robert, James M.) and three daughters (Catherine Knox Wilson, Mary Jane Lane and Julia Knox Price). They married and spent their lives almost entirely in Southeast Missouri, reading families and constituting a part of the best citizenry of the communities in which they lived. They have nearly all clung to the Presbyterian faith loyal to the beliefs of their forebears and in politics Democrats.

John W. Knox, son of Ezekiel Knox (born 1839) married Martha H. McNeely (daughter of Ezekiel McNeely and Mary Ann Wilson) in 1859. They lived a short time in Perry Co. and then moved to Cape Girardeau County, purchasing the John Wallace farm near Shawneetown from Dr. S. A. Buteau, where they lived for 48 years. They then lived in Shawneetown a few years, moving to Jackson in 1911, where Mrs. Knox died in 1926 after a married life of more than 67 years. They were recognized by all who knew them as worthy of respect and as exemplifying that which was best in the home and community life. Mr. Knox is now in his 91<sup>st</sup> year, remarkably sound of body and mind.

Ezekiel McNeely came from N. C. to Mo. in 1829. His ancestors were Scotch. They probably settled in Pennsylvania for a few years previous to going to N. C. He was stalwart in body, speech, character and soul, standing uncompromisingly for right and commands of God. The children of John W. and Martha Knox were: Chloe Ann (1861) wife of Lucius L. McNeely, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Lillie (1863) wife of David C. Hope, Jackson, Mo.; Willis (1870); and Walter (1872), who married Nora, daughter of Otho and Cora C. (McNeely) Wilson.

Willis Knox, the subject of this sketch, was born at Shawneetown [in] 1870. Educated in the District School and the University of Missouri, followed farming and the breeding of registered sheep, cattle and hogs until 1913 when he became connected with the La Pierre-Sawyer Handle



Company of Jackson, a charter member of the Historical Society, a Presbyterian by birth and training with a desire to live a life worthy of the name he bears.

Married Mollie (daughter of Geo. W. and Laura Whitledge) Shoults in 1897. Their children are: Magdalene (1900) married G. W. Smith, Jr., Napton, Mo.; Mildred (1900) married Galt Schrader, Canon City, Colo.; Grace (1907) Knox.

This sketch answers for Mrs. D. C. Hope mentioned above, who is a charter member of this Society and has served as Vice President since its organization. Also of Grace Knox, a member.

Jackson, Missouri  
March 1<sup>st</sup>, 1929

[John W. Knox also has a biography in *Goodspeed's History of Southeast Missouri*, page 774, which does not add any information to these accounts.]

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## Tips for Working with Names

by Dennis Northcott, Assistant Archivist, Missouri History Museum Library and Research Center  
[from the September 2009 issue of the Missouri History Museum's *Genealogy and House History News* monthly e-newsletter, see [www.mohistory.org](http://www.mohistory.org) ]

In many publications and documents first names were abbreviated or only the initial of the first name was recorded, which can cause problems when searching. If you are working in the Missouri History Museum's Genealogy and Local History Index, for example, let's say that you are searching for an ancestor names Charles Madden. If you key in "Charles" in the *First Name* box and "Madden" in the *Last Name* box, you'll get two results. However, you'll miss a reference to a "Chas. Madden." (Chas. is a common abbreviation for Charles.)

Here's a tip to help you find all three references to Charles Madden. Key in "Madden" in the *Last Name* box. In the *First Name* box, key in the letter "C" and change the search parameter to "Starts with." This search will find all references to the surname Madden with a first name beginning with the letter "C."

Keep this search tip in mind when searching other databases, including the Missouri State Archives' Missouri Death Certificates database.

