

## Obituaries

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LEEK, Amos

March 8, 1922; Oregonian, p 8

Oregon City, Or., March 7

Amos Leek, prominent early pioneer of Clackamas county, a civil war veteran, who has been at the Soldiers' Home in Roseburg for about a year, died of pneumonia at the institution on Sunday night at the age of 85 years. Mr. Leek was born in Catlin county, New York, and later made his home in Michigan cavalry. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Olive Leek, who resides near Oregon City, and five children, Mrs. C. S. Cole of Bonners Ferry, Idaho; Mrs. Frank Bury of Hooper, Wash.; Mrs. J. W. Poter, Mrs. A. B. Linn and Edwin R. Leek of Oregon City, route No. 2; 16 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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LATOURETTE, E. M. (Booth)

Nov. 27, 1908; Oregonian, p 11

Oregon City, Or., Nov. 26

Mrs. E. M. Latourette died last night at the home of her son, Charles D. Latourette, after an illness of two years. She was born in Perth Amboy, N. J., November 24, 1824, being the daughter of Rev. John booth, who was a Michigan clergyman, where she married David Latourette. She is survived by four children, Mrs. M. L. Driggs, of Portland; Mrs. Lizzie Warden, of San Luis Obispo, Cal.; Mrs. Ida Donaldson, of Boston, Mass., and C. D. Latourette, a well-known banker and attorney of this city. Her husband died 24 years ago in Arkansas. In 1886 Mrs. Latourette came to the Pacific Coast and made her home with her daughter at Portland, coming to Oregon City eight months ago.

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LATOURETTE, Charles David

Jan. 15, 1930; Oregonian, p 13

"C. D. Latourette Dead"

Charles David Latourette, 75, pioneer resident and ex-mayor of Oregon City, and for 50 years a leading figure in legal, political and financial circles of the state, died suddenly yesterday at a downtown hotel. Death occurred during the night, according to medical authorities, and was due to a sudden attack of apoplexy. He was found in his bed shortly after 1 p.m. yesterday. Some 45 years ago he organized the First National Bank of Oregon City, and retained an interest in it until his death. A son, Mortimer D. Latourette, is now president of the bank. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Sedonia Latourette, and four sons. Mortimer and Earl C., a lawyer, reside in Oregon City. Two other sons, J. R. and Howard F. Latourette, maintain a law firm in Portland. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

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LANDECK, John L.

Sept. 22, 1910; Oregonian, p 6

"John L. Landeck, Pioneer, Dies" Oregon City, Or., Sept. 21

John L. Landeck, for many years a resident of Clackamas County, died yesterday at his home in Beaver Creek. Death was due to cancer. The funeral will be held at Beaver Creek at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Landeck was born in Wenkheim, Germany, May 4, 1846. In 1875 he

married Christina Seubert. Eight years later he crossed the Atlantic, coming direct to Oregon. Mr. Landeck is survived by his widow, one child, Mrs. Louise Kamrath and three grand children.

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LEEK, Morris Edwin

March 27, 1923; Oregonian, p 6

Oregon City, Or., March 26

Morris Edwin Leek, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leek, residing about two and one-half miles from this city on the Abernethy road, died at the family home today after a three weeks' illness from scarlet fever. The child was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Buel of Oregon City, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Leek, who reside close by the Edwin Leek home. Funeral services will be held at the Clackamas cemetery Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

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LAWSON, Alkenvane

May 24, 1921; Oregonian, p 5

Oregon City, Or., May 23

Mrs. Alkenvane Lawson died at the family home on Second and Center streets Sunday after a brief illness. Mrs. Lawson was born in Washington, D. C., January 15, 1841, and came to Oregon by ox team more than 50 years ago, and had made her home continuously in this state. She is survived by her widower, a daughter, Mrs. John Githens of Eagle Creek, and a son in Montana. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Holman & Pace tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in Mountain View cemetery.

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LEE, Edith E. (Tice)

June 11, 1911; Oregonian, p 6 (photo)

"Canby Pioneer Woman Dies Monday at St. Vincent's Hospital" Canby, Or., June 10

Edith E. Lee, of this city, died at St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland last Monday. Mrs. Lee was one of the early residents of Canby. She was born in Clarinda, Page County, Iowa, July 10, 1851. In the early 60's, in company with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Tice, she crossed the plains to Oregon, the family settling near Portland. In 1867 she was married to Heman A. Lee, and came to Canby, where she had since resided. A few weeks ago she went to the hospital and submitted to an operation. Her mother, Mrs. Tice, is still living here. Her husband, aged 80, six daughters and two sons also survive. The children are: Mrs. Clara Hutchinson, Mrs. Harry Gilman, Mrs. William Ryder, Mrs. Edward Schull, and Miss Ora May Lee, all of Canby, and Mrs. Danile Weing, of Lytle, Wash., Warren Lee, of Canby, and Mile Lee, of Lebanon, Or. Burial was in this city.

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LEHMAN, Henry

Feb. 2, 1913; Oregonian, p 4

"Henry Lehman is Dead" Oregon City, Or., Feb. 1

Henry Lehman, 74 years old, fireman at the Crown-Columbia Pulp & paper Company mills for several years, was found dead in bed at his home on Molalla avenue Saturday at 4 o'clock by his widow. Mrs. Lehman, who has been an invalid for many years, tried to call her husband, who sleeps during the day. When he failed to respond, she went to the home of Frank Beard, a neighbor, and informed him that she could not awaken her husband. Mr. Beard at once discovered that Mr. Lehman was dead. Coroner Wilson was notified and it was found that death was due to heart trouble. "There never was a finer case of devotion than that shown by Mr. Lehman to his invalid

wife," said William Beard, who has been a neighbor of the Lehmans for years. "They were always together when he was not at work."

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LEE, Herman A.

Jan. 7, 1914; Oregonian, p 6

"Herman A. Lee is Dead" Canby, Or., Jan. 6

Herman A. Lee, who crossed the plains in an ox cart in 1853 and who has lived in this city for the past 12 years, died at his home this morning at 6 o'clock at the age of 81. With his sister, Mrs. Elvina Saltmarsh, he settled first at The Dalles. While in that town they were attacked by Indians and narrowly escaped by means of a flatboat, which took them down the river. After this adventure they went to Portland, where they passed a number of years, moving to Canby in 1901. Funeral services will be held at the Methodist Church tomorrow afternoon and Rev. A. J. Joslyn, an old boyhood friend, will officiate. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

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LATOURETTE, Sedonia (Shaw)

Jan. 26, 1932; Oregonian, p 15

Oregon City, Or., Jan. 25

Mrs. Charles David Latourette, who spent practically her entire life in Clackamas county, died at her home on Promenade and Fifth streets last night. Sedonia Shaw, the eighth of nine children of Jefferson R. and Martha Jane Shaw, who crossed the plains to Oregon in 1852 from Missouri, was born on a farm on the Tualatin river near Willamette December 29, 1861. With her parents, she moved to Oregon City when a young woman and was married to Mr. Latourette in Salem July 5, 1880. Mr. Latourette's death occurred January 14, 1930. She was one of the three oldest members of the First congregational church and was a charter member of the Saturday club, woman's organization of that church.

She was the mother of five sons, one of whom, William Walter, died December 23, 1887. The four surviving sons are Mortimer D. Latourette, president of the First National bank of this city; Howard F. Latourette, circuit judge in this city, and John R. Latourette, Portland attorney. A brother, Edward L. Shaw of 405 Sixth street, Oregon City, and a sister, Mrs. Minnie Eppley of McMinnville, remain. Funeral services are to be held Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the First congregational church, Dr. E. P. Borden, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Mountain View cemetery.

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LARKINS, Emaline (Nicholson)

June 13, 1915; Oregonian; Sec. 3, p 7

"Clackamas Woman Dead" Oregon City, Or., June 12

Mrs. Emaline Nicholson Larkins, a native of Clackamas County and one of the best-known women in Southern Clackamas and Northern Marion counties, died at her home in the Marquam district June 4, after a long illness. The funeral was held Sunday, June 6, from the family residence. Mrs. Larkins was born in 1854 in the Marquam district and was educated in pioneer Clackamas County schools. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Nicholson, came to Oregon across the plains from New York State in 1847 and settled in this county. On April 5, 1877, she was married to I. D. Larkins, who survives her. Mrs. Larkins spent the greater part of her life in the north Willamette Valley. For many years she lived in Silverton, where her husband was a dentist.

She is survived by four brothers and four children. Her brothers are Edmon Nicholson, of Eugene; J.

C. Nicholson, of Donna; James Nicholson, of Wilhoit, and S. G. Nicholson, of Marquam, and her children: Mrs. W. W. McPherson, of Athena; Clay Larkins, of Salem; Guy Larkins, of Marquam, and Mrs. P. S. Mumpower, of Clackamas.

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LA FOREST, Mary

Nov. 5, 1914; Oregonian, p 3

"Mrs. Mary La Forest Dies" Oregon City, Or., Nov. 4

Mrs. Mary LaForest, who had lived in the same house on the corner of Twelfth and Washington streets since 1862, and who was a personal friend of Dr. John McLoughlin, Oregon's pioneer missionary, died at her home here last night after an illness of five years. Mrs. LaForest was prominent during the early days of Oregon City. She was born in Germany in 1832 and came to this country when a girl. Her husband, who died a number of years ago, was a prosperous business man here. For the last 14 months Mrs. LaForest had been confined to her bed. Sunday night she suffered a stroke of paralysis and did not regain consciousness. Three sons survive her: Eugene LaForest, of Portland; Emil LaForest, of San Francisco, and Oscar LaForest, of California. The late Mrs. Henry Meldrum was a daughter. The funeral will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and interment will be made in the Mason's cemetery.

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LORCH, John B.

