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OBITUARY.

—We regret to hear of the death, on the eighteenth of this month, at his home in Chicago, of William Seat, formerly of this city. Mr. Seat was a native of this county, and was about fifty-six years old at the time of his death. He was a son of Stokely S. Seat, and a half brother to Mrs. Jesse Mitchell, of this city. The deceased was at one time in business in Boonville, removing from here to Chicago, where he, through his enterprise and good judgment, was quite successful in business. He will be remembered kindly by many in our town. His remains were interred at Coldwater, Michigan.

—It was a sad hour for Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Young, when, on Monday night, January 19, 1891, the angel of death came to their home and bore away the spirit of little Yula, their youngest daughter, and the darling of the household. She was a handsome, lovely child, and the shadow is deep at the fireside, where, in her presence, the sunlight used to linger. She was the victim of scarlet fever, and, after services at the family residence, the little one was laid to rest on Wednesday, in Walnut Grove cemetery. The sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to the bereaved family.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Machette, wife of Rev. A. Machette, formerly of Boonville, died last Sunday evening, at their home in Sedalia, after a lingering illness. She, and her husband, once the popular minister in charge of the Baptist church in our town, had many friends in this community who will sympathize with her husband and children in the great loss they have sustained. The deceased was born in Lincoln county, Mo., February 15th, 1839, and was united in marriage with Mr. Machette in 1860. She became a member of the Baptist church in 1854. Her surviving children are Mrs. Will L. Edgar, of Boonville, and Misses Etta and Amy, of Sedalia. She was a sister to Hon. Nat M. Shelton, a prominent lawyer, of Schuyler county, and one of the ablest members of the Missouri senate. She was buried in the Sedalia cemetery, Tuesday, after funeral services at the First Sedalia Baptist church, conducted by Rev. J. B. Fuller.