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**The Sunflower Staff and Contributors**

The Sunflower staff, those who have participated in researching, writing, stapling, and distributing the quarterly, include: Arless (MOSE) EILERTS, Editor; Edith (DUFFIN) JONES, Maxine (PARKER) LINDBURG, Carrolyn (BURDETTE) MILLER, Danny MILLER, Betty MORGAN, Jayne (KOEPE) PURCELL, Lynn STANSEL, Pam STANSEL, Lydia (HEWITT) STREETER, and Arlene VINCENT.

We are a very flexible group and would welcome assistance from other members. Please call the editor if you are interested in helping with the quarterly.

**Reno County Genealogical Society**

The Reno County Genealogical Society of Hutchinson, Kansas, was founded in 1978 for the purpose of fostering genealogical research, promoting the exchange of information and encouraging the deposit of genealogical and historical materials in established libraries and archives.

Membership in the Reno County Genealogical Society is open to anyone interested in genealogy. Dues are \$5.00 per year single membership and \$7.50 per year family membership. All dues are paid at once for the period of 1 April 1986 to 31 March 1987.

Donations and gifts to the society are tax deductible.

Meetings are held on the third Monday of each month (except December) usually in the auditorium of the Hutchinson Public Library, 9th and Main, 7-9 p.m.

The quarterly publication of the Reno County Genealogical Society, The Sunflower, is mailed in February, May, August and November. The staff welcomes the contribution of records and stories pertaining to genealogy and history.

**Address Change?**

If you plan to change your address, please notify the society in advance. Our quarterly is mailed at a special rate of postage and the post office will not forward any with the wrong address. They throw them away.

It is a huge task to keep the mailing list up to date and we need your help. Please tell us when you change your address. Thank you.

**President's Message**

The April meeting of the Reno County Genealogy Society was held in the auditorium of the Hutchinson Public Library. With a spacious, newly remodeled and redecorated meeting place, I would like to see it filled with members at our future meetings. New members are needed. Have people you know expressed an interest in joining the society? Bring them with you to the next meeting. Why not surprise them with gift memberships?

I would like to thank the members who consented to continue as chairmen of committees. Opal Culver volunteered to start a file of "Who's New" columns from the Hutchinson News. Edith Jones would like to be relieved of her duties as membership chairman after this year. She will help anyone interested learn how to do her job.

Would you volunteer for any of the following positions: Historian; Ways and Means and Education (seminars and workshops) chairmen; and Volunteer Librarian chairman? Would you like to be a volunteer librarian in the Kansas Room for a morning, afternoon, or evening during the week? Please call me.

This society, like every other similar organization, has several categories of members. There are those who accept, or even seek, office; those who work hard but keep behind the scenes, not seeking any recognition; and those who pay their membership dues, attend meetings, and work on their own research, but have not responded to calls (or maybe haven't been asked) to help in the Society or to contribute to any of the aids which they use. Many of this last group have skills, knowledge, and, I am sure, a little time to help out. It would make a change to see a few fresh faces at committee meetings. With sufficient members to share the work, no one has to devote too much of his or her time.

So, let's have a few volunteers to fill the vacancies. It's not difficult, and there are plenty of "old hands" to give you advice.

Do you have any suggestions for small or large workshops or seminars? Future programs? New projects? This is your Society; let's make this an interesting and educational year. RHF

## RCGS Calendar

- May 19**      **Erika Johansson**—speaker from Denmark, will present a slide presentation of Denmark and answer some questions about genealogy.
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- June 16**      **Accelerated Index System on Microfiche.**
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- July 21**      **Barbara Murphy—Problem Solving.**  
Research problems will be submitted on paper to Barbara at the June meeting. A panel will meet before the July meeting to discuss solutions to the problems, and there will be open discussion of the problems at the July meeting.

## Those Moving Borders

One of the biggest difficulties researching genealogists run into is trying to keep straight just which township or county or state their ancestors were living in at a particular time—sometimes not because the ancestors moved but because the borders did.

*The Colonial Courier* (Summer 1985, p. 10) says that boundaries of some of the New England states changed so that it is important for a researcher to know, for example, "that Maine, and a part of Rhode Island, were originally claimed by Massachusetts." New Hampshire claimed the area Vermont was in until about 1765. New York and Connecticut had disputed boundaries until around 1825.

The same source suggests that because of disputed boundaries between Pennsylvania and Maryland (until Mason and Dixon did their surveying) people who are certain their ancestors came from Maryland might do well to check the Adams County Courthouse at Gettysburg, Pa.

It's a good idea for any genealogist who is researching in early records to make a catalog of what the area was called at different times. Such a list on a 3 x 5 card can be tucked into the old tote bag and carried into libraries and courthouses.

One family might have lived in the same area of Virginia from its earliest settlement, but they might have lived in both Washington and Scott counties, for example.

North Carolina was Albemarle originally (1663), but Pasquotank, Currituck, Perquimans, and Chowan counties were carved from Albemarle in 1670. Clarendon County existed only from 1664 to 1667. If you were searching the present Ashe County area, you would need to know that it was formed in 1799 from Wilkes (1798), which came from Surry (1771), which had been part of Rowan (1753), which split off from Anson (1750), previously a part of Bladen (1734), which came from New Hanover (1729), which was part of Craven (1712) which was the new name of Archdale (1705-1712), a part of Bath (1696-1705), one of the counties originally formed from Albemarle.

Now, if that doesn't thoroughly confuse you, nothing will. However, it makes the point that the researcher needs to have some idea of the different identifications an area has had, since records for one geographic spot may be housed in several different current-day counties.