The following is a list of some of the most frequently occurring male-name abbreviations:

|                            |                       |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Andrew—Andw.               | James—Jas.            |
| August—Aug. or Augst.      | John—Jno.             |
| Benjamin—Benj.             | Joseph—Jos.           |
| Charles—Chas.              | Robert—Robt.          |
| Daniel—Dan'l or Danl.      | Samuel—Sam'l or Saml. |
| Frederick—Fredk. or Fred'k | Theodore—Theo.        |
| George—Geo.                | Thomas—Thos.          |
| Henry—Hy.                  | William—Wm.           |

# 1909 SMALLPOX OUT BREAK IN CAPE GIRARDEAU

[From reports in Cape Girardeau *Southeast Missourian*]

Friday, April 23, 1909

## PHYSICIAN MAKES REPORT TO MAYOR

### NINETEEN PATIENTS AT ORPHANAGE—THREE OF THEM HAVE SMALLPOX

Dr. Dalton, the physician who has charge of the quarantine at the orphanage, makes a report to Mayor Leming to-day, which shows a decline in the number of smallpox patents, but the existence of a few cases of that disease still, and reports several cases of measles, whooping cough, pneumonia, and mumps.

The physician thinks that there should be someone to administer the prescribed medicines during the night, as it is necessary to give particular care in order to save some of the patients and the matron cannot attend to the matter both day and night.

He found on making his rounds this morning, that one child very sick with pneumonia had not been given its medicine during the previous night, and the matron informed him that the sick child had been left in care of its mother, who is staying at the institution.

Of the three smallpox cases, one is about recovered from the malady and is presumably out of danger.

Names, ages and residences of the patients, as embodied in the physicians report to mayor:

Elmer Staten, 14 years old, whooping cough and measles, from Reno, Ark. No parents.

Clyde Staten, 11, whooping cough and measles, brother of Elmer.

Willie Staten, 7, same ailments, brother of Elmer and Clyde.

Arthur Williams, 3, whooping cough and measles, from Dexter.

Berton Williams, 11 months, whooping cough, measles, and pneumonia. This child is also from Dexter.

Lawrence Ornett, 9, whooping cough and measles, from Chaffee.

Clarence Ornett, 12, whooping cough and measles, Chaffee.

Eugen Ornett, 4, measles, whooping cough and smallpox.

Charles Tackett, 6, measles and whooping cough, Brownwood.

Johnnie Tackett, 2, measles and pneumonia, Brownwood.

Ethel Morris, 4, measles, Poplar Bluff. Mother waitress in Poplar Bluff hotel.

Ethel Ornett, 6, measles and pneumonia, Chaffee. Mother pays \$2 to \$3 per month for care.

Pearl Totten, 13, measles, Brownwood.

Clara Stringer, 13, measles and sore eyes, Chaffee.

Virgie Vencint, 1 year, smallpox, Dexter.

William Vencint, 4, measles and whooping cough, Dexter.

Joseph Vencint, 3, measles and whooping cough, Dexter.

Father of these last three dead. Mother is also an inmate of the orphanage.

Inez Neal, 12, mumps, Cape Girardeau.

Ivy Neal, 9, mumps, Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Reed and five children of the Cape are staying at the orphanage and occupying a room, but none of them are sick. A summing up of this report shows that there are 19 of the children sick, most of them having more than one ailment; two women are making their homes there and are mothers of some of the children; most of the inmates are from other towns and counties.

[May 7, 1909]

**NEW CASE OF SMALL POX**

**REPORT OF PHYSICIAN TO THE MAYOR SHOWING CONDITIONS AT ORPHAN'S HOME**

The attending physician who has charge of the quarantine at the Orphan's home reports to the mayor that a new case of smallpox has developed in the person of Alvas Neal and that another child, Josephine Vincent, has high fever this morning and that smallpox may also develop in her case.

Another inmate, John Taskett, is suffering from indigestion and two other children, Clara Stringer and Arthur Williams, are suffering from aggravated sore eyes, resulting from measles.

Alvin Read, aged about 8 years, swallowed a marble about two weeks ago and has been steadily going down in weight and strength ever since. The little fellow has become quite emaciated and suffers much from nausea. The doctor thinks an operation will be necessary to save his life.

