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SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN, PUBLISHED IN MT. VERNON, MISSOURI,
Volume 1, number 1, dated Feb. 28, 1867,
Date given first below is date of paper.

Feb. 28, 1867: in memoriam: by Mt. Vernon Lodge 151, I.O.O.F, J. W. Curry, died at Pineville, Mo., Feb. 1.

May 2, 1867: tribute of respect by Mt. Vernon Lodge 151, I.O.O.F., for Alvis C. Sheppard who died Mar. 14.

Aug. 16, 1867: died Friday the 9th, Charles George Kelton, infant son of Dr. and Mrs. Kelton.

Aug. 29, 1867: tribute of respect by Mt. Vernon Lodge 151, I.O.O.F., to Henry Childress, died Aug. 3, an old citizen, died at home of Judge Taylor, was a Baptist.

Jan. 30; 1868: died on 22nd, Dr. Bender of Greenfield.

Mar. 26, 1868: died at Annapolis Park County, Indiana, Mar. 5, Morton C. Branson, son of Isaac L. and Mary V. Branson, age 1yr. 8 mo. 20 da., pneumonia.

June 4, 1868: killing near McMurty Spring, about 2 1/2 miles south of Cassville, Daniel Howery and Robert Man, both of Washburn area. Man and Daniel H. Howery got into fight and Howery's son Henry killed Man in defense of his father. Man was a blacksmith at Washburn and leaves wife and several small children. Howery fatally wounded; fight was over a horse race.

June 11, 1868: died of consumption, June 9, Gulia Elma Kelly, daughter of Robert and Violet D. Kelly, age 16 yr. 5 mo. 7 da.

June 18, 1868: died May 30 at home of his son Troy O., Paul Macy, aged 88 yr. 4 mo. 20 da.

July 30, 1868: died, 27th, congestive fever, Esq. Ramsey.

Aug. 27, 1868: died, 20th at Mt. Vernon, Charles S. Andrews, aged 1 yr. 9 mo. 9 da., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Andrews.

Sept. 25, 1868: died of consumption on 12th, Mrs. Harriet S. Gorton, aged 62 yr. 4 mo. 16 da.

Oct. 8, 1868: died of serotal hernia, Oct. 6, at residence of Robert Kelly, Hosea Pearson, aged 20 yrs., son of Moses and Eunes Pearson of Miami County, Ohio. He had been connected with the publication of the Spring River Fountain.

Nov. 19, 1868: died, 17th, Iva Lantz, infant daughter of A. M. and M. H. Lantz.

Mar. 18, 1869: Three died on or about the 14th, (1) Frank Gaither, pneumonia; (2) a child of Mr. Skelton's of measles; and (3) Mrs. Moor of inflammatory rhuematism.

ON ALL OBITS AND DEATH NOTICES, NAME OF DECEASED IN UNDERLINED.

Mar. 18, 1869: died of old age, Thomas Samuel, over 88 yrs.

Mar. 25, 1869: funeral of Mary Elizabeth, wife of Judge B. L. Hendrich, was conducted Mar. 23; burial at Mt. Vernon's public burying grounds.

June 24, 1869: killed by gun shot, either accidentally or suicide, son of J. P. Helms, age 12, of Turnback Township.

July 22, 1869: died suddenly, rupture of heart, William Hartly. His home is believed to be on Gasconade River, maybe in Osage County, but he had been working in Marshfield as brick mason for about a month. He was a "stranger in this place."

Aug..26, 1869: murder at Granby of William Lake, proprietor of Lake's Hippo-olympiad and Mammoth Circus, on Aug. 22, by Jacob Killyou " a desperado who lived at the big spring 10 miles southeast of town"--Lake's wife Agnes offers $1000 reward for apprehension of murderer. (murderer's name later spelled Killian)

Sept. 16, 1869: died on 12th, Florence May, daughter of G.R. and M. A. Lantz, age 1yr. 4 mo. 28 da.

Sept. 23, 1869: died, Judge Hendrick's twin child

Sept. 30, 1869: died on 26th after long illness, Mrs. Maggie Henderson, wife of Parson Henderson.

Sept. 30, 1869: funeral of Mrs. Amelia Clark on 19th, Round Grove.

Oat. 21, 1869: died on 18th, Elia, daughter of Jno. H. and M. E..Woods, of croup, aged 3 yrs.

Oct. 21, 1869: died on 19th, David M. Freeman. intersusception of the intestine.

Oct. 28, 1869: died on 26th, Enoch M., son of P.A. and M. J. Medlin, aged 4 yrs. inflamation of the bowels.

Dec. 30, 1869: died 24th of congestion of the heart, E. M. Stanton.

Jan. 6, 1870: died on 4th, Major Weir, an old and respected citizen of Mt. Vernon.

Jan. 27, 1870: died of pneumonia and erysipelas on 21st at residence of her uncle in Park County, Indiana, Miss Lucretia M. Kelly, daughter of Robert and Violet D. Kelly, aged 20.

Feb. 3, 1870: died Monday Jan. 31, at his residence in Mt. Vernon, Mr. William Strawn of derangement of the brain.

Feb. 3,1870: report of trial of George W. Webb for killing Philip Brogan at Marionville on Jan. 26. Witnesses included Dr. Landis, George Cornell, and Mr. Henderson.

Apr. 7, 1870: died Apr. 2 of lung fever, Annette A. Lantz, daughter of G. R. and M. A. Lantz, aged 6 yrs. 5 mo. 2 da.

died: Mar. 21, Sarajun(?) A. Atherly, wife of Henry W. Atherly, and daughter of Timothy and Elizabeth Pearson of Leroy, Kansas, aged 20 yr. 11 da.

Apr. 21; 1870: married at residence of bride's brother Wyatt Harris, Mr. Abraham Jones of Humbolt, Kan. to Miss Elizabeth Harris, city.

May 5, 1870: father of Dr. T. W. Kelton is W. P. Kelton of Trenton, Tenn.

Report of death of A. Hollingsworth, formerly marshal of "this city" (from The Patriot, probably Springfield, Mo.) as result of stabbing by Oza B. Read (Reed) who was drunk. Hollingsworth was attempting to revive him when attacked. Mr. W. H. Patterson rode up at that time and subdued Read, took Hollingsworth to Hollingsworth's home (the stabbing had occurred near his home on James River) but he died two days later, aged 74. Read is an elderly man of Swanville, Christian County, and does not recall the fight. Read was committed to jail to await trial for murder.

June 2, 1870: Report of four mules being stolen at Marionville on Monday night. In the pursuit of the thieves one of the pursuers, Isam G. Williams, was killed.

June 16, 1870: Mr. Wild, Proprietor of an Industrial Colony from Pennsylvania established 2 miles west of Peirce City on S.P. R.R. was assassinated and found dead in the woods near his home, shot through the head. Later reports seem to indicate suicide.

June 30, 1870: indictment of Mr. Baughman for murder of Holden at Verona on the 17th, apparent self-defense. July 21 the grand jury released Mr. Baughman.

July 7, 1870: died at Springfield, Mo., an old well digger David Smith while digging well for Col. Young, killed by "the damp" and body recovered by brave black Charley Wamack.

July 21, 1870: murdered, man named McDonald of Center Creek.

July 28, 1870: Patterson, who stole mules some weeks age, captured by couple of men including King Williams, brother of man killed by Patterson in his escape the first time.

Sept. 22, 1870: killed, Isaac Falkner of Marionville, Sept. 15, by M. T. Morris; coroner's jury declared to be self-defense.

Sept. 29,1870: accidently shot, killed, son of Hon. John B. Kelso. Only week or so age a little son died of lockjaw.

Oct. 13, 1870: an 8 mo. old child of John Etter killed by a horse running over John and child at fair in Springfield; John injured.

Oct. 27, 1870: died, child of Calvin Gray.

Nov. 3, 1870: killed in Baxter Spring, Kansas, Mr. Max Samuels, a clothing merchant and his clerk Max Horn, by shotgun being knocked off shelf and discharging.

Nov. 10, 1870: tribute of respect to D. T. J. Colley, died Aug. 23, Park Co., Texas. I.O.O.F. Lodge 157, Mt. Vernon.

Dec. 22, 1870: died, Mrs. Helen Hocker, widow of Jno. D. Hocker of consumption.

died, G. W. West of near Bower's Mill of a rupture.

killed by a circular saw, 12 yr. old son of Nathan Hunt of Greene Township at his father's mill on Muddy. (Boy is named Benjamin)

killed by explosion of a boiler at his saw mill at Hickory Creek Furnace, Mr. William Thompson. buried at Odd Fellows Cemetery.

Dec. 30, 1870: weather unusually cold last week, mercury from 10 to 22½ degrees below zero.

killed on 28th by J. Weaver at Bowers Mill, Anderson Starret who was drunk and threatening to kill Weaver.

dan. 19, 1871: eight inch snowfall preceded by a "number one sleet"

Feb. 2, 1871: Samuel A, William P., and Jno. W. Harshbarger were brought before Esq. Davis charged by Susan Jane Kimmons of killing William Fare in Aug. 1866. Trial still in progress.

Report of the assassination of Judge Lindenbower in Greene County by William Cannifax, who was captured immediately.

Feb. 9, 1871: funeral services today at C. P. Church for Mrs. Laura Stringer, wife of James Stringer of Peirce City.

Harshbargers (Samuel, the father and Jno. W. and Wm., sons, old settlers) were bound over to jail and admitted to bail at $8,000 each. They are considered innocent so in the courtroom Samuel H. asked for persons who had known him the 30 yrs. to sign for the bonds and plenty did.

Feb. 16, 1871: died from lockjaw on 15th, Martin Howard.

Feb. 23, 1871: marriages by J.W. Ellis in certain families from a letter written by him contains some comments on deaths. In the family of John Patton these marriages: Sept. 14, 1848, Golla Hugh Moore and Artemesia Patton; Apr. 5, 1849, Newton Patton and Amanda Parks; Nov. 1, 1849, Jas. W. Patton and Incenna Lebow; Apr. 16, 1853 Oswald Hoshow and Eliza Patton; Dec. 28, 1854, Newton Patton and Margaret Lollar; Feb. 23, 1855, Samuel Patton and Jane Henderson; June 12, 1856, Eph. Hoshaw and Adaline Patton; Dec. 10, 1857, Gola Hugh Moore and Frances Chambers. G. H. Moore's first wife had died. Newton's first wife had died; his second also fairly soon. Eliza's first husband died in 1856 and later she married to William Goodman. John Patton died a few years since.

Mar. 2,1871: died 26th Feb. of erysipelas: Mrs. Lucinda Neal.

Apr. 27, 1871: buried on Apr. 25, Mary Margaret Hamilton at Mt. Vernon.

May 4, 1871: died of fever May 3, Isaac Miller at Mrs. Gays:

died, little son of Attorney Harden of St. Louis, of croup, at home of Judge Price, Mt. Vernon.

May 11, 1871: suicide: May 10, Dr. L. B. Landis by taking morphine; cause, alcoholic.

Killed near Carthage, a son of Joseph Kelly, by log roller; family recently from Rock Island Co., Ill.

Weaver found not guilty of killing Starrett.

May 25, 1871: trial of Harshbarger, jury out 15 minutes, returned verdict of not guilty.

Paper on microfilm copy is out with July 20 number, no further obits or deaths.

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Nov. 16, 1872: fatal accident when hunting: Mr. Washington Chance in Stone Co. near Galena. lived 4 m. from Mt. Vernon on old Springfield Raod.
died, John W. Blunt, Mt. Vernon, leaves wife and family.

Nov. 23, 1872: killed in accident at saw mill on Center Creek, I. N. Young.

Dec. 14, 1872: died at residence of James F. Hooper in Dade Co. on 10th, age 25, C. K. Hopper.

Dec. 28, 1872: died, Mr. E. N. Oldaker, proprietor of Scott House in Peirce City.

dan. 4, 1873; "In Sept. last, a man with his rifles, two boys, two dogs, and a small wagon, passed through this place (Cassville) on his way to the swamps of White River, in North Eastern Ark., on a trapping expedition. Yesterday, he returned with 100 mink skins, 550 coon skins, and 3 deer skins, the whole valued at $650, which is pretty good for 90 days' work. At one time he was 35 miles from any house."

Jan. 11, 1873: died: Ambrose Shaw in Cassville of small pox.

Feb. 1, 1873: suicide in Christian Co. of Mr. Lathrip, age 78.

temperature on Wed. at 6 a. m. was 22 degreed below zero.

died on Jan. 27, Mrs. Martha Tuck, wife of Benj. K. Tuck, of consumption.

Feb. 15, 1873: died, Mrs. Ann Catherine Samuels, wife of Edmund Samuels, age 56.

died: Mrs. Lucinda Peck, sister of Mr. Edmund Samuels.

killed by H. C. Sides at Pinewille, John Martin.

died in Polk Co.: Hartwell Johnson, old soldier of 1812, age 95.

died: George Moody near Lamar.

Mar. 8, 1873: died: Maj. Wm. C. Langston at his residence near Bowers' Mill, an old citizen.

Mar. 23, 1873: died in Jefferson City, Mar. 5, of cerebro spinal menningitis, Hon. James M. Moore, age 63, of Marionville. He was representative of Stone Co. in legislature. Member Masonic Lodge of Marionville # 390.

May 3, 1873: died, on the 18th, John Lick, age 44, in Bothwell, Canada West, a brother of H. Lick, editor.

died: 6 yr. old daughter of Mr. A. York, of near Newtonia, burned to death.

May 17, 1873: died on 10th, Levi Gibson at his home near Spring River, an old citizen.

died in Peirce City: H. B. Lamb, former post master.

May 24, 1873: funeral sermons of James Gibson and his son Levi will be preached at the Baptist Church.

June 21, 1873: suicide: Nancy Perryman, daughter of Esq. Peter Perryman of Mountain Township , Barry Co.

shooting and knifing in Pineville on 8th, Scott Painter died and his brother George Painter injured, by men named Carver and Stults. Carver a brother-in-law of Painter.

June 28, 1873: died, Gracie Lollar, 2 yr. old daughter of Parson Lollar.

July 19, 1873: suicide by hanging: wife of Martin Estes, a farmer living near Verona, no cause given, hanging done by a hank of linen thread.

fatal accident: Mr. Reece Gott, at Thos. Allen place on Spring River. He was 60 yrs. odd, had come from his home in Joplin on July 4 to visit his son-in-law [and daughter] A. J. Osborn, who reside on the Allen place. He was thrown from a wagon and died 3 days later of intermal injuries. Member of Methodist Church, died July 11.

died: Mr. Mason of Verona.

shooting in Ozark Co. over a horse trade resulted in death to Mr. Shriver., killed by Clinkenbeard.

July 26, 1873: Mr. Bynum's family of TurnBack Township lost two children from small pox and two others are very ill.

Aug. 9, 1873: In Dade Co.,"a shooting and cutting affray between Thos. P. Hopper and William Hopper took place at Duday's Mill last Friday. Wm Hopper was shot once and Thos. P. badly chopped up with an ax."

"Squire Hopper, who lives near Peirce City, passed through town on Fri. to see his brother who was lately severely cut with an ax in the hands of an antagonist by the same name while in deadly conflict with him. The squire's brother, in retreating, stumbled over a snag, and after down, shot his assailant through the body, who, in return, chopped Hopper in the leg and would likely have killed him but for persons interferring. Neither party is considered mortally wounded."

Aug. 16, 1873: On July 4, desperadoes Teran Hugh Anderson and Arthur McClusky of Kansas in Indian Territory, Anderson had killed a brother of McCluskey in a dance house fracas and the fight was to be handled by seconds and the men used revolvers and bowie knives. Each died of several gun shot wounds plus final combat with knives. The place was Medicine Lodge and the seconds were a Texan named Richards and a huge Kentuckian named Job Harding.

Aug. 23, 1873: fatal accident on 18th in Ozark Township, Annanias Phillips, who went down into a well and was killed by the damps there. Leaves wife and children.

Sept. 13, 1873: suicide: a Forsythe youth, aged 22, Joseph Buck.

Oct. 2, 1873: died: on 21st of inflamation of the bowels, Mr. Samuel Forsythe, one of proprietors of Bowers' Mills and an extensive cattle dealer.

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Mar. 12, 1874: died on 4th inst., Andrew L. Phariss at residence of his father, S. M. Phariss at Logan station. He was at one time a druggest in Mt. Vernon.

Apr. 30, 1874: died on 20th at Marionville, Mrs. W. P. Robinson.

died 20th, Jas. Gammill, lived near Marionville, came to Missouri from Tenn. in 1843, died sitting in his chair in apparent good health, aged 86. He settled on place where died in 1843.

May 7, 1874: dead on 4th of pnewmonia: infant daughter Amn, of Dr. T. W. and C. W. Kelton, aged 19 mo. 21 da.

May 21, 1874: Eli Lutes, a merchant of Lutesville, Mo., shot and killed Wm Powell during a fight at dance.

May 28, 1874: died May 24, Mrs. S. E. Downing, wife of Robt. R. Downing, at residence of her mother on Rock Prairie. She was daughter of late William H. Gaither and Elizabeth Gaither, died of heart disease and consumptinn, aged 33 yrs. 8 mo. 23 da.

June 11, 1874: died near Mt. Vernon, June 10, in 69th year, Judge James Cherry, one of first settlers.

died near Chabybeate Springs, June 11, of belious colic, Jerry L. Gaither, teacher. (see addendum, June 18)

July 23, 1874: "Hot!
Just 90° in the shade.
The comet has ceased to be seen.
The traffic in little apples continues unabated.
The work on the jail goes on-so does the fighting."

Aug. 13, 1874: 103° in the shade on Sunday.

died, at Mt. Vernon, Aug. 9, Olive May, infant daughter of J.S. and A.F. Drake, aged 1 yr. 2mo. 21 da.

Aug. 20, 1874: died Aug. 12, Mrs. Elizabeth Orr, wife of George Orr, Senior, born Feb. 12, 1812, Londondery, Ireland.

Aug. 27, 1874: died, Aug. 17, Mt. Vernon, Rebecca A., wife of Wm. E. King, born Rebecca A. Newman, July 26, 1837, Madison Co. Ill, father was Zadock Newman. She married Wm E King Feb. 28, 1861.

Oct. 15, 1874: President Grant passed through Verona Sunday on 10:00 train on way to Indian Territory.

Oct. 22, 1874: died at Verona, Oct. 20, J. N. Trollinger in his 50th year., came to Lawrence County 30 years ago. Buried in Mt. Vernon cemetery.

Nov. 5, 1874: died 3rd at home of son C. D. Lanier, Mrs. Sarah Ann Lanier, born in Buckingham Co.,Virginia, May 16, 1803, parents emigrated to Warren Co., Ky., in 1808, lived there until 1853, then to Lawrence Co.(Mo)

Nov. 12, 1874: died: Judge B. L. Hendrick in 47th year, of paralysis. died Nov. 10, near Mt. Vernon, native of Missouri.

Nov. 26, 1874: died in Joplin City, Mo., Nov. 12 of pneumonia, Frankie B., only son of T. B. and M. E. Samuels, aged 3 yr. 3 mo.

Dec. 31, 1874: died 28th, Charlie, only son of Wm H. and Annie Johnson, Mt. Vernon.

Jan. 21, 1875: died, 15th, Mr. Chandler of Petty Prairie, leaving wife and 9 children.

Jan. 28, 1875: died Jan. 15, Nancy Ann, wife of J.P. Atkerson, at residence of mother and step-father, Isaac and Polly Moody, aged about 48. Born Allen Co., Ky., married there husband and she emigrated to Texas, lived there 2 yrs., came to Lawrence Co., Mo., in 1862, went to Ill, after war came back to Lawrence Co. Leaves husband and 4 children. Protracted illness.

Feb. 4, 1875: died suddenly: Mrs. Fullerton of Peirce City.

Mar. 4, 1875: died Feb. 25 of pneumonia, Louisa Jane, wife of James Neal, aged 48 yr. 21 da. Native of Tenn. Was left widow of James Stewart Warren, with 4 children, in 1863.

died Feb. 12, Mrs. Martha E. Robertson, aged 35. Born Cleveland Co., N.C., lived there with parents until 1856, to Ark. in 1860, married there age 20, husband died the following year; she moved to Newton Co. Mo. 1867. Member of M. E. Church South. Leaves one child, daughter age 14.

Mar. 11, 1875: died: Samuel Williams, one of first settlers of Lawrence County.

died, (before Feb. 9), Daniel Biddlecome, Mt. Vernon Lodge 90, A. F. & A. M.

Apr. 1, 1875: died: Minnie, daughter of E. H. and M. Hinshaw, on Mar. 27.

in memoria: died 23 Mar. Isabell H., wife of William Thomas, aged 28 yr. 3 mo. member of Christ's Church. Leaves husband and three children. (Neosho papers please copy.

Apr. 8, 1875: died, Mar. 31, Frankie, youngest son of Mrs. S. P. George, pneumonia, aged 13 yrs. 13 da.

died. Mrs. Walker (has son named Orley) (See addendum, Apr 8)

died: Louella, infant daughter of G. W. and Fannie Ernest, aged 1 mo. 20 da.

Apr. 15, 1875: died Apr. 10, Eugenia Josephine Boyd, daughter of T. S. and C. J. Boyd, born Jan. 11, 1859, aged 16.