Sept. 27, 1930; Oregonian, p 9

"John B. Lorch, 63, Dies" Colfax, Wash., Sept. 26

John B. Lorch, 63, died her yesterday after an illness of 18 months. He was born in Germany and lived in Portland several years, coming to Colfax 20 years ago. He operated the Colfax Harness company until recently. Funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic church tomorrow, following which the body will be sent to the Bruning & Howell mortuary at Portland for services Monday morning at the Canby, Or., Catholic church. Burial will be at New Era. Mr. Lorch was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Elks and Modern Woodmen of America. Surviving are two sons: Dan and Francis of Colfax; a daughter, Sister M. Coulette of St. Mary's Institute, Beaverton; a brother, Gabriel, at Mount Angel, Or., and six sisters is Switzerland. John B. Lorch was associated for 15 years in Portland with the George Lawrence company. The body will arrive Sunday morning at the Bruning & Howell mortuary, Third and Clay streets, where it will lie in state until Monday morning. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Canby Catholic church, with Father Jonas officiating. Interment will follow in the New Era cemetery, where Mr. Lorch's wife is buried.

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LEWTHWAITE, William

Jan. 3, 1909; Oregonian, p 10

"W. Lewthwaite is Dead" Oregon City, Or., Jan. 2

William Lewthwaite, one of the pioneers in the paper mill business on the Pacific Coast, died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Effie gay, at Gladstone. He was born in Douglas, Isle of Man, January 10, 1838. in 1855 he left there and sailed to different places until his arrival at San Francisco, where he first went into the mines. Later he took up paper-making, and in 1868 he came to Oregon and superintended the erection of the old paper mill on the Clackamas River near Parkplace. Mr. Lewthwaite was superintendent of the plant for many years, and made the paper from which The Oregonian was printed. When the plant was dismantled, about 24 years ago, Mr. Lewthwaite went to Camas, Wash., where he superintended the erection of the mill of larger capacity that was built there. He then retired from the paper mill trade, and has since lived on a

farm on the Clackamas. Mr. Lewthwaite is survived by four children, Aleck J., resident manager of the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper Co., of Portland; Clifton R., an architect, of Portland; Mrs. Effie Gay, of Gladstone, and Miss Marian Lewthwaite, of Oregon City. The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon from Mrs. Gay's home under the auspices of Multnomah Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M., of which deceased was a member. The interment will be in the Clackamas Cemetery.

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LOGUS, Julius

April 8, 1890; Oregonian, p 1

"A Pioneer Dead" Oregon City, April 7

Mrs. Julius Logus died at her home in this city yesterday after a brief illness of a week, aged 49 years. Mrs. Antonio Logus came from Germany to America in 1853, and with her mother to Oregon in 1859 eleven years later she was married to Julius Logus, since which time she has been a constant resident of Oregon City. Mrs. Logus has, at spells, been in ill health, but since last summer her health had been quite good up to a week before her death. No serious alarm was felt up to a day or two previous, when her friends became anxious, yet the doctor said she was convalescing, but Sunday afternoon, she suddenly passed away. Mrs. Logus was a woman of kind disposition and pleasant manners, and had won a warm place in the affections of this community. She leaves, besides a host of friends, a husband and three children, Augusta, Sophia and William, to mourn their great loss. The funeral will occur from the residence at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, and the remains will be conveyed by boat to Portland to be laid beside those of her mother at Lone Fir cemetery

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LUCAS, Oscar

Nov. 15, 1914; Oregonian, p 10

"New Era Man is Killed" Oregon City, Or., Nov. 14

Blinded by the headlight of a Southern Pacific locomotive, Oscar Lucas, aged 26 years, was struck and killed late last night near Barlow while walking the track toward New Era. Lucas lived with his stepfather, Mike Hurias, of New Era. He had gone from New Era to Barlow Friday night and was walking back when he was hit by the train. Coroner Wilson held an inquest this morning. Lucas was unmarried.

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LINN, Benjamin F.

March 23, 1918; Oregonian, p 7

"Benjamin F. Linn Dies" Oregon City, March 22

Benjamin F. Linn, former resident of Clackamas County, died at his home in Portland today. Mr. Linn was well known throughout the county. He formerly was engaged in the lumber manufacturing industry and operated a sawmill in the Beaver Creek country, a settlement in that section having been named for him. Mr. Linn was born in Illinois, April 14, 1846, and came to Clackamas County, Oregon, in 1864, where he resided until a few weeks ago. Mr. Linn is survived by his widow, Mrs. Susan C. Linn, of Portland; two daughters, Mrs. Hester Bates, of Portland; Miss Milda Shumway of Oregon City; five sons, A. B. Linn of Oregon City; T. W. Linn of Garfield, Clackamas county; J. W. Linn of Oregon City; Phil Linn and Ernest Linn of Timber Valley, Washington. The funeral will be held here at the Baptist Church Sunday. The interment will be in the Mountain View Cemetery. Rev. W. T. Milliken, pastor of the Baptist Church, will officiate.

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LONDON, Sarah G.

May 30, 1922; Oregonian, p 4

"Mrs. Sarah G. London" Oregon City, Or., May 29

Mrs. Sarah G. London of this city died Saturday night from a stroke of paralysis, suffered several months ago. She was born in England on June 12, 1839, and came to America 70 years ago. The only known relative is a niece. She was an active member of the Women's Relief corps of this city, being a widow of a Civil war veteran. Funeral services will be held from the Holman & Pace chapel tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock, and the body conveyed to Beaver Creek cemetery, where the burial services, which will be in charge of the Woman's Relief corps of this city, will take place at 2 o'clock.

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LILLY, Harry Herbert

March 23, 1921; Oregonian, p 4

Oregon City, Or., March 22

Harry Herbert Lilly, aged 14 years, son of Andrew Lilly of this city, died this afternoon after a brief illness of pneumonia. The family resides at Sixth and Water streets. The lad is survived by his father, two brothers and a sister. The mother died five years ago in Nebraska. The body is at the Holman & Pace undertaking parlors. Funeral arrangements have not been made, pending word from a brother in Nebraska.

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LINN, William T.

Dec. 1, 1909; Oregonian, p 11

"Funeral of Pioneer Held"

The funeral of William T. Linn, a pioneer, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Bever, at 835 Clinton street. November 28, was held yesterday afternoon at the chapel of the East Side Funeral Directors at 414 East Alder street. Rev. Clarence True Wilson conducted the services. Interment was made in Rose City Cemetery. Mr. Linn was 74 years old and had been a resident of Oregon for 45 years. He first settled in the Eagle Creek district, Clackamas County, where he owned a farm. In 1869 he engaged in the sawmill business, owning and operating the first sawmill erected on Kellogg Creek, at Milwaukie. He also operated a sawmill on the Clackamas River for several years. Since 1895 Mr. Linn lived in Portland. His wife died a year ago. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. G. W. Bever, Portland; George E. Linn, of Stevenson, Wash.; Charles A. Linn, Portland.

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LINDAU, Freddie

Sept. 16, 1927; Oregonian, p 26

Oregon City, Or., Sept. 15

Freddie, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindau of Clarkes, died today at the St. Vincent's hospital, Portland. He is survived by his parents, three brothers, Ben of Oregon City, Wesley and Milton and his sister, Mrs. Esther Schiewe of Clarkes. Funeral services are to be held Sunday at 1 o'clock at the Evangelical church at Clarkes. Interment will be in the Clarkes cemetery.

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LUBBENS, Marie

Sept. 13, 1922; Oregonian, p 6

Obituary --- Mrs. Marie Lubbens Oregon City, Or., Sept. 12

Funeral services for Mrs. Marie Lubbens, wife of Bernard Lubbens of Aurora, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Lutheran church, with Rev. W. R. Kraxberger of Oregon City officiating. Mrs. Lubbens was a pioneer resident of the Macksburg community, having moved recently to Aurora. She was 53 years old. An only son was drowned two years ago, and the husband is the only survivor.

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LIVINGSTONE, John

Aug. 10, 1912; Oregonian, p 5

"Twain Playmate Dies" Oregon City, Or., Aug. 9

John Livingstone, who was a playmate of Mark Twain, was found dead in bed here today. Livingstone, who was a negro, was one of the best known men in Clackamas County, and his life's story is romantic throughout. He had lived in this county since 1864, and leaves an estate valued at \$15,000. No man in the county was more respected, and no man had a better reputation for honesty. Livingstone was born in 1836 in Missouri, being the son of slaves. When about 12 years of age he was sold to Joseph Daugherty, of Hannibal, Mo., who was an uncle of F. A. Miles, now a deputy Sheriff of Clackamas County. His boyhood was passed in that quaint river town, and Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain), who was just one year his senior, and he became fast friends. When Mr. Daugherty died, Livingstone, or just John, as he was known then, was sold to Judge Joseph Ringo, of La Plata for \$850. Judge Ringo was a Southern sympathizer and John remained with him until the year before the war closed. He was a faithful slave and declared he would never be separated from his master.

However, it soon became rumored that Union soldiers would compel Judge Ringo's slaves to leave him and John and Joseph Ringo, a son of the judge, decided to go to Oregon in 1864. Ringo and his negro companion encountered all kinds of hardships, but they finally reached Oregon City. The next year Judge Ringo, having virtually lost everything he had as a result of the war, moved with his family to this city and obtained a farm at Clarkes. John remained faithful and a few years later the judge gave his former slave a ranch near Clarkes. It was about this time that John assumed the surname of Livingstone, after that of the famous African explorer. The negro was frugal and industrious and added to his property until his death, when he was the possessor of a 40-acre tract near Salem and 180 acres in Eastern Oregon. He was married and to the union was born one child. Charles, who is employed in a sawmill at Boring. Mrs. Livingstone died several years ago, and was buried in a cemetery at Clarkes. There the heartbroken husband went every Sunday and placed flowers on her grave.