One of the Morris children of Poplar Bluff, who had recovered from smallpox, was sent to its mother in Poplar Bluff.



**BYRNE CEMETERY**

**CAPE GIRARDEAU CEMETERY NO. CG220**

Byrne Cemetery can be reached from the intersection of Mt. Auburn Road and Bloomfield Road by going west 1.8 miles on Bloomfield Road. The cemetery is to the right (northwest) side of the road, after the pond and before Dalhousie Road. The cemetery has 2 marked burials, is 20 feet by 20 feet, and in good condition. Two members of the Byrne family are buried here. The Cape Girardeau County Archive Center inventoried the cemetery in November 2009.

| NAME                                                                                                  | SEC<br>No. | LOT<br>No. | MAP<br>No. | -- BIRTH --<br>DATE | -- DEATH --<br>DATE | IN<br>Xth<br>YEAR | Y | M | D | VET | WAR | #<br>PEOP<br>ON<br>STON |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---|---|---|-----|-----|-------------------------|
| BYRNE, LUKE                                                                                           |            | -00001     |            | 1750c               | 1810c               | 60                |   |   |   | NO  |     | 1                       |
| NOTE: "born in County Wexford Ireland"; his Cape Girardeau County probate file begins in October 1810 |            |            |            |                     |                     |                   |   |   |   |     |     |                         |
| BYRNE, ELEANOR A                                                                                      |            | -00002     |            | 1823c               | 13 JUN 1845         | 22                |   |   |   | NO  |     | 1                       |
| RELATIONSHIP: [GRAND-DAUGHTER/O LUKE]                                                                 |            |            |            |                     |                     |                   |   |   |   |     |     |                         |
| NOTE: Stone top is in the shape of a crown                                                            |            |            |            |                     |                     |                   |   |   |   |     |     |                         |

**OLD BOOKS LOCATED – ARE ANY OF THESE YOUR FAMILY?**

Some very old, German/English books were recently found in a box at St. Mary's Church in Cape Girardeau and passed along to Ruth Kasten. One is a Bible with information about the family of Amos and Stelle (Bedwell) Welker, m. 23 Aug 1908 at Old Salem. The center of the Bible has some family information and several old Christmas cards are inserted in the pages. There are also prayer books with a name and date on the leather binding belonging to Martin Siebert (1916), Marie Wettengel (1914) and Louis Beckmann (1911). The last item is a German Bible with the name Rudolph Heitmann (1904) on the front with several papers inside. Any family members may contact the editor or Ruth ([kastenre@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kastenre@sbcglobal.net)).

## Bollinger County Historical Society Acquires Ledger of Dr. J. W. Cramer

(Editor's Note: Reprinted from the *Bollinger Co. Historical Society Newsletter*, Oct. 31, 2009 Issue. We have a copy of Larry Hoehn's index of the ledger in our library at the Cape Girardeau Co. Archive Center.)

This summer the Bollinger County Historical Society was fortunate enough to come into possession of the Cramer ledger described here by Larry Hoehn, who has corresponded with the society frequently in the past. The *Cramer Ledger*, which is a rare book, was donated to the society by Mr. Hahn in exchange for a copy of *Bollinger County: 1851-1976*, and Cecil Williams, a member from St. Louis, reimbursed the society for the cost of the book. The book is valued at not less than \$200. Although Dr. Cramer is given as being from Jackson, many of the patients that he treated were from the area of Cape Girardeau County that became Bollinger County in 1851. This book should prove an invaluable asset to those interested in genealogy, and allows everyone into the personal lives of those pioneer peoples. The index to the *Cramer Ledger* appeared in serial form in the *St. Louis Genealogical Society Quarterly* beginning with Vol. XI, No. 4, Winter, 1978. Elsie Reynolds made a copy of this index available to the society, and it will soon be placed in the Bollinger County Library for public reference.