It probably makes sense to begin a collection of maps of the areas in which a person is tracing ancestry and to become thoroughly knowledgeable about the history of the area. A little preparation in advance can save much confusion later.

[Maxine (PARKER) LINDBURG contributed *The Colonial Courier*. The North Carolina information is from a chart prepared by Garland P. Stout, Greensboro, N.C. 27408.]

## The Serendipity Genealogist

by Arless Eilerts

Serendipity (happy chance) genealogy works best, I discover, when I have time to get close enough to it for something to happen—whether by happy chance or plain hard work.

Occasionally, I have benefited by taking a deliberate break from genealogy activities just to let my motivation build up again. Usually after one of these short vacations I return to my happy hunting all refreshed and eager to write letters and read microfilm again.

My most recent break has been brought about by an extra assignment at work. This time I find myself extremely frustrated at having genealogy projects which are hanging fire simply because my time is occupied elsewhere.

Frustration is only one side-effect of this genealogy break. The worst part is that I have discovered when I do get a few minutes to work on my ancestor chasing I am no longer on top of my data the way I am when I work on it regularly. Also, forcing myself to work on it when I am fatigued makes it work instead of play and takes all the fun out of it.

This experience has brought to my attention some holes in my system. For example, I will no longer be so cavalier about making notes on my correspondence cards when I receive and answer letters. I actually answered one person twice because of this little oversight—not a satisfying way to spend precious time.

I think I had been counting on my good memory to get me by. When I work on my records daily, my memory still takes care of me, but a little distance from them and I can't find anything. (My clever son keeps telling me it isn't because I am busy that I forget things, but because I'm getting older.)

One more thing I have learned is that I really do need a computer for all the data I have collected. When I am rested and have time to do it, I don't mind retyping family histories when I have new facts to insert. When I'm short of time anyway, I really resent retyping 30 pages when a computer insertion of new great-nephews could be done in a second with a few keyboard strokes and a new history printed in a few minutes.

Serendipity is still at work for me; it is simply taking a new form these days.

## Announcements

**A film series**, sponsored by the Reno County Historical Society, entitled "Plains, Prairie and Pioneers," will end with "Up" and "The Thirty-Fourth Star" (Kansas History) on May 18.

The series, in celebration of the 125th anniversary of Kansas's statehood, has offered short subjects and films which are shown twice, at 2 p.m. and again at 3:30 p.m.

The films are shown in the auditorium of the Hutchinson Public Library and are free.

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**The annual workshop** of the Kansas Council of Genealogical Societies is being hosted June 13 and 14 by Stafford County Historical and Genealogical Society. (See program details elsewhere in the quarterly.)

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**Anyone who has material to share** may contact the editor or one of the members of *The Sunflower* staff to get a notice in the next quarterly.

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**Deadline for the August issue** of *The Sunflower* will be July 10. Please keep an eye out for items that would be valuable to other members.

# The Amish Settlement in Yoder Township Reno County, Kansas

by Jayne (Koepke) Purcell

The very last township to be organized in Reno County, Kansas, was Yoder Township. There was much controversy as to whether or not this township should be organized, but A.M. Switzer and others kept it before the board of county commissioners until it became a reality on 4 March 1915.

The new township was formed from parts of Lincoln, Clay and Haven townships; therefore, when searching for one's ancestors in the Yoder area prior to 1916, it is necessary to consider all three of these townships.

Amish families of the "Old Order" make up a substantial portion of Yoder Township. (There are other Amish in Reno County settled southwest of Hutchinson, but they are considered "new order," in that they drive cars and use electricity. A small group near Pleasantview still meets in homes for Sunday church. They use the horse and buggy only on Sunday.) Old Order Amish do not use electricity, and the horse and buggy are used extensively. They hold church in their homes.

The town of Yoder was named after Eli M. Yoder, an Amish man who came from Pennsylvania in 1874. He met and married Mary Young. She was not Amish, so he left the church. He bought a half section of land in the part of Lincoln Township that later became Yoder Township.

When the Missouri Pacific railroad came through his land, Eli M. Yoder donated a plot of land for a train station, with the understanding that the town would bear his name. There was a post office two miles east of Yoder at Mt. Liberty (3 February 1873 to 31 July 1886) which was later moved into the Yoder home.

Two other Amish men came to the Yoder area in 1874. Ezra T. Peachey, from Pennsylvania, moved on to a homestead claim one mile south of Yoder. After a few years, he gave up and moved to Colorado. John Nafziger, a nephew of Eli M. Yoder, came that year and worked for his uncle. He married Mrs. Yoder's sister, Emma Young, and they bought a farm one-half mile south of Yoder. He also left the Amish faith.

The Amish settlement near Yoder finally got its start in September of 1883 when the Christian Millers and the Henry Millers came to the Partridge area from Shelbyville, Ill. They didn't like the land near Partridge, so the land agent took them to Yoder where they found land more to their liking.

In 1884, eight Amish families arrived in Yoder from LaGrange County, Indiana. By 1899, there were so many Amish families in the Yoder area that they could not meet in a single home for their church services. A new church district was formed. By 1918, there were four Old Order Amish church districts.

In 1919, there was a branching off to form the Yoder Mennonite Church, an Old Mennonite branch. Those who formed the new branch wanted to use the automobile and other modern conveniences as they became available.

There are now two other Old Mennonite branches in Reno County—South Hutchinson Mennonite and Faith Mennonite, also of South Hutchinson.