May 6, 1875: died at Springfield, Mo., Apr. 7, Mrs. Malessa J. Howard, widow of Martin L. Howard of Mt. Vernon, age 25. Pneumonia. A son 4 years old to be cared for by grandfather Thomas D. Fain. Buried at family ground on Grand Prairie, 9 mi. from Springfield. Baptist.

May 27, 1875: died 24th, Henry Jones, of typhoid fever, lived 8 miles from Mt. Vernon.

funeral of Mrs. Nancy Ann Atkerson to be preached on third Sabbeth in July at Mt. Olivet church on Center Creek by Rev. J. Sartain. (see July 15)

July 1, 1875: 4.1 inches of rain on Friday night "and a lively fall it was. The streets were flooded and the creeks got on a bender."

July 15, 1875: "Rev. Sartain will preach the funeral of Mrs. Atkerson at Mt. Olivet church on Center Creek Sunday, July the 18th, at 11 o'clock; and Rev. Pennell will preach that of Mr. Chandler in the afternoon at the same place. Everybody requested to bring their lunches."

died on 12th: Mrs. Columbia Boyd of consumption, wife of Thomas Boyd, born Cannon Co., Tenn., Nov. 28, 1833, and came with parents Job and Elizabeth Stephens to near Mt. Vernon, 1851, married 1857, leaves 5 children, oldest is 15 years. Leaves 1 sister, 2 brothers, also in Missouri.

July 15, 1875: died July 10, Robert Kemmons, resided on Turnback 12 miles from Mt. Vernon, lived there 40 years. Aged over 80, one of first settlers. "Then his nearest neighbor was 10 miles away. The next one was Mr. Colley, 16 miles west. Springfield contained one store and a few houses."

Aug. 5, 1875: Floods: Thousands of bushels of wheat destroyed. Enough rain on Thursday night, Friday morning, to raise Honey Creek, Clear Creek, Spring River, Center Creek, Stahl's Creek, and Williams Creek out of banks and devestating the bottoms. Atlantic and Pacific R.R. bridge below Verona Washed away and track washed out in many places. The injury to corn not as bad as to wheat. In Carthage on July 31 one man drowned and a family was washed away. From Baxter Springs, Kansas, "Spring River rushing in a torrent half a mile wide...All travel by stage stopped. No communication between Joplin and Carthage."

Aug. 26, 1875: murder: George Riddle of Honey Creek was killed by John Allen last Tuesday. A dispute in regard to making of corn crop on Allen's farm, and they went later into woods to make boards. Allen came home, said he had killed Riddle, and went to Lewis Kennedy's on Lick's Prairie. Riddle's body found, seems to have been hit on head with pole of ax. Allen is in jail, claims self-defense. On Sept. 2, report that jury found bill against Allen, murder of first degree. Rumored Allen had symptoms of insanity for several months. Case set for Feb. term.

Sept. 23, 1875: dead, accident while cutting corn, Sammy Rantz, age 12, buried at Baptist Church on Spring River..

Sept. 30, 1875: son of Burgess Day, age 14, living 6 miles up Spring River, near Carthage, was kicked and mauled by a frightened mule and died.

in memmorium: Maggie, daughter of E. and L. Hagler, of Gray's Point, Sept. 16, age 5.

death Sept. 21, of David P. Stansell, at his home on Ozark Prairie, 6 miles east of Mt. Vernon. Came from Illinois just little over a year age. Died of remittent fever, age 54. Member of Masonic Lodge of Carbondale, Jackson Co. Ill.

Oct. 7, 1875: died Oct. 4 of conjestive chills, Miss Mattie Marler of near Chesapeake, age 17.

Oct. 14, 1875: died, Miss Martha Rickman, from western part of county

died: Mr. John Wormington, of western part of county.

died: Mr. Clark Montgomery of Turnback Township of fever, Oct. 11; one of oldest settlers.

Oct. 14, 1875; died, Sept. 23, Ellen Allen, wife of Thomas Allen, ill 23 days; born in Virginia in 1799, moved to Tennessee with her parents when young, married John Tipet in 1818, left a widow, married T. Allen in 1838, emigrated to Missouri in 1840 to what is now Lawrence County.

Oct. 21, 1875: died, an old man who gave his name as Oliver James. Picked up on road on Oliver's Prairie, taken to home of Charles Killgor where he died on 10th, no papers of identification, about 45-50 years old. (Neosho paper)

Oct. 28, 1875: died on 18th, Miss Betsey Moore, sister of Henderson Moore of Chesapeake.

Funeral procession on Tuesday evening in Mt. Vernon for Henry George is largest seen in years. He died on Monday the 26th, lived near Phelps during last year. Member of Mt. Vernon Lodge of Masons.

Died, 20th, in Rich Valley, 8 years old son of John L. Morris, kicked by horse.

Nov. 11, 1875: died near Peirce City, Mr. N. B. Jones (Be Jones), a brother to T. H. Jones. Was run over by wagon and kicked by frightened horses while loading lumber. Buried about four miles from Mt. Vernon at family graveyard near S. E. Roberts.

Nov. 25, 1875: died, Sept. 26, F. M. Duncan in Greene County, Mo. Member of Rock Prairie Lodge 269 A. F. and A. M., Lawrence County.

Dec. 2, 1875: died on 24th, wife of Thomas Foster. The family had moved from Illinois about first of October, located 5 miles east of Mt. Vernon.

Dec. 9, 1875: in memorium, for Elizabeth G. Paxton by the Lawrence County Home Circle Grange.

Died, Nov. 27, Mrs. Clark Montgomery of near Chesapeake.

Died, Henry Shriver, son of John Shriver who lives near Spencer

Dec. 16, 1875: report of probable suicide of Miss Blackwell of Levenworth, Kansas, death by drowning in Missouri River; her brother Ellis Blackwell lives in Carthage, Mo., and her mother also lives there. She was born in Maine, 1841, her father died when she was 7, family moved to Harvey County, Illinois. She worked as seamstress and housekeeper in various places. Family has relatives in Pottawattomie County, Kansas, and in Maine. Buried at Carthage, Mo.

Dec. 30, 1875: in memorium by Zion Grange for Rebecca A. Allen, wife of L. P. Allen.

Jan. 6, 1876: died, Dec. 31, Willard Hocker, infant son of Isaac and Martha M. Drake, aged 2 yr. 7 mo. 26 da.

Died at Carthage on Dec. 28, pneumonia, Charles D. Pemberton, a native of Wheeling, West Va., where his mother and sister now reside.

OMITTED FROM EARLIER PAGES:

Jan. 18, 1873: died, Dec. 27, near Joplin, Mrs. James Holmes, pneumonia, "resided in the bottom north of the furnace."

Feb. 1, 1873: suicide: Mr. Lathrip who lived on Swan Creek in southern part of Christian County, shot self, aged 78, leaves large family.

Feb. 8, 1873: killed at Peirce City, Winfield Cunningham, railroad conductor, fell from a car and was crushed by train. He was a brother of President of Memphis, Carthage, and Northwestern Railroad.

Mar. 8, 1873: died at Jefferson City, Maj. Moore, Representative of Stone County.

Sept. 3, 1874: struck by lightning, killed, little daughter of Samuel George. (Buffalo paper)

Burned to death, Miss Lou Coleman of Marshfield.

Sept. 10, 1874: Murder in Barton County, Mo., Col. David Norris, aged 65, by William P. Dickson, aged 26.

ADDITIONAL OBITS AND DEATH NOTICES:

Sept. 12, 1867: Murder of Durand H. Nealley, formerly of Greenfield, in vicinity of Bellvoir, Bates Co., on Aug. 28; shot four times, robbed of $1400. Widow is Elizabeth Nealley. Also robbed was Mr. H. B. Gorton of Greenfield, lost $25, not harmed, nearly blind. The outlaws may come from near Bentonville, Ark.

Dec. 12, 1867: William Langston was killed at Warsaw on 16th by falling from his loaded wagon, the wheels passing over his body.

State deaths: Julius Cohn, Esq. of firm of Cabo Bro., died at Hannibal. / John J. Bolander, auctioneer of Macon, died Nov. 13. / Mort Salisbury, Esq. of Kansas City, died on 20th of heart disease.

Apr. 23, 1868: George Hunter shot Feb. 17, 2 miles from Sarcoxie, attempting to escape from neighbors who were taking him to Sarcoxie for questioning about his mother-in-law Margaret M. Fullerton, who disappeared some 8 or 9 weeks ago. Mrs. Fullerton was about 35 yrs. old, medium size, and lived in Lawrence County, 4 mi. east of Sarcoxie, had 4 children. She has a number of relatives in county who came from Indiana and some are living in Independence Mo. area by names of Mann and Butt. Her maiden name was Potts. She had left home with Hunter and Thos. Turley, aged 15 or 16, intending to go to Ohio by railroad from Sedalia. Hunter was to take her and the boy to Sedalia. Apr. 30 paper: Geo. Hunter (corrected to Hutton) taken from guards at Sarcoxie before daylight and hanged on 28th by 3 unknown men. May 14 paper: Mrs. George Hutton, alias Thomas Turley, has been captured, was wife of Hutton, present at time of his marriage to Mrs. Fullerton's daughter, disguised as the boy. She is graduate of Oxford College, Ohio, and met Hutton in Texas.

Mr. William Inke at Boliver shot and killed his son, mistaken for horse thief.

Apr. 30, 1868: at Lamar, James Patterson, aged about 15, killed by Sheriff W. A. Norris. Patterson and Norris were cousins. Patterson's sister is Mrs. Albert.

From Warsaw, little daughter of Mr. Wm Groshen, living near Cole Camp, died of burns when clothing caught fire.

May 7, 1868: Cassville; about 7 miles down Flat Creek below Cassville, William C. Wade shot and killed Alexander Jackson, late of Green County, over right to tract of land.

May 14, 1868: Marshfield: body of woman found about 12 miles southeast of Marshfield appears to be Polly Wood, daughter of Geo. W. Smith of Ozark County, aged 25, leaves 2 children, left Ozark County about first of Jan. 1867 and went to her uncle's in Laclede County, John Simmons; she left there but was not heard of after that.

Sept. 10, 1868: Murder of Dr. A. S. Jones, Oct. 20, at Lamar, Mo. Jasper N. McLain and his brother Lewis involved with Jones in a fight. Jasper stabbed Jones with large bowie knife, blade about 6 inches long. Jasper McLain formerly lived in Laclede County.

Jan. 21, 1869: Trial of Thos. Allen for shooting at Jas. H. Gibson last Oct. (Jas. H. Gibson not said to have died) Held before Justice J. W. Davis; attorneys were Hon. Judge Price for defendant and N. Gibbs and A. G. McCune for state. Allen given citation to Circuit Court.

Feb. 11,1869: report of shooting in Huntsville, Ark., Jan. 8. A young man named Cox killed Samuel Drake, cousin of J. D. Drake. editor of Cassville newspaper. Drake part of group who had gone to arrest Cox and some other rebels who had been threatening citizens of Madison County, Ark.

Mar. 25, 1869: from the Southwest Journal (name of town not given): Joshua Black who lives east of town was killed when horse fell into a miner's shaft near road. The night was dark and horse was blind. A neighbor Thomas Davis and Mr. Black's wife found him after he did not return from a trip to town.

July 22, 1869: report on a man named Chester Thomas who had been living in Mt. Vernon, and was insane. He recovered his senses last week; his home is in Surcy County, Ark., near Boroville (sic): he had enlisted in rebel service early part of the War, was taken prisoner at Helena, July 3, 1863, taken to Fort Delaware, redeemed at end of war, went home, found that his father had died, stayed home one year, attacked by bouts of insanity, had these for 4 years, now appears cured, going home.

July 29, 1869: murder reported from newspaper called Patriot, no place given: Murder occurred 9 miles northeast of this place in vicinity of Gray's Mill; victim a young man named Willis Wynn, son of R. M. Wynn, Justice of Peace of Jackson Township., killed by young man William Brit, recently from Arkansas, both about 18. Had been swimming in Sac River and quarreded, fight occurred, Wynn was knifed.

Killed, accidental discharge of rifle being handed him by his eldest child, 8 yr. old daughter, Mr. West of Harrison County, Ky. Leaves wife and 4 small children. They had gone to Kansas but were on way back to Ky. Accident occurred at camp near Fair Play, Mo.

Nov. 11, 1869: state of Missouri vs. Wm. C. Johnson, indictmebt for murder of Alexander Jackson in Barry Co. Apr. 1869. Verdict of jury- not guilty.

Dec. 9, 1869: murder in Barry County, Jack Carney and wife on the Cassville and Berryville Road, 20 miles southeast of Cassville; George Moore arrested, motive appears to be robbery.

Jan. 27, 1870: William Lake buried on 13 Jan.(article from Cincinnati, Ohio paper), conducted by Odd Fellows of Ohio Lodge 1. He had been a showman for 43 yrs., born Burlington, Maine, Sept. 25, 1817, murdered in Barry County, Mo. ....

Aug. 4, 1870: arrested, Benjamin Jones of TaneyCounty, charged with murder of Lt. Hildebran, a discharged Federal soldier in Cole County, fall of 1865, killed by four men in presence of his wife and children; Jones accused of firing the shots and the others of stabbind the lieutendant. The men were arrested and jailed in Jefferson City but all but one escaped. Jones is said to be one of them. He has wife and children in Taney County.

Emery Wright has returned from Illinois where he buried his wife. Her mother lives in Illinois.

Sept. 15, 1870: died, 6 Sept. , David Franklin Landrum, aged 3 yrs. 18 mo. 12 da., son of Susan E. and R. H. Landrum.

Nov. 10, 1870: strange murder: Nov. 15, man found dead on road from Sarcoxie to Mt. Vernon, shot at a camping place. Had letter with name of Albert Nutter of Jasper Co. Mo.

Jim Ingram of Ark. shot and killed by young man named Stone. Ingram had killed Stone, Sr. in 1864 during war, as part of a band of desperadoes who murdered Union men. Young Stone was 13 then. Ingram had moved to Texas but returned to Ark. and Stone killed him.

Dec. 1, 1870: Thomas Allen of Washington Co., Ark., formerly of Lawrence Co. Mo., appeared before Judge Hendricks and was discharged from all accusations against him.

Dec. 8, 1870: trial of Lee and Wm Callison of Ozark Township in murder of Dr. Hyl in 1866. Jury found not guilty.

Jan. 19, 1871: Death of General Lyman Beeman, representative from Newton Co., Mo., pneunomia., age 86 yrs., died at boarding house of Cap Price. Lived in Neosho.

Jan. 26, 1871: Springfield, Mo., Jan. 24, Judge Lindenbower was shot, killed, in the afternoon by William Cannefax.

Apr. 20, 1871: trial of Oza B. Reed who was indicted for murder of E. Hollingsworth, held at Ozark; Reed given 2 yrs. in prison.

Boliver: murder of Mortimer Sullivan during a fight on 3rd. On 4th at Boliver another murder occurred- that of John N. Griffin. Charged with latter murder was Owen Rourke.

May 4, 1871: died, Springfield, Apr. 31, Dr. Gannah, a resident of Texas, run over by train a week ago. Buried by Masons.

May 11, 1871: killed at Minersville, Carthage, Mo., miner named Cody, on 26th, native of Canada, single.

Trial of William Weaver for killing Anderson Starett.(1-19-71)

May 26, 1871: Springfield; a letter from John T. Scott of Roads, Polk County, tells that a young man named Appleby from Springfield was killed near that place on 14th, by a vicious horse. (note says this may be Thomas N. Appleby.)

Jury in Harshbarger trial: Wilson Henson, I. B. Gilmore, W.H.H. Overstreet, W. W. Stockton, Jas. E. Niece, W. M. Springer, Jno. Moore, Geo. N. Gibson, Thos. B. Stockton, E. B. Hillhouse, Jno. Brown, J. W. Mills. Witnesses: Mr. Gillmore, Jane Kimmons, Fanny Fare, Eletha Reed, Joseph Dryden, James Weatherspoons, Ellen Fare, Jas. Pike, Jerry Ryker, J. H. Hastings, Jas. Small, T. J. Ingram, Jno. Wicker, W. Grammen, I. J. West, Thos. Nickel, and Samuel Moore. (genealogical data from testimony: Jonathan Fare was killed in 1864; Susan Kimmons is sister of W. Fare; Ellen Fare, age 17, is youngest sister; Elretta Reed, a sister of Fare, is daughter of Jemima Fare; James Weatherspoon is single, age 20.) June 1, trial continued: Peter Imler resided at Springfield in 1865; had gone to Harshbargers after corn. Sarah June Graves age 20 is now Mrs. O'Kelly.

July 6, 1871: murdered on 24 June, Ray County, Mo., town of Hardin, Richard M. Reeves and William Whitteker by man named Brice in a saloon.

July 13, 1871: murdered: Mr. Martin and Mr. Butler, while asleep by roadside, 8-10 miles from Neosho.

The above were from SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN. It is discontinued and in Sept. 1872 Vol. 1, no. 1 of the LAWRENCE COUNTY JOURNAL appears, H. Lick, editor. It is called a Democratic Party paper.

Oct. 5, 1872: died: Col. James M. Mitchell, an old settler of Dade County, aged over 70.

Nov. 2, 1872: younglad named Ketchum killed in Pierce City last week, carelessness in handling powder.

In Marshfield, Jerome B. Pearcy, conductor, shot and instantly killed by man he ejected from train for failure to pay fare.

Nov. 30, 1872: buried alive in Marion County, Nebraska, a family named Hunt, parents and 3 children, when roof of dirt and sod fell in on house. Lived about 2 miles from Marion Center.

Dec. 7, 1872: report from Topeka, Kansas, of murder of his wife by Dr. Samuel Ashmore, who seems to have gone insane.

Nov. 30, 1872: body of Mrs. Sherman who died four years ago and was buried in Oregon, Lawrence County, Mo., exhumed and taken to Wisconsin for burial.

Dec. 24, 1872: man named Massey reported killed at Southwest City.

Jan. 11, 1873: Godfrey Lesieier who recently died in New Madrid County, Mo., age 74, one of oldest Missourians in state. Another old citizen is Mr. John Metz of Clark County, born in St. Louis County, Feb. 13, 1796.

Died, James Hudgins of near Greenfield, found dead in his house Dec. 23, had been dead several days. Lived in Dade Co. 2 years, separated from his wife.

Feb. 1, 1873: murdered, in Jefferson City, by Mrs. Amelia Schneder, her 6 wk. old child because it was bow-legged.

Mar. 23, 1873: letter to Mrs. Haley from Mack's Creek, Camden County, Mo., from a relative of decessed concerning death of Mrs. Kate Dye, Feb. 20, wife of W. M. Dye, who is being sought "to bring him to justice". She had a son born two weeks earlier and Mrs. Dye's mother has it and the oldest girl. Mrs. Charles Wescott, an aunt of Mrs. Dye, has youngest girl.

Died, in Feb., Mrs. Ann Catharine Samuels, wife of Edmund Samuels, in 56th year of life, lived near this place.

Apr. 12, 1873: Marshfield, Mo., report on Cole murder case. William Cole arrested 1866, charged with murder of his wife in Douglas Co. in spring of same year. He was found guilty and sentenced to be hung but case appealed, now sentenced to life.

Apr. 19, 1873: died in home fire in Texas Co., near Licking, on 14th, Mrs. Mitchell.

May 10, 1873: Miss Mollie J. Zeverly has become editor of newspaper at Linn, Osage Co., on death of her father.

Died, young child of Thomas family near Aurora, small pox.

May 24, 1873: funeral of H. B. Lamb, late postmaster of Peirce City.

June 14, 1873: Henry Williams, young half Indian living near Pomme de Terre bridge in Polk Co., shot and killed Mr. Saunderson because he couldn't marry Saunderson's daughter.

Aug. 2, 1873: B. F. Brown of North Springfield, brakeman on A. & P. R.R., killed in crossing bridge near Ritchie. Leaves wife and children.

William German, charged with murdering his father-in-law, convicted at Carthage.

Aug. 30, 1873: suicide, Miss Brannaugh who lived with step-father and mother 8 miles southeast of Lebanon, on 18th, believed to have been raped by two young men who have been arrested.

Feb. 26, 1874: died, Peirce City, wife of White Frost. Body sent to Kentucky for burial.

Mar. 12, 1874: killed in Chariton County by explosion of steam boiler at mill on Grand River owned by Thos. Dobbins--Elisha Smith, Jesse Thatcher, and Richard Worthington, all employees at mill.

Died, Capt. John S. McCune of St. Louis.

Apr. 23, 1874: died, Springfield, young man, son of Dr. Thompson, heart.

Apr. 30, 1874: Springfield news: killed by train near Lebanon, young brakeman named Stephen Hamilton. Train from the East.

May 21, 1874: body of man supposed to be Jacob Newman of Springfield, Ill., found in woods near Springfield, Mo., apparent suicide.

In County Court: Dan Whitfield tried and discharged for killing Bob Fitzhue.

June 4, 1874: from Peirce City, Patrick Daugherty, formerly a contractor on M.C.&N.W. R.R., shot and killed at home 2 mi. east of Smithfield by Indian. Leaves wife and 5 children.

Lynched at Vinita: John Blythe, John Friend, Joe Queen, and man named Morgan--all half-breeds and desperate characters.