Mr. Livingstone called at Justice of the Peace Samson's office yesterday and gave him \$1.50 with which to pay insurance dues in the State Grange. He seemed to be in good health then. About nine years ago Livingstone gave up farming and had since worked for Frank Welsh and R. F. Linn. He was a favorite with the families of both and died at the home of Mr. Welsh. The interment probably will be held at Clarkes Sunday.

Aug. 13, 1912; Oregonian, p 5

"Mark Twain's Playmate Buried"

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 12

Several hundred persons attended the funeral Sunday afternoon at Clarkes of John Livingstone, the former slave, who came to this county in 1864, with the family of Judge Ringo. The services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Smith, and the body was interred beside that of Livingstone's wife,

who died many years ago. Livingstone died Friday morning of heart disease, having been in apparently good health the day before. His boyhood was passed in Hannibal, Mo., and one of his playmates was Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain).



MELVIN, Harry Richard

Jan. 26, 1918; Oregonian, p 6

"Melvin Body Arrives" Oregon City, Or., Jan. 25

The body of Harry Richard Melvin, who died at the United States General Hospital No. 1, at Williamsbridge, N. Y., arrived in Oregon City tonight. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, with Rev. W. T. Milliken, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Mountain View Cemetery. Harry Melvin was born in Chehalis County, Washington, January 25, 1892, and was the son of N. T. Melvin. In 1899 he came to Oregon City, making his home at Bolton and West Linn. He attended the Bolton and West Linn schools and later accepted a position with the H. P. Brightbill store, of this city. In May he enlisted in company F. O. N. G. and took up his duties in the Army at Vancouver. He later accompanied the 162d Infantry of the 41st Division from Camp Withycombe to Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C. It was while he was stationed there that he became ill, but was able to accompany his regiment as far as Camp Mills. He was placed in the hospital, but his health gradually failed until his death last Tuesday. The body was accompanied to this city by his brother, Lester, who also enlisted from this city, and who has been among the Oregon Soldiers in a hospital in New York. The deceased is survived by his father, N. T. Melvin, of West Linn; three brothers, N. A. Melvin, of Grays River, Wash.; O. O. Melvin, of Alaska, and J. Lester Melvin, of the Oregon Engineer Corps.

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MELDRUM, John William, Judge

Sept. 26, 1919; Oregon City Enterprise

"Early Settler of Clackamas County Passes"

Judge John William Meldrum, prominent and well and favorably known Oregon pioneer, a resident of Meldrum Station, which receives its name from him, died at the family home Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, after an illness of several months. Mr. Meldrum's health had been failing for some time, but his death came suddenly, due to heart trouble. John W. Meldrum was born near general land offices examining the surveys of Idaho and Wyoming. In 1890 he was elected to the office of county judge, during which time he brought about the abolition of the old poll tax or labor system and substitution of the money tax system, which greatly revolutionized the county road work.

Mr. Meldrum was known far and wide, having been a resident of Oregon City many years before taking up his residence at Meldrum Station. He was one of the oldest members of the I.O.O.F. Lodge, having been a member of the order since 1869, and was also a member of the Encampment Station; Eva S. Meldrum, deceased, and D. Thompson Meldrum, of Meldrum Station, who is deputy county surveyor of Clackamas county. Mr. Meldrum also leaves his widow, formerly Miss Georgianna Pope, a daughter of early Oregon pioneers, whom he married in Oregon City in 1872; also the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. M. O. Moore, Mrs. D. P. Thompson and member of the A.O.U.W. Lodge. The I.O.O.F. Lodge will assist with the funeral services. Mr. Meldrum was the father of three children, Charles E. Meldrum, of Melson, of Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Sarah M. McCown, of Oakland, Cal., Henry Meldrum, residing near Eugene. He leaves two grandchildren, David and John William Meldrum of Meldrum Station.

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MATHER, Arthur

Jan. 25, 1920; Oregonian, Sec. 2, p 23

Obituary; Arthur Mather

Arthur Mather, Oregon settler of 1879, died at his home at Clackamas, January 20, from ailments due to advanced age. The funeral was held from the Clackamas Congregational church last Thursday afternoon, Rev. E. C. Smith officiating. Mr. Mather was born at Nether Place, Newton Mearns, Scotland, December 25, 1849, and came to the United States in 1873. He moved to Oregon in 1879 and had lived at Clackamas practically since he came to this state. He was for many years postmaster and Southern Pacific agent at Clackamas, and had held numerous public offices during his residence there. He was especially interested in educational work and served for many years as school director. Mr. Mather is survived by his widow and one son, Arthur G. Mather, three daughters, Miss Agnes Mather, Mrs. W. W. Foster and Mrs. R. W. Piper. Other relatives include two sisters, Mrs. John Snodgrass and Mrs. William Rodgers, a brother, Alexander C. Mather of Scotland, and a granddaughter, Miss Margaret Piper.

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MELDRUM, Eugenie (LaForest)

Dec. 19, 1911; Oregonian, p 9 (photo)

"Death of Oregon City Woman Mourned by Many Friends" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 18

Mrs. Eugenie Meldrum, wife of Henry E. Meldrum, ex-Surveyor-General of Oregon, who died Saturday, was the only living daughter of the late Eugene and Mary La Forest, prominent pioneers, having been born and reared in this city. Before her marriage she held a position in the public schools of this city. She was a member of St. Paul's Church, also of St. Paul's Guild. She was a past worthy matron of Pioneer Chapter No. 28, O.E.S., being a charter member of this organization. Mrs. Meldrum was always prominent in public affairs, and was ever ready to lend a helping hand. During the Spanish War she was a member of the Women's Auxiliary to the W.R.C., and it was partly through her untiring efforts that the reception tendered to the returning soldier boys was such a marked success. Mrs. Meldrum was endeared by all who knew her through her fine character and kindly nature and stood ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in need. She was a most loving wife and mother, and devoted her mother, Mrs. Mary La Forest; a husband, Henry E. Meldrum; three brothers, Eugene La Forest, of Portland; Emil La Forest, of San Francisco, and Oscar La Forest, of Alaska; five children, Don E. Meldrum, of this city; Mrs. Harley C. Stevens, Jr., of Portland; Joseph Meldrum, of San Francisco; Mary Belle Meldrum, of Moscow, Idaho, and John Meldrum, Jr., of Portland.

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MAPLETHORPE, William

Sept. 11, 1908; Oregonian, p 10

"Former Oregon City Resident Dead" Oregon City, Or., Sept. 10

News was received here today of the death of William Maplethorpe, at Ellensburg. He was for several years motorman in the employ of the Willamette Falls Railway Company in West Oregon City, and went to Washington about five years ago. He is survived by a widow and four children. Maplethorpe was an electrician, but was killed along with a companion, by an explosion.

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MELDRUM, Susan Depew (Cox)

June 3, 1906; Oregon City Enterprise

"The Late Mrs. Susan D. Meldrum" Oregon City, Or., June 3

Mrs. Susan D. Meldrum died at her home in this city, Saturday, June 2, near the close of the 89th year of her age. She was born in Washington County, Kentucky, on July 25, 1817. Her maiden name was Susan Depew Cox and her girlhood was mostly spent in Tennessee, to which state her parents removed during her childhood, afterwards removing to Illinois. December 11, 1834, at Whitehall, Ill., she was married to John Meldrum, who also was a native of Kentucky, having been born in Shelby county, of that state, on March 8, 1808. During the first year of their marriage the family resided in Illinois, where the oldest child, a daughter, now Mrs. W. S. Moore, was born. George, the oldest son, was born in Iowa. In the Spring of 1845 they joined a caravan on the way to "the Oregon country," arriving at Oregon City, the end of their journey, about the middle of October, that year. They brought with them from their Iowa home their four children, the eldest, Margaret O., born in Illinois; Mary R., now Mrs. D. P. Thompson, of Portland; Sarah M., now Mrs. F. O. McCown, of Portland; and a son, John W. Meldrum, all of whom are still living and were in attendance at the bedside of their dying mother, as was also her youngest son, Henry, the only survivor of the five younger children born in Oregon.

Being always loyal to their adopted state, they lived contentedly here during all of the years that have passed since their arrival. Her husband, John Meldrum, died August 2, 1889, in the same house in which Mrs. Meldrum's death occurred and which has been the home over which she has presided during the past 40 years. Mrs. Meldrum was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and a woman whose fine character and kindly nature endeared her to all who knew her. The funeral service was conducted at the late home at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon.

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McFARLAND, Alexander

Dec. 17, 1922; Oregonian, Sec. 2, p 10

"Alexander McFarland" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 16

Alexander McFarland, prominent resident of Central Point, Clackamas county, died in the Oregon City hospital today after a week's illness of pneumonia. Mr. McFarland was at Greenleaf, Wash., where he was employed in a logging camp, when he was taken ill. He is survived by his widow, who is the daughter of Mrs. Bessie Dundas of this city, and three little children, Winnifred, Loys and Dorothy McFarland of Central Point.

Dec. 20, 1922; Oregonian, p 13

Oregon City, Or., Dec. 19

The funeral of Alexander McFarland, 34, was held from the Holman & Pace chapel in this city this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. H. Lathrop, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated. Interment was in the family lot in Zion cemetery, Canby. McFarland died in the Oregon City hospital from pneumonia Saturday afternoon, after a week's illness. He is survived by his widow and three little children who live at Central Point.

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MACK, F. L.