### Description of the *Cramer Ledger* by Larry Hoehn

John W. Cramer (3 Nov 1803-29 Mar 1877) was a physician who practiced medicine in the vicinity of Jackson, Missouri, during the middle of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century. He and his descendants have left behind a well-preserved ledger which documents the health/lives of his patients for 30 years (1847-1876). Notations in the ledger indicate that there was a previous ledger of at least 90 pages.

Dr. Cramer's leather-bound ledger measures five inches by 16 inches and contains approximately 340 pages, title page, and an incomplete index of 23 partially-filled pages. Approximately 30 pages were removed near the end of the ledger, but remaining fragments indicate that these may have been used for his arithmetic computations. Additionally Dr. Cramer's ledger contains three loose I.O.U.s from 1861 (from James Steakley, Mary Bell \_\_\_\_\_, and Daniel Barks, Jr.).

In his ledger Dr. Cramer (also spelled Kramer) recorded his accounts under the head of household as they occurred in chronological order. Frequently he added a few descriptive words behind the head-of-household's name. These comments consisted of relationship to others (e.g., brother-in-law of Jack Long, widow, Jacob's son, etc.), location of residence (e.g., near Jno. Haupt's place, in Swamp, on Little Whitewater, etc.), physical description (e.g., schoolteacher, horse doctor, tanmaker, etc.). A few accounts have only one name (e.g., "Fritz") which makes it impossible to tell if it is a surname, given name, or nickname.

Below the head of household's name, Dr. Cramer has the exact date of visit, the type of medication applied (e.g., pills, eyewater, cupping, delivery of wife, salve, drops, purge, vaccination, powders, emetic, toothdrops, bleeding, etc.), the person for whom the visit was made or the medicine prescribed (e.g., for wife, for black Joseph, to self, for son Jacob, etc.), and the cost of the visit and how it was paid. Only rarely does he state the name of the illness or injury.

Dr. Cramer was paid by barter, notes, I.O.U.s, produce, merchandise, livestock, labor, etc., and by the County Court. Sometimes he never got paid at all...as indicated by the statements, "gone," "deceased," and "run off," at the end of the account. Additionally he used his ledger for keeping a record of items that he obtained on credit with several of his merchant-patients.

Each entry in the index contains the name of the head of household and the years in which Dr. Cramer visited. (In a few cases, the abbreviation "OL" preceding the years indicated that the account was carried over from the old ledger.) Whenever additional genealogical information was given by Dr. Cramer, it follows the dates in the index and is included in the parentheses. The abbreviation "med" means that the patient was visited and some type of medication was supplied.

## Vital Records from the *Cape Girardeau County Post*

(Continued from September 2009 *Collage of Cape County*)