June 11, 1874: suicide in Oregon. Zimri Pearson, brother-in-law of editory of Fountain and Journal, aged about 25.
(mast does not list an editor; directors listed are R.H. Landrum, Daniel Sloan, and John Cecil.)

June 18, 1874: Jerry L. Gaither, son of William H. and Elizabeth Gaither, aged 24 yrs. 3 mo. 6 da., died at residence of his mother 11 miles east of Mt. Vernon on June 11. His sister died short time earlier. Leaves mother and two sisters.

July 2, 1874: lightning killed old man named Eubanks and his granddaughter, wife of James Garrison of Douglas County, on Dry Creek, east of Bryants' Fork. They were standing near door of home of Mr. Garrison.

July 9, 1874: died, Audrian County, Wm Flinn, who owned a farm near Benton City.

July 16, 1874: died July 3, John M. Querry, of Lawrence County. Born BarronCounty, Ky. 1811, married Sarah Colley in Russell Co. Va. very young age, moved to Ray Co. Mo. 1830. Had 4 daughters and 5 sons. All daughters married and all sons-in-law joined Union Army, 3 died, 1 wounded. His five boys also Union soldiers and he served in E,M.M. In 1867 moved from Ray Co. to Lawrence Co. Member of Regular Baptist Church. One son is William Querry of Phelps.

July 16, 1874: killed by lightning, Mrs. Willy B. Walker of Licking, Texas County.

Joseph Sayers was found guilty of murder of Charles Wilson at Joplin last June.

July 23, 1874: died. Squire Meeks of Granby at home of relative in Joplin.

Killed by lightning, Pleasant Landers of near Fair Play, at home of Joseph Hobbs.

R. K. Hart of Greene County, arrested for murder of G. W. Davis of Christian County, charged along with Sam. Oers. Hart and Davis were brothers-in-law.

July 30, 1874: killed by Oliver Langly in Dade County, man named Cowley who lived on Langley's farm.

Aug. 6, 1874: tribute of respect by Hall Decatur Lodge 400, A. F. & A. M., Peirce City, for A. B. Charles.

Aug. 27, 1874: killed, Horace Metcalf of Springfield, by man named Wynn. Metcalf and nephew W. L. Metcalf had gone to Wright County to arrest Wynn for illicit distilling.

Killed while chasing horsethieves near Prairie City on state line between Missouri and Indian Territory, men named Kime and White of Lawrence County, Mo. White is brother of Sanford White "of this city" and Kime has brother "in this city" (Patriot paper)

Sept. 24, 1874: killed, A. J. Russell, deputy constable of Greene County while attempting to arrest two men.

Oct. 15, 1874: died, 10th ult., aged wife of John Hopkins of Legrange. Married 60 years. He died less than week later. Buried in city cemetery.

Little 8 or 9 year old son of Joseph Barrett, an Irish citizen of Clintom, fatally shot by 10 or 12 yr. old boy Tol. Whittaker, hunting accident.

Died, Hannibal, Maj. Josiah Hunt, superintendent of St. Louis, Keohuh, & St. Paul R.R.

Died, Thomas Campbell, aged citizen of Howard County, lived 9 miles south of Fayette.

Died, Aurora, Miss Ann White, Oct. 3
Died, Aurora, Oscar Moehle, Oct. 4, aged 4.

Oct. 22, 1874: mysterious death at Springfield, Thomas Johnson, proprietor of hotels at Holden and Vinita, and on his way to St. Louis, found shot in office of lumber yard where he had gone for nap; suicide or murder. Wife lives at Holden.

Nov. 4, 1874: died, Dr. John W. Chenoweth, an early settler of southwest Missouri, on 5th of this month (probably Oct.) at home in Grayson, Texas. He settled in Greenfield more than 30 yrs. ago.

Nov. 12, 1874: killed, struck by train, the 11th, John Hensler of Warren County, Mo. and also his little boy.

Nov. 26, 1874: shot and killed 30th ult., Jerry White, one of editors and prop. of Texas Pioneer, by John Hubbard. (a Mo. paper)

Dec. 17, 1874: shot and killed at Forsyth, Taney co., J. C. Johnson, sheriff of County, by Dr. Burdett, who was mortally wounded.

Jan. 14, 1875: died, Joseph Rountree, oldest citizen in southwest Missouri, at his home 3 mi. west of Springfield, on 27th. Came from Tenn., settled on same place where he died in 1830. Large family; among them are Judge M. J. Rountree of County Court of Greene County.

Died, 18 month old child of James Robertson of near Marshfield, of burns; kettle of hot water turned over on child.

Mar. 4, 1875: died in Springfield, James Dickey who lived in northern portion of county.

Texas County, Mo., night of 12th, little year old child of Isaac Self fell from bed to floor and froze to death.

suicide, Henry Bartholow of Mercer County, Lindlay Township.

Mar. 18, 1875: Samuel S. Williams, did Mar. 9, aged 70 yrs. 2 mo. 8 da. Born Maury County, Tenn. Lived there until marriage. Came with family to Mo. in Nov. 1831 to farm where he died. Member of C.P. Church. First assessor of southwest Missouri. First clerk of Lawrence County.

Died Feb. 26, Thos. M. Stotts. By Home Circle Grange 1130, Lawrence County.

Mar. 25, 1875: died, Zachariah J. Ridgeway of Audrian Co. Rep. to Jefferson City, died at Jefferson City on 14th, aged 57, native of Ky. To Audrian Co. 1844. Leaves wife and 8 children.

Apr. 1, 1875: John Abels convicted of murder in Jasper County. He killed John L. Lane in McDonald Co. in June last. Jury took 5 hours before verdict of guilty brought.

Apr. 8, 1875: a tornado destroyed house of Mr. Kelly about 5 mi. from Avilla, killing child. (Carthage news)

Mrs. Walker had one son to die last week, she died, leaving 7 year old son Orley and baby girl. Her husband described as "brute" was forced to flee country. Mrs. Wise is caring for baby and Mr. Collins has taken 7 yr. old. Mrs. Walker's parents are said to be named Smith and live in Dallas County. (Little girl died later.)

Apr. 15, 1875: Patrick O'Shea hanged in St. Louis on 9th for murder of his wife Mar. 18, 1874.

Suicide, Springfield, Dr. Shutt, leaves wife and 3 children.

Killed in mine, Mr. Kemer, leaves wife and 1 child (Granby paper)

Apr. 22, 1875: died, John F. Johnson, former editor of Lebanon Chronicle.

Died, James, son of Knox Gibson, aged 10.

Died, Stella, youngest daughter of J. W. Lebow, on Apr. 16, aged 3 yr. 5 mo. 15 da.

Apr. 29, 1875: died, Mayor Auther B. Barret of St. Louis, on 23rd, had been mayor only 10 days.

Died, Barry County, Mrs. Wallace, on 16th.

May 6, 1875: murder of Daniel Ashey of Clay County. He lived within one-fourth mile of Mrs. Samuels, mother of James' boys.

May 13, 1875: died in accident while working in mine in Granby, Dominico Brida, a native of Italy.

Died, Swan Olson, drowned in Spring River (Carthage news)

Died, young man named Kaynor at the Decatur House. Burial in city cemetery.

May 20, 1875: born to Mrs. Wm B. George of Marshfield, triplets, all boys, total weight 21 pounds; one died shortly after birth.

June 3, 1875: killed in affair at Lone Elm, John Maas, a saloon keeper, knifed by a boy named Patterson. (Joplin news)

Funeral of Mr. Finney's wife and 2 children will be preached at Chesapeake on 3rd Sabbeth of month by Rev. Keran.

Died, Springfield, Wm Barren, a tinner, unmarried, formerly of St. Louis.

Died, Mandy Elizabeth Spencer, aged about 10. (Carthage news).

June 10, 1875: killed, Daniel Rutherford in Wheatland, on 14th, shot by Richard Rogers. (Hickory County.)

Died, Mr. Palston of Smith township, aged about 50, Leaves wife and 4 or 5 children (Greenfield news)

July 1, 1875: shot, Albert Corey, drunk at Sedalia, a conductor on Mo. P. R.R., killed by officer Bruce. Leaves wife and child. (Springfield paper)

July 15, 1875: John E. Cole, marshall of Osceola, shot and killed by J. L. Hicks of Osceola, aged 51, well-connected, was on a "big drunk."

Died, Gen. Frank P. Blair in St. Louis, aged 54.

July 22, 1875: letter from Amity, Yamhill Co. Oregon, from Dan. Wann. He, brother, and several others left Rock Prairie, Lawrence County, Mar. 30. On way his brother lost wife and nearly lost little boy and girl.

J. P. Ripley, died Apr. 25, nearly 62 yrs. old. Made a Mason in Oden Lodge 44, Huntsville, Ark. 1852. By Decatur Lodge 400.

July 29, 1875: certificate by Doctors Grigg and Browning that death of Tennessee Haley, daughter of Joshua Haley, due to diseased brain.

Aug. 12, 1875: body of Hartman who was washed away at Grand Falls in great flood on Friday last recovered. Wife still missing. (Granby paper)

Aug. 19, 1875: Abbott Cox arrested for being accessory with Sam. Orr in murder of Geo. W. Davis of Christian County.

Aug. 26, 1875: shot and killed, William Wentzel, a farmer of near St. James, by son, age 18; father was drunk and taking butcher knife to boy.

Sept. 2, 1875: killed, Major J. W. Anderson who lived on his farm 3 mi. east of Newtonia, on 25th, by three young men passong through- Tom Killian, ___ Umphrey, and ___ William, all bachelors.

Sept. 16, 1875: murderers of Henderson described: (name spelled Anderson earlier): Tom Kilan, brother of Jake and Ben Kilan, the former in pen for murder of Lake and latter under indictment for murder of M. Scmidt, aged about 19-20; John Wilson, aged 33-34; and John Humphreys, aged 20-21.

Died, Hickory County, a man named McConnel, killed with an "unloaded" gun.

Died from kick in stomach by horse, Charlie, son of Judge M. G. McGregor of Carthage, aged 4.

Killed in jail escape attempt at Denver, Colo., Evan E. Hall, whose father lives Avilla, Jasper Co. Mo.

Sept. 23, 1875: suicide, George W. Moulton, aged 60, of near Granby, leaves family of grown children. Incurable disease.

Oct. 7, 1875: died Sept. 10, Mr. George Tabor who lived on Sulphur Fork, aged 72 (Scottville, Ky. paper)

Killed in Pine Hill, Ky., Thompson McDaniels, a buchwhacker of western Missouri, brother of Bill McDaniels who was recently killed in Nebraska. Thompson had been an outlaw for 10 yrs.

Oct. 14, 1875: killed in Columbus, Dr. Cheney by man named McCormack, (Ft. Scott paper)

Oct. 21, 1875: heirs of Gen. Monroe M. Parsons of Jefferson City paid by Mexican government for damages for his murder in 1865.

Joplin, man named Murphy shot and killed by W. S. Norton, quarred over city election.

Oct. 18, 1875: died, Oct. 17, Nellie, daughter of E. and M. Williams of Gray's Point, typhoid fever. One sister is named Mattie. Leaves parents, sisters and brother and brother-in-law.

Nov. 4, 1875: two young men named Wach and Richardson suffocated in well at Irving on Union Pacific R. R. (Granby news.)

Shot, John Hulsey at home of George Hudson by Hudson. Hulsey leaves wife and 2 children. He was attempting to enter Hudson's house, reason unknown, about 1 o'clock in morning.

Nov. 11, 1875: died, Dr. Sherman and Mr. Samuel Parker at Bevier, small northeast Missouri town, of a drunk purchased there.

Died, Henry Bard of Platt City, Mo., on Oct. 6, oldest Mason in Missouri.

Murder in McDonald County, man named Cronic on Mikes Fork, on Sugar Creek, by Green Carter.

Dec. 23, 1875: died, Thomas Rush, falling into old Beamer mine shaft, son-in-law of Billy Motherspaw of Carthage. (Joplin paper)

Shooting at the Johnson Diggings, southeast of Joplin, man named Short shot and killed by man named Gideon.

Young man aged 16-18, named Lee, step-son of Mr. Stancliff, killed by premature discharge of blast in Lawhead's shaft in Dutch Hollow.(Granby paper)

Shot and killed, Joshua Russ, escaped convit who got away from C. B. Owen, sheriff of Greene Co., by a party of men in woods west of Verona.

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Biographical information from 1867-1875 Mt. Vernon, Mo. papers:

SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN: Date of paper in parenthesis:

Dr. W. H. D. Brown of Sarcoxie, formerly of this place.(2-28-67).

J. E. Koontz and son of Lancaster, Ohio, bought one of the best farms in Jasper County, within 5 miles of Carthage.(2-28-67)

From land sales list: Frank Smith sold farm of 120 acres to John McAvery, late of Nebraska, for $1600. / John H. Catlett sold farm of 200 acres, 3¼ miles west of town, to E. M. Stringer, late of Indiana, for $3500. (3-14-67)

Notice of paupers who will be let out to lowest and best bidder to keep and provide for: B. F. Walsh, Jack Cluck, Elizabeth Wilks, Thos. Lafton, Dinah Williams, and Babe Shumake. (2-11-69)

Hon. S. H. Boyd, representative to Washington, full name Sempronfus H. Boyd, born William County, Tenn., May 28, 1828, admitted to bar in 1855, practiced at Springfield, where now lives, was in Union Army 1861, Republican, elected to 38th and 41st Congresses. (4-29-69)

Triplets in Polk County, born Apr. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Judge James Human of Humansville, two boys and a girl, averaged over 6 lbs. each. He is aged 69 and has had 3 wives, is paternal relative of some 25 children. (5-6-69)

Proclamation from Governor McClurg for state of Missouri: reward of $300 for capture of Jacob Killian, murdered William Lake on Aug. 21 at Granby. Jacob Killian is about 25 years old. (10-21-69)

Injured and may not recover: R. P., son of R. S. Wilks, deputy sheriff of near Verona, by being kicked in face by shod horse. (1-13-70)

Mr. W. R. Bennington, teacher at Mt. Zion high school of Dade County, formerly editor and proprietor of Knox County Argus and father of B. W. Bennington of Caswville Banner.(8-4-70)

Letter from J. W. Ellis written from Parker County, Texas, 12 miles west of Weathersford, tells of going to Grath Co., and then crossing the Bosque and arriving at ranch of the Allen Boys. He names William Filler, Tim and Jesse Johnson, Jee Allen. In returning to Parker Co. he met Mr. William Hicks, who once lived on Spring River. He spent the night at Alvin Tarter's of Lawrence County. (8-11-70)

Moving to Texas: Robert Crockett (10-13-70)

Moving to Independence, Montgomery Co., Kansas, L. M. Andrews. (10-13-70)

Col. W. A. Johnson, Lieut. Gov. of Arkansas, visited friends and relatives here. (12-1-70)

Marion W. Spilman, son of John J. Spilman, has been selected as cadet to West Point. Later his name is given as Harrison W. Spilman. (2-19-71)

Biographical information, continued:

At a spelling school on Center Creek the teacher, Mr. Thomas Kilpatrick, shot a young man by name of Joseph Walker, a serious wound. (1-19-71)

Son born to J. S. Drake, named Robert. (2-23-71)

Terrible wind storm with rain on 24 Feb, night, did damage to timber and fencing in county; two Dade County men caught under trees in camp near Mt. Vernon escaped death; roof of barn of Jackson Hill in northeast corner of Lawrence Co. blown off, killing a horse; house of John Wilkerson of Lawrenceburg destroyed and one of his little girls crippled. (3-2-71)

Robert Ryan and W. B. Landrum start to Texas today; Robert said to be heir of $6,000 in Karns County. (3-10-71)

Report of a woman and 3 small children abandoned by husband at a camp near crossing of creek near Mr. Hammer's, 2½ miles east of Mt. Vernon. Name of man is John Čisco or Sisco; woman's name Ann James, has brother James James in Texas County. She was formerly from Osage County. (6-1-71)

LAWRENCE COUNTY JOURNAL:

Letter from M. Custers regarding trip from Gray's Point, Lawrence County, left Apr. 14 with wife, to camp at Rice's Rancho, Huerfano River, Colo., written Apr. 27. They traveled by wagon to Chetopa, Kansas, took train to Sargents, on the Colo. line, then found a "train" going to Pueblo, traveled in buggy of Mr. John Long of Topeka, Kansas. On Apr. 27 were camping at a resting place. (5-10-73)

Peirce City: Joe Gardner, architect, built from Cleveland, Ohio, to Peirce City. / McGregor and Seaver building wagon factory, late of Iowa. / J. H. Wooldridge of Sarcoxie / Jewelry story of John Isely, late of Berne, Switzerland. (5-10-73)

Aurora got its origin from John C. McNatt, Esq., an old, wealthy, and estimable citizen of the county. Now has 200-300 people. A company of 8 men formed Lawrence County Mining Company--lead mine on land of Chas A Reed, 1 mile north of town. (5-10-73)

Old settler B. K. Turk recalls early settlers of Lawrence County. M. B. Phillips emingrated from Penn. to Van Buren, Ark., in 1839, and in 1846 to Lawrence Co. He supported Lincoln in Civil War and went to Illinois for a time. The heads of families in Mt. Vernon in 1846 were William Matthews, Dr. Kelley, P. M. Wear, T. R. Whaley, J. M. Kellogg, E. Gaithers, and B. K. Turk. "I commenced the smith business in a small blackjack cabin, located south of the Public Square, about where P. Jones' store now stands. I continued blacksmithing three or four years, shoeing horses all around for 75 cents, paying 10 cents for the iron to make the shoes out of and 12½ to 15 cents for nail iron. While I was following this business I paid 75 cents to $1 per barrel for corn, and for

Biographical information, continued:

pork and flour $1 to $1.50 per 100 lbs. Among the prominent men and largest tax-payers of the county then were James Guthrie and William Orr, traders and stock buyers. These were both old line Whigs. Judge Williams and Alpherd Moore were the only slave holders. I remember at that time. About the first of September [Orr and Guthrie] would enter our quiet city. Guthrie would seat himself upon old Kaleb's horse block and buy mules, paying $8 to $10 per head; while Orr would drive in his wagon and pick up the calves, paying from 50 cents to $1 per head." (7-12-73)

Maj. Hardin, lawyer and son-in-law of Judge Price of Mt. Vernon, has located in Carthage. (7-19-73)

Thomas Allen, who resides on Spring River, has lived about 35 years in Lawrence County, born 1790, has lived under all the Presidents, now has 107 living descendants. (7-19-73)

At Washburn lives Frost family- 25 members and mother still living. Winter Frost, Severe Frost, Spring Frost, all are brothers of Jack Frost. (9-6-73)

Henry S. Metz, Esq., attorney at law of Rushville, Ill., has been spending a few days with his step-brothers, William E. and L. K. Wright of Mt. Vernon. (10-2-73)

Accident to Thomas Samuels, mining near Beamer Diggins, brother-in-law of Judge Hendrick of Lawrence County..(5-21-74) Joplin news

T. W. Ham, formerly of Verona, now of Denison, eloped with a young office girl, leaving his own family. (5-21-74)

P. P. Clark is now in Zena, Oregon. (10-15-74)

Dated July 7, Verona, Mo., an advertizement which the following signed to certify value of certain force feed grain drill for wheat raisers:

R. P. Colly	F. W. Williams
M. G. Lemaster	James M. McNatt
Lafayette Atkinson	D. N. Colly
Peter Zinn	W. W. Lee
William Black	Thomas Wooly
John R. Ellis	John Vermillion
William Carlin	W. B. Rickman (9-24-74)

Two pensioners of Mexican War in Missouri are Samuel Tarwater of Ray County and W. H. Lloyd of Davis County. (5-7-74)

Senator Powell Clayton once kept school in Newton County, Van Buren Township, 1855. (6-4-74)

A letter from Hesekial Snodgrass, bachelor who lives in town of Sorgum near source of Sweetwater, Lawrence County. (10-29-74)

Biographical information, continued:

Letter from T. F. Clark, Zena, Polk Co., Ore.: S. A. Stockton, William Fraker, J. W. Hare, James Hare, Geo. Aron, and T. F. Clark left with families Apr. 1, 1874, from Lawrence County, Mo., with 2 wagons, 31 mules and horses. At point where cross South Platte at North Platte City, J. W. Hart left for Colorado. They -- James Hare at Silver City. Arrived at Zena Sept. 13, took 7 cows also. (10-29-74)

F. K. B. Twyman of Howard County weighs 335 lbs. but wears size 4½ boot. (11-26-74)

Mr. James E. Allen of Logan is on way to Stringtown, Hays County, Texas, with his family. (9-30-75)

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Advertisements from 1867(Mt. Vernon location) Spring River Fountain:

D. T. W. Kelton, dry goods, etc. on south side Public Square.

H. Brumback, attorney at law, and land grants

Hendrick and Ray, attorney at law

Wrights' and Co., dry goods, etc.

Chas. A. Williams and R. J. D. Stephen, War claims.agency.

W. C. Price, Jno. W. Leathers, Livery and Feed Stable, one block east Public Square, Springfield Station, stage stops overnight, lodging and food.

Chas. A. Williams, attorney at law and real estate agency

Danniel Biddlecome, 3rd block east Public Square, at Springfield Station , Public Administrator.

McCanse and Paris, dealers in dry goods, etc., corner Main Street South Public Square.