The 1919 split was the only branching off from the Old Order for religious differences; however, in 1943, when the Navy Air Base was installed, many Amish families were displaced and most went back to Illinois and Indiana.

Today there are about 65 Old Order Amish families in the Yoder area divided into two church groups. The blacktop road running east and west through the town of Yoder is the dividing line. Each district has its own bishop.

The horse and buggy are still very much in evidence near Yoder, and the homes continue to be illuminated by kerosene lamps and gas lanterns. Life goes on in the Old Order settlement near Yoder at a leisurely pace.



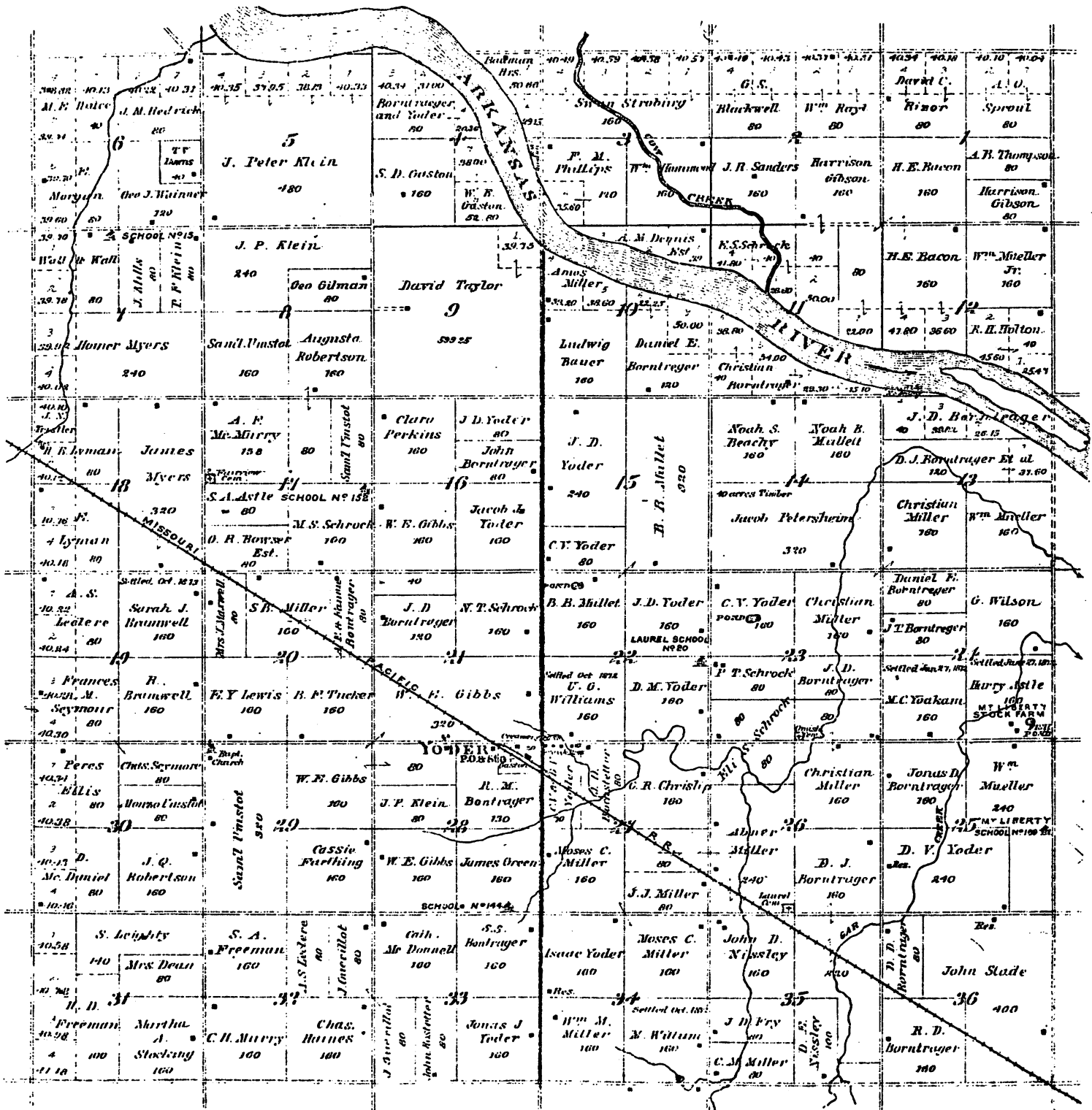
1902

PLAT OF  
**LINCOLN, HAVEN  
 AND CLAY**

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

Township 24 South, Range 5 West,

of the 6<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.



## Mormon Church seminar held in April

A seminar held by the Hutchinson Mormon Church on April 12 was designed to help genealogical researchers use the resources available from the Genealogical Library in Salt Lake City.

The first of four sessions dealt with the International Genealogical Index (IGI) microfiche, listing the names of more than 82 million deceased persons from many countries and time periods. The IGI lists names of parents or spouse and dates and locations of births, christenings and marriages.

The second workshop featured the Genealogical Library Catalog (GLC), which is produced by computer and printed on microfiche. It is divided into four sections: author-title, locality, surname and subject.

The third session was on the Family Registry, a service offered by the main library to help researchers locate others who may be doing research on the same ancestor. In February 1985 the registry contained more than 85,000 names; of those, more than 65,000 were not members of the Mormon Church. The index increases by at least 1,000 names per week and is updated quarterly.

The fourth workshop acquainted participants with the Soundex and Accelerated Indexing Systems (AIS) which aid in finding the locality in which an ancestor lived and simply census searches.