May 1, 1910; Oregonian, p 5

"Oregon City Resident Dies" Oregon City, Or., April 30

F. L. Mack, a resident of Oregon since 1882, died this morning after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Mack was born in Ohio, November 16, 1844, and married Miss Sarah J. Burnett at Boulder, Colo., in 1880. They came to Oregon in 1883, Mrs. Mack dying March 21, 1901. Mrs. Mack was the

mother of six children, Anna, who died in infancy; L. W. Mack of Dufur, Or.; A. D. Mack of Grant County, Washington; M. B. Mack of Portland; L. R. Mack of Oregon City, and Miss Alma Mack of Oregon City. Mr. Mack married again on February 5, 1902, Miss Jennie Clark who survives him. Deceased was a veteran of the Civil War.

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MARSHALL, Emily Jane (May)

Oct. 29, 1910; Oregonian, p 6

"Pioneer Woman is Dead" Oregon City, Or., Oct. 28

Mrs. Emily Jane Marshall, widow of the late William H. Marshall, died at the family home in Canemah last night, after several weeks' illness. She was 66 years old. Mrs. Marshall came across the plains with her parents by ox team, reaching Oregon October 22, 1852. The family settled at what is now Beaver Creek. She was united in marriage to William H. Marshall in 1861. From Beaver Creek Mr. and Mrs. Marshall came to Oregon City. They afterward moved to Walla Walla, where they remained nine years, after which they returned to Oregon City. Mr. Marshall died in 1884.

Mrs. Marshall was the mother of nine children. The six who are living and were present when she died are: Mrs. Emma Young, Portland; Mrs. B. W. Myers, Pomeroy, Wash.; Mrs. Frankie Midlam, Canemah; Ralph and William Marshall, Portland; Miss Grayce Marshall, Canemah. The funeral services will be conducted on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the family residence, Canemah

Oct. 31, 1910; Oregonian, p 8

The death at her home in Canemah on October 28 of Mrs. E. J. Marshall closes the simple annals of a life that ran its course in womanly ways for three-score and six years. Mrs. Marshall was a daughter of Wiley May, a pioneer of Clackamas County. Married in her early girlhood, she was the faithful wife, until his death in 1884, of William H. Marshall. Throughout all of her gentle womanly years she was the devoted mother of the children who were born to them, of whom six survive. Memory will raise over the tomb of Mrs. Marshall the tributes which affection and respect hold in reserve for such women.

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MacDOLE, James

Nov. 8, 1921; Oregonian, p 16

Obituary -- James MacDole Oregon City, Or., Nov. 7

James MacDole, who has resided in Oregon City for a number of years, died here last Sunday night. Little is known of Mr. MacDole, except that his wife died about 60 years ago, and that he was a native of Ohio, and more than 90 years of age. He cast his first vote for President Buchanan in 1856, and never failed to vote in a presidential election since that time. For many years he made his home in Minnesota.

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MARRS, Rebecca

April 15, 1909; Oregonian, p 3

"Mrs. Rebecca Marrs Dead" Oregon City, Or., April 14

Mrs. Rebecca J. Marrs, a well-known pioneer woman of this city, died at the family home at an early hour this morning, after several months' illness. Mrs. Marrs was born in Terre Haute, Ind., in 1834. At the age of 23 years she was married to Samuel Marrs, of Fort Smith, Ark. To this union were born eleven children, three of whom are dead. In 1861 Mr. and Mrs. Marrs crossed the plains by

oxteam, making the trip in six months, meeting with many hardships. Since arriving in Oregon Mrs. Marrs has resided in this city. She is survived by eight children, seven daughters and one son, her husband having died six years ago. The surviving children are Mrs. William A. Curry, of Junction City, Or.; Mrs. S. C. Berry, of Woodburn, Or.; Charles G. Marrs, of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. W. T. Smith, Mrs. D. F. Whiteman, Miss Rosa and Miss Georgia Marrs, all of this city; Mrs. Fannie J. Neppach, of Portland. The funeral will be held from the family residence, Twelfth and Harrison streets, tomorrow morning, Rev. J. R. Landsborough officiating, and the interment will take place in the Mountain View Cemetery.

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McCURRY, Green

Feb. 23, 1914; Oregonian, p 4

"G. McCurry Found Dead" Oregon City, Or., Feb. 22

Green McCurry, a Civil War veteran who for more than 35 years was a resident near Damascus, was found dead in his home by a neighbor yesterday. Death was due to pneumonia. coroner Wilson left for Damascus last night and brought the body to this place. Mr. McCurry was 76 years of age and unmarried. He is survived by two nephews residing near Logan. Mr. McCurry gave liberally to religious institutions. He lived with his only brother until a few years ago, when the brother died.

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MATTOON, Caroline

July 21, 1928; Oregonian, p 8

Oregon City, Or., July 20

Mrs. Caroline Mattoon, 78, for 77 years a resident of Clackamas county, and the wife of W. H. Mattoon and one of the well known residents of the county, died Thursday morning at her home at Viola. Mrs. Mattoon was born at Salt Lake City, Utah. She was the mother of nine children, six of whom survive. Surviving are the widower, W. H. Mattoon, Viola; his sons, Arthur L. Mattoon, of Springfield, Or., Frank A. Mattoon, of Oregon City; John and Robert Mattoon of Viola; her daughters, Mrs. Edna Brown, of Albany, Or., and Mrs. Eva Brown, of Portland, and 14 grandchildren. Funeral services are to be held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Viola church. Rev. Mr. De Moy, of Estacada, will officiate. Interment will be in the Viola cemetery.

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MARTIN, David B.

Aug. 6, 1922; Oregonian, p 7

Obituary --- David B. Martin

David B. Martin, 87, died at his home at Gladstone, Or., July 26, after an illness of two years. He was born in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, September 13, 1834. In 1871 he married Miss Clema Smith at Woodburn, Or. Besides his widow he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Maud Rypezynski, of Oregon City; a son, Homer Martin, of Santa Barbara, Cal.; a brother, Abraham Martin, of Naperville, Ill., 10 grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

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MUELLER, Rudolph

June 14, 1917; Oregonian, p 17

Oregon City, Or., June 13

Rudolph Mueller, aged 22, son of S. E. Mueller, of Clarkes, died at the Oregon City Hospital today from inflammatory rheumatism. The funeral will be Friday afternoon, and interment in the Clarkes

Cemetery. Mr. Mueller is survived by his father, five brothers and four sisters, including Mrs. Lena Bittner, of Oregon City; Mrs. Arthur Zanders, of Milwaukie, Or.

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MILLER, Abe  
Nov. 26, 1925  
Oregon City, Or., Nov. 25

Abe Miller, well-known farmer of Elwood, who has made his home in that section for the last 12 years, died this afternoon after a seven months' illness. Surviving is the widow, Mrs. Stella Miller of Elwood. Funeral services will be held from the R. L. Holman & Son chapel here Friday at 11 o'clock, with interment in the Clackamas cemetery.

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MOORE, Amos J.  
May 27, 1917; Oregonian, p 6  
"Oregon City Man, 86, Dies" Oregon City, Or., May 26

Amos J. Moore, who underwent a critical operation at the Oregon City Hospital the first of the week, died at that institution Friday night, and the funeral services will be held on Monday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Clackamas Cemetery. Mr. Moore was 86 years old. Mr. Moore is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Judd, of Bend, Or.; Mrs. W. E. Linnett, of Clackamas; two sons, H. R. Moore, of Portland; Arthur Moore, an attorney, of Bend, Or., who has arrived in this city to make arrangements for the funeral.

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MORRIS, Emma A.  
March 7, 1922; Oregonian, p 13  
Oregon City, Or., March 6

Mrs. Emma A. Morris, widow of the late Albert Morris, of Parkplace, died in Oregon City, where she was brought for medical treatment, this morning at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Morris' death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Morris was a native of Clackamas county where she had resided her entire life. She was born near Scotts Mills in 1863, and is survived by her children: Harvey W. Morris of Salem, Oren Morris of Mehama, Mrs. Effie Smith of Parkplace, Mrs. Lulu Burnger of Mehama, Earl and Kenneth Morris of Parkplace and Harvey Morris of Oregon City.

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MILLER, Sarah E. (Power)  
Sept. 11, 1921; Oregonian, p 13  
"Pioneer Woman is Dead" Oregon City, Or., Sept. 10

Mrs. Sarah E. Miller, widow of Captain Sebastian Miller, died last night at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. L. Bolton, her daughter, in Canemah. Mrs. Miller was 93 years old. Mrs. Miller and her husband were among the early pioneers of western Oregon. She was born in Virginia and came across the plains in a party that included Captain Miller, arriving in Oregon City September 18, 1852, lacking ten days of being 69 years prior to her death. She had known her husband since childhood and they were married here a year following their arrival. For 60 years she had lived with her daughter in Canemah. Mrs. Miller also is survived by six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the undertaking establishment of Holman & Pace in this city. Interment will be in the family plot in the cemetery at Canemah.

Feb. 16, 1920; Oregonian, p 7 (photo)

"Pioneer 92 Years Old"

Oregon City, Or., Feb. 14

Mrs. Sarah E. Miller, widow of the late Captain Sebastian E. Miller, one of the pioneer steamboat men of the Willamette river, celebrated her 92d birthday anniversary at the home of her daughter. Mrs. M. J. Bolton, a pioneer resident of Canemah, on Friday, February 12. A family dinner was an event of the day, and many old-time friends called and extended their congratulations and presented the pioneer woman with gifts and flowers. Mrs. Miller talked on the early experience she had in the early days of Oregon, when Portland and Oregon City were but forests. Mrs. Miller was born in Virginia, the daughter of Josiah and Harriet Power. She was educated in the private schools of Ohio, known as the early subscription schools. The acquaintance of Sebastian Miller and Sarah Power began in childhood days and continued upon the plains while making their way to Oregon City, and terminated most happily after arriving here, when they were united in marriage by the mayor of Oregon City in February, 1853. Mrs. Miller has continued her residence here since that time. Mrs. Miller accompanied a party across the plains, composed of some of the old pioneer families well known in Oregon City. Among these were the late Joseph Hedges Sr., John Colburn, Al Scott, James Bingman, Mrs. Miller cooked for the party while making the trip. Although Mrs. Miller has reached her 92d birthday, she still is able to visit with the nearby neighbors. She has a brother living, also a sister, both of whom reside in Ohio. These are Tyrannus Power, whose age is over 80 years and her sister, Mrs. Minnie Leggitt, who is 89 years. Mrs. Miller has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Bolton, for many years, her only living child. The grandchildren of Mrs. Miller are Mrs. Edward Taylor, Mrs. William Martin of Sellwood; Mrs. Marion Richards of Willamette Mrs. Inez Warren of West Linn; Ernest Hatch of Canemah, and Alfred Bolton of Canemah. The great-grandchildren are Miss Sarah Taylor of Sellwood; Mrs. Elma Taylor McVenus of San Diego, Cal.; George Martin of Walla Walla, Wash., and Ray Martin of Sellwood.