Jones and Hooker, dealers in groceries, books, shoes, etc. Main Street, 2nd door, south Public Square

Ullimann and Phariss, dealers in groceries, etc. West side Main St.

Joseph Estes, attorney and constable at law

A. G. McCune, attorney at law

Wyatt Harris, county clerk

Henry C. Lollar, Clerk of circuit court

Matthews and Guthrie, dealers in dry goods, etc.

T. R. Whaley, dealer in dry goods, west side Main St., 2nd block Public Square, south

Bebow and bro.,dealers in dry goods, southwest corner Public Square.

C. S. Hill, local agent S.W.P.R.R.& E.

Mt. Vernon Lodge No. 151 I.O.O.F. thos B. Samuels and B. L. Hendrick, N.

Mt. Vernon Lodge A.F. & A. M. D. Biddlecome.

Items of Interest from SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN:

Feb. 23, 1867: A settlement of the Society of Friends is being made in the northwestern part of Jasper County, according to Mr. Cunningham of Carthage.

Mt. Vernon has two publicschools and one subscription school. One public school is under Mr. Woods, principal, with 85 students; another is taught by Mrs. Wilson in her residence, with 30 pupils. The subscription school, number of students not reported, is taught by Mrs. Stringer at her home.

May 2, 1867: Biddlecome sells his interest in Spring River Fountain to J. H. Carter.

May 30, 1867: T. H. Henderson purchased Joe H. Carter's interest in newspaper.

A short article on Oregon, a twwn in Lawrence County on banks of Spring River about 12 miles west of Mt. Vernon; it was hard hit during Civil War by lawless plundering bands. Now Bowers Mill is being rebuilt; it was burned by southern guerillas. A dry goods store and blacksmithshop have been built in Oregon.

Report on churches of Lawrence County gives Old School Presbyterians, Cumberland Presbyterians, Old Baptists, United (called Missionary) Baptists, Methodists, and Christian denominations. Since meeting house of Cumberland Presbyterians in Mt. Vernon cannot hold all who attend, they are building in the vicinity of G. M. Moore's on Honey Creek about 6 miles from Mt. Vernon, a neat, frame meeting house. Also a new Cumberland Pres. house is being started in vicinity of John W. Moore's, 5 miles from Mt. Vernon, west. The Missionary Baptist house about 3 miles north of Mt. Vernon is also becoming crowded.

July 18, 1867: Teachers' Institute, convened its third session in the C. P. Church, Mt. Vernon, July 4, 9 a. m. Addresses by John H. Wood, Rev. Joseph W. Ellis " a long tried and successful teacher", J. F. Ward, and P. A. Medlin. Lunch spread in the grove near Mr. L. Lebow's and J. W. Black led the procession there.

Friday, 9 a. m., 30 teachers present, instrumental music by Miss Rena Gaither and Mrs. Leathers. Lectures by P. A. Medlin; J. W. Black " a teacher highly qualified," Mr. Drake read a poem; D. N. Woods, and Levi Downing of Greene County.

Saturday, original poetry by J. F. wood, address by D. E. Woods, address by A. McCune, essays by Mrs. L. F. Willson and Miss Fannie Caldwell. The institute subscribed $100 for a teachers' library to be established in Mt. Vernon.

July 25, 1867: notice of organization of Agriculture and Mechanical Society of Lawrence County, open to males and females, fee $2.50. Officers of the society are John D. Allen, President; J. M. Filler, Vice President; J. H. Woods, Secretary; with directors: R. Henson, T. D. J. Colley, T. R. Whaley, A. J. Durnell. Judge Cherry will deed the group the land formerly used as Fair Grounds.

August 8, 1867: Incorporation ofMt. Vernon: "Mt. Vernon was incorporated as a town on Tuesday of this week by order of the County Clerk, who appointed as Trustees, J. L. Holt, J. M. Leathers, Nathan Bray, H. Waller, and H. B. Overton." The machinery of the corportation will soom be in order; then let rogues beware! The new board is composed of men who have the public good at heart!"

Oct. 3, 1867: Mr. Black, teacher at the head of Spring River, brought editor a pippin apple raised by Elizjah Browning, near Mundy's mill that weighs 27 oz. and measures 16½ inches around one way and 14½ inches the other.

Nov. 7, 1867: Letter from Benjamin Grundy that Verona surveyed and laid off January 1867, had at that time two stores and several residences, now one new store and several dwelling, two carpenters have set up shop. $2500 has been subscribed for a college. The River at this point (1½ miles from its source) is about 30 ft. wide, flows at all times, affording sufficient water to turn a mill the year round. Farming productivity shown by farm of I.M. Estes of 100 acres (60 in cultivation) which has this year grown 980 bu. of small grain, 1000 bu. of corn, apples, potatoes, turnips, cabbages and such produce.

Jan. 2, 1868: Lawrence County senator and representative at Jefferson City are John M. Filler and George W. Rinker.

Dec. 19, 1867: notice is given that " a petition will be presented to legislature at their next session to detach the north tier of sections of Barry County, Mo., and attach the same to Lawrence County, by Joseph Batsel and others."

Jan. 16, 1868: South West Normal School began second session on Monday. Terms of tuition: first grade $3.50 per month; second grade $3.00; third grade $2.50. in advance. L..M.Andrews, principal.

Apr. 2, 1868: Notice to house builders: sealed proposals will be received until 10 a. m. May 4 for building a jail house in Mt. Vernon. The house to be 21,5 by 25, 8. Rock foundation. Brick walls, brick floor, covered with shingles, one story high. Doors and cells to be furnished by county. J. M. Filler, superintendent.

June 18, 1868: Officer's Directory:

Senator: J. M. Filler
Representative: Geo. W. Rinker
Probate Judge: R. H. Landrum
Circuit Clerk: H. R. Lollar
County Justices: Jno. B. Woods and Nathan C. Spilman
County Clerk: Wyatt Harris
Sheriff: Jas. F. Gibson
Deputy Sheriff: W. A. Moody and P. F. Clark
Assessor: Jno. J. Spilman
County Superintendent of Schools: Jno. H. Woods
Superintendent of Registration: Wm. Hagerty
Justice of the Peace:
- Spring River Twp.: J. W. Davis and J. H. Monday
- Buck Prairie Twp: Joshua Holt and E. B. Robinson
- Turnback Twp.: Wm M. Watterson and R. L. Burrough
- Ozark Twp.: H. H. Niece and Charles O. Kelly
- Green Twp: Robert Downing
- Vinyard Twp.: C. W. Chewning and W. B. Landrum
- Mt. Pleasant Twp.: Laman Pruett

Constable: D. T. J. Colley
Constable and Dpt. Sheriff: T. L. Downing

Items of Interest, continued:

July 9, 1868: Carthage: report of an Indian Quaker's trip to Carthage, Mo.: Major Longley who conducted Jeff Davis to Monroe after his capture owns 700 acres in upper edge of Newton County. Granby is great lead region; lead hauled 165 miles to Sedalia by teams every week. Neosho, Newtonia, Sarcoxie named. Sarcoxie is a small place about 150 inhabitants. The country across from Sarcoxie to Avilla, crossing Center Creek, Spring River, and White Oak, is heavily timbered. Avilla, 80 or 100 inhabitants, on edge of a prairie which is settled about four miles. Then 16 miles without a house. In the middle of the prairie, on one of head branches of the Dry Fork is a fish pond about one-half mile long and 30-50 feet wide. On the prairie in northeast corner of Jasper and southeast corner of Barry County the Quaker killed his first rattlesnake and saw his first herd of wild deer. Land around Golden Grove in Barton County is fine, can be bought for 3-5 dollars per acre. About 4 miles southwest of Carthage is a settlement of Quakers, 15 families there. Lumber can be had at $3 per hundred and most people get one or two thousand feet and with hand saw and hatchet, throw up a box house in 24 hours; then when they get time to build a good house, the box becomes a kitchen or smoke house.

Sept. 10, 1868: Meeting house being built by the Old Baptists on Spring River between Lemuel Allen's and David E. Gibson's. Will be open to other denominations when not in use by Baptists.

Jan. 21, 1869: Joseph Berry of Northeast Lawrence County, killed large gray eagle, 8 feet from tip to tip of wings.

Feb. 11, 1869: Report from Marionville on second anniversary meeting of Marionville Sabbath School on 31 Jan. 80 students present. Officers chosen: Maj. P. S. Sinclair, supt.: Dr. I. M. Slaughter, corresponding sec.; Miss Fannie Logan, treasurer; George Woolley, librarian; Frank Moore, Misses Amelia Phariss, Fannie Logan and Susan Stacy, music directors.

Ozark Townwhip: sabbeth school formed at Lone School-house: Officers and teachers: J. B. Hill, superintendent; A. L. Buch, ass't sup't.; John A. Cockran, secretary; Teachers: Cyrus Poage Sr., Miss M. F. Poage, Geo. N. Cochran, E. Wheeler, Miss M. L. Cochran. Over 50 members.

Feb. 26, 1869: Fire! Learned from Dr. Batesell that schoolhouse near Verona burned Sunday night the 14th, supposed to have taken fire from the stove flue, loss $350.

July 29, 1869: a town of 71 lots lately laid off at Bowers Mill by the Shermans who have purchased the mill property. Town not yet named.

Aug. 12, 1869: Verona--good district school taught by Mr. F. M. Bruffet, 50 pupils, in new schoolhouse. White and Marbet will soon have a shingle machine in operation.

Items of Interest, continued:

Sept. 9, 1869: Verona: 22 dwellings, 2 stores, 2 blacksmith shops, 1 cooper shop, 1 hotel, 1 livery stable, 1 butcher shop, 2 shingle mills, 2 floor mills (1 run by water, other by steam), 1 wagon maker, 1 shoemaker, 1 sash and door maker, 1 brick yard, 1 lime burner, a new schoolhouse with an O. F. Hall about it and 60 students, 3 carpenters in town. The Missionary Baptists have organized a society of 12-15 members. The M. E. Church has 12 members under pastoral care of Rev. A. McClintoch of Mt. Vernon. The C. P. Church has not organized in town although they could form a society of 20 or more. No saloon.

Sept. 30, 1869: First heavy frost Sunday morning Sept. 26.

Oct. 7, 1869: Elijah Browning left in office of editor six apples from his orchard weight of all six 7 lbs.; the heaviest weighs 1 lb. 6 oz.

Names of publishers at meeting of Southwest Missouri in Springfield: Col. James Dumars, Free Press, Boliver; W. H. H. Judson, Independent, Granby; H. E. Havens, and William J. Teel, Patriot, Springfield; D. C. Kennedy, Leader, Springfield; E. F. Phelps and E. Skewes, Tribune, Neosho; T. M. Garland, Banner, Carthage; Robt. Kelly, Fountain, Mt. Vernon; Maj. W. Caffrey, Tribune, Stockton; M. Talbut, Vidette, Greenfield; M. W. Gustin, Clipper, Lebanon; H. E. Herbert, Herald, Polla; and Perry Barricklow, Express, Rolla.

Dec. 2, 1869: Heaton laid out one year ago by Dan'l Heaton. 6 miles north of Mt. Vernon, 10 houses, 1 store, 1 blacksmith shop, will have post office soon, new post route from Carthage runs through town.

Dec. 30, 1869: T. M. Stringer and son Anthony have purchased half interest in town mill. Anthony Stringer will move to town.

May 5, 1870: May Party at Verona: May 4: first one. Citizens met at School House, formed procession through town to the Grove on north side where "a 8 square tables over 100 feet long' was set for dinner. Miss Eillie Armstrong corwned queen.

Sept. 1, 1870: discovery of copper or silver by G. W. Gorsuch, 14 miles north of Springfield in Cass Township, 3 miles east of Cave Spring, where an old miner Henry Grant is prospecting.

Oct. 20, 1870: Verona: Pyland has just completed a new business house, lumber trade. Dave White has completed fine Gothic residence. Carraday has repaired his hotel. Clements is building a business house 20 X 20, 2 stories high. Mr. Shuttell has wall of his new brick finished. New hotel ready to be opened by Mr. Pratt.

Nov. 24, 1870: Verona: Gregory and Miller's new commission house finished. Mr. Mundy has new residence enclosed. Capt. Purdy is going to add to his railroad land office. Work going on on J.M. Grammer's new store house. Mr. Gregory going to build new house. Shattelle's brick enclosed. Mrs. Jones opended new millinery store.

Items of Interest, continued:

Nov. 24, 1870: From Green Township: 6 years ago from a high ridge on the prairie, writer could count but 5 houses. A few days ago, from same spot, counted 43 houses and one barn built by Jas. Anderson. Could also see Norman Gibb's farm on White Oak.

Dec. 1, 1870: notice of application by citizens led by A. Woolsey for formation of a new county to be called Decatur County. (From Mar. 2, 1871: The petition to form Decatur Co. will not come before legislature since it passed a general resolution against the formation of any new counties.)

Dec. 1, 1870: Minutes of Lawrence County Sabbath School Convention held at Marionville, Nov. 15-16. New officers: President, G. W. Rinker; Secy: T. P. Plumridge; Treas.: S. G. Elliott. These are the schools named: Zion U. S. . on Honey Creek, J.D. Hillhouse, Sup't;/ Union S. S., Elkhorn Prairie, S. G. Elliott, sup't; / Marionville U.S.S.; James B. Willigen, sup't;/ Liberty U.S.S. Elk Horn Prairie, S. G. Elliott, sup't; / Spencer U.S.S. Elk Horn Prairie, Isaac Richmond; / Ozark U.S.S. Elk Horn Prairie, Paul Orr; / Verona U.S.S., T. P. Plumridge; / Chalybeate Springs, ___ Hopp; / N.W.part of county, S. A. Stockton; / Round Grove U.S.S. sup't, not given; / Take in School House, J.Hillhouse; / Wood's School House, suspended/ Buck Prairie, nothing else given; / Peirce City U.S.S.,nothing else given;/ Round Prairie, Mr. Bute; / Garrison School House, nothing else given; / Stalls Creek School House; / List of places now destitute of schools: Wood's School House; Avery District; Chalybeate Springs; Will's School House; King's Prairie; Minden Post Office; Baucher's School House; and Pisgah Church.

Dec. 30, 1870: Weather unusually cold last week, mercury from 10 to 22½ degrees below zero.

Jan. 19, 1871: County court established in new township of Lincoln.

Feb. 6, 1871: High water stopped delivery of the mails none since Monday. (Paper is issued on Thursday.)

Mar. 30, 1871: Population of Verona is 566.

Apr. 20, 1871: Schools: Jno. D. Starr, 4 months school on Apr. 10 at Union School House near Blackburn Woods./ G. H. Overman, 4 month public school in Hunt settlement, Apr. 3./ Geo. H. Smeltzer, public school in N. C. Spilman neighborhood, Apr. 16 ./ Mr. O. L. Pettay, 5 month school on 10th in Rich Valley school house./ Barnes Hocker, 4 month school in Brick School House on Spring River, the 16th.

Apr. 27, 1871: on Apr. 22, early Sunday Morning, temperature was 26 degrees, ice found one-fourth inch thick in many places.

In Verona, J. M. Grammer, store; E. Trollinger, new store; George Bahman, new house; and J. W. Hansard, new house.

May 11, 1871: Miss S. E. Butrick began 3 month subscription school on Apr. 24 at White Hall school house.

Items of Interest, continued:

LAWRENCE COUNTY JOURNAL:

Sept. 21, 1872: Mt. Vernon schools opened Sept. 9 with 80 students' superintendent J. J. Williams.

Jan. 11, 1873: Last Saturday temperature was 18 degrees below zero.

Report frmom Forsythe on earlier winters. On 24 Dec. 1855 turned cold and one month later snow fell 2 feet deep, on ground until April. Winter of 61, 63, and 64 all cold and on Jan. 20 the "big snow" fell. Several persons froze to death during storm.

Lawrence County Officials:

Greene G. Stotts- Representative at Jefferson City
B. L. Hendricks- Circuit Judge
G. W. Rinker- Judge of Probate
David E. Gibson and John T. Ward- County Justices
H. C. Lollar- Circuit Clerk
Wyatt Harris- County Clerk
Norman Gibbs- Prosecuting Attorney
William H. Johnson- Sheriff and Collector
W. P. King- County Surveyor
J. B. Woodfill- Superintendent of Public Schools
William Querry- County Assessor
Jas. E. Davis- Public Administrator
P. M. Slaughter- CountyCoroner
Justices of the Peace: by townships:
Mt. Vernon Twp.: J.W.Davis; Spring River Twp.: J. H. Monday; Turnback Twp.: J.B. Robertson; Ozark Twp.: D. C. Allen; Greene Twp.: S. A. Stockton and W. E. Stone; Vinyard Twp.: J. W. Dills and W. P. Roper; Mt. Pleasant Twp.: William C.Cole, R. T. Read, and T. E. Whaley; Buck Prairie Twp.: W. B. White and A. J. Sprague; Lincoln Twp.: E. C. Davis and H. H. Neece; Peirce Twp.: B. F. Massey and C. H. Halsted.

Mar. 15, 1873: Peirce City, one of youngest towns in southwest Mo., only two years old. Sits in a valley. On extreme south side of valley is stream of clear spring water. The extreme northern edge the bottom which extends one-fourth mile north of the stream is skirted by the railroad. North of railroad the land rises 10-15 feet from which a tableland extends another one-fourth mile and then beautiful bluffs covered with timber rise 150 ft. to another plain.. The chief business street runs parallel to the railroad track. Six large business houses engaged in general merchandise: Keet, Perkins and Company; Cat. Linzie; Aumoth; Northcutt and Company; and F. Pfaff. Private banking house of L. L. I. Allen and Company. Stove and hardware store of Fall and Flowers. Three story hotel, 100 guest accommodations. Grocery and provision house of A. C. White; a warehouse of Cass and Co.; a livery stable owned by Linzie and Sons; two flouring mills. A large amount of wheat and other produce sold here. School house. Carthage railroad junctions with A. & P. Railroad. Two churches.

Apr. 12, 1873: Meningitis or spotted fever is raging near Bower's Mills.

Apr. 26, 1873: During the late storm several cattle froze to death in this county. A Mr. Slayler in Greene Township lost 9 head.

Items of Interest, continued:

May 16, 1873: Grave's Point: mining excitement -silver found. Nelson Gray, Frank Blankard, Wm. Gillett, Frank Gibson, all found silver.

June 21, 1873: Aurora churches: Christian-Rev. Barton, 90 members.; Baptist-Father Neece, 70 members; Methodists--Rev. Mr. Barber, small membership; Cumberland-Rev. Mr. Springer, 30 members; United Brethern- Rev. Mr. Riley, 30 members.

Aug. 9, 1873: List of Grand Jurors: Reubin Poland; A. Bavington; John A. Orr; Geo. A. Browning; G. H. Moore; J. B. Hurt; William M. Watterson; Jesse Brite; J. B. Perkins; Edward Jewett; William Anderson; John L. Holt; Jacob Shue; John Taylor; John P. Elmore; F. J. Adamson; J. M. Barrett; and A. L. White.

For Petit Jurors: S. W. Penage; John B. Wilson; Bob't Fulerton; Jas. W. Shipman; Joshua Linthicum; John White; William Downery; Irvin Lenzie; Eastin Irby; W. M. Fourt; I. B. Gillmore; D. S. Flowers; Jasper B. Davis; F. M. Marsh; William King; Geo. N. Gibson; Geo. W. Jones; William C. Strawn; H. J. Beck; John H. Cherry; William W. Whaley; John D. Whaley; J. L. Gaither; and John A. McClure.

Sept. 6, 1873: Gad Fly or Corsicana is a little village 12 miles from Peirce City, has 4 business houses, a flouring and woolen mill, blacksmith shop, and other. Here the stage company keeps a stand and change of horses.

Prominent citizens of Verona are Dr. W. V. Gregory, Dr. H. Weller, a druggest, J. M. Cramer, E. H. Trollinger, and T. L. Dunton.

OMMITTED EARLIER:

July 28, 1870: "A battle was fought in Texas on the 4th between 50 members of the U.S.Cavalry and 250 Kiowas and Commanches. The cavalry was forced back 8 miles, 2 killed and 11 wounded. The Indiaans were armed with Spencer Rifles. The fight lasted 5 hours and 15 Indians were seen to fall."

Jan. 4, 1873: " In September last, a man with his rifles, two boys, two dogs, and a small wagon, passed through this place (Cassville) on his way to the swamps of White River, in North Eastern Arkansas, on a trapping expedition. Yesterday he returned with 100 mink skins, 550 coon skins, and 3 deer skins, the whole valued at $650, which is pretty good for 90 day's work. At one time he was 35 miles from any house."

July 26, 1873: Advertizement for Paris or Chalybeate Springs on Ozark Prairie about 11 miles from Logan, the train stop. Hotel facilities for 100 persons. A cave exists at mouth.
As inducement testimonials from persons who have visited springs are given:

Bowers' Mills, Mo.: Thos. L. Price, painter, says springs cured his asthma.

Items of interest, continued:

Mt. Vernon, Mo.: N. P. Hocker, M.D. "an old out Physician"
Mt. Vernon, Mo.: John G. Wear, attorney, taken a child who had sores on the head.
Billings, Mo.: R. D. Blade, farmer, taken his wife who had liver complaint.
Springfield, Mo.: Rev. W. B. Leftwich, formerly of Boonville, Mo., and taken his wife, granddaughter, and two colored servants "remarkable cures"
Mt. Vernon, Mo.: B. L. Hendrick, Judge 15th Judicial District, for cure of daughter's dysmenorhoea.
Mt. Vernon, Mo.: W. E. Wright, merchant, for help on dyspepsia he had.