In the two years since the local church started ordering microfilms from the Genealogical Library in Salt Lake City for individual researchers, more than 500 films have been ordered for three-week or six-month periods, covering federal and state census; English, Norwegian and Irish census; parish and vital records from Ireland, France, Canada, England, and Norway; and church, probate, naturalization, and military records from many states.

The Mormon Church is located at 18 17th Crestview (one block east, one block north, and 1/2 block east of the 17th and Severance intersection.

## Annual workshop in Stafford

The Stafford County Historical and Genealogical Society is hosting the annual workshop of the Kansas Council of Genealogical Societies on June 13 and 14.

The workshop will feature Arlene H. EAKLE, general editor of *The Source: A Guidebook for American Genealogy*.

Registration will be from 1-7 p.m. Friday (the 13th) at the Stafford County Museum (corner of Main and Broadway in the center of downtown Stafford). The evening meal will be a 6 p.m. at Newell Housing, 615 E. Broadway.

At 7:15 p.m. Eakle will speak on "Tracing Revolutionary War Ancestors."

The board of KCGS will meet at 9 p.m. at Newell Housing.

The Saturday program will begin with registration and browsing (coffee and rolls) from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m.

At 9:15 a.m. Eakle will speak on "New Immigration Sources." At 10:45 a.m. she will discuss "How to Find 'Lost' Genealogical Records."

The noon meal will be at the V.F.W. Hall, 305 S. Main. Following the meal, from 12:45-1:30 p.m., the KCGS annual business meeting will be held.

At 1:40 p.m. Eakle will discuss "Land and Tax Records."

The registration fee includes meal(s). Three types of registration are offered: (1) Friday, only, \$4; (2) Saturday, only, \$15; (3) Friday and Saturday, \$19. Each late registration (after June 1) will cost an additional \$1.

If you cannot locate a registration blank send name, address, city, state, zip, type of registration, and check for the appropriate amount (made payable to Stafford County Historical Society) to Emma Lou McDaniel, P.O. Box 249, Stafford County Historical Society, STafford, KS 67578.

The meetings will be held in the Amos C. Sherrill V.F.W. Building, 305 S. Main Street (on the west side of the street and about two blocks south of the Museum.

Inexpensive lodging has been arranged in private homes in Stafford.

## Queries. . .

**Barbara MURPHY** would like to hear from anyone who has done (or who knows of people who have done) extensive research in foreign countries or Mennonite, Amish, or Quaker research. Phone 662-8549.

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Seeking information on **Dewitt Clinton PRENTICE** who m./1st **Lovinea Wills CATHCART**, m./2nd **Sarah H. HUMPHREY** 30 Nov 1904, m./3rd **Henrietta Georgianna HUTCHINSON** 4 May 1907. Also **George Evanston PRENTICE** who m. **Lydia Matilda NIBLICK** in the 1870s. **Joe Dewald**, 9190 Oak Leaf Way, Roseville, CA 95678, (916) 791-0405.

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**Joanne STOLPE**, 905 N. Lamer, Burbank, CA 91506, is researching the **MC OSKER**, **SIZELOVE**, and **Clinton BLACK** families of Reno County, Kansas. Would appreciate any help.

## In Future Newsletters

The staff of the "Sunflower" welcomes contributions: stories written by members, materials from which stories could be written, or just suggestions for articles or features.

When you are doing your own research, think about the "Sunflower," and do a little bit extra for us.

Anyone with something to share is urged to contact the editor. If you don't want to write an article, but have historical data to provide on anything about Reno County or about genealogy methods and techniques, we would appreciate hearing from you.

**Ancestor Chart of Junietta Isabel (PIERSON) FIREBAUGH**

No.		Birth	Marriage	Death
I.	1. Vera Junietta Isabel PIERSON.....	1913, Colo.....	1933, Kan.	
II.	2. Charlie Con PIERSON.....	1890, Kan.....	1910, Kan.....	1981, Kan.
	3. Isabel COLE.....	1890, Kan.....		1973, Kan.
III.	4. William Gilbert PIERSON.....	1859, Ind.....	1878, Ohio.....	1937, Kan.
	5. Junietta THOMAS.....	1860, Ohio.....		1905, Kan.
	6. Thomas COLE.....	1839, Eng.....	1886, Kan.....	1928, Kan.
	7. Sadie FOSTER.....	1854, N.Y.....		1931, Kan.
IV.	8. Jesse P. PIERSON.....	1836, Ind.....	1857, Ind.....	1861, Ind.
	9. Martha Ann BROWN.....	1835, Ky.....		1914, Ind.
	10. Martin THOMAS.....	1836, Ohio.....	1859, Ohio.....	1893, Kan.
	11. Martha Ann WAITMAN.....	ca 1841, Ohio (or Iowa).....		1890, Kan.
	12. William COLES.....	1795, Eng.....		1879, Eng.
	13. Catharine HINTON.....	1799, Eng.....		1884, Eng.
	14. George FOSTER.....	1816, Mass.....	1844, Mass.....	1875
	15. Sarah Ann SHATTUCK.....	1826, N.H.....		1901, Ill.
V.	16. Thomas PIERSON.....	1799.....	1827	
	17. Elizabeth BLIZZARD.....	1800.....		1867, Ind.
	18. William Saxton BROWN.....	1800.....	1827.....	1867, Ind.
	19. Harriet OGDEN.....	1812.....		1851, Ind.
	20. William THOMAS.....	1795, S.C.....	1823.....	1856, Ohio
	21. Mary FARMER.....	1793.....		
	22. William G. WAITMAN.....	1801, Pa.....	1828, Ohio.....	1876, Ohio
	23. Nancy SMITH.....	1809, Ohio.....		
	24. William COLES.....	1758.....		1820, Eng.
	25. Mary.....	1760.....		1836, Eng.
	26. Samuel HINTON.....			
	27. Mary.....			
	28. Benjamin FOSTER.....	1789.....	1810, Mass.....	1819, Mass.
	29. Martha ROBBINS.....	1789.....		1832, Mass.
	30. Andrew SHATTUCK.....	1798.....	1817, N.H.....	ca 1855
	31. Phebe JEWETT.....	ca 1798.....		