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MOORE, Robert J.

Jan. 16, 1921; Oregonian, p 17 (photo)

"Oregon Pioneer, 50 Years a Resident of Molalla, Dies" Molalla, Or., Jan. 15

Robert J. Moore, retired farmer, a pioneer of Oregon, 50 years a resident of Molalla, was buried from the Christian church Thursday morning. Seldom is it the lot of man to be so universally loved and respected as was Mr. Moore. To the sturdy qualities of the pioneer were added a genial kindness, endearing him to a wide circle of friends.

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MILLARD, Dicie A.

Jan. 29, 1931; Oregonian, p 16

Estacada, Or., Jan. 28

Funeral services were conducted at Springwater Sunday for Mrs. Dicie A. Millard, wife of Frank Millard, who died at her home in the Springwater district January 21. She is survived by the widower, two sons and one daughter, Marion F. Millard of Portland, Amos D. Millard of Brush Prairie, Wash., and Mrs. E. F. Donahue of Selah, Wash.; also two brothers, William Tucker of Springwater and Solomon Tucker of Portland. Interment was in the Springwater cemetery.

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MILLER, Marion Wallace (Allen)

Jan. 24, 1917; Oregonian, p 13 (photo)

"Pioneer of 1850, Wife of Veteran Bailiff, Dies"

Oregon City, Or., Jan. 23

Mrs. Marion Wallace Miller, wife of Thomas M. Miller, for 47 years Circuit Court bailiff, died at her home last Friday night after a long illness. She was the daughter of Dr. William R. Allen and Martha Ann Allen, who crossed the plains in 1850. The family settled in Canemah, where Dr. Allen died. Marion Allen was married to Thomas M. Miller December 31, 1863, in Oregon City, where they had resided ever since. Two children, Ralph D. Miller and Mrs. C. G. Huntley, of Oregon City, and two grandchildren, Mildred Huntley and Marion Miller, survive. The late Mrs. Joseph Hedges, Mrs. W. C. Ganong, Mary Barlow Wilkins and Richard A. Allen were her half-sisters and half-brother. Mrs. Martha W. Sheppard, of Portland, was a sister.

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MILLER, F. G.

May 30, 1911; Oregonian, p 5

"Gladstone Veteran Dies" Gladstone, Or., May 29

F. G. Miller, a prominent member of the Grand Army of the Republic, died suddenly Sunday morning at his home here. Mr. Miller, who had been a resident of Oregon since December, was in his 73d year. He accompanied member of Meade Post Thursday to the Barclay and Parkplace schools. He is survived by a son and a daughter, Curtis G. Miller and Leonora D. Miller, with whom he lived. Sunday morning Mr. Miller's son went to breakfast, his father promising to join him in 10 minutes. When his father did not appear the son went to his room and found him dead. Members of Meade Post, Grand Army of the Republic, held funeral services this morning and the body was sent to Kalispell, Mont., where Mr. Miller formerly lived.



NILES, Royal F.

Dec. 28, 1920; Oregonian, p 12 (photo)

"Tubby Niles Dies After Brave Fight"

"I wonder if I'll get just one more headline in The Oregonian, as I did so often years ago," whispered Royal F. Niles, known a few seasons ago to a multitude of northwest football followers as "Tubby" Niles, Whitman college fullback, as he lay on his deathbed a few days ago. "Tubby" Niles died at the home of his brother, Ralph W. Niles, in Oregon City Sunday night. Over this story is the headline it was his last wish that he might have.

"Tubby" Niles was one of the gamest and greatest fullbacks that ever played in the Pacific northwest. Through four seasons, 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913, his name was often on the sports pages for his wonderful playing. And each of those four seasons he was elected on the All-Northwest football team, one year as its captain. That year every writer in the northwest was unanimous in giving him the honor. He weighed in those days between 185 and 190 pounds. He followed Vincent Borleski as a super-star in Whitman college football, but he would have been a star on any football eleven in the world. Playing always on a light eleven against heavier opponents, his terrible line plunging never has been surpassed.

But when he died the "Tubby" of those days had fallen off in weight until he was a pitiful shadow of the once great athlete. Tuberculosis was the cause. He contracted the disease as the result of

influenza while with the American expeditionary forces in France. Niles enlisted in the army December 10, 1917. He became ill with influenza on the army transport taking him to France with the 31st field artillery in 1918. He didn't have much of a temperature and the hospitals were all crowded, so he slept with his comrades in the mud. Tuberculosis was the price to him of this neglect. When he was discharged in February, 1919, his voice had gone so that he could speak only in a husky whisper. He sank from then until his death Sunday, at the age of 32 years.

Since the death of his mother a month ago, the end had come fast. His brother Eugene said yesterday that his greatest comfort was The Oregonian, especially the sports pages, which he read and re-read. For the past month he had been unable to read himself, so each morning his brother, always turning first to the sports news, read to him every story in the paper. It was just a few days before his death, when he realized that he was sinking fast, that he expressed the hope that his name might be in one more headline of the paper that so often had chronicled his athletic feats in years gone by. The funeral will be held this afternoon from the First Congregational church in Oregon City.

Dec. 28, 1920; Oregonian, p 12

"Niles Victim of Influenza"

Oregon City, Or., Dec. 27

Royal F. Niles, familiarly known by his friends as "Tubby" Niles, died at the family home near Mount Pleasant, about two miles from Oregon City, Sunday night. Niles answered his country's call during the world war. It was while he was a member of the 8th brigade of artillery and on board the transport Mongolia, that he was stricken with influenza. Just as he was recovering from the disease he arrived at Brest, France. Here he was obliged to sleep in poorly constructed headquarters and to undergo many hardships which helped to weaken his condition. Niles received his discharge from the service on February 20, 1919. After his discharge he returned to Oregon City, where he had since resided at the Niles country home. He was born in Portland December 20, 1888, and at the age of 1 year his parents moved to Walla Walla, Wash., where he received his education. He attended and graduated from Whitman college. After completing his studies at Whitman, Niles engaged in teaching, and was among the leading instructors of the state. Among the places where he taught were at Marshfield, Klamath Falls, and La Grande. It was while engaged in teaching that he was called to the

colors. Niles was a member of the Congregational church. He is survived by two brothers, Ralph W. Niles, employe of the Oregon City postoffice, and Eugene B. Niles of Coburg, Or. His mother, Mrs. Jennie Vinson Niles, died in Oregon City, November 6, 1920. Niles was the nephew of Mrs. E. J. Swafford of Salem.

The body is at the Holman & pace undertaking parlors. Funeral services will be held at the Congregational church in this city, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Herbert Crocker, pastor, will officiate. As Niles was a member of the Willamette Falls post, American Legion, the organization will assist at the funeral services, and the young ex-soldier will receive a military burial. Interment will take place in Mountain View cemetery.



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NORDHAUSEN, John

January 26, 1912; Oregonian; p 7

"Old Canby Resident Passes Away" Canby, Or., Jan. 25---(Special)

John Nordhausen, one of the pioneer residents of this section, succumbed to heart failure at his home near Canby on January 20, at the age of 70. Mr. Nordhausen was born in Germany, served as a corporal in the army in the war of 1866 and came to America in 1869. He lived in Iowa and Nebraska until 1891, when he came to Oregon, where he had since resided. During the past five years he had suffered more or less from heart failure, but until two weeks ago hopes were entertained for his recovery. He is survived by a wife and nine children.

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NOBLITT, Charles Winston

June 6, 1911; Oregonian, p 9

"Clackamas Pioneer Dies"

Charles Winston Noblitt, pioneer of Clackamas County, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Moreland, here tonight, after a long illness. Mr. Noblitt was born in Grayson County, Virginia, November 14, 1822. He moved to Missouri in 1835 and was married in that state in 1846 to Miss Catherine Sconce, who died at Needy, Or., in 1888. The couple crossed the plains to Oregon immediately following their marriage and settled on a donation land claim at Needy. Mr. Noblitt was a veteran of the Indian war serving under Captain Kelly. Surviving children are Charles and Walter, of Needy, Or.; John, of Molalla, Or.; Mrs. J. P. Fender, Lewiston, Idaho, and Mrs. M. J. Moreland of this city. Eleven grandchildren and five great grandchildren also survive. The funeral will take place Wednesday at Rock Creek.