The Chalybeate Springsare in northeastern corner of Lawrence County on Turnback Creek, west branch of Sac River.

Fountain and Journal, Feb. 1874, notices in paper regarding local businessmen:
Attorneys: Norman Gibbs, R. Brumback, P. H.Landrum, John Wear, John T. Teel, William N.(Dick) Davis.
Notorial: A. G. McCune, Wm. N.(Dick) Davis
Physicians: Dr. C. Pierce, Dr. J. M. Quigley of Pierce City, C. I. Knapp, M.D., A.A. Kerar, M.D.
County surveyor: W. Fletcher King
House carpenter: Stephen Hite
Hotels: Verona House, N.S. Clarady, prop.
Neff House, Marionville, Johnson Neff, prop.
American House, Mt. Vernon, Ham Gaither, prop.
Blacksmith: Chas. Harvey, H. P. Overton

Towns listed: Mt. Vernon, Peirce City, Verona, Marionville, Logan, Lyons, Lawrenceburg, Heaton, and Round Grove. (6-11-74)

Mr. Charles Harvey and Mrs. Mary F. Fairburn were baptised by pouring at M. K. Church. (6-18-74)

"Hot!
Just 90° in the shade.
The comet has ceased to be seen.
The traffic in little apples continues unabated.
The work on the jail goes on--so does the fighting." (7-23-74)

103° in the shade on Sunday. (8-13-74)

President Grant passed through Verona Sunday on 10:00 train on his way to Indian Territory. (10-15-74)

Baseball: Mt. Vernon(Star of the West) beat Ozark Club 23-7 in 5 inning game. Teams: Ozark: Ramey, 3rd; Williams, left field; Morrow, right field; Clark, 2nd; Belt, shortstop; W. T. Morrow, pitcher; Johnson, 1st, Edwards, center field, Barnes, b.s.
Mt. Vernon team: Smeltzer, pitcher; McCanse, catcher; Boothe, 3rd; Kelton, centerfield; Gaither, 2nd; Whaley, shortstop; Elkins, left field; Counts, right field; Hocker, 1st.

Items of Interest, continued:

Dec. 24, 1874, issue had history of journalism in Lawrence County:

Mt. Vernon: First newspaper 1857, Mr. Lampkins, called Missouri Reporter. Sold to Joe Estes, published a year or so to beginning of war. Feb. 9, 1866, Robert Kelly established Spring River Fountain, a Republican newspaper, was published 7 years. A few years after this Joe Carter began Mt. Vernon Vindicator, soon gave up. Nov. 1871, Parker and Cloud began Lawrence County Democrat but soon moved to Peirce City. Sept. 21, 1871, H. Lick began Lawrence County Journal, Democratic paper. After 1 year sold to Mt. Vernon Publishing Company which also bought Fountain office. 16 Oct. 1874, began publishing Foundtain and Journal.

Peirce City: 1869 H. Lick began Peirce City Star which soon merged into Jacksonian and then the Herald and finally was sold to E.Skews. Finally sold and merged into the Southwest Immigrant, only survived few months. Lawrence County Democrat which moved from Mt. Vernon ran 3 years under Gabe C. Jones, Washington Cloud, and M.S. Beck. Finally ended. Peirce City Democrat came out in its stead.

Marionville has had three papers and Verona one.

Dec. 24, 1874, has following: Spenser School directors recommended following text books: McGuffey's Readers and Spellers, Ray's Arithmetics, Smith's Geographies, Garvey's Grammar, Ray's Algebra, Cow's Good Morals and Genteel Manners, and Norton's Elements of of Physics. Samuel Moore, president.

These three items of divorce were in 1874 papers:
A. W. Shaw from S. E. Shaw
Charles A. Rodgers from Mary Jane Rogers
William Blunt from Elmira Blunt

1875: Elizabeth Beresford, vs. Edward Beresford, divorce

Temperature reached 18 degrees below zero Saturday night. (1-14-75)

N. S. Clarady's Verona House burned to ground. Fire started from candle upstairs, pump frozen, wind high, whole loss $1500, no insurance, policy had expired two weeks previously. (1-14-75)

German colony on eastern edge of Spring River Prairie, 8 miles south of Mt. Vernon, has sprung up. First sermon to be preached in German on Apr. 11. Lutheran church. (4-1-75)

4.1 inches of rain fell Friday night " and a lively fall it was. The streets were flooded, and the creeks got on a bender." (7-1-75)

Soldiers Claims: by act of Congress June 8, 1872 and amended Mar. 3, 1873, Union soldiers who have homesteaded 40, 80, or 120 acres before June 8, 1872 and have or can prove up their homestead or paid cash, are entitled to an additional right to 120, 80, or 40 acres, enough to make 160 acres homestead. (7-1-75)

Items of Interest, continued:

A flood: thousands of bushels of wheat destroyed. Enough rain on Thurs., Thurs. night, and Fri. morning to raise Honey Creek, Clear Creek, Spring River, Center Creek, Stahl's Creek, and Williams Creek out of banks, devastating the bottoms. Atlantic and Pacific R.R. bridge below Verona washed away and track washed out in many place . The injury to corn not as bad as to wheat.

At Carthage, July 31, one man drowned and a family was washed away.

from Baxter Springs, Kansas, "Spring River rushing in a torrent half a mile wide." All travel by stage stopped. Mo communication between Joplin and Carthage.

Three times as much rain in 1875 spring and summer than 1874 and over twelve times as much in this July as in last July.(8-5-75)

Italian colony have bought tract of 1000 acres on Stone's Prairie. (8-5-75)

William Cochran brought ear of corn 16" long, and stalk of broom corn 15' high to editor. (9-2-75)

This item has no places given by states:

"Judge Barney Wright of Williamstown, who has been quite out of health during the past summer, was relieved of the cause of his illness by a powerful emetic administered by Dr. W. P. Niles of Powland, which brought forth a lively snake 11 inches in length. Wright had probably taken the reptile while slacking his thirst at some forest spring during one of numerous bear hunting excursions. John says he would rather meet a bear any time than a snake, and would swallow one with better relish." (10-29-75)

Mt. Vernon has several street lamps now. (12-9-75)

Story of a boy in Lawrence County Jail: George B. McClellan, born Atlanta, Ga., now about 16. Parents moved to Lancaster, Garrard County, Ky., when George 7 and they now live there. He killed 3 men, first in 1871 in Garrard County, Ky. (1-7-75)

Three going from Rock Prairie, Lawrence County to Oregon: Dan Wann, Taylor JOhnson, and Miss Mary Johnson. (4-8-75)

Going to Colorado: John J. Gibson, John Romer, George Parker, and William H. Cecil. (4-15-75)

Letter from Zena, Oregon from P. F. Clark: A. P. Gibson, Rev. E. E. Cooper, Capt. Hargrove, S. A. Stockton, Ike Baird, Lud. Durnill, and other settler from Lawrence County.

Washburn:"A young man named Alonzo Finch tried to carve up neighbor by name of Head." (5-20-75)

Sedalia; Maj. William Beck received pension from Prussia for service in army in war against Denmark 1848-51. He left army 1851, went to Australia, then came to America. (5-20-75)

Items of Interest, continued:

Statement of Henry L. Hilburn of Barry County; came to Southwest Missouri in 1868 with an uncle Patrick Knapper on a visit. His uncle left him and he went to Texas, to Pilot Point where he had relatives. After 2 yrs. he returned to native home in Jefferson County, Mo. (6-24-75)

Issac Weaver, who lives 5 miles east of Corsicana, is a pensioner of War of 1812. Born 1791. Can read and write without use of spectacles. (8-26-75)

New baseball club formed"Centennials" of Mt. Vernon. The suits will be white pants and shirts, with letter "C" on front of shirt, and position of each man. Red, white, and blue belts, blue-stripped stockings and white caps. Members of club: J. Sloan, catcher; A. Whaley, pitcher; W. H. Turk, 1st base; J. F. Gaither, 2nd base; A. T. Boothe, 3rd base; H. P. Gaither, short stop; F. W. McFall, left field; C. H. Warren, center field; Z. Phillips, right field; captain: J. E. Gaither. (11-25-75)

Aurora baseball club beat Verona 44-13. Aurora's team: J. R. Woodfill, Geo. W. Liles, J. G.McKinley, B. F. Barker, John McKinley, Thos. J. Liles, Carr McNatt, G. W. Berry, John W. Pinker, and J. J. Sullivan. (12-9-75)

John Cecil visited his old home in Knob, Virginia. (12-9-75)

From Spring River Fountain, 1870:, published Mt. Vernon, Mo.

One who took up stray	Township	Appraiser
John Moore		Allen Vince; Wm Rose
James I. Davis	Spring River	Daniel Carr; S. C. Rinker
I. B. Gilmore	Ozark	F. W. Cook; D. M. Hood
George Brinson	Mt. Vernon	Wm Boucher; David Cogle
L. A. Williams	Mt. vernon	M. M. Duke; J. T. Newman
Paul Chaston	Green	E. D. Griffith; John Duncan
Page Woods	Mt. Vernon	John D. Starr; Jesse Williams
Joseph Taylor	Mt. Vernon	George S. Millsaps; Robert Hash
John L. Bowless	Green	Levi A. Tartar; Ephraim Tartar
F. L. Rutherford	Vinyard	Thomas Loysdon; O. N. Hoshaw
Ira J. Plummer	Green	James W. Hunt; John F. Orrell
H. H. Neece	Ozark	James E. Neece; David Eubanks
John Williams	Buck Prairie	J. L. Grammer; David Butler
G. W. Cockram	Ozark	John Brown; Wm Cochran
John Nail	Vinyard	Samuel H. Scott; Michael Deven
David Lestoe	Turnback	W. P. McCall; M. S. Williams
J. F. Hunter	Greene	F. W. Cook; Thos. H. Tikely
R. P. Colley	Vineyard	James M. Camden; A. Scott
William Armstrong	Spring River	Elijah Browning; V. M. Panuell
Thomas Nickel	Ozark	E. C. Coker; J. D. Lish
Alexander Gray	Greene	E. D. Griffeth; W. N. Ginn
O. H. Hossaw	Vineyard	T. L Rutherford; I. A. Forcaythe
J. F. Miller	Mt. Vernon	Z. S. Miller; J. Q. Miller
V. T. Williams	Greene	Jesse Guin; John D. Dewall
H. S. Washburn	Greene	Ephraim Tartar; W. H. Haggard
Francis Lewis	Greene	Thos. Colley; Wm Queiry
Elijah Seneker	Mt. Vernon	John Connel; J.C. Sineker
Wilson S. Nail	Greene	John Plummer; Sam T. Speekmon
John P. Sherwood	Vineyard	B. F. Skillen; J S. Potter
George W. Williams	Turnback	Robert Kimmins; L. D. Jones
E. G. Buffington	Ozark	D. M. Likins; Rufus Nicholas
W. B. Jones	Buck Prairie	Neal McNeal; Silas Overstreet
James A. Holleyworth	Ozark	Wm. Bohannan; E. C. Coker
Levi H. Tarter	Greene	W. H. Haggard; Hiram Hampton
James Newton	Turnback	A. S. Berriman; J. M. Bridges
Benj. J. Colley	Green	J. C. Query; L. B. CAmden
Elender Speckman	Greene	Daniel Stephenson; Sam'l Broombac
Thos. C. Wooten	Vineyard	G. W. Wooten; James Calloway
T. M. Barnes	Ozark	Jno. W. Wilkinson; Andrew Moore
B. R. Turk	Mt. Vernon	M. B. Philips; A. L. Campritt
Eastin Erb	Buck Prairie	A. C. McNatt; Wm R. Hillhouse
William M. Hulett	Spring River	Edwin Grissom; W. Ewing
Bradford Samuel	Turnback	W. H. Gaither; James W. McCoy
Jas. K. Beck	Vineyard	Philip J. Hill; Thomas Elliott
Joseph Polland	Green	John B. Hunt; T. B. Woodson
A. J. Baugh	Mt. Vernon	L. A. Williamson; Isaac Seagraves
James M. Bridges	Turnback	Jas. M. Newton; George Night

One who took up stray	Township	Appraisers
Thomas Allen	Mt. Vernon	A. J. Orisburn; P. D. Hobbs
Wm E. Baugh	Mt. Vernon	L. A. Williamson; J. M. Wood
Henderson Sharp	Spring River	Jos. Butter; D. L. Bingham
J. M. Burton	Ozark	Judson Germin; J. M. Fannin
M. S. Williams	Turnback	J. H. Kirby; A. S. Berryman
Thos. S. Pike	Vineyard	E. Sterling; Wm James
Thomas Swearingin	Mt. vernon	Lewis Stearns; Joel Joines
N. S. Thomas	Spring River	B. N. Berry; John Hines
Martin V. Welch	Vineyard	Alvah R. Sutton; Jno. B. Wilson
Jno. B. Wilson	Vineyard	Alvah B. Sutton; Martin V. Welch
Elijah Stith	Mt. Vernon	S. E. Roberts; Jno. B. Woods
John M. Filler	Mt. Vernon	S. R. Allen; L. A. Gibson
William F. Williams	Mt. Vernon	M. Lebow; J. H. Williamson
C. B. Bowen	Mt. Pleasant	Green Bridges; Robert Harris
James T. Townsand	Mt. vernon	James Means; Amos Townsend
A. W. West	Vineyard	B. T. Cook; George Aaron
A. Dicky	Vineyard	E. W. Braden; E. H. Richardson
Geo. A. Wooliver	Ozark	A. J. Bruen; Wm. C. Buceley
Alexander Ford	Greene	G. W. Campbell; F. M. Stumbo
Nicodemus Snow	Vineyard	Martin Snow; Martin Brooks
Joel Martin		Thomas D. Fain; Benj. Matthews
Geo. W. Lewis		A. H. Terril; Wm M. Gu_?_
John Cox	Vineyard	John Nail; J. L. Webb
Oziah Masters	Ozark	Hardy J. Marst; Jesse Hunter
Benjamin Morris	Mt. Vernon	Jno B. Morris; Joseph McDonald
Alfred Forsythe	Vineyard	S. B. Hart; J. A. Forsythe

Names of Justice of Peace in the townships as appear on the lists of strays.

Greene Township: Johathan Hunt
Robert Downing

Vineyard Township: W. B. Landrum
C. W. Chewning

Ozark Township: Charles O'Kelly
H. H. Niece
J. H. Munday

Mt. Vernon Township: Jas. W. Davis
Lamon Pruitt

Buck Prairie Township: R. I. Burrows
Joshua Holt

Turnback Township: Wm B. Watterson

Mt. Pleasant Township: Thomas E. Whaley

Spring River Township: Joseph Batesel
Islam Irby

Spring River Fountain, June 6, 1867.

(Some names were difficult to read but spelling is as close as could be determined)

DELINQUENT TAX LIST FOR 1866

G. W. Allison
S. M. Anderson
Thos Allen Jr.
Solomon Brown
P. P. Brickey
John Bingaman
Thomas Bond
Margaret Brown
J. T. Bayless
J. C. Bigbee
G. M. Bower
M. T. Burris
J. W. Belart
Bigger
W. V. N. Bay
S. Burney
Oliver Beard
I. Beckman
Z. C. Bishop
S. Blackwell
C. C. Blankenship
T. Berry
O. H. P. Beard
Sarah Cannefox
Mary Z. Cook
Jack Campbell
Churchill
G. B. Carter
Matilda Coldiron
S. A. Cross
James Carr
Ora Cobb
Amos Carlin
Dave S. Coleman
Jos. Chamberlain
J. Cartwright
G. S. Colwell
Sam. Colwell
Ephrain Davis
Stephen Dowell
M. Dunnigar
Douglas' estate
H. Donelay
James Elkins
Elizabeth E_ston
L. Erwin
C. C. eaton

J. J. Eubank
L. F. Evensin
Thomas Fulbrite
Samuel Foracre
J. H. and John Fulbrite
Geo. W. French
G. F. Foreliken
Jeremiah Foster
James H. Fulbrite
R. J. Guin
J. B. Gullick
John Greka
Benjamin Guss
J. H. Greene
J. H. Hudson
D. R. Hoyal
Wm C. Hugeons
H. C. Howland
W. R. Hayes
Wm Haden
G. M. Holden
Mayfield Hoshaw
T. J. Holder
Jacob Hashman
N. P. Hight, adm. of estate of Barnet Williams
H. A. Jackson
Thomas Jones
Edward Jewett
Jacobs, J. S. and N. T. Jones
Jonathan Johnson
A. M. Jutton
R. M. Jones
Jacob T. Jarrett
S. E. Jones
Stela Jackson
Robert Kimmons
R. A. Kimmons
J. B. _edwich
Martin Levisly
J. W. Linn
Wm M. Love
M.___ Levisey
Daniel C. Lundy
J. D. Lober

James Lemaster
George Long
Elan Le Viney
Henry Marlet
Martha J. Mitchell
Isaac Mitchell
M. M. McClure
Robert Morrow
Wm Marsh
James M. Miller
J. B. McDowell
Wm McAdams
Robert H. Miller
W. F. Marshal
A. C. Moreon
A. J. Majors
Cyrus W. McCulloch
W. E. Miller
Thomas Miller
H. M. Murphy
A. McDowell
Solomon Nevels
R. M. Neece
Stephen Nichols
Newton Nevels
B. Neece
A. C. Owens
J. J. Owens
John H. Price
Johnathan Pace
Ananias Philips
S. C. Powell
Wm Penn
G. N. Patten
Jones Pettet
R. J. Powal
Hannah Patten
Mary A. Podd
B. Perkins
S. Pennington
W. B. Quigley
Wm Ruchman
John Rogers
J. N. Roe
T. Rickman
B. H. Renolds

delinquent tax list, 1866, continued.

W. H. Reaves
H. Rigby and M. Davis
Ben Roe
Joe N. Read
Isaac Rose
John Rogers
J.M. Richardson and
W. H. Allison
A. R. Ransom and
J. T. Richardson
E. A. Stalion
Summerville
R. Sherrard
C.and B. Slater
R. J. Sims
J. M. Stemmons
R. Strauss
W. K. Spillman
J. S. Stemmons
J. T. Sample
Mary A. Sage
J. T. Smith
T. Seward
W. B. Stanley
J. G. Stewart
A. J. Smith
Preston Shealds
G. W. Teague
M. Tripp
W. H. Taylor
G. W. Tompson
C. Thomsan
Em. Toliver
J. H. Toliver
C. F. Tracy
Jesse M. Wilkes
William Woods
J. M. Willbanks
Thomas White
Thomas F. Weldon
James Wilheison
B. Wilson
B. F. Wash
Isaac F. Wise
Nathaniel Wright
James E. Walles
Sanford Wilcox
William Williams
N. J. Weary
L. B. Whaley
George H. Wilkins
L. F. Wilson
John C. Williams
W. H. Wison
Jacob Wigner
Washington Williams
J. P. Young

by James F. Gibson
Collector
Lawrence County
June 5, 1867

MARRIAGES AS FOUND IN SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN:

Feb. 24, Mr. William R. Neece to Miss Sarah E. Ramsey by Rev. Henry C. Lollar at the residence of Esq. Ramsey. (1867)

Feb. 24, Mr. William D. Hickman to Miss Elizabeth Calfon at same time and place. (1867)

Near Marionville on 7th March, Mr. W. J. Alderson to Miss Catherine Stacy, by Joshua Holt, J. P. (1867)

On May 26, in Mt. Vernon, Mr. Thomas J. Cuthrie and Miss Mattie Matthews, by Rev. H. C. Lollar at residence of bride's mother in Mt. Vernon. (1867)

On July 1, Mr. George Willard to Miss Nannie C. Gay, all of Mt. Vennon, by Rev. Henry E. Lollar at his residence.(1867)

Last week, in Carthage, Mr. George E. James of Carthage to Miss Parleigh McKnight, formerly of Mt. Vernon. (July 4, 1867 issue)

On 10 Oct., Mr. Solomon Carpenter to Miss Amanda Jennings at residence of Bride's mother by Rev. T. H. Henderson. (1867)

On 7 Nov. at residence of bride's mother near Oregon, Mr. Ephrain Woodrow to Miss Julia A. C. Dunovan, both of Jasper Co., Mo., by Rev. John Garner. (1867)

ON Nov. 10, at M. E. Church on Rock Prairie, Mr. James K. P. Thomas and Miss Jennie Steadman, both of Lawrence County, by Rev. Garner. (1867)

At home of bride's mother on Spring River, Nov. 14, Mr. Thomas C. Wooten,and Miss Mary J. Matthews by Rev. Garner. (1867)

Mr. John S. Drake married Miss Amanda F. Ryan at residence of bride's father in Mt. Vernon by Rev. Lollar. (in Aug. 1867)

Nov. 24 at residence of Esq. J. H. Munday, Mr. John Poindexter to Miss Lou Stroud, by Rev. H. C. Lollar, all of Lawrence Co. (1867)

Dec. 8 at residence of Major Wear, Mr. T. B. Samuel and Miss Lizzie McFall, both of Mt. Vernon, by Rev. R. J. Sims. (1867)

On 24 Dec., Mr. James S. Stringer and Miss Laura Petty by Rev. H. C. Lollar at his residence in Mt. Vernon, all of Lawrence County (1867)

Dec. 25, Mr. William T. Freeman to Miss Levion A. Haley at residence of bride's father in Mt. Vernon, all of Lawrence Co. (1867)

At residence of bride's mother, Christopher Newman to Miss Jane Pharis, by Rev. John Garner, all of Lawrence Co. (Jan. 30, 1868 issue)

Jan. 2, B. H. Estes to Miss M. E. Jaggers, all of Spring River Township, by Rev. Batesel, Esq. (1868)

July 13, Mr. John Donley of Crawford County, Mo., and Miss Peggy A. Sitles of Lawrence County at residence of bride's father by Rev. Joseph W. Ellis. (1869)

Marriages, continued:

June 16, at residence of Mr. James Richmond of Mt. Vernon Township, Mr. A. N. Ritter of Greene County, Mo., and Miss M. J. Johns of Lawrence County, by Rev. A. McClintoch. (1860)

Sept. 7, William B. Landrum , Esq. and Miss Inu M. Ryan, at residence of bride's father in Mt. Vernon byElder H. C. Lollar.(1869)

Nov. 4, Mr. Samuel Ragain to Miss Roselba L. Ellis, daughter of Parson Ellis, by Rev. R. J. Sims. (1860)

Dec. 7, Capt. Mason Talbutt to Miss Clara Kimber, both of Greenfield. He is editor of Greenfield's paper the Vidette. (1860)

Dec. 22, at residence of Mr. Ira Creech, Mr. Martin L. Howard of Coventry Centre, R. I. to Miss Melissa J. Faine of Mt. Vernon.(1869)

May 22 at residence of John H. Woods, Esq., in Mt. Vernon, John Q. Page, circuit attorney for 13th Judicial Circuit and Fannie Caldwell, by Rev. H.C. Lollar (1870)

(Oct. 20, 1870 issue) Joe Matthews and Miss Crocket.