For further information about any of the above, contact: Mrs. Vera Firebaugh, 1306 Doran Drive, Odessa, Texas 79761.

**Ancestor Chart of Judith Ann (DOANE) GHERE**

No.		Birth	Marriage	Death
I.	1. Judith Ann DOANE.....	1943, Kan.....	1972	
II.	2. Joseph Raymond DOANE.....	1907, Neb.....	1936	
	3. Edna Arlene LEFFLER.....	1916, Kan.....		1950, Kan.
III.	4. Louis St. John DOANE.....	1872, Neb.....	1896.....	1949
	5. Annie Jewel SCOTT.....	1877, Conn.....		1954, Calif.
	6. William Arthur LEFFLER.....	18 <sup>99</sup> , Kan.....	1912.....	1962, Kan.
	7. Carrol MIDDLESWART.....	1895, Okla.....		1918, Kan.
IV.	8. James Cogswell DOANE.....	1848, Conn.....	1870.....	1911, Neb.
	9. Marilla Ezrina JOHNSON.....	1849, Conn.....		1943, Neb.
	10. Charles L. SCOTT.....	1837, Conn.....	1875.....	1895, Neb.
	11. Josephine RAYMOND.....	1846, Conn.....		1938, Neb.
	12. Jeremiah LEFFLER.....	1856, Ohio.....	1885, Mo.....	1945, Kan.
	13. Malinda LEFFLER.....	1862, Ohio.....		1933, Kan.
	14. James Daniel Sherman MIDDLESWART.....	1865.....	1885.....	1955, Kan.
	15. Wilma WHITE.....	1866, N.Y.....		1928, Kan.
V.	16. George Edward DOANE.....	1807.....		1895
	17. Abbie PARDEE.....			
	18. Isaac T. JOHNSON.....			
	19. Marilla ST. JOHN.....			
	24. Sam LEFFLER.....			
	25. Leah BERRY.....			
	26. David LEFFLER.....			
	27. Mary.....			
	28. Thomas M. MIDDLESWART.....	1828.....	1853.....	1912
	29. Rebecca Jane GILLESPIE.....	1831.....		1906
	30. Leander Crawford WHITE.....	1838.....		1920
	31. Antoinette WHITON.....	1846.....		1908

For further information about any of the above, contact: Mrs. Judith Ann Ghere, R.R. 5, Box 277-A, Hutchinson, KS 67502.