- Jun 12, 1919 William RENNE Jr. drowned in a pond on the Wm. NIEMANN farm. He was the son of William C. F. RENNE, who lived 5 miles south of Jackson.
- Reese McNEELY (colored) died Wednesday at age 80. He was a brother to Clara HORRELL, Mrs. Wesley NANCE, and John McNEELY, who is deceased.
- Jesse HARTLE died near Gravel Hill Friday at age 78. He is survived by his wife, 3 sons, and 3 daughters. One son, David, resides in this county, 1 resides in Stoddard County, and 1 in Colorado. The daughters are Mrs. ALLEN of Burfordville, Mrs. STRODER, and Mrs. SUMMERS of Whitewater.
- The 17-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. ESPER died Thursday at the home of his grandfather, J. M. DEVORE. He was buried in the Thompson Cemetery.
- The 8-month-old daughter of Edgar HOSEA of Whitewater died Thursday, and was buried at the Stroder Cemetery.
- Jun 19, 1919 John T. HAUSCHEN was killed by lightning. He leaves his wife, 2 children, and his parents. He was the oldest son of Peter and was born Mar 5, 1882. He married Miss KESTER, the daughter of John of Friedheim. He leaves 2 brothers, Martin and George. He was buried in the Lutheran Cemetery at Gordonville, Missouri.
- Dr. A. LIST, dentist at Cape Girardeau, died Thursday. He turned age 75 last Mar, and leaves his wife and 2 sons.
- Professor James H. KERR died in Colo. Springs, Colorado on Jun 20 at age 82. He was once a teacher at the Jackson Academy.
- Jun 26, 1919 Ernestine BOEHME died at Altenberg at the home of her son, Charles A, at the age of 83 years. Her maiden name was SCHLIMPERT and she was born in Germany. She is survived by 5 children: Gustav, Charles A., Mrs. Ferdinand KAUFMANN, Mrs. Clara STEINBRUECK of St. Louis, and Mrs. Charles FIEHLER of Frohna. She was buried in the Trinity Lutheran Cemetery.
- Ernst BODENSCHATZ died in St. Louis on Jun 18 at age 40. He was buried at Whittenberg at the Trinity Lutheran Cemetery. He leaves a wife, 2 boys, and 2 girls.
- The remains of Schuyler MILLER arrived Sunday from St. Louis where he died Friday. The body was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Dick HOUCK. Burial was in the Wilkerson Cemetery. He was a son of James MILLER, who died four weeks ago. He was about 26 years old. Besides Mrs. HOUCK, he leaves another sister, Mrs. Byrd ROBERTS.
- The remains of Mrs. Anna Jane LEGGETT were taken from Cape Girardeau Saturday and buried at Cane Creek Cemetery. She had died Friday at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Lee James. She was 82 years, 10 months, and 16 days old.

Jul 3, 1919 Memorial services held for Theobald LUNGWITZ, who was killed Oct 27, 1918 in the St. Mihiel Drive. He was a son of Herman, and is survived by his father, 6 brothers, and 3 sisters.

Louella SIDES, wife of Price, died at Fruitland Sunday at age 31. She leaves her husband and 5 children, the youngest aged 6 months. Her maiden name was GORDON.

Mrs. Walter BELLAWS died Friday at Cape Girardeau, leaving, her husband and 6 children.

Jul 10, 1919 Charles BLATTNER died yesterday. He was born in Switzerland and came to America in 1869 at age 10. He married Miss KELLER, daughter of J. G. KELLER.

Lewis SCHOLL died Monday at Shawneetown at age 41. He leaves his wife and 3 small children.

A child of Henry VOGES of Fomfelt died Saturday, and was buried in Cape Girardeau. The father was the son of Henry C. VOGES of Jackson, and the mother was a daughter of Peter HANSCHEN.

The five year old daughter of A. H. DELLINGER of Whitewater died.

Jul 17, 1919 The infant child of William AMELUNKE died Friday at Gordonville. The child's mother died Jun 18.

Virgil ADAMS, a resident of Cape Girardeau, died last week at Hornersville at age 76. He had a brother Ben.

A child of Arnold GEISER died Friday near Dutchtown.

Mary C. ALEXANDER died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alice SHORT, on Thursday at age 85. She was born in Louise County, Virginia, the daughter of John C. WARE, and moved here at age 16. She married in 1860 to William SLOAN, who died in 1863. One daughter, Mrs. SHORT, was born to this union. In 1866 she married E. C. ALEXANDER, who died in 1883.

Albert H. ENGLISH died at Atlanta, Georgia last Monday. He was born and reared near Jackson, the oldest son of Thomas W. ENGLISH. He is survived by his wife, 2 sons, and 3 daughters. One son, W. Cannon ENGLISH, lives in Cape Girardeau. The other children are Mrs. Nannie WILLIAMS (at whose home he died in Georgia), Mrs. May LEDFORD, and Miss Lizzie of Tullahoma, Tennessee, where the funeral was held, and a son, Oliver of Birmingham. Mrs. Blucher SPERLING of Jackson is a niece of the deceased.

Henry FROEMSDORF of Egypt Mills died yesterday of typhoid at the age of 55. He leaves a wife and 2 sons.