Jan. 26, Mr. Thomas Banks, to Miss Cynthiana Ellis at residence of bride's father, by Rev. Joseph W. Ellis. (1871)

Story of elopement of Mrs. Carrie Prough, a young married woman, with Mr. William Cleaver, settled near Pineville. Then husband caught them, beat up Cleaver, took back some money and valuables, gave Cleaver his blessings, and commenced divorce proceedings.
(Feb. 16, 1871 issue)

Mar. 13, at Mt. Vernon, Lieut. James F. Gibson to Mrs. Mary E. Stringer by Rev. H. C. Lollar. (1871)

Mar. 13, William Johnson and Miss Anna George (1871)

Mar. 19, Mr. Anthony Stringer and Miss Sophronia Stringer by Rev. A. A. Karn at his residence. (1871)

Apr. 2, Mt. Vernon, Mr. C. W. Kreider and Mrs. Ann B. Sankey, at C. P. Church, Sunday evening, 7 o'clock, by Rev. Lollar. (1871)

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Oct. 26, 1872 issue) Martin Henricks and Miss Bertha Hartwig, formerly of Kansas.

Dec. 22, at residence of bride's father, 6 miles north of Mt. Vernon, Jas. M. Richmond to Margaret E. Gist, by Rev. Lollar.(1872)

Dec. 24, William M. Stephenson to Mary F. Knotts, daughter of Reuben Poland. (1872)

Mar. 30, Mr. Rufus De Woody and Miss Mary Gray (1873)

Apr. 10, at Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, Rev. Richard Yates of Neosho and Miss Lenna Stone of Mt. Vernon by Rev. Lollar. (1873)

Marriages, continued:

(Apr. 10, 1873 issue) Rev. Blunt was married to his widowed daughter-in-law Mrs. John Blunt in Sedalia.

(June 7, 1873 issue) In Phelps, marriage of Thomas M. Dowty and May E. Jones and also marriage of Andrew R. Pennington and Catie Jone

July 20, James M. Rawlings and Miss Ruth S. Haley at residenceof bride's father by Elder Kirk Baxter of Springfield. (1873)

Sept. 28, Mr. Robert C. Bowman of Chandlerville, Ill. to Miss Jennie C. Turk of Lawrence County. (1873)

Feb. 19, Mr. William Hamilton and Mrs. Melissa Freeman by Rev. A. Barber, all of Mt. Vernon. (1874)

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Apr. 15, by Rev. J. M. Brown at residence of Joseph Newman, Mr. J. W. Penington and Miss Minnie Wild of Peirce City. (1874)

(July 9, 1874 issue) F. M. Cowgill, editor of Barry County Advocate married Miss Ray, daughter of Capt. William Ray.

(Oct. 1, 1874 issue) married in Center Creek Township: Os. Yorkwith and Miss Hattie Henry by Parson Yeeman on Sunday.

(Oct. 1?, 1874 issue) Moody Davis,aged 17-18, married Marsella Nance, aged 15. Marsella and Moody were going to elope to Arkansas because her father would not give his approval. They went to home of Mr. Allen in Lawrence County and he persuaded her father to give his blessing. They now live in a log cabin 8 X 10.

Nov. 11, at Marionville parsonage, by Rev. Jasper A. Smith, Mr. William P. Roberson and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Gibbs. (1874)

Nov. 13, John A. Orr to Miss Fannie Scroggs of Dade County. (1874)

Nov. 1?, at home of her father 4 miles northeast of Mt. Vernon, Miss Nora Martin to Mr. George Case of Carthage, by Elder H.C. Lollar. (1874)

Nov. 1?, at residence of Cleon M. Etter, Mr. Ambers Abbott of Jasper County to Miss Nancy E. Waddle of Lawrence County, by Elder J. W. Ellis. (1874)

(Dec. 3, 1874 issue) Rolin Grammer to Miss Lambeth, in Verona.(1974)

Dec. 6, at home of her father by Rev Jasper Smith, Mr. Geo. A. Arnhart and Miss Sarah L. Jarrett. (1874)

Dec. 24, at Mt. Vernon, at home of her father, by Elder H. C. Lollar, A. R. Conklin and Mary Davis. (1874)

Dec. 23, at home of bride's mother by Rev Springer, M. R. Allen and Martha F. Gibson.. (1874)

Marriages, continued:

Dec. 22, at Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, by Elder Lollar, Junius Rouk and Ada Warrin. Groom's father lives near Marionville and couple accompanied on trip by 11 young people, including William Rawlings and Miss Jennie Cotter. (1874)

missed in earlier listing: from Oct. 12, 1872 issue: J. J. Williams, principal of Mt. Vernon schools, married Miss Orr.

Jan. 17, by Rev. A. Barber, Mr. William L. Beckham and Miss Sarah E. Cassity. (1875)

(Jan. 21, 1875, issue) William Hickman and Caroline Grey

(Jan. 21, 1875, issue) William Roberts and Sallie Leathers

Feb. 14, Center Creek: Mr. Alfred Hewlet and Miss Elzada Arnett. (He has single brother named Cariden who is older.) (1875)

Feb. 18, Mr. Joseph A. (Eob) Schooling and Miss Bell Grow. (1875)

Feb. 18 by John W. Dills, J. P., Reason Friend and Amanda Morrison, all of Lawrence County.)1875)

Feb. 22, Center Creek: Jefferson Sulinger and Mary F. Boucher, at residence of bride's father. (1875)

Feb. 23, Thos P. Boyd and Miss Sallie Ford at residence of bride's father in Lawrence County by Rev. W. L. Miller. (1875)

Mar. 11, John J. Carbin and Mildred Flornoy by Rev. Jasper A. Smith at home of bride's father in Lawrence County. (1875)

(Mar. 25, 1875 issue) Lamon Pruitt who lives on Center Creek and Mrs. Mary Hewlett.

Mar. 28, at residence of bride's father, Rev. H. C. Lollar, five miles northeast of Mt. Vernon, Elifus Gaither and Alice Lollar.(1875)

Apr. 1, Barry County at home of bride's father, Mr. John W. Hillhouse and Martha Calhoun. (1875)

Apr. 5, William Wilson, Esq., of Jasper County, and Mary Ann Orr, youngest daughter of William Orr of Lawrence County, at "Weston" residence of Rev. W. L. Miller. (1875)

(May 6, 1875, issue) At Avilla, Jasper County, Mr. W. N. Davis of Mt. Vernon, and Miss Ida Martin of Avilla, by Rev. J. J. Bently of Springfield.

May 12, at Peirce City, Mr. T. W. Rackerby to Miss Sallie Constable by Rev. Leroy Woods, all of Peirce City. (1875)

May 20 By Esq. H. J. Cummings at residence of bride's mother, William Grimes and Miss Mary Jane Granger, all of Newton County.(1875)

Marriages, continued:

June 15, Mr. Chas. R. Carter and Mrs Amanda J. Colly, about 15 minutes ago by Esq. Hinshaw, all of Lawrence County. (1875)

June 13, at home of Moses Hopkin near Marionville, Daniel W. Cox and Miss Jennie J. Fitzburgh. (1875)

Aug. 5 at Marionville, James W. Johnson and Mary E. Jarrett. (1875)

Sept. 5 by Rev. A. A. Kearn, Isaac W. Counts and Chippa Wann, all of Lawrence County. (1875)

(Sept. 23, 1875, issue) At home of Mr. Jones Curtice at the head of Honey Creek, by Judge Hillhouse, Mr. Robt. Springer and Miss Elvira Morriss.

Sept. 16, John M. Skinner and Rose Gaither. Mr. Skinner is a native of Penn., been in Mt. Vernon a year or so. (1875)

Oct. 3, Isaac Lewis to Mrs. Rachel Fowley by Rev. John Connell, all of Lawrence County. (1875)

Oct. 17, Lemuel I. Branstetter and Miss Leora C. Batesel of Verona by Rev. A. Barber, both of Verona. (1875)

Oct. 17, at home of Mr. Snuffer, Holloway P. Willhite and Miss Dicy M. Riley, both of Verona., by Rev. Barber. (1875)

Oct. 28, 1875, issue) Benj. K. Turk of near Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Strou

Nov. 4, 1875, issue) John Hickman and Susan Hickman.

Nov. 4, 1875, issue) Alfred Hanners and Ellen Burt (both colored)

Nov. 18 at residence of bride's mother near Peirce City, Miss Percy Swann to Mr. Joseph Ash, by Rev. J. K. Northcut, all of Lawrence County. (1875)

Nov. 21, Miss Mary Mootin of Havens to Mr. J. W. Call of Little Rock, Ark., (1875)

(Dec. 9, 1875, issue) Mr. George C. Underwood and Miss Nora Miller, at the Concord School House by Eld. Clark Smith.

(Dec. 16, 1875, issue) On Honey Creek by Elder J. D. Springer, Mr. Alexander Fairburn and Miss Emma Stringer.

(Dec. 16, 1875 issue) Mr.____ Wormington of Barry County and Miss Bettie Means of Mindon by Rev. William Bibb.

Dec. 9, Mr. B. Nance and Miss Mary Jane Pendergraft, by Rev. J.D. Springer, on Ozark Prairie east of town. (1875)

Dec. 23, at Minden, Miss Kate Davis and Mr. Riff Morrison (1875)

Dec. 26, Joseph G. McKinley and Miss Mollie Woodfill by S. G. Elliott. (1875)

(Dec. 30, 1875, issue) Mr. Benjamin Nance and Miss Lucy Jane Clayton at residence of bride's father near town by Esq. Hinshaw.

Marriages, continued:

ADDITIONS TO PRECEEDING WHICH WERE OMITTED:

10 Apr. at residence of bride's brother Wyatt Harris, Mr. Abraham Jones of Rushelt, Kansas, to Miss Elizabeth Harris of Mt. Vernon. (1870)

Marriages by J. W. Ellis in certain families, from a letter he wrote the Fountain:

In family of John Patton:
Sept. 14, 1848: Golla Hugh Moore and Artemesia Patton
Apr. 5, 1849: Newton Patton and Amanda Parks
Nov. 1, 1849: Jas. W. Patton and Incenna Lebow
Apr. 16, 1853: Oswald Hoshow and Eliza Patton
Dec. 28, 1854: Newton Patton and Margaret Lollar
Feb. 23, 1855: Samuel Patton and Jane Henderson
June 12, 1856: Eph. Hoshow and Adeline Patton
Dec. 10, 1857: Golla Hugh Moore and Frances Chambers

G. H. Moore's first wife had died. Newton's first wife died and his second one also faily soon. Eliza's first husband died in 1856 and she married late William Goodran(by Rev. Lollar.) (1871)

Feb. 2, Mr. Frank Davis to Miss Amanda Avery at residence of bride, Mt. Vernon Township, by REv. Clark Smith. (1873)

(Mar. 8, 1873, issue) Report of a wedding at Gray's Point of Jacob Burgi to Mrs. Burgi whom he had married two years earlier while still had legal wife in Wisconsin. Mrs. Borgi, formerly Mrs. Dipper, and Burgi now legally married as he had divorced his first wife.

LEGAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN, published Mt. Vernon, Missouri. Date of issue of paper is in parenthesis.

Final settlement announcements:

Estate of Alfred Moore, dec'd, by J. M. Moore (Feb. 28, 1867)

Estate of Daniel Lee, dec'd, by Daniel Lee and John Lee (Feb. 28, '67)

Estate of Josiah M. Baird, dec'd, by R. S. Wilks,, adm. of partnership effects of said Baird (Feb. 28, 1867)

Estate of Jane Phariss, dec'd, by Ransom Phariss, curator(Feb. 28, '67

Estate of Frances A. Carter, dec'd, by Daniel Biddlecome, Public Administrator (Feb. 28, 1867)

Estate of Abram C. Davidson, dec'd, by William K. Gibson (3-14-67)

Estate of Margaret B. Chitwood, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-14-67)

Estate of Reuben Woods, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-14-67)

Estate of Oliver Duncan, dec'd, by Jonathan Hunt, (3-14-67)

Estate of Jeremiah Evans, dec'd, by Jno. B. Woods (3-14-67)

Estate of Afrey Medlin, dec'd, by John B. Woods (3-14-67)

Estate of Jesse H___ Duncan, dec'd, by J. M. Kellogg (3-14-67)

By W. D. Tillitson as guardian and curator of Emaline Orr, formerly Emeline Cushman, legate of William Tillotson, dec'd (4-4-67)

By William Heagerty, guard. and curator of Christian Heagerty, late a minor. (4-4-67)

By Jacob Lee, guard. and curator of Daniel Lee and Rebecca Stalker, late Rebecca Lee, minors. (4-25-67)

By W. J. H. Younger, guard. and curator of J___ Woodrow, Margaret Foshee, late Margaret Woodrow, and Ephriam Woodrow, late minors. (4-25-67)

By Ransom Phariss, curator and guard. of Jane Phariss, heir of Noah Pharis, dec'd. (5-30-67)

Estate of Jesse Boyd, dec'd, by Tabitha Boyd, adm'x (5-30-67)

By Ransom Phariss, guard. and curator of heirs of Samuel Phariss. (5-30-67)

Estate of Silas Evans, dec'd, by Elijah Evans, (5-30-67)

Estate of Carrel C. Wooly, dec'd, by Nancy J. Wooly (5-30-67)

Estate of Smith Warren, dec'd, by Louis Hattle (5-30-67)

Final settlements, continued:

Estate of Thomas Marsh, dec'd, by Hardy J. Marsh (5-30-67)

Estate of William Sankey, dec'd, by Ann B. Sankey (5-30-67)

Estate of Henry Pilkinton, dec'd, by James Cherry (5-30-67)

Estate of David Browning, dec'd, by Elisha and Elijah Browning (5-30-67)

Estate of Thomas Stringer, dec'd, by L. P. Stringer (5-30-67)

Estate of George Brite, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, Public Adminiatrator (6-6-67)

Estate of Alfred Chitwood, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-6-67)

Estate of Sarah Smith, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-6-67)

Estate of John W. Lynn, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of Wila J. Harper, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of Elizabeth Allen, dec'd, by John D. Allen (6-20-67)

Estate of Joseph R. Heard, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of John G. Stuart, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of William Ward, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome(6-20-67)

Estate of John Toliver, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of Charles W. Moore, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of Charles Toliver, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of Daniel Bradford, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

Estate of James Brady, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-20-67)

By William H. Gaither, curator of Harriet E. Gaither and Benjamin Gaither, heirs of Thos. Gaither, dec.d. (7-11-67)

Estate of John Patton, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-8-67)

Estate of Robert C. Patton, dec'd, by D. Bidlecome (8-8-67)

Estate of Alexander Brown, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-8-67)

Estate of James M. Thaxton, dec'd, by Benjamin S. Thaxton (8-15-67)

Estate of A. B. Poindexter, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (9-12-67)

Estate of John Welda, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (9-12-67)

Estate of John H. Lebow, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (9-12-67)

Estate of E. Y. Kimmons, dec'd, by R. B. Nicholas (9-12-67)

Estate of Linday S. Beck by Huston J. Beck (8-15-67)

Final settlements continued:

Estate of Brice Henry by Licinda Henry, adm'x (9-26-67)

Estate of James Willis, dec'd, by Elizabeth Willis (11-21-67)

Estate of Daniel Beck, dec'd, by Elmira Beck (11-21-67)

Estate of Enoch L. Hammer, dec'd, by Huston S. Hammer (11-28-67)

Estate of Napoleon B. Fike, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, Public Administrator (12-12-67)

Estate of Robert J. Still, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (12-12-67)

Estate of Milton J. Morey, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (12-12-67)

Estate of David H. Lambert, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (12-12-67)

Estate of Edward Hale, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (12-12-67)

Estate of Johnathan H. Cox, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (12-12-67)

Estate of Robert C. Shipman, by Mary Ann Shipman (12-12-67)

By Francis M. Marsh as curator and guardian of minors Thomas B. Davis, Francis M. Davis, Henry R. Davis, William C. Davis, and Mary E. Davis. (1-23-68)

By Francis M. Marsh as curator and guard. of Jasper B. Davis and Phebe C. Ramsey, late minors. (1-23-68)

By William H Duff as curator and guard. of Susan Harris, late a minor. (1-30-68)

Estate of Matthew Ervin, dec'd, by Wilson McErvin. (2-20-68)

Estate of W. M. Burrow, dec'd, by R. L. Burrow. (2-20-68)

Estate of Armenia L. Hansard, dec'd, by J. W. Hansard (3-5-68)

Estate of Thos. M. Stokes, dec'd, by J. W. Hansard (3-5-68)

Estate of Jesse W. Camden, by Catharine S. Camden (3-12-68)

Estate of Richard M.Hunter, dec'd, by Dan'l Eubanks (4-23-68)

By Archilbald M. Laney, guardian of Jesse C. D. Laney, late a minor. (4-23-68)

Estate of B. W. Berry, dec'd, by William Stringer (4-23-68)

By William C. Cole, curator for Sarah J. Evans, minor heir of Silas Evans, dec'd, (5-28-68)

Estate of William Nivans by D. Biddlecome (6-4-68)

Estate of Josiah A. Sparks, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-4-68)

Estate of Thomas Stockton, dec'd, of Barry County, by John Goodnight (3-19-68)

Final settlements, continued:

Estate of Samuel R. White, dec'd, by S. R. Allen (6-4-68)

Estate of Jno. C. Bane, dec'd, by Niles S. Smith (6-4-68)

Estate of R. P. Anderson by Joseph Anderson and William Anderson (6-11-68)

Estate of C. George, dec'd, and also partnership effects of Richardson and George by H. George (6-18-68)

Estate of Jno. H. Colley, Jr. by Richard P. Colley (6-18-68)

Estate of Zadock Newman, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-18-68)
Daniel Biddlecome, Public Administrator

Estate of James Chitwood, by D. Biddlecome (6-18-68)

Estate of Henry B. Shelton, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-18-68)

Estate of Richard Hunter, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-18-68)

Estate of Simeon Pennington by E. Ramsey (6-18-68)

Estate of L. Atwater, late a minor, by M. H. Johnson, curator (7-9-68)

By William C. Cole, curator of Sarha J. Morris, formerly Sarah J. Evans, late a minor of Silas Evans, dec'd (7-9-68)

By Charles T. McCray, guardian of Abigail Storedill, formerly Abigail Gilbreath, a minor (7-23-68)

Estate of J. L. Hilton, dec'd, by W. H. McNatt (7-30-68)

Estate of Oliver P. Mann, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, late public administrator (8-27-68)

Estate of Thomas W. Bingham, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome(8-27-68)

Estate of Thomas W. Allen, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-27-68)

Estate of James M. Gillock, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-27-68)

Estate of Mary Pace, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-27-68)

Estate of Martha Chitwood, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (8-27-68)

Estate of William L. Shinkle, dec'd, by William F. Jeffries (8-27-68)

By Zachariah Beckman, guard. and curator of Matilda Beckman, formerly Matilda Jackson, minor heir of Jos. G. Jackson, dec'd, (8-27-68)

Final settlements, continued:

Estate of Steven E. Crouch, dec'd, by Jonathan Hunt (9-3-68)

Estate of James T. Lemaster and Charles L. Lemaster, dec'd, by John J. Lemaster (11-19-68)

By John W. Moore, curator for William Jinnings, Mary E. Jinnings, and Amanda E. Carpenter, late minors of Robert Jinnings, dec'd, (12-24-68)