## Vital Records of Reno County, Kansas—Book I, Deaths 1892 (continued)

Name	Age	Date	Place
MOWBROY, E.T.	79yr	25 Jan	Hutchinson
MUNGER, Frank F.	34yr 1mo 3da	14 Mar	Arlington
MUNGER, J.H.	60yr	29 Oct	Arlington
MYERS, Thelma	7yr 2mo 3da	13 Aug	Hutchinson
NASH, Harry	3yr	19 Dec	Salt Creek Twp.
NASH, Lee	1yr 5mo	13 Dec	Salt Creek Twp.
NELSON, Mary	42yr	18 Feb	Sylvia
NICHOLS, Anna Bell	17yr	17 Apr	Hutchinson
NORRIS, Infant	2½mo	3 May	Arlington
NUSSER, Rica [female]	31yr	4 Aug	Huntsville Twp.
O'TOOLE, Frank	[no age]	10 Nov	Hutchinson
PAUL, L.C.	25yr	18 Sep	North Reno Twp.
PLANK, _____ [female]	3yr	15 Aug	Salt Creek Twp
POE, Elizabeth	63yr	28 Sep	Hutchinson
POPE, Munroe	65yr	8 May	Hutchinson
POWELL, Mr. _____	72yr	8 Aug	Arlington
RADKE, Carl	76yr	17 Sep	Haven Twp.
RANDALL, J.W.	51yr	26 Jul	Langdon
REPETO, Mrs. _____	59yr	17 Mar	Nickerson
RHODES, Lizzie	40yr 1mo	10 Jun	Hutchinson, bur. Haven
RICHARDS, David	68yr	17 Jul	Hutchinson
RICHARDSON, Mark	35yr	26 Jan	Nickerson
RILEY, Z.T.	21yr	24 Nov	Nickerson
RODES, Mrs. _____	48yr	10 Jun	Hutchinson
SEVERENS, O.M.	43yr	23 Nov	Hutchinson
SHEHEN, Julia	72yr	28 Oct	Hutchinson
SHIMMEL, Grace	21da	19 Feb	Hutchinson
SIMS, _____ [male]	84yr	23 Aug	Salt Creek Twp.
SLEEPER, Mary E.	34yr	10 Dec	Nickerson
SLOUGH, Ed	58yr	11 Mar	Nickerson
SMITH, Stephen	3yr	9 Nov	Casleton [Castleton]
SPARKS, Saddle	3mo 15da	25 Jul	Haven
SPENCE, Sherman	25yr	1 May	Hays Twp.
ST____LIN, Oscar F.	30yr	12 Sep	Hutchinson
STEVENS, John D.	74yr	10 Nov	Loda Twp.
STEVENS, Marllie E.	43yr	28 Nov	Loda Twp.
STHOLE, C.A.	3yr	14 Dec	Hutchinson
SWANSON, Anna	45yr	20 Aug	Hutchinson
SWANSON, Infant	1mo	26 Aug	Hutchinson
SWIGART, J.R.	52yr 5mo 7da	3 Mar	Hutchinson
SYLER, Mrs. _____	44yr	16 Dec	Reno County
TOREY or FORNY, H.R.	28yr	26 Nov	Nickerson
VANNATAN, Lafett	23yr	20 Mar	3 mi N.E. of Nickerson
VICTOR, Louisa Ann	74yr 7mo 23da	8 Jan	Hutchinson
WELLS, Ernest	20yr	20 Feb	Hutchinson
WERTZ, Netty	76yr	18 Feb	Nickerson
WHITE, John E.	57yr	2 Mar	near Kent
WHITE, Mrs. L.	45yr	[no date, filed with July deaths]	Sego
WHITEMAN, Chas. Gilbert	44yr	25 Oct	Hutchinson
WHITTENGALL, Chas. Masterson	27yr 3mo 21da	7Jun	Sylvia
WHITTLESEY, Leo	1yr 5mo	17 Aug	Hutchinson
WILLETT, Mary	27yr	30 Jun	Haven Twp.
WILLIAMS, Geo. H.	73yr 11mo 25da	31 Jul	_____ [dec'd lived Kingman Co.]
WILLIAMS, Katherine	54yr	22 Nov	Little River Twp.
WILLSON, Ada or Ida	24yr 5mo 13da	10 Apr	Hutchinson
WILLSON, J. Robert	29yr	27 Feb	Hutchinson
WILLSON, M.J. [female]	30yr	10 Sep	Hutchinson
WISEMAN, Ruth W.	2yr 2mo 15da	11 Dec	Valley Twp.
WOLF, Mrs. Romon	49yr	14 Feb	Lincoln Twp.
WOOD, Mary	56yr	11 Mar	Westminister Twp.
WOODWARD, Sarah R.	33yr	17 Dec	Hutchinson
WRIGHT, Claudia [male]	14yr	27 Dec	Sylvia Twp.
YEAGER, Marlon	49yr	2 Apr	Sylvia
YERKS, Infant	9mo	29Nov	Hutchinson
YODER, Moses	85yr	25 Dec	Partridge
YOUNG, _____ [female]	49yr	[no date, filed bet. Nov., Dec. deaths]	Medora Twp.



# Roster of the GAR, Reno County, 1894

[Editor's note: The following information came from a book entitled *1894 Roster of the Members and Posts: Grand Army of the Republic*, published by the Department of Kansas, giving the names of all members in good standing Aug. 4, 1894.