Henry ZOELLNER died Jul 10 at Carnie, Oklahoma. Mrs. Fritz SEWING of Friedheim is a sister.

Mrs. Katie MOORE of Jackson married Robert CLINE. The license was issued in St. Louis.

William F. BERGMAN died at Cape Girardeau on Friday at age 78. He was born in Germany and came to America at age 8. He leaves 2 sons and 5 daughters. His wife died 5 years ago.

Mrs. Marie PENNOWFSKY died at Cape Girardeau on Sunday. She was an aunt of Mrs. Adam HOFFMAN of Jackson, whom she raised.

B. F. McGUIRE and Alice Hobson CRACRAFT of Gordonville were married Saturday.

Mrs. Mary GRANT, wife of Frank, died at age about 48. She was a native of Arkansas, and leaves her husband and 3 sons: Frank, Keely, and Loren. A married daughter and 2 of her children died last winter of influenza. She was buried at Festus, Missouri.

Jul 31, 1919 W. O. FRONABARGER of Oak Ridge died Saturday at age 69. He is survived by his wife and 6 children.

Mrs. Matilda ATES, wife of Marion, died Tuesday west of Millersville. She was 52 years old and her maiden name was NISWONGER.

Mrs. Lizzie JONES, widow of LeRoy J. JONES, ended her life on Thursday, age about 60 years. Her husband and 2 sons are dead. Her maiden name was BRUNKHORST. Only 1 daughter survives.

Mina SHUPPAN, wife of Louis, died in Cape Girardeau Thursday. She was born at Egypt Mills on Oct 20, 1848, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. HENGST. She married Henry LANGE, who died in 1886. The children of this union were Henry, Mrs. G. W. SCHACK, and Mrs. Joseph SLAUPE of Cape. In 1890 she married Mr. SCHUPPAN and lived near New Wells, then moving to Cape Girardeau. She was buried at Cape Girardeau.

Aug 7, 1919 Ed HENDERSON (colored) died Thursday at age 39. He leaves a wife and child.

Lawrence H. JOHANNABER, of south of Snider Mill, died Thursday at age 28. He leaves his wife, nee Maude GREEN, who he married last winter. The body was taken to Marthasville in Warren County.

Aug 14, 1919 F. H. DORMEYER died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gus SANDER, in Cape Girardeau on Saturday evening. Services were held at the Baptist Church in Jackson, with burial in the City Cemetery. He had two sisters; Mrs. William REGENHARDT and Mrs. STOFFREGEN. He married at age 21 to Martha B. JENKINS, who died in 1874. Five years later he married Ella HART, the daughter of John HART, and she died 5 years ago. Children are: Edward (by his first wife); Perry of Alton, Illinois; Fred and Harry of Stuttgart, Arkansas; John, Clarence, and Lawrence of Herculaneum, Missouri; Joe of Jackson; and Mrs. August (Mabel) SANDER of Cape Girardeau.

James HAMILTON died last night at Whitewater of typhoid. He was 75 years old on Aug 1.

Herman RICHTER died Tuesday from a fall from a cherry tree. He was about 80 years old and was born in Germany. He is survived by children living in Germany. He was buried at Altenberg.

Emanuel ADE died in Louisville, Kentucky. He has a brother, John J. ADE, in Jackson.

Christian GETZ, son of Mrs. Rosa GETZ, died. Mrs. GETZ is a sister of John J. ADE of Jackson.

Aug 21, 1919 Caroline SPILKER, wife of F. W., died at her daughter's Mrs. A. A. VOGEL, in Jackson on Aug 13 at age 65. She previously lived in St. Louis. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, and 3 grandchildren. The funeral was held at Uniontown, with burial in St. Louis in New Bethlehem Cemetery.

Frank MOWER of Galesburg, Illinois died Sunday. His wife was nee Lilly KERSTNER, daughter of the late Claus KERSTNER and his first wife of here.