June 7, 1911; Oregonian, p 7 (photo)

"Pioneer of State, Indian War Veteran, Aged 89, Dies at Oregon City"

Oregon City, Or., June 6

Charles Winston Noblitt, one of the earliest Oregon pioneers, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Moreland, in this city, Monday evening, after a ten month's illness. Mr. Noblitt was born in Gracen County, Virginia, November 14, 1822, and moved to Missouri in 1835. In 1846 he married Miss Catherine Sconce, and in 1852 they crossed the plains by oxtteam. They settled on a donation land claim near Needy, where Mrs. Noblitt died July 14, 1888. Mr. Noblitt came to Oregon City on September 15, 1910, to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Moreland. Mr. Noblitt was an Indian war veteran, and served in the Eighth Cavalry under Captain William Kelly. He is survived by the following children: John A. Noblitt, of Molalla, Or.; Charles R. Noblitt, of Needy, Or.; Walter Noblitt, of Needy, Or.; Mrs. M. J. Moreland, of Oregon City, and Mrs. J. B. Fender, of Lewiston, Idaho. He leaves 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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NEWKIRK, Alice Olevia  
Jan. 2, 1924; Oregonian, p 5  
Oregon City, Or., Jan. 1

Mrs. Alice Olevia Newkirk, widow of the late Eldridge Newkirk, died at the family residence at Logan Saturday. Mrs. Newkirk was born in Missouri May 18, 1851, and crossed the plains with her parents when she was but six months of age. The family settled in the Tillamook country, where Mrs. Newkirk's marriage took place in 1868. The children surviving Mrs. Newkirk are the following: Mrs. Olive Fisher of Loomis, Cal.; Leonard Newkirk of Milwaukie, Or.; Mrs. Hettie David of Albany, Or.; Mrs. Mary Trotter of Portland; Miss Rhoda Newkirk, Mrs. Eva Riebhoff and Bird Newkirk of Logan. The funeral services were held from the Logan church today. Interment was in the Viola cemetery.

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NARY, Frank N.  
Dec. 31, 1921; Oregonian, p 8  
Obituary --- Frank N. Nary

Frank N. Nary, Oregon City farmer, died at that city Thursday at the age of 57 years. He is survived by a widow and a small son at Oregon City, and a sister, Mrs. Charles W. Anderson, 245 East Twenty-ninth street, in this city. Mr. Nary had lived on a farm near Oregon City for a number of years and was well known there and in Portland. Funeral services will be held at the parlors of Homan & Pace at Oregon City this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be at Oswego.

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NEWTON, Joseph Jackson  
Dec. 30, 1926; Oregonian, p 14  
Molalla, Or., Dec. 29

Funeral services were held here today for Joseph Jackson Newton, 84, Civil war veteran, who died at his home near here Friday. Interment was in Russellville cemetery. Mr. Newton, who was born in Van Buren county, Iowa, in 1843, served with the 3d Iowa cavalry during the civil war. Survivors include the widow, Mrs. Idella C. Newton and two children, Edwin of California and Mrs. Bertha Hardy of Molalla.

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NORRIS, John William  
July 1, 1921; Oregonian, p 8  
Obituary --- Dr. John William Norris Oregon City, Or., June 30

Dr. John William Norris, pioneer physician, health officer of this city and also county physician, died at the family residence at 414 Promenade avenue this morning at 9:20 o'clock, after an illness of a

year. He was a civil war veteran and served as councilman her for two terms. Dr. Norris was born at Pekin, Tazwell county, Ill., January 23, 1844. He is survived by his widow, of this city; a daughter, Mrs. Daisy Shindler of San Francisco, Cal.; a son, Dr. E. Rae Norris of Bend, and several grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from the Holman & Pace chapel Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the G.A.R. of this city in charge.

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NELSON, Charles

Oct. 19, 1916; Oregonian, p 10

"Pioneer Barber is Dead"

Charles Nelson, a pioneer barber of Portland, died yesterday at his home at Gladstone, after an illness of more than a year's duration. He was 67 years of age. He was well known among older residents of Portland, his first shop here being on First street in the early '70's. He afterwards opened the Merchants and International Hotel shops when that part of the city was in its prime. He also conducted the Russ House shop in San Francisco. Mr. Nelson was a veteran of the Indian wars, serving in the regular Army. He was one of the men who defended the historical Stoneman Grade in Arizona in 1869 during an Apache raid and was a member of the troop that ran down Captain Jack in the lava beds in Southern Oregon. He is survived by a widow and one son.

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NORRIS, David

July 28, 1920; Oregonian, p 20

Obituary --- David Norris Oregon City, Or., July 27

David Norris, well known in Oregon City, where he made his home with his mother, Mrs. Henrietta Norris on their farm near Wilsonville, died at the Oregon City hospital at 11 o'clock this morning after an illness of about three weeks from heart trouble and pneumonia. Mr. Norris was born in Oregon, March 29, 1872, and is survived by his mother and a sister, Miss Emma R. Norris, of Portland. It is probably that the funeral services will be held in this city Thursday, with interment in the family lot in Mountain View cemetery.

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NEALLY, Lee E.

July 16, 1909; Oregonian, p 1

"Man Hit By Train Dies" Oregon City, Or., July 16

Lee E. Neally, of Clackamas, was hit by a freight train near Park Place late last night, receiving injuries from which he died within two hours. Neally was crossing the track in a buggy at 11:30 o'clock when he was struck by a Southern Pacific freight train. The train was stopped at once and the injured man brought to town by the train crew, who backed the train to Oregon City for this purpose. A physician was called, but the injuries were fatal, Neally dying a few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning. He was 50 years old and was formerly a railway engineer. For the past few months he had been doing carpenter work for a man named Case.



OWINGS, Lorena Ann

July 15, 1910; Oregonian, p 9

"Pioneer of 1852 Dies"

Mrs. Lorena Ann Owings, an Oregon pioneer of 1852, died on Saturday, July 10, at the home of her son, John S. Owings, at Elliott Prairie. She had suffered two years from an injury sustained in a fall, during which time she was almost entirely helpless. The injury, together with old age, was the cause of death. She was buried in the Hubbard Cemetery. Mrs. Owings crossed the plains with her parents, arriving in the Willamette Valley in 1853. In the Autumn of 1853 she was married to Charles Henry Owings. Soon after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Owings settled on Elliott Prairie. Mr. Owings died eight years ago. Mrs. Owings leaves one daughter, Mrs. Casto, and three sons, George, John and William, all residents of Elliott Prairie.

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OSBORN, Stephen C.

Feb. 28, 1922; Oregonian, p 12

Stephen C. Osborn

Oregon City, Or., Feb. 27

Stephen C. Osborn, a former resident of Sandy, and for the past three months residing in Willamette, died at the family home this morning, aged 70. He was a native of Ohio. For many years Mr. Osborn engaged in farming in Sandy, but for the past few years had retired. He is survived by his widow, Nancy Osborn of Willamette, and a son. Two daughters live in California, and Percy L. Osborn, also of that place. Arrangements for the funeral will be made as soon as word is heard from them.

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OAK, George

July 1, 1928; Oregonian, p 17

Sandy, Or., June 30

George Oak, 65, died at Cherryville June 26, where he lived 26 years. Rev. H. V. Wilhelm, Gresham, conducted the funeral rites here today. Interment was at Cherryville. Mr. Oak was born in New York. Surviving are three brothers, William, John and Andrew of Sandy; one brother and two sisters in Michigan.

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OGLESBY, George E.

March 30, 1922; Oregonian, p 4

Canby, Or., March 29

Funeral services for George Oglesby, who died at his home near Molalla Monday night, will be held at the Rock Creek cemetery at Needy tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, and interment will be in the family lot. Mr. Oglesby was a prominent resident of Clackamas county. He was 74 years old.

April 2, 1922; Oregonian, p 4

Molalla, Or., April 1

George E. Oglesby of Molalla died March 28, aged 66. He was born at Needy, Or., in 1856. He was married to Jane Marshall in 1885. Two children survive Mr. Oglesby and one son, having died in 1892.

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OFFICER, Mary Jane

July 19, 1921; Oregonian, p 6

"Mrs. Mary Jane Officer" Silverton, Or., July 18

Mrs. Mary Jane Officer, for more than 30 years a resident of this section, died at her home, three miles northwest of here, Friday at the age of 60. Funeral services were held here yesterday and interment was in the Adams cemetery at Molalla. Mrs. Officer is survived by her husband, David Officer.

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OGLE, James Lucien

Jan. 31, 1917; Oregonian, p 3

"James Lucien Ogle Dead" Molalla, Or., Jan. 30

James Lucien Ogle died January 26 at his home three miles west of this city, from Bright's disease, aged 79 years. The funeral was held Sunday at the Church of Christ in this city, A. T. Shoemaker conducting the services. Interment was made in the Oddfellows' Cemetery. Mr. Ogle was one of the early settlers, having come to the Molalla country in 1853 from Chillicothe, Ill. He was born in Illinois in 1837, and married in 1865 to Miss Mary Sawtell, of this section. He leaves one son, Eugene Ogle, of Molalla. Mr. Ogle taught the first school in Molalla in 1872, and taught schools in different sections for 30 years.

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OWEN, Lloyd

Aug. 22, 1928; Oregonian, p 10

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21

Funeral services for Lloyd Owen, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Owen of Beaver Creek, who died yesterday from accidental discharge of a .22 caliber rifle, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Clarkes church. The lad in company with Robert Eaples, 16, had been on a hunting trip for graydiggers and rabbits. The Eaples boy had sat down, and is believed to have loaded the gun. It accidentally discharged, the bullet entering the Owen boy's side near the heart. The lad died shortly before reaching Oregon City.

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O'DELL, Emma

May 14, 1911; Oregonian, Sec. 3, p 7

"Sandy Woman Succumbs" Sandy, Or., May 13

Mrs. Emma O'Dell died at Dr. Lupton's hospital in Sandy, May 2. She was born October 11, 1863, in Nimehaw, Neb., and crossed the plains to Oregon in 1879. She was married to James O'Dell February 10, 1882, at McMinnville, Or. They lived in Yamhill County until 1889, when they came to their homestead near Salmon postoffice. She was the mother of 12 children, 11 of whom are still living. The surviving children are: George, William, John, Mrs. Gilbert Vanderhoof, Mrs. Fred Beechel, Mrs. Frank Bacon, Minnie, Mamie, Katie, Daisy and Emma. Her husband, mother, a brother and four sisters also survive.