Estate of Harden Matthews, dec'd, by Delila C. Matthews, (12-24-68)

By Sarah Manning, curator of John G. Manning, James P. Manning, Fanny E. Manning, Ananias V. Manning, and Henry W. Manning, minor heirs of James F. Manning, dec'd, (12-24-68)

Estate of Williamson Roark, dec'd, by William Dipper (2-18-69)

By Sam'l M. Mayherr, guardian of Johnathan P. Mayherr, minor heir of Hooper Mayherr, dec'd (2-26-69)

Estate of Timothy Warren, dec'd, and partnership effects of late firm of Matthew, Warren, and Guthrie by Administrators Thomas J. Guthrie and Benj. R. Matthews (3-18-69)

Estate of Martin Levasy, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

Estate of Thomas Wilson, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

Estate of Burrow Buchner, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

Estate of Joseph Bushney, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

~~Estate of Hamilton C. Howard, dec'd,~~ by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

~~Estate of James Harris, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)~~

Estate of John Rogers, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)

~~Estate of Washington S. Rea, dec'd, by Mary Rea (3-18-69)~~

By Henry George, guard. and curator of Lydia Ann Singmaster, a minor. (3-18-69)

~~Estate of David H. Lumby, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-18-69)~~

Estate of Asa P. McGehee, by Nancy Reames, adm'x, (3-18-69)

Estate of Henry White, dec'd, by D. Biddlecmae (3-18-69)

~~Estate of Hamilton C. Howard, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (4-8-69)~~

Estate of Polk Brown, by J. P. Woods, (6-3-69)

List of settlements for Probate Court, April Term. 1874

name of deceased	name of administrator, etc.
Brady, James	D. Biddlecome (publ. adm.)
Brite, Nancy	Asberry Brite
Bowers, Geo. C.	Nancy Bowers
Childress, Henry	Sarah V. Childress
Chrisman, Pheobe	D. Biddlecome
Curry, William	J. W. Davis (publ. adm.)
Colley, David T. J.	Elen Colley
Clements, Barcheba	David Clements
Davis, Turner W.	Thos. T. Davis
Durnil, John	A. J. Durnil
Erwin, Benjamin	John R. Elmore
Franks, James	Jas. W. Davis
Fare, Jonathan	D. Biddlecomme
Guthrie, James A.	Thos. J. Guthrie
Greer, Esther	D. Biddlecome
Cay, William W.	H.L.W. Hill
Gunter, A. H.	James H. Gunter
Hillhouse, Geo. A.	James D. Hillhouse
Hoshaw, N. J.	D. Biddlecome
Jaggers, Elisha M.	Elisha Browning
Jennings, F. M.	John E. Fenton
Jones, David W.	Thos. P. Jones
Kimmons, James W.	N. Bray
Landis, L. B.	J..W.Davis
Lacy, Zephemiah	D. Biddlecome
Lathar, John	Emeline Lathan
Link, John	Wm Guthrie
Moore, A. A.	John B. Moore
Moore, Chas. W.	D. Biddlecome
McCune, Harvey J.	Mary McCure
McCray, Thomas	D. Biddlecome
Morgan, Hannah	D. M. Morgan
Morris, Daniel	Martin Mooris
McCray, Chas. T.	A. B. and James McCray
McKinzie, Martha J.	D. J. McKinzie
Owen, Wm D.	Nancy Owen
Oldaker, E. N.	W. G. Rice
Price, J. W.	John G. Price
Rinker, Henderson H.	Elisha Browning
Shepphard, H. C.	D. Biddlecome
Starrett, Anderson	J.C. Stinson
Spilman, N.C.	J.J. and S. A. Spilman
Stark, Festus	J. M. Williams
Seamans, Sarah	James Seamans
Stone, Benj.	J. M. Kellogg
Stone, R. and O.	J. M. Kellogg
Stone, Obediah	Henry C. Young
Toliver, John H.	Joseph Batesell
Woodrow, John	D. Biddlecome
Willis, James	Elizabeth Willis
Wear, P. M.	J. W. Davis
Wooten, G. W.	E. J. and T. C. Wooten
Wooten, G. W., partnership estate	A. T. Wooten
Wild, William Robert	Martha A. Wild
Wilson, William C.	D. A. Wilson
Whaley, Thos. R.	J.W. Davis
Willis, Lee	J. W. Davis

Final settlements, continued:

Estate of Julia Dunning, dec'd, by Sallie F. Hickman (8-20-74)

Estate of John J. Landham, dec'd, by Jacob Gist (9-3-74)

Estate of Henderson B. Rinker, dec'd, by Elisha Browning (9-10-74)

Estate of John Patton, dec'd, by Samuel O. and R. B. Taylor (9-17-74)

Estate of W. C. Wilson, dec'd, by D. A. Wilson (9-24-74)

By Wm C. Cole, curator of Ambrose Evans, late a minor (11-12-74)

By W. M. Watterson, curator of Thomas H. Maberry, minor (12-24-74)

Estate of Green L. Colly, dec'd, by John Pendleton (1-21-75)

Estate of Lee Willis, dec'd, by J.W. Davis (2-4-75)

By John Colbert, curatorship for Wesley R. Roark, late a minor (3-4-75)

Estate of Thomas Wild, dec'd, by Martha Ann Wild (4-1-75)

Estate of Baty Forsythe, dec'd, by Harris Forsythe (4-15-75)

By John W. Moore, curator of J. K. P. Jennings and Martha Jennings, late minors (5-13-75)

Estate of A. J. Baugh, dec'd, by Sarah Jane Baugh (5-13-75)

Estate of Benj. Irwin, dec'd, by J. E. Elmore (5-13-75)

Estate of Charles T. McCray, dec'd, by A. B. and Jas. McCray(7-29-75)

Estate of Barsheba Clements, dec'd, by David Clements (8-26-75)

Estate of partnership effects of A. T. Wooten, surviving partner and George W. Woote, dec'd, by A. T. Wooten (8-26-75)

Estate of John H. Lathem, dec'd, by Emiline Lathem (9-2-75)

Estate of William Wann, dec'd, by Wm C. Wann (9-9-75)

Estate of Alexander McKinzie, dec'd, by D. J. McKinzie (9-9-75)

Estate of Samuel H. Scott, dec'd, by M. J. Camden (9-9-75)

By Daniel Sloan, estate of minor Jonathan Morgan (9-9-75)

Estate of Jonthan Shell, a minor, by Wm Yeoman, guardian.(10-7-75)

Estate of Amos Cooper, dec'd, by Burgan Cooper (10-14-75)

Final settlements, continued:

Estate of Prudence Hickman and Elizabeth Johnston, by Joseph B. Tomlinson (10-14-75)

Estate of William P. Slover, dec'd, by Jas. W. Davis (11-18-75)

Estate of Jubal Willis, dec'd, by J. W. Davis (12-30-75)

Estate of James Cherry, dec'd, by Rachel Cherry (12-30-75)

END OF RECORD OF FINAL SETTLEMENTS, 1867-1875

OTHER LEGAL NOTICES FROM LAWRENCE COUNTY, MISSOURI, NEWSPAPERS. Only those which have genealogical significance abstracted.
SPRING RIVER FOUNTAIN:

Order of Publication: H__ten S. Hammer, adm. of Enoch L. Hammer, Dec'd, in case against John W. Humphrey in Circuit Court, regarding a promisory note dated Dec. 30, 1854, made payable to William S. McCanse, executor(with will annexed) of John Hamilton, dec'd, for purchase of a lot in Mt. Vernon. Enoch L. Hammer used note as security to McCanse, but Hammer died on or about 30 April 1864, and Humphrey had not paid either principal or interest.(2-28-67)

Order of Publ.: Circuit Court, By Benjamin L. Hendrick, adm. of L. Hendrick dec'd, against William Brice, non resident of Mo., letters of administration by Hendrick obtained from Greene County, Mo. court (2-28-67)

Order of Publ: Circuit Court, Daniel Biddlecome, Public Adm. of estate of William Williams against Jesse Creacy and George T. Creacy, non residents of Mo., involves land in Lawrence County which Williams sold in sec. 15 & 16, Twp. 28, Range 25. (2-28-67)

Order of Publication: estate of J. A. Bushoney, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (2-28-67)

Administrator's notice: letters granted D. Biddlecome in estate of Joshua R. Royston, dec'd, on 17 Dec. 1866 (2-28-67)

Adm. notice: letters granted Thomas Taylor in estate of William Taylor, dec'd. (2-28-67)

Notice of resignation as curator of minor heirs of George W. Fishburn, dec'd, by James M. Kellogg (3-14-67)

Adm. notice: letters granted J. B. Woods, in estate of Polk Brown, dec'd (3-28-67)

Notice of application to sell real estate: Estate of Milton J. Morry, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (4-25-67)

Adm. notice: letters granted D. Biddlecome on estate of Thomas Kimons (5-30-67)

Publ. Adm. notice by Biddlecome in estate of N. B. Pike, dec'd (5-30-67)

Other legal notices, continued:

Letters of Adm. granted Marshal Wilson on estate of Peter Wilson (5-30-67)

Letters of Adm. granted W. M. Roberts on estate of Augustine Cameron, dec'd (5-30-67)

Sale of land in estate of Robert J. Still, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (5-30-67)

Executor's notice: estate of Jeptha White, dec'd, by G. W. Rinker and A. A. Young, (5-30-67)

Notice of sale of lands in estate of James Masters, dec'd, by Public Administrator (5-30-67)

Notice of sale of land in estate of Samuel K. Winkle, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, Publ. Adm. (5-30-67)

Notice of sale of land in estate of James L. Lemaster, dec'd, by adm. John J. Lemaster (5-30-67)

Notice of sale of land in estate of Jackson ver Baldwin (later given Jackomyer Baldwin) by publ. adm. D. Biddlecome (5-30-67)

Sale of land in estate of Reas M. Ward, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, Publ. Adm. (5-30-67)

Adm. notice in estate of William B. Roe, dec'd, by Thomas Roe (5-30-67)

Publ. Adm. sale of land, estate of James M. Gillock, dec'd (5-30-67)

Publ. Adm. sale of land, estate of George J. Irwin, dec'd (5-30-67)

Publ. Adm. sale of land, estate of J. W. H. Spann, dec'd (5-30-67)

Publ. Adm. sale of land, estate of Sampson Looney, dec'd (5-30-67)

Petition to sell real estate of Josiah Sparks, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (6-2-67)

Legal notice Circuit Court involving 20 acres of land sold by John Rogers and Dorcus, his wife on20 Dec. 1858 to Henry Bird (plaintiff), which needs title cleared due to omission of description; John Rogers now deceased, leaving Dorcas, his widow, Jones, son of Jesse Rogers, and Mary Hudspeth, wife of Giles Hudspeth, sole surving children and heirs at law, and all are non residents of Mo. (6-20-67)

Notice to take deposition gives: William M. Shelton and his wife Mary J. Skelton in 1858 or 1859 deeded land to Thomas W. Bingham. Bingham has since died and deed was destroyed in fire(8-1-67)

Adm. notice: estate of William W. Gay, dec'd, by H. L. W. Hill (8-1-67)

Adm. notice: estate of William W. Richards, dec'd, by John D. Allen (8-1-67)

Legal notices, continued:

Notice of appointment of guardian: Richard S. Wilks for Ellen (or Ellender) McKnight, of unsound mind (8-8-67)

Petition for divorce: Mary W. Young by her next friend Peter F. Clark vs. Gabriel Young, non-resident of Mo. Married on or about 16 Feby 1840 in Lumpkin Co., Georgia. He deserted her. Children: James F., Kinsey, and Henry F. Young. Asks for return of maiden name of Mary W. Mabrey. (8-15-67)

Guardian notice: Easter Feaster, mother and natural guardian of the persons and estate of John Feaster, William Feaster, Mary Jane Feaster, Malinda C. Feaster, and Isaac C. Feaster, minor heirs of Robert Feaster, dec'd. Isham H. Williams and James A. Feaster are security. (9-5-67)

Letters of administration granted Isaac J. Estes on estate of A. S. Hudson, dec'd (9-19-67)

Land in Lawrence Co. Mo. to be sold in estate of William Carmach, dec'd, late of Pulaski Co. Mo. (9-26-67)

Publ. adm. notice in estate of Thomas J. Williams, dec'd (10-24-67)

Curator's sale of real estate by Nelson McDonald, curator of estates of Laura E., John W., Martha W., and Eugenia W. McCulloch, minor children and heirs of estate of Cyrus W. McCullorch, dec'd, late of Dade Co., Mo. (land in Lawrence Co. Mo.) (10-24-67)

Letters of adm. to Louisa Datson, adm'x of estate of Berry Datson, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters of adm. to James Elkins, adm. of estate of John Elkins, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters of adm. to Sarah L. Bane, adm'x of estate of John C. Bane, dec'd, (11-21-67)

Letters of adm. to Nancy D. Owen, adm'x of estate of D. F. Owen, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters of adm. to Wilson McErvin, in estate of Matthew Ervin, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters to Holland & Burkhart, adm. of estate of Thomas Cole, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters to Mary Hagerty, in estate of William Hagerty, dec'd (11-21-6

Letters to Thomas J. Denton, in estate of N. J. Hodges, dec'd (11-21-67

Letters to D. A. Maxwell, in estate of Jack A. Maxwell, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters to Nathan C. Spilman in estate of Thomas J. Hewlett, dec'd (11-21-67)

Letters to Sarah V. Childress in estate of Henry Childress, dec'd (11-21-67)

Legal notices continued:

Publ. adm. notice in estate of John P. Wallace, dec'd (11-21-67)

Notice to sell real estate by Hardin W. Ross in estate of Hardin W. Ross, son and heir at law of Charles W. Ross, dec'd (11-28-67)

Guardian's sale of real estate, Mary Rea, widow, as guardian and curator of her ward Jesse Walls, a minor (12-5-67)

Adm. notice: "the letters of my predecessor as adm'x of T. M. Stokes, dec'd, having ceased to have any legal force on 12 Nov., 1865 because of her marriage" John W. Hansard, adm. (12-12-67)
(It is highlylikely that Mrs. Stokes married Mr. Hansard.)

To sell real estate: estate of John Guthrie, dec'd, by Peter M. Swatszel, adm. (12-12-67)

Letters of adm. in estate of Josiah Stogsdill, dec'd, to William Stogsdill, adm. (1-16-68)

Letters of administration to Daniel Eubanks, adm. of estate of Richard Hunter (2-13-68)

Daniel Biddlecome made administrator of estate of P. P. Brickey, dec'd; his predecessor was J. F. Brickey. (2-20-68)

Notice of adm. de bonis non by James M. Kellogg, estate of Benjamin Stone ; predecessor's adm. ceased on marriage Jan. 1, 1868.(2-20-68)

Notice adm. de bonis non by Niles S. Smith, estate of John C. Bane; adm'x lost her legal right by reason of marriage. (2-20-68)

Adm. notice in estate of ___ Withers, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (2-2-68)

Adm. notice: estate of William Fare, dec'd, by Biddlecome(3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Jonathan Fare, dec'd, by Biddlecome(3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of John Rogers, dec'd, (3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of John J. Owen, dec'd, and partnership effects of Lebow and Owen, by Francis M. Lebow (3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of James S. Slemmons, by Biddlecome(3-5-68)

Notice by M. L. Irwin; Granderson V. Holden, and wife Malinda E. Holden, deeded to M. L. Irwin land which Malinda F. Holden held as heir at law of George J. Irwin, dec'd, on 15 Mar. 1863; deed burned and now Irwin asks for depostion of M. L. Irwin, Robert Boyd, Tabitha Boyd, Washington Irwin, and Mary Jane Irwin, all residents of Green Township, Lawrence Co., to be made.(3-5-68)

Sale of land, estate of James Martrs, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Henry Ruark, dec'd, by Matilda J. Ruark, (3-5-68)

Sale of land, estate of Augustine Cameron, dec'd, by William F. Roberts (1-30-68)

Legal notices, continued:

Sale of land, estate of James J. Mathis, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome (3-5-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Robert C. Patton, dec'd by John D. Patton (4-9-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Amy Muncy, dec'd, by Jas. W. Davis (4-23-68)

Adm. notice: estate of I. R. Jones, dec'd, by Jam. W. Davis (4-23-68)

Adm. notice: estate of B. T. Mahan, dec'd, by Chas. C. Shelton (5-28-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Elijah McGehee, dec'd, by Richard P. Colley (5-28-68)

Sale of land: estate of John Guthrie, dec'd, by P. M. Swatzed (5-28-68)

Sale of land; estate of Laban F. Fullerton, dec'd, by Jas. O. P. Edmonson (6-4-68)

Sale of ladd, by guardian and curator of estates of Hannah E., Robert J., William W., Eiretta E., Louisa J., and William F. Love, minors. (6-11-68) Guardian is John B. Love.

Adm. notice:estate of Mary M. Fullerton, dec'd, by James O.P. Edmonson (7-2-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Turner W. Davis, dec'd, by Thomas T. Davis (8-13-68)

Adm. notice: estate of A. G. Huttet, dec'd, by James W. Davis (Davis is Public Administrator) (8-27-68)

Order of Publication: estate of Samuel K. Cotter, dec'd, by D. Biddlecome, late Publ. Adm. (8-27-68)

Order of Publ.: estate of Edward Syndor, dec'd, by Biddlecome (8-27-68)

~~Order of Publ.: estate of Thomas J. Williams, dec'd, by Biddlecome (8-27-68)~~

Sale of land: estate of David H. Lambert, dec'd. (9-3-68)

Adm. sale: estate of Richard G. McFall, dec'd (9-3-68)

Adm. notice: estate of David S. Roper, dec'd, by Jas. Davis (9-3-68)

Adm. notice: estate of John Conley, dec'd, by Davis (9-3-68)

Sale of land by guardian Mary E. Stringer, curator of Sophia and Emma Stringer, minors (9-10-68)

Adm. notice: estate of Simeon Pennington, dec'd, given to charge of Publ. Adm. Jas. Davis; letters of predecessor of no effect due to his death. (9-10-68)

Legal notices, continued:

Letters Testamentary: estate of Cornelius Brachney, dec'd, by Tilitha Brachney, adm'x. (2-11-69)

Letters in estate of Jas. A. Guthery, dec'd, by Thos. J. Guthery (2-18-69)

Guardianship given to Thomas Bowles in estate of Elizabeth McGehee, an insane person (2-18-69)

Sale of land: estate of Nancy Ellen Shinkle and Willie Matilda Shinkle, minor heirs of William S. Shinkle, dec'd, by William F. Jeffries, curator (3-18-69)

Sale of land; estate of James J. Matthis, dec'd, (3-18-69)

Sale of land: estate of Peter Wilson, dec'd, by Marshall Wilson (3-18-69)

Sale of land: estate of Alexander Brown, dec'd (3-18-69)

Sale of land: estate of John Elkins, dec'd (3-18-69)

Letters in estate of William Willis by J. Davis (3-18-69)

Sale of land: estate of John Lindley, dec'd, by William L. Scroggs (4-8-69)

Adm. notice: estate of Thomas J. Pryor, dec'd, by Wm Pryor (6-3-69)

Letters of Adm. in estate of Patrick Dolan, dec'd, by Jas. W. Davis (6-3-69)

*Guardian notice: J. A. Hammer, appointed guardian of Elizabeth Toliver (6-3-69)

Resignation notice by Wm B. Landrum, guardian of estates of John W., Albina A., Martha E., and Sarah E. Sawyers, minor heirs of N. B. Sawyers, dec'd (6-17-69)

From notice by Henry Brumback regarding land: "that a deed of conveyance of said real estate from Woodrof Johnson to Elizabeth Bird dated 1854 and deed of conveyance of same from James Bird, Mary Hunt, and James Hunt, her husband, Delilah Gillock and Thomas Gillock her husband, Caroline Busby and Samuel Busby her husband, Elizabeth Bird, Sarah Jane West and John West her husband, and Nancy Bird, children and heirs at law of Elizabeth Bird, dec'd, to Robinson Starrett dated 1859 and said Starrett to James M. Gillock, dated 1861, were none of them recorded" (9-23-69)

Notice of resignation of guardianship of Minerva A. Clayton, an insane person and minor, by H. A. Montgomery, (11-18-69)

Adm. notice: estate of Moses H. Shelton, dec'd, by C. R. Shelton (11-18-69)

Adm. notice: estate of David W. Freeman, dec'd, by Daniel Sloan (11-18-69)

Guardian notice of resignation of guardianship of Thursey Brown, an idiot, by Matthew Brown. (12-16-69)

Legal notices, continued:

Adm. notice: estate of John S. Richmond, dec'd, by John B. Richmond (1-20-70)

Adm. notice: estate of W. G. Merrick, dec'd, by Mrs. C. J. Merrick (1-20-70)

Adm. notice: estate of Henry L. Brooks, by J.W. Davis (2-3-70)

Order of Publication: South Pacific Railroad Col vs. Samuel P. Benage, J. B. Browning, James M. Scott, Elizabeth Cowan, widow of Campbell J. Cowan, dec'd, and the minor heirs of estate of James M. Manning, dec'd, and Campbell J. Cowan, dec'd. has to do with land the railroad wants. (2-10-70)