David MORGAN died at Oriole on Sunday at the age of 84. He was born in North Carolina. He is survived by a son, Dr. S.W. MORGAN of Shawneetown, and daughters Mrs. Lewis DAUGHERTY of Cape and Mrs. John LOOMIS of New Madrid.

Fred WOOD of Cape Girardeau died Monday at age 35. He leaves his wife, who was a daughter of W. H. HUTERS, and one child.

Lieut. Charles L. JENKINS was shot and killed in France. He was born in Jackson, the son of John H. JENKINS.

Aug 28, 1919 Fred LEIBLE and Albertine J. SCHNURBUSCH were married at St. Joseph Catholic Church at Apple Creek. Fred was a son of Barbara LEIBLE and Albertine was the daughter of Wm. L. SCHNURBUSCH.

Sep 4, 1919 Mr. WOLF, father of Mrs. (Rev) George DUVAL, died in St. Louis Monday.

Ella GAST, wife of Thomas of Snider Mill, died last Thursday age 38 years, 7 months, and 30 days.

Ethel I. HURST died Sunday at the home of N. C. OLDHAM, her grandparents. She was 13 years, 5 months, and 20 days old. Her mother, Mrs. John BLANKEN, lives in Bollinger County, Missouri

Mrs. C. W. BOUTIN died in Cape Girardeau Monday, nee LIND, and was 32 years old.

Henry FINGERHUT died Monday. He lived between Houck and Whitewater, Missouri. He was 67 years old and leaves a wife and several children. His first wife was Miss ULRICH and his present wife was a BOHNSACK.



- Sep 11, 1919 W. H. PICKTHORN, marshall of Fornfelt, was struck by a car driven by Leon G. HEISSERER of Benton while he was crossing a street in Fornfelt late Friday night. He died a few hours later from the injury. The Coroner's jury acquitted HEISSERER of any blame.
- A small son of Everett HOUSE died in St. Louis. Mrs. HOUSE is a daughter of Emma HORN.
- John BARTELS of Whitewater died in Cape Girardeau on Sunday at age 59. He leaves 3 children (his wife died a few years ago). His sister, Mrs. O. P. ADAMS, died 2 months ago.
- Fred GROSSHEIDER, son of A. W. of Gordonville, married in St. Louis to Emma MUELLER last Sunday. They will reside in Gordonville.
- Rev. R. LEHMAN of Cape married Selma KIES at New Philadelphia, Ohio yesterday. She was a daughter of C. G. KIES. They will return to Cape Girardeau to live.
- Mrs. Fredericke SCHRADER, wife of Anton of Cape Girardeau, died Monday at age 66 on the 17<sup>th</sup> of next month. She leaves her husband, 6 sons, and 4 daughters living, and the 7<sup>th</sup> son left home 10 years ago and hasn't been heard from since. She was a sister of Mrs. Henry C. OSSENKOP of Muskogee, Oklahoma.
- Alvin GROSSHEIDER, son of F. W. of Gordonville, married Elsie GRADEN, daughter of William of near Jackson, last Sunday.
- Sep 18, 1919 Formal adoption of Opal HINKLE by a Mr. HILL was granted in Circuit Court.
- Herman KISTNER was granted a divorce from his wife Clara.
- Christian LOWES died in Cape Girardeau last Friday at age 89. He was born 28 April 1831 in Hanover, Germany and came to America with his parents in 1851 and settled near Appleton, Missouri. He married in Nov 1885 to Wilhelmine GREBE, who survives. His children are: Charles, Mrs. George MEYER, Mrs. Johanna KRUEGER, Mrs. Anton STRACK of Cape, and Mrs. John FRIEDHOF of Whitewater. His oldest son, Henry, and 2 daughters are dead. He was buried in Hanover Cemetery.
- J. Screngo MILLER of Jackson married Mary C. LETT of Marquand in St. Louis last week.
- Henry MEANS (colored) of Jackson died Tuesday, leaving a son Arthur of St. Louis from his first marriage and a wife and one child by his second marriage. He was 65 years old.
- Katherine SCHAEFER, daughter of Wm. B., married L. D. PANCHOT of Ford City, Pennsylvania. They were married in St. Louis yesterday. Mrs. SCHMUKE of Jackson is her grandmother. They will reside in Ford City.