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OAK, Eliza

June 5, 1924; Oregonian, p 20

Obituary -- Mrs. Eliza Oak

Mrs. Eliza Oak, known to hundreds of Oregon pioneers, died at her home at Truman's ranch, at the lower end of the trail to Bull Run lake, Tuesday. Mrs. Oak was formerly Mrs. Eliza Truman. Funeral services will be held today at Cherryville. Mrs. Oak was 63 years old. For many years she resided on the Truman ranch, and after the death of her husband she conducted the place herself. Five years ago she was stricken with paralysis. Shortly after she became an invalid she was married to

Andrew Oak, who owns the farm adjacent to the Truman place.



PADDOCK, Mary E.

June 18, 1918; Oregonian, p 13

"Gladstone Resident Dead" Oregon City, Or., June 17

Mrs. Mary E. Paddock, wife of J. C. Paddock, prominent resident of Clackamas County, died at the family home at Gladstone yesterday afternoon after an illness of about a week. Mrs. Paddock was born at Monmouth, Ill., in 1848 and was united in marriage to J. C. Paddock, at Kahoka, Mo., in 1867, and with her husband celebrated their golden wedding at their home at Gladstone last December. They came to Oregon in 1885. Mrs. Paddock was loved and highly respected in Clackamas County. Mrs. Paddock was a member of Meade Relief Corps, of this city, which organization will attend the funeral in a body. Survivors are her husband, J. C. Paddock, and four children, Miss Lura Paddock, Arthur D. Paddock, Harry Paddock and Miss Jessie Paddock, all of Gladstone. Funeral services will be held from the Christian Church at Gladstone Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Dunn, former pastor, officiating. Interment will be in the family lot in the Clackamas Cemetery.

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PARRY, Lorah

Sept. 18, 1921; Oregonian, p 20

Obituary --- Mrs. H. W. Parry Oregon City, Or., Sept. 17

Mrs. H. W. Parry, wife of a prominent resident of Clackamas county, died this morning at 1 o'clock at the family home at Beaver Creek, after a week's illness of heart disease and asthma. Mrs. Parry was a native of Wales, and was born April 13, 1857. She was married to Mr. Hughes in her native country. Mrs Parry is survived by her widower and the following children: Mrs. C. B. Rowland of Portland, Mrs. Richard Griffiths of Clarkes, Mrs. James Cully of Needy, Mrs. Philip Steiner of Mollalla, Mrs. Fred Bohlander of Beaver Creek, Miss Blodwen Parry of Beaver Creek, William Henry Parry and Henry Winfield Parry of Beaver Creek.

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PADDOCK, Jonathan C.

March 3, 1922; Oregonian, p 8

Oregon City,Or., March 27

Jonathan C. Paddock, ex-county treasurer of Clackamas county, prominent member of Meade post No. 2, Grand Army of the Republic, died at the family home at Gladstone yesterday after a three weeks' illness. Mr. Paddock was born at Burlington, Ia., November 10, 1842. Mr. Paddock is survived by three children, Arthur D. Paddock, a druggist at Gladstone; Miss Lura Paddock and Miss Jessie Paddock, of Gladstone, the latter a deputy in the tax department of the courthouse in this city. Funeral services, which were held from the Christian church at Gladstone this afternoon, were conducted by Rev. G. E. Williams of Foster, Or.

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William Palmer Rites Held Sunday Afternoon

[No date or name of newspaper with this submission]

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Canby Funeral home for William D. Palmer 57,

who died in his sleep after retiring Tuesday night at his home on Union Hall road. Rev. John J. Stone, pastor of the Canby Christian church officiated, and Burnell Vernon sang. Pallbearers were Paul Enterline, Abe Hepler, Norman Christiansen and Louis Gelbrich, co-workers of the late Mr. Palmer at Doernbecher Manufacturing company's Coalca sawmill, and Orville Dann and L. W. Howland of Canby lodge No. 156 I.O.O.F. Interment was in Zion Memorial park. Mr. Palmer, resident of Canby district since 1945, was a member of the Christian church in his former home city of Sheldon, Ia., and of Canby I.O.O.F. lodge. He was a native of Algona, Ia., born Nov. 10, 1894. In 1917, after his marriage to Hazel Hatch, he went to Sheldon, Ia., from which city they came west to Bremerton, Wash., in 1943 and to Canby two years later. He had worked at Doernbecher's mill since moving here. He is survived by his widow, Hazel; a son Ronald, and grandson, Jerry Joe Bales, all at the family home; a daughter, Mrs. Dolle Bales of Portland; his step mother, Mrs. E. J. Palmer of Portland; four brothers, George, of Algona, Ia., Herbert, of San Francisco, Donald of Clear Lake, Ia., and Charles, of Sheldon, Ia.; a half brother, Roger, in Algona; and three half-sisters, one in Clear Lake, one in Texas and Mrs. Wayne Christenson of Madras, Ore. Among out-of-town relatives here for the services were Mr. and Mrs. Christenson of Madras, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Palmer of San Francisco, who left Tuesday for their home; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutherland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Howerton of Kingston, Wash.; Mrs. Alice Sorensen and her mother, Mrs. Smith, of Pendleton; Mrs. Will Cole of Eureka, Mont., who is spending this week with Mrs. Palmer, her sister; and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson, nephew and niece of Mrs. Palmer, who are here this week from Kingston, Wash.

Submitted by Gayle P. Snow

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PAULING, Charles Henry  
May 15, 1919; Oregonian, p 8  
Oswego, Or., May 14

Charles Henry Pauling died at his home in this city yesterday afternoon of influenza. He was a native of Missouri, born July 12, 1847, and a veteran of the civil war. Mr. Pauling is survived by his widow and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Campbell, wife of Judge J. U. Campbell of Oregon City. The funeral services were held in the Congregational church today and interment took place in the Oswego cemetery.

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PARKER, Asa  
Dec. 12, 1914; Oregonian, p 4  
"Asa Parker, Pioneer, Dies" Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 11

Asa Parker, one of the pioneers of Oregon, died at the home of his son, Rev. William Parker at Puyallup. To the last he had the use of all of his faculties and vividly recalled pioneer days, especially concerning Oregon City, his former home, where he was in business for years. Parker was born in Greenwood, Pa., March 15, 1822. He crossed the plains before the time of the railroads, settling in Oregon. He retired from business ten years ago, and had been living with his son, Rev. Gilman Parker, who is more than 70 years old. Parker is survived by two other children and 13 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. The funeral will be in Oregon City.

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PATTERSON, Frederick W.  
Dec. 28, 1921; Oregonian, p 13  
Oregon City, Or., Dec. 27

Frederick W. Patterson, 55, a resident of Clackamas station for the past 38 years, died here of pneumonia Monday. He had been ill but a few days. Mr. Patterson is survived by his widow and five children, all of Clackamas, and a brother, Charles Patterson, of Portland, and two sisters in Scotland. Funeral services will be held from the Congregational church at Clackamas Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the Clackamas cemetery.

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PADDISON, Eliza

May 30, 1922; Oregonian, p 4

Mrs. Eliza Paddison

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Paddison of Gladstone, Or., will be held tomorrow at the Brady undertaking parlors at Oregon City. The services will be conducted at 2 o'clock and burial will be in Mount Scott cemetery. Mrs. Paddison was 71 years of age and died at her home in Gladstone Saturday afternoon. She was born in Devonshire, England, coming as a girl to Canada, where she lived until 20 years ago. She then came to Oregon and made her home with a son, F. A. Paddison of Portland. Surviving in the immediate family are three sons, O. H. Paddison of Eagle Creek, F. A. Paddison of Portland, and A. S Paddison of Yakima, Wash.; also a daughter, Mrs. Edward Marble of this city. Mrs. Paddison was a member of the Highland Baptist church, where she worked faithfully up to the sickness causing her death.

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PHROL, Fred

Oct. 27, 1908; Oregonian, p 1

"Fred Phrol Dies Suddenly" Wilsonville, Or., Oct. 26

Fred Phrol, former general superintendent of the construction of the bridge for the Oregon Electric line here, and now general roadmaster of the same line, died at the St. Vincent Hospital this morning at 5:30 o'clock, after a brief illness. He was 47 years old and left a wife, a stepson and stepdaughter.

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PFISTER, Annie

Dec. 13, 1910; Oregonian, p 11

"Mrs. Annie Pfister Dead" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 12

Mrs. Annie Pfister died yesterday evening at the home of her son, J. Pfister, in New Era. She was a native of Germany, and was 73 years of age. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at New Era.

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PHELPS, Thomas D.

March 12, 1920; Oregonian, p 16

Obituary --- Thomas D. Phelps

Thomas D. Phelps of Sandy, Or., and for many years a farmer in the Bull Run district, died at his home in Sandy Sunday. Mr. Phelps had been a resident of Oregon since 1881, when he came to this state from Livermore, Cal. After spending about 30 years on the farm, Mr. and Mrs. Phelps moved to Sandy. Mr. Phelps was a veteran of the Civil war. His ancestors came originally from Fewkesbury, England. William Phelps, an ancestor, with his wife and family, came to New England in the ship Mary, landing at Wantasket, Mass., in 1630. Mrs. Phelps died in November, 1916. Six children survive.

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PIERSON, David Crockett  
Nov. 26, 1916; Oregonian, p 5  
"Pioneer Stockman Dies"  
Oregon City, Or., Nov. 25

David Crockett Pierson, pioneer stockman, died last night at the home of his niece, Mrs. John Mezzner, at Beaver Creek. Death was due to pneumonia. He was born 72 years ago in Indiana and came to Oregon when very young. He never married. The body will be sent to Hillsboro for interment.