Order of Publication: Richard S. Wilks, against Matthew Lowder and others, to obtain decree by court divesting the defendants of all right, title, etc. to estate of George W. Lowder, dec'd. Other defendants: Matthew Lowder and Alletha Lowder his wife; Elizabeth Lowder, Alletha Lowder, Malinda Lowder, Mattie Lowder, John D. Lowder, James B. Lowder; James W. Yandel and Sarah M. Yandel his wife: Thomas Flow and Alletha Flow his wife; George Etter and Clarinda I. Etter his wife; Samuel Etter and Phebe S. Etter his wife; James W. Strawn and Mary A. Strawn his wife; George Dugger and Pernelia Dugger his wife; and Andrew J. Lowder. These are all non residents of Mo. (note by ed.: James W. Strawn and wife were in Johnson Co. Texas in 1873.) (3-3-70)

Adm. notice: estate of Pleasant M. Wear, dec'd, by J.W. Davis (3-3-70)

Sale of land in estate of Frederich Foster, dec'd, (3-3-70)

Adm. notice: estate of William Curry, dec'd, by J.W.Davis (3-3-70)

Sale of land: estate of Oliver P. Mans, dec'd. (3-3-70)

Sale of land: Peter Wilson, dec'd, by Marshall Wilson (3-3-70)

Adm. notice: estate of Andrew H. Gunter, dec'd, by James A. Gunter (3-10-70)

Order of Publication: by George W. Colbert and John Colbert against Elizabeth J. Davis, formerly Elizabeth J. Roark, and W. W. Davis her husband; Wisley R. Roark and Thomas I. Roark. Elizabeth Roark Davis had sold plaintiffs land which was part of estate of Wilson Roark, dec'd, in 1860. Deed was not recorded and has been lost or destroyed... (3-17-70)

Adm. notice: estate of William Strawn by J. W. Davis (4-7-70)

Adm. notice: estate of John A. Link, dec'd, by Wm Guthrie (4-7-70)

Letters of adm. to J. Francis Seamon, adm. of estate of John F. Seamon, dec'd. (4-21-70)

Adm notice: estate of George T. Toney, Sen., dec'd, by Davis(4-28-70)

Adm. notice: estate of Andrew M. Glasscock by James H. Glasscock (4-28-70)

Curators sale of land: by W. E. Wright, curator of estate of Marcus L., Elizabeth H., Maria F, and Edna G. Syndor, minor heirs of Edward Syndor, dec'd (6-16-70)

Legal notices, continued:

Adm. notice: estate of Isaac Searls, dec'd, by Catherine Searls (6-16-70)

Adm. notice: estate of William Robert Wild, dec'd, by Martha Ann Wild, (8-11-70)

Adm. notice: estate of John D. Hocker, dec'd, by J. W. Davis(8-11-70)

Order of Publication: by James A. Hammer, guardian of persons and estate of Elizabeth Toliver, an insane person, plaintiff, against John H. Toliver, William Toliver, Sarah Hammer, and James A. Hammer, her husband. (Wm. Toliver, non resident of state) For partition of land; description mentions hedge planted by W. A. McCanse and J. M. Moore. (9-1-70)

Order of Publ: Ada J. Hart and John W. Hart her husband, against Nittie Neece, a non resident of state, involving title to land. (9-1-70)

Adm. notice: estate of M. F. Holden, dec'd, by David Clements (9-1-70)

Adm. notice: estate of William A. Black, dec'd, by Neal McNeal (9-8-70)

Order for divorce: John Halec agst. Mary Halec, non resident of state, married monthof August or September 1860, county of Jefferson, state of Illinois. (9-8-70)

Elbert P. Hansard appointed guardian of estate of Dicly E. Hansard, an insane person. (12-1-70)

Guardian notice by Richard Lewis, estate of Richard, Mildred, Thomas, and Ady Lewis, all minors. (12-22-70)

Adm. notice; estate of William Dipper, dec'd, by Celia (Selia) Dipper (12-30-70)

Adm. notice: estate of Andrew W. West by Mary S. West (12-30-70)

Adm. notice: estate of James Masters, dec'd, by J. Davis (12-30-70)

Resignation of estate of Jephtha White, dec'd, by Geo. W. Rinker (12-30-70)

Notes of Adm. in estate of Thomas Minor, dec'd, by J.Davis (1-19-71)

Notes of Adm. in estate of Timothy Warren, dec'd, by Davis (1-19-71)

Adm. notice: estate of William Pendergraft, dec'd, by James W. Curtis (2-6-71)

Adm. notice: letters of predecessor ceased to havelegal force by reason of resignation, estate of Timothy Warren, dec'd to Jas. W. Davis, Public Adm. (2-16-71)

Adm. notice: estate of Nathaniel Wheat, dec'd, to Jacob B. Wheat (2-16-71)

Adm. notice: estate of Helen M. Hocker, dec'd, by Thomas W. Kelton (2-23-71)

Legal notices, continued:

Adm.notice: estate of James C. Stinson, dec'd, by James C. Stinson (2-22-71)

Adm. notice: estate of Solomon Reddick, dec'd, by J. Davis (3-2-71)

Adm. notice: estate of John D. Hocker, dec'd, now granted to Thomas W. Kelton (3-2-71)

Guardian sale of land: estate of Thomas A. And Eliza Isabel Guthrie, minors, by Evaline Ramsey, guardian (3-10-71)

Adm. sale by Samuel C. Major, Publ. Adm. of Howard County, Mo., in estate of Washington Smith, late of Howard Co., dec'd, who had 600 acres in Lawrence County. (3-10-71)

Disolving of firm of Gregory Miller and Co. at Verona by co-partners Allen Miller, L. W. Allen, and J. M. Gregory. (3-16-71)

Order ofPublication: Elizabeth Carey and Thomas Carey her husband against Martha Landers and Luther Landers her husband; Able Lee; John Lee; Daniel Lee; and Phennetta Allen. Martha and Luther Landers are non residents of state. For partition of land and divison of land in Lawrence County. (Spring River is named in description and appears to border land devised by Daniel Lee Sen. to Daniel Lee Jun. and by Daniel Lee, Sen. to John Lee, Daniel Lee, Jun., and Elizabeth Landers.) 3-16-71)

Sheriff sale in Partition: James M. Rea against Mary Rea, Margaret B. Williams, Elizabeth Kelso and James R. Kelso her husband, Mary Wilks and Jesse M. Wilks her husband, James D. Hillhouse, John B. Rea, Cornelius Rose, Jesse Walls, Mary White and Admiral White her husband, Margaret Parker and West Parker her husband, Elizabeth Irwin and Andrew Irwin her husband, William Wasson, James Wasson, Jackson Wasson, and Elijah B. Hillhouse. (4-6-71)

Adm. notice: estate of William Faulkner, dec'd, by William Blackburn (4-13-71)

Letters of adm.:estate of James Frank, dec'd, by J. Davis (5-11-71)

Letters of adm.: estate of John H. Latham by Emeline Latham(5-11-71)

Guardian notice by James W. Davis for estate of Augustus Wiegard, a person of unsound mind. (6-8-71)

Sale ofland in estate of John Q. Lamb, dec'd, by J. Davis (6-1-71)

Sale by curator of estate of Sophrona and Emma Stringer, minor heirs of Thomas Stringer, dec'd, by James A. Gibson, curator. (6-1-71)

Adm. notice: estate of Thomas Brown, dec'd, by Joacob B. Wheat (6-22-71)

Executors notice: estate of Mary Margaret Hamilton, dec'd, to William A. McCanse (6-22-71)

Adm. notice: estate of Larkin B. Landis, dec'd, by J. Davis(7-6-71)
Sale of land by Richard Lewis, guardian of Richard, Mildred, Thomas, and Ady Lewis, minors. (3-16-71)

Legal notices, continued:

Adm. notice: estate of Hall C. Chandler, dec'd, by Mariam A. Chandler (7-13-71)

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Sale of land: estate of Lee Willis, dec'd by J. Davis (9-21-72)

Notice of Adm. in estate of Henry Ruark, dec'd, letters of predecessor having ceased on her marriage 21 May 1872, administration now granted Robert B. Taylor. (10-5-72)

Letters of adm. on estate of Francis M. Jennings, dec'd, by John E. Fenton (10-19-72)

Letters Testamentory on estate of William Wan, dec'd, by William C. Wan. (10-19-72)

County Court: fee bill for inquest of Mary Jane Glosson of Peirce City allowed and also in case of Monroe Kelley of Buck Prairie, both $36. Entries for correction of assessments on homesteads: William P. Hillhouse, S. N. McKinley, W. F. Miller, Jno. W. Parker, Easton Erley, Harrison Neece, William C. Berry, A. Berry, J. F. Berry. (11-16-72)

Adm. notice: estate of Sarah E. Craft, dec'd, by J. W. Jackson (11-16-72)

Order of Publication involving land sold to James A. Dudley by John M. Dudley, "then in life" and Mary Jane Dudley his wife, on 22 Oct. 1860. Land description was improperly recorded. John M. Dudley now dec'd. His children are Calvin, James C., Pullam, Kelley, and Albert Dudley. (11-23-72)

Adm. notice: estate of Washington L. Chance, dec'd, by James W. Smith (11-30-72)

Adm. notice: estate of William C. Langston, by John B. Higdon (3-15-73)

Order of Publication: Andrew D. Hudspeth agst. Andrew F. Osburn; David Martin and Rachel Martin his wife; Jesse Morris and Jane Morris his wife; Pleasant Jones and the unknown heirs of James Osburn, dec'd, all except Jones are non residents of Mo. To sell land in Dade County, Mo. (4-5-73)

Letters of Adm. estate of Martha McKinzie, dec'd, by Daniel J. McKinzie. (4-12-73)

Bonds of administration granted to following: (4-26-73)
Nancy Bowers for estate of Geo. G. Bowers, dec'd
James Seaman for estate of Sarah Seaman, dec'd
E. Browning for Elisha Jaggers, dec'd
W. H. Wade, curator of Sarah B. Wilks, a minor
Nancy Cline, guardian of George W. Cline, a minor
Walter Moore, guardian of Martha B. Burrow, a minor

Legal notices, continued:

Administrator's bonds granted: (5-3-73)
W. G. Rice in estate of E. N. Oldaker, dec'd
Sarah J. Baugh in estate of A. J. Baugh, dec'd
Harris Forsythe in estate of Baty Forsythe, dec'd
William Green, guardian for William F. Green and John C. Green, minor heirs of James C. Green, dec'd
Jonathan Hunt, in estate of Atalanta Hunt, Wm A. Hunt, and Jonathan W. Hunt, and Joseph M. Crouch, minors.
Jonathan Hunt in estate of Still Patterson, dec'd
John Johnson, guardianship of Francis W. Barnett, a minor

Estate of Jeremiah Sweny, dec'd, and Oliver Duncan, dec'd, ordered to charge of J. Davis, Publ. Adm. (5-3-73)

Order of Publication: Henry Brumback agst. Robert McDowell, Thomas McDowell, William McDowell, Horatio McDowell, Jonas B. McDowell, Margaret Wishard and Joseph Wishard, Lucy Wellman and Joseph Wellman, Malinda Best and John M. Best, Penelope McArtor and William H. McArtor, Martha A. Shafer and Henry Shafer, Lydia Pearman and Samuel Pearman, John H. Winters, William C. Winters, and John C. Winter. (all defendants are non residents of state, own piece of land of their ancestor James B. McDowell which Brumback had purchased at tax delinquent sale) (8-30-73)

Adm. notice: estate of William P. Slover, dec'd, by Jas. W. Davis (3-12-74)

Curators notice: by J. A. Button, guardian of George W. Hood and Sarah E. Hood, minors (3-12-74)

Adm. notice: estate of Isaac Mills, dec'd, by O. N. Hoshaw (7-16-74)

Letters of Adm. estate of Timothy Pennington, dec'd, by Sarah Pennington (7-16-74)

Letters of adm. in estate of Jerry L. Gaither, dec'd, by W. C. Whinery (7-30-74)

Letters of adm. in estate of Isaac Miller, dec'd, by O. N. Hoshaw (7-30-74)

Order of Publication: William McDowell and Jonas P. McDowell agst. Robert McDowell and others who are co-owners of piece of real estate, for division: Susannah McDowell, widow of James B. McDowell, dec'd; William McDowell; Jonas P. McDowell; Robert McDowell; Thomas McDowell; Horatio McDowell; Margaret wishard and Joseph Wishard her husband; Lucy Wellman and Joseph Wellman her husband; Malinda Best and John M. Best her husband; Penelope McArtor and Wm H. McArtor her husband; Martha A. Shafer and Henry Shafer her husband; Lydia Pearman and Samuel Pearman her husband. All non residents of state except William and Jonas P. McDowell. (all have 1/12 part). Also named: William C. Winters, John W. Winters, and John C. Winters, non-residents, have 1/36 part. (8-13-74)

Divorce: Mary B. Downing vs. Theophilis L. Downing, a non resident of state, and restoration of maiden name Mary B. Lollar (8-13-74)

Legal notices, continued:

Order of Publication: Samuel Stephens against Nancy C. Douglas; Thos Donald and ___ Donald her husband; Mary Douglas; Rufus Douglas; Mary Douglas, daughter of Jonathan Douglas, dec'd; Harriet Hoxet and ___ Hoxet her husband; and two other children of Jonathan Douglas, dec'd, names unknown; Jonathan Douglas, son of Thomas Douglas, dec'd; Emily Holloway and Almarine Holloway her husband; Martha Low; James Douglas, son of Thomas Douglas, dec'd; Polly Everett; Rutilla Connell and John Connell her husband; Amanda Jane Morrison; Jonathan Morrison; Thomas D. Mury; Alexander Murry; Almeda Murry; Sarah Jane Murry; Dorthula Murry; Joseph White; Nancy White; Mary White; Elizabeth White; Isabella White; Matha White; Jane Hankins; Joseph R. Gloss; John C. Gloss; Mathew Gloss; Filly Gloss; Jane McAdoo; Elizabeth McAdoo; Gideon McAdoo; and Columbus McAdoo. Not all were residents of state. Has to do with land sold by James Douglas to Samuel Stephens on Sept. 15, 1857. (8-20-74)

Notice of adm. estate of John Cox, dec'd, by Eliza Cox (9-3-74)

Notice of adm. estate of Thomas J. Young, dec'd, by Mary E. Young (9-10-74)

Notice of adm. estate of John M. Querry, dec'd, by R. F. Querry (9-10-74)

Notice of adm. estate of James Cherry, dec'd by Rachel Cherry (9-10-74)

Adm. notice; estate of Nancy Hurst, dec'd, by Probate Court of Stone County, Mo.- Harrison Hurst. (9-17-74)

Adm. notice: estate of Mary Ellen Ward, dec'd, by Jacob Sample (9-17-74)

Sheriff's sale of land for purpose of partition and division: John Connell plaintiff agst. Ruthy Connell, Sarah Adeline Connell, Sarilda Clementine Connell, Mary Matilda Connell, Cyrintha Ann Connell, John Connell, son of James Connell, dec'd, Narcissus Pennington and William Pennington her husband, Stephen Connell, William Connell, Martha Mahulda Chant and William Chant her husband, Joshua Connell, John Taylor, John Henry Taylor, Mary Virginia Taylor, Mary Sophina Johnson, James Johnson, and Charles Johnson. (10-1-74)

Sheriff's sale of land for purpose of partition and division: Elizabeth Love and Barsheba Watson, agst. Abraham B. McCray, Mary Moore and Samuel Moore her husband, James McCray, Sarah I. Ferrell and Norman L. Ferrell her husband, Charles McCray, son of Charles McCray, dec'd, Lydia Ann McCray, Daniel McCray, son of Charles McCray, dec'd, Catharine Tennessee McCray, Thomas Forsythe, son of Sarah Forsythe, dec'd, Thomas Forsythe, son of John Forsythe, dec'd, Robert Wash Forsythe, Walter Forsythe, John Forsythe, Charles Forsythe, Henry Farr, Jane, the daughter of Sarah Forsythe, and her husband, name unknown, Jane M. Millburn and Samuel P. Millburn her husband, Elizabeth Prior and David Prior her husband, Sarah Ann Brashears and Dio C. W. Brashears her husband, Daniel Buch, Thomas M. Buch, Sciote Caroline Hulton and Samuel A. Hulton, her husband, Mary M. Kelso and Hugh Kelso her husband, Mahitabel H. Buch, Jacob R. Buch, James Stewart, Thomas Stewart, Elizabeth Eubands and ___ Eubanks, her husband, Lurine Stewart, Henry Stewart, Susan Stewart, Richard, son of Ora Stewart, dec'd, Daniel McCray, Martha

Legal notices, continued:

Moore, daughter of Daniel Stewart, son of Orra Steward, dec'd, and Samuel Moore her husband, Angeline Cooper and Daniel Cooper her husband, Thomas McCray, Jane Troutevine and Charles Troutevine her husband, Elizabeth McCray, Charles McCray, son of Daniel McCray, dec'd, Richard Stewart of Lorina Steward, dec'd (sic), and Daniel Stewart, son of Lorina Stewart, dec'd. (10-1-74)

Curators notice: estate of Ambrose Evans, late a minor, by William C. Cole (11-12-74)

Adm. notice: estate of Benj. L. Hendrick, dec'd, by J. M. Filler (12-3-74)

Adm. notice: estate of Fayette Vaughn, dec'd, by S. A Vaughn, adm'x (12-3-74)

Curator of estate of Thomas H. Maberry, a minor, is W. M. Watterson (12-24-74)

Order of Publ.: William L. Gilbert, adm. of estate of William C. Langston, dec'd. (1-21-75)

Sheriff's sale of land in partition: Arminda Helms and Thomas Willis agst. Elizabeth Willis, James Andrew Helms, Arminda Mahala Hannah Lasovogue and John Lasovague her husband, John Preston Helms, Charity Elizabeth Helms, Mary Ellen Helms, Sarah Ann Farmer and William Farmer her husband, Josephine Hood and Grundy Hood her husband, Mary Jane Fruker and Stephen Fruker her husband, Malanda Willis, and Benj. F. Shoeum. (dower right of Elizabeth Willis) (2-4-75)

Sheriff's sale of land in partition: Joseph Adkins Barber, Martha Ann Cox and George Cox her husband against James Henry Barber, Mary Jane Moore, Joseph Richard Moore, Edward Simion Moore, Sarah Ellen Garner, and Adam Garner her husband. (2-4-75)

Adm'x notice: estate of Franklin A. Colley, dec'd, by Amanda J. Colley. (2-11-75)

Adm. notice: estate of Amos Cooper, dec'd, by William E. Biddlecome and Bergen C. Cooper (2-11-75)

Adm. notice: estate of Josias C. Lambeth, dec'd, by Sarah A. Lambeth. (3-4-75)

Exec. notice: estate of Thos. M. Stotts, dec'd, by Benj. F. Paxton, Joseph W. Young, and John Paxton. (4-8-75)

Adm. notice, estate of Thomas Baldwin, dec'd, by F. M. Davis (4-8-75)

Exec. notice: estate of Samuel S. Williams, dec'd, by John P. Williams and R. D. Blades (5-6-75)

Adm. notice: estate of J. T. Davidson, dec'd, by Charlotte B. Davidson (5-13-75)

Adm. notice: estate of George Thompson, dec'd, by William C. Wilkerson (6-10-75)

Legal notices, continued:

Order of Publication: Hannah Robinson, Harriet S. Conway and ___ Conway her husband against William P. Robinson, Seth C. Robinson, Wesley Robinson, Eliza A. Siverling and ___ Siverling her husband, Polly M. Lewis and ___ Lewis her husband, (in " admeasurement and assignment" of dower of Hannah Robinson and actual partition of land of same.) The last four named are non residents of state. (6-24-75)

Order of Publ.: In matter of setting out the homestead of Manerva Langston, widow and John S., William P., and Charles B. Langston, the minor heirs of William C. Langston, dec'd, Elizabeth A. Abbott, formerly Langston, wife of Wilson Abbott, Sarah E. Messich, daughter of Nancy C. Messich, formerly Langston, dec'd, and William Messich, father of Sarah E., Fanny J. Phillips, formerly Langston, wife of Boone Phillips--these are all non residents of state. (7-29-75)

Adm. notice: estate of William L. Snead, dec'd, by John C. Shaffer (7-29-75)

Adm. notice: estate of Sarah Neil, dec'd, by B. A. Neil (8-26-75)

Adm. notice: estate of Robert Kimmons, dec'd, by Robt.Kimmons Jr. (9-14-75)

Curator's notice: by Daniel Season, estate of minor Jonathan Morgan (9-16-75)

Adm. notice: estate of Daniel Biddlecome, dec'd, by William F. Biddlecome (9-23-75)

Exec. notice: estate of John Nichols, dec'd, by P. E. Estin (10-14-75)

Adm. notice: estate of James Bird, dec'd, by Thomas Gilloch; former administrator had resigned on 19 Oct. 1875. (10-28-75)

Adm. notice: estate of George W. Morris, dec'd, by J. W. Black (10-28-75)

Notice: J. M. Filler replaces predecessor in estate of Levi A. Gibson, dec'd, because of her marriage 2 Sept. 1875. (11-18-75)

Adm'x sale of land. at residence of Henry George, dec'd, near Phelps, by Mary T. George. (11-25-75)

Guardian notice: Bernhard Wild appointed guardianof Carl Emil Wild, of unsound mind. (12-30-75)

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