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| Arthurs, J.M. .... Ill. infn, lt. H, 9          | Coleman, Geo. A. .... Ind. infn, pri. I, 70   | Hill, Thomas. .... O. infn, pri. H, 153       |
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| Atwood, M.V.B. .... Ill. infn, pri. D, 108      | Decker, T.A. .... O. infn, pri. C, 97         | Hendricks, Sherman. .... O. art, corp. C, 1   |
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| Brainard, Jesse. .... U.S. col. cav, cap. I, 3  | Draper, George. .... Ky. infn, pri. E, 28     | Hartford, Wm. .... N.J. infn, 1st lt. A, 8    |
| Baker, W.H. .... Ind. cav, pri. E, 7            | Dull, S.H. .... O. infn, pri. G, 51           | Handy, E.S. .... Ill. infn, pri. F, 79        |
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| Bicknell, W.H. .... N.Y. infn, pri. K, 12       | Doak, Robert. .... O. infn, corp. I, 66       | Hedden, E. .... Ky. infn, capt. D, 6          |
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| Bigger, L.A. .... N.C. vol, 1st lt. B, 1        | Dean, M.G. .... N.Y. infn, chap. 145          | Hughes, W.F. .... Ind. infn, pri. A, 31       |
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| Carpenter, O.S. .... N.Y. infn, corp. D, 142    | Gallup, H.C. .... Ill. infn, corp. A, 88      | Lindsey, J.C. .... Ind. infn, pri. D, 39      |
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| Chaffin, G.B. .... O. infn, 2d lt. H, 15        | Gleason, H.W. .... N.H. infn, 1st. lt. G, 12  | Lacy, Robt. .... Ill. infn, maj. I, 79        |
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| Chapin, C.O. .... Ill. infn, pri. K, 10         | Gallup, D.C. .... Mo. infn, pri. H, 21        | Long, Samuel. .... O. infn, pri. C, 121       |
| Crow, Martin. .... O. infn, pri. K, 92          | Huston, Jeff. .... Ill. art, pri. B, 2        | Mason, James. .... Ind. infn, pri. A, 30      |
| Conkling, Dan. .... N.Y. infn, pri. D, 110      | Holiday, Dave. .... O. infn, pri. F, 88       | Miller, Alex. .... Ill. infn, pri. A, 28      |
| Cooter, G.W. .... N.Y. eng, artf. C, 1          | Hern, H.G. .... Ill. infn, pri. A, 12         | McFarland, Samuel. .... Ia. infn, pri. D, 39  |
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 Magwire, Frank. . . . . Mich. inf't, sg't. G, 3  
 Merritt, J.E. . . . . Ill. inf't, corp. H, 104
- Monroe, W.V. . . . . Tenn. cav. pri. H, 8  
 Mallick, S.L. . . . . N.Y. cav. sg't. I, 9  
 McMurry, T.J. . . . . Tenn. cav. pri. E, 13  
 Metz, Ed. . . . . O. inf't, pri. D, 14  
 Milam, J.S. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. A, 59
- Marshall, W.R. . . . . O. inf't, pri. H, 15  
 McCole, A. . . . . O. inf't, pri. K, 36  
 Myers, A.A. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. B, 51  
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- Morris, S.J. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. C, 9  
 Meredith, F. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. C, 7  
 McFarland, L.S. . . . . Ia. cav. corp. D, 5  
 Mauh, E.K. . . . . Ind. in. com. sgt. G, 112  
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- Overstreet, J.G. . . . . Ky. cav. pri. G, 6  
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- Parr, G.W. . . . . O. inf't, pri. E, 64  
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 Quarterman, W.H. . . . . Ia. inf't, pri. D, 7  
 Rhodes, J.M. . . . . Ill. inf't, pri. K, 8  
 Robinson, A.H. . . . . Vt. inf't, pri. C, 3  
 Rawlings, J.A. . . . . Mo. cav. corp. K, 2
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- Reid, Dan E. . . . . O. cav. pri. E, 5  
 Rea, J.A. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. C, 156  
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 Snyder, C.W. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. A, 13  
 Stallman, F.H. . . . . Pa. inf't, pri. C, 77  
 Shippy, A.P. . . . . N.Y. h.art, pri. G, 13
- Snow, Zalman. . . . . V. r.corps, pri. F, 7  
 Stone, G.W. . . . . N.Y. cav. pri. F, 1  
 Sankey, J.A. . . . . O. inf't, pri. E, 60  
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 Stratton, J.C. . . . . Mo. cav. pri. D, 15
- Stevenson, J.A. . . . . Ind. cav. corp. K, 11  
 Sanders, George. . . . . N.Y. art, pri. A, 1  
 Swift, J.W. . . . . O. inf't, sg't. H, 25  
 Strohmeier, H. . . . . W.Va. cav. pri. M, 13  
 Stewart, J.M. . . . . Pa. cav. q.m. D, 13
- Shepherd, W.T. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. C, 40  
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- Shaddock, R.B. . . . . N.Y. cav. pri. I, 9  
 Switzer, A.M. . . . . O. inf't, pri. A, 185  
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- Triscott, James. . . . . Ill. inf't, pri. G, 18  
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- Thompson, E.A. . . . . Ky. inf't, pri. E, 10  
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- Vaughn, C.L. . . . . N.Y. h.art, corp. F, 14  
 Vance, A.S. . . . . O. inf't, pri. C, 25  
 Vincent, J.B. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. H, 51  
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 Van Zandt. . . . . Kan. cav. pri. D, 6
- Underwood, W.R. . . . . Ind. inf't, F, 75  
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- Weaver, W.H. . . . . Ia. inf't, pri. I, 47  
 Wolfersberger, J. . . . . Pa. inf't, pri. A, 10  
 Wooddell, J.N. . . . . O. cav. corp. E, 12
- Welliver, Saml. . . . . O. inf't, pri. G-K, 21-118  
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 Walker, A.C. . . . . Ia. batallion pri. B, 1
- Willett, H.W. . . . . Kan. cav. pri. A, 9  
 Wherfel, J.B. . . . . O. inf't, pri. G, 6  
 Warnock, S. . . . . Ia. inf't, pri. A, 48  
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 Weigle, Lewis. . . . . Pa. inf't, pri. M, 15
- Witherow, J.Q. . . . . Ill. inf't, corp. I, 94  
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- Wright, Jonathan. . . . . O. inf't, pri. G, 183  
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- D. Ashton, Comd'r. W.F. Hendry, Adj't. Meets 2d and 4th Fridays
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 Benjiman, G.W. . . . .
- Barrett, H.C. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. C, 60  
 Claypool, J.W. . . . . Ind. inf't, corp. K, 70  
 Clark, W.H. . . . . vet. res. corps.  
 Green, B.D. . . . . Ill. inf't, pri. H, 94  
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 Kennedy, D.W. . . . . Mich. cav. pri. L, 3
- Love, I.A. . . . . Ia. cav. pri. A, 3  
 Moorman, W.H. . . . . Ia. inf't, pri. B, 34  
 Meyers, A.F. . . . .  
 Mahuran, J.W. . . . . Ind. inf't, pri. G, 59  
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 Weigle, Wm. . . . .

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- C.W. Dickhut, Csm'd'r M.Karns, Adj't. Meets 2d and 4th Saturday
- Black, John. . . . . Ind. pri. F, 12  
 Devoe, Richard. . . . . Ill. inf't, pri. H, 113  
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 Karns, M. . . . . Ia. pri-v.r.c. I, 4-228  
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 Sampson, J.O. . . . . Ind. pri. C-I, 6  
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D. Taylor, Comd'r. J.U. Schoonover, Adj't, Meets Alternate Saturdays

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 Cole, Harvey ..... Ind. inf't  
 Cittle, Wm. .... Ill. inf't, pri. I, 97  
 Connet, Wm. .... Ind. bat, pri. 16  
 Cox, James L. .... Mo. cav, pri. F, 1  
 Doles, James A. .... Mo. inf't, pri. G, 13  
 Delay, Euye ..... Ia. inf't, pri. I, 36  
 Foulks, Watson ..... Ill. cav, pri. A, 10  
 Gray, I.M. .... O. inf't, pri. E, 52  
 Ichabad, Smith ..... Ind. inf't, sg't. I, 89