Sep 25, 1919 Judge Joseph G. WEINHOLD of Wittenberg died Sunday at age 76. H was born in Perry County, Missouri in 1844. His parents came to America in 1839. He married in 1863 to Mary BRETSCHER, and they had 8 daughters.

Albert DeREIGN died Friday in Scott County, Missouri. He was buried at Commerce on Sunday. He was 63 years old. Mrs. J. H. GOODIN was his sister.

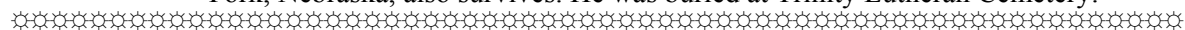
Mrs. Jane SIDES, wife of John A., died Friday at Fruitland at age 71. She was born in the Shawnee Township, her maiden name being MARTIN. She married more than 48 years ago. One son, Price, and 2 daughters, Mrs. Horace DAUGHERTY and Mrs. Elmer DAVIS, survive.

Matthias WEISSBROD died Monday in Wayne, Arkansas, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jack HAILE. He was 85 years old. He was born in Arkansas. Burial was near Biehle and he lived in Jackson, Missouri. There are 7 living children: William of Appleton, James of St. Louis, Mrs. HAILE of Arkansas, a son in Nebraska, a daughter in Chicago, and 1 in Texas.

Oct 2, 1919 Capt. A. Sloane OLIVER of Caruthersville married Anna STOPHLETT of Flat River on Saturday.

Capt. Harry W. BRIDGES died in Ogdensburg, New York. He was a former resident of this county. He was born 4 Mar 1871 at Sedalia, Missouri.

Gabriel LOTTES died at Altenberg Thursday Sep 25 at age 78. He was born Feb 6, 1841, and came to America, landing Apr 24, 1868. He settled at Appleton, Missouri, and married in 1872 to Anna DOERNHOEFNER, who died leaving 1 child. On Sep 27, 1877 he married Mary LUDWIG, daughter of Casper, and they had 8 children (3 sons and 5 daughters). One child also died as an infant. He is survived by his wife; son John F.; Louise, wife of Louis BOEHME; Josephine, wife of Dr. G. A. PALISCH; Leo H.; Dr. Edward M.; Amanda, widow of Dr. L. W. HOLTSMANN; and Rosie, wife of Arthur FRENZEL of St. Louis. One brother, John LOTTES of York, Nebraska, also survives. He was buried at Trinity Lutheran Cemetery.



## How Much Do You Know About Missouri History?

By Ruth Kasten

In 1818 the first Missouri constitution was drafted. On 10 August 1821 Missouri was admitted as the 24th state. One of the original counties formed was Cape Girardeau County on 1 October 1812. When were the following counties formed?

- |                          |         |         |         |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1. Bollinger County      | a) 1832 | b) 1823 | c) 1851 |
| 2. Perry County          | a) 1830 | b) 1820 | c) 1835 |
| 3. Scott County          | a) 1821 | c) 1832 | c) 1827 |
| 4. St. Francois County   | a) 1821 | b) 1828 | c) 1833 |
| 5. Ste. Genevieve County | a) 1822 | b) 1812 | c) 1834 |
| 6. Stoddard County       | a) 1830 | b) 1841 | c) 1835 |

Answers to Previous Quiz (September 2009): ANSWERS: A – 2 (about 1917); B – 3 (about 1834); C – 6 (1808); D – 8 (1932); E – 4 (1846); F – 7 (early 1800s); G – 1 (about 1917); H – 5 (c. 1895)

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