Johhnson, Geo. A. .... Ill. inf't, corp. C, 138  
 Kennedy, W.D. .... Mo. inf, sg't, G, 23  
 Laughlin, Robt. .... Ind. inf't, pri. D, 120  
 Marshall, J.H. .... Neb. cav, batln. sg't. 1  
 McEvwan, A. .... Ill. inf't, mus. 50  
 Ost, Wm. .... Ill. It. art, pri. E, 1  
 Race, Eli D. .... Ky. inf't, pri. D, 18  
 Rowe, Joseph. .... Ill. inf't. sg't. G, 58  
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Schoonover, John U. .... Ia. inf't, pri. E, 3  
 Skaffer, J.O. .... Ind. inf't, pri. E, 99  
 Smith, J.T. .... Ind. inf't, pri. E, 67  
 Slayton, R.O. .... Mich. inf't, pri. K, 13  
 Taylor, Daniel. .... U.S. reg. art, pri. G, 8  
 Tyler, Milton. .... Ill. cav, pri. A, 7

Wilson, Garrison. .... Ia. pri. 2  
 Williams, U.G. .... Ill. inf't, pri. H, 28  
 Yoakum, M.C. .... O. inf't, pri. H, 45

### PERRYVILLE POST NO. 242, ARLINGTON

E.D. Baird, Comd'r. Charles Reynolds, Adj't, Meets 1st and 3rd Saturdays

Atherton, J.R. .... Ill. inf't, pri. H, 79  
 Applegate, J.A. .... Ind. cav, sgt. H, 3  
 Battis, W.H. .... Ill. inf't, pri. C, 19  
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 Baker, F.W. .... Tenn. cav, It. A, 10  
 Bennette, J.S. .... O. inf't, pri. A, 152  
 Cecil, Thomas. .... Ill. inf't, pri. D, 78  
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### Class of 1921

NEMA (HINDSLEY) LINDAHL—Arlington, Kan.—married and has one child. They farm and raise chickens.

LENA (NUSSER) MILLER—Sylvia, Kan.

GEORGE SCOTT—Post Educational advisor with the Stuttgart Military Post in Germany.

BERTHA (SCHUYLER) [sic] FELL—Fellsburg, Kan.—married and has two children. They farm and teach school.

ROYCE WELLS—Syracuse, Kan.—married and has three children. He is a telephone plant superintendent.

### Class of 1922

HAZEL (COCHREN) O'BLENESS—Kingston, Idaho.

HELEN (HARTMAN) DAVIDSON—Plevna, Kan.—married to Ralph Davidson, class of '24, and has one child. They operate a filling station.

FAYE (HAVERCROFT) LEATHERMAN—Route 1, Wichita, 15, Kan.

ROSA (NUSSER) ANDSAGER—Plevna, Kan.—married and has four children. They farm.

### Class of 1923

FRIEDA (DEMUTH) FALLON—426 Surf St. Apt. 410, Chicago, 14, Ill.

DEAN DAVIS

OPAL (SHUYLER) HOFFMAN—351 S. Erie, Wichita, 8, Kan.—married to Rolla Hoffman, class of '17.

CHARLES FINK—Weston, Colo.—married to Leona Schoor, class of '24.

THELMA (SAXTON) MYERS—Sylvia, Kan.

RAYMOND SINGLETON—Cunningham, Kan.—married and has three children. He is farming.

HAZEL (HARTMAN) BLASDEL—Sylvia, Kan.—married and has one child. They farm.

FLOYD WRIGHT—Sylvia, Kan.—married to Otilia Nusser, class of '24, and has five children. He farms.

IOLET (WRIGHT) APPLIGATE—312 East 14th, Hutchinson, Kan.—married to Walter Applegate, class of '19, and has one child. Walter is vice-president of the Central State Bank.

OTTO D. POSTIER—Central Point, Ore.—single and does custom tractor work.

MADGE (HOLCOMB) HALL—Elkhart, Kan.

MAY (POSTIER) NUSSER—Box 843, Hermiston, Ore.—married to Casper Nusser, class of '20, and has four children. Casper runs a Phillips 66 Service Station.

### Class of 1924

ALTA BAKER—Plevna, Kan.

ALMA (BROWN) LAMB—2617 W. Glass, Spokane, 12, Wash.—married and no children. Mr. Lamb is credit manager for Westinghouse Electric Co.

DOW COOPER—Sylvia, Kan.

RALPH DAVIDSON—Plevna, Kan.—married to Helen Hartman, class of '22, and has one child. He operates a filling station.

MELVILLE DAVIDSON—Plevna, Kan.—single and farms.

MABEL (HAYES) McATEE—Route 1, Martinez, Calif.

ADA (HINSHAW) BAUM—Plevna, Kan.—married and has three children. They farm.

GAYLE HAVERCROFT—Route 6, Spokane, Wash.—married and has five children. He is a master mechanic.

DELMAR HORTON—254 South Vassar, Wichita, Kan.—married and has three children. He is a teacher in Wichita North High.

IDA MAE (LINDAHL) DAVIDSON—Route 3, Hutchinson, Kan.—married and has two children. They farm.

FRANK NUSSER—Plevna, Kan.

OTILLA (NUSSER) WRIGHT—Sylvia, Kan.—married to Floyd Wright, class of '23, and has five children. They farm.

LEONA (SCHOOR) FINK—Weston, Colo.—married to Charles Fink, class of '23.

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