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PHILLIPS, Mrs. C. M.  
Feb. 26, 1915; Oregonian, p 1  
"Whitman Pioneer Dies" Oregon City, Or., Feb. 25

Mrs. C. M. Phillips, aged 84, one of the members of the Whitman party which crossed the plains in 1843, died at Clackamas, near here, tonight, following an illness of a few days. Mrs. Phillips was born in Indiana. She is survived by five children, Albert Phillips, Oregon City; Bert Philips, Portland; John Phillips, North Yakima, Wash.; Mrs. Emma Jones, Clackamas, Or. and Mrs. Hattie Robinson, of Clackamas.

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PHILLIPS, William  
Oct. 30, 1917; Oregonian, p 5  
"Pioneer of 1846 Dead" Oregon City, Or., Oct. 29

William Phillips, an Oregon pioneer, died at the family home at Clackamas Saturday night at 9 o'clock at the age of 90 years. Funeral services under Spiritualist auspices are to be at the Methodist Church at Clackamas Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Clackamas Cemetery. William Phillips was born in Indiana, September 14, 1827, and crossed the plains with his parents in 1846. The family settled at Clackamas Station, where Mr. Phillips had resided most of his life. He was married to Miss Charity Mills, of Clackamas County, in 1848. Five of nine children survive. They are: William A. and John, of North Yakima, Wash.; Alvis W., of Oregon City; Mrs. Emma Jones and Mrs. Hattie Robinson, of Clackamas. He is also survived by 22 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild. Two brothers and a sister also survive him. The Patrons of Husbandry will attend the funeral in a body.

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PITTMAN, Ephraim  
July 7, 1914; Oregonian, p 11  
"Pioneer Passes at Molalla" Molalla, Or., July 6

Ephraim Pittman, a pioneer who crossed the plains in 1862, passed away here July 4. He had been a suffered from Bright's disease for some time and his death was not unexpected. His wife died about a year ago. He is survived by two sons and two daughters. He was buried in the Oddfellows' Cemetery on Sunday.

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PRICE, Richard  
Jan. 30, 1913; Oregonian, p 10 (photo)  
"Richard Price is Buried"

The funeral services of Richard Price, a pioneer, who died Tuesday at his home, 318 East Thirty-ninth street, was held yesterday from Holman's chapel, and the services were concluded at the Portland Crematorium. He was born in Montgomeryshire, Wales, December 24, 1835, and landed in New York July 7, 1856. When the war broke out he enlisted in Company G, Thirty-Third Regiment Ohio Volunteers, under Colonel O. T. Tanner, serving three months. In 1863 he crossed the continent to Stockton, Cal., by way of Nicaragua, where he engaged in mining. Moving to Oregon, he resided in Oregon City and furnished rock for the foundation of the Oregon City Woolen Mills. He returned to California, but after a short stay there returned to Portland. He bought 45 acres on Hawthorne avenue and East Thirty-ninth street, and the trail which he cut to his place became Hawthorne avenue. He was married to Miss Eunice Jane Quimby, daughter of E. L. Quimby, a pioneer of 1847. The following children survive: Mary Price, Richard W. Price and Margaret J. Bollam. He was a member of Orient Lodge, No. 17, Oddfellows, and Sumner Post, No. 12, Grand Army of the Republic, which assisted at the funeral.

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POPE, S. D.

Dec. 20, 1910; Oregonian, p 7 (photo)

"Host of Friends Mourn Death of Pioneer and Educator" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 19

The lamentable news was received today of the death last Saturday at his home in Victoria, B. C., of Professor S. D. Pope, 60 years old, for many years a prominent educator in the schools of this city. Professor Pope was born in Canada and graduated from Queen's College, Kingston, at the age of 19 years. He taught for a short time in his home province, and came to Oregon City in the late '60's. He taught for three months at Canemah, and then took up the work in the Oregon City Seminary, at that time a city school standing where the Barclay does now. He taught in the city schools for many years, but later was instructor in a private school. In the '70's Professor Pope moved to Victoria, B. C., where he taught for many years, and where he resided at the time of his death. After a successful career in the schools of Victoria, he was made Superintendent of Education for the Province of British Columbia, but at the time of his death he was teaching in a girls' school at Victoria. While living in Oregon City he was married to Miss Lottie Buck, a daughter of W. W. Buck, a pioneer. He leaves a wife and six children. Professor Pope was regarded as a wonderful educator, and his friends include a host of former pupils in this city and Victoria. Professor Pope was early given the degrees of A.M and B.A., and while teaching at Victoria his alma mater conferred upon him the degree of LL.D. The funeral was held from his late home, Victoria, Monday at 3 pm.

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PRESTON, James H.

August 2, 1910; Oregonian, p 9

"Pioneer is Buried"

In the death of James H. Preston, at his home in Eagle Creek district, Clackamas County, a few days ago, there passed away a well-known pioneer. Mr. Preston was born in Bedford County, Virginia, March 10, 1827, and came with his parents to Missouri. When 21 years of age, he enlisted a company of mounted volunteers and served through the Mexican War. He went to California in 1849 and came to Oregon in 1853. He located at first in Brownsville, and afterwards moved to Eagle Creek, where he lived till his death. He is survived by his widow, to whom he was married in 1858, and the following children: James T. Preston, of Berkeley, Cal.; George B. and Harry W. Preston, of Eagle Creek. The funeral was conducted last Tuesday by Rev. A. Thompson.

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POTTER, Clara

April 1, 1915; Oregonian, p 5

"Miss Clara Potter Dies" Oregon City, Or., March 31

Miss Clara Potter, a member of a pioneer Willamette Valley family and a native of this city, died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Potter, Fifth and Monroe streets, last night after an illness of two years. Miss Potter was born December 28, 1856, and has spent all of her life in this county. She is survived by her mother, one sister, Emma Potter, of this city, and Gilbert C. Potter, of Camas, Wash. The funeral services will be held Friday at the Episcopal Church, Rev. P. K. Hammond officiating. Interment will be made in Mountain View Cemetery.

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PRAEGER, Louise (Streber)

Sept. 4, 1917; Oregonian, p 7

"Mrs. Louise Praeger Dies" Oregon City, Or., Sept. 3

Mrs. Louise Praeger, widow of Louis Praeger, died at the home of her son, Paul Praeger, at Parkplace, Sunday, after an illness of several months, due to a fall which broke her hip. Mrs. Praeger was born at Hanover, Germany, November 18, 1836, and came to the United States at 10 years of age with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Streber. Mrs. Praeger is survived by three children, Mrs. Bertha Bryant, of Robtown, Texas; Mrs. Lena Zinzerling and Paul Praeger, of Parkplace. Funeral services will be conducted from the Praeger residence Tuesday at 2 p.m., Rev. Mr. Smith, of the Parkplace Congregational Church, officiating. Interment will be in Clackamas Cemetery.

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POTTER, Mary Elizabeth (Patterson)

Nov. 14, 1915; Oregonian, p 10

"Woman Pioneer is Dead" Oregon City, Or., Nov. 13

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Potter, a pioneer of Oregon City of 1853 and a cousin by marriage of the late Bishop Potter, of New York, died at her home in Oregon City, Friday after an illness of four years. Her two children, Mrs. Emma Potter Davis, of this city and Gilbert C. Potter, of Camas, Were at her bedside. Mary Elizabeth Patterson was born at Peoria, Ill., July 11, 1838, and crossed the plains in an oxcart in 1853, settling in Oregon City. On May 15, 1855, she was married to Robert Potter, who died in 1901. Mansfield Patterson, her father, was County Assessor in 1872 and prominent in the pioneer history of the North Willamette Valley.



QUINN, William W.

Feb. 21, 1922; Oregonian, p 5

"William W. Quinn" Oregon City, Or., Feb 20

William W. Quinn, one of the most prominent residents and pioneers of Oregon City, died at the family home at Canemah Sunday evening. Death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Quinn was born in Waterford county, Ireland, November 14, 1840, and came to the United States with his parents when he was nine years old. For many years he was employed by the Portland Flouring mills. Mr. Quinn is survived by his children: William W. Quinn Jr. of Almota, Wash.; Ferd, Frank, Miss Ella Quinn of Oregon City; Mrs. Clara Bruce, Miss Adele Quinn, Mrs. Theo McLaren of

Portland; Miss Charlotte Quinn of Oregon City; two grandchildren, Robert and Jean McLaren of Portland, and a sister, Mrs. Johanne LaTeau of Springfield, Mass. Funeral services will be held from the St. John's Catholic church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, with Monsignor A. Hillebrand, pastor, officiating. Interment will be in the Canemah cemetery beside his wife, who died in 1908.



REYNOLDS, Clara Deeming

Dec. 26, 1934; Oregonian, p 8

"Clara Reynolds Taken by Death" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 25

Clara Deeming Reynolds, 76, wife of Frank W. Reynolds, died yesterday at the family home. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock in the Portland crematorium. Mrs. Reynolds is survived by her widower, two sons and two daughters, Edward L. Reynolds of Seattle, Frank J. Reynolds of Marysville, Wash.; Ruth Ready of Wauna, Or., and Clara Cheney.

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RAMBO, William

Aug. 10, 1912; Oregonian, p 5

"William Rambo Dead" Oregon City, Or., Aug. 9

William Rambo, for 28 years a resident of Oregon City, died at his home, 511 Adams street, early this morning, after an illness from Bight's disease of about a year. Mr. Rambo was born near Davenport, Ia., in 1853, and is survived by his widow and nephew, J. Hammer, of Oregon City. He and Miss Etta Buckles were married in Parsons, Kan., in January, 1879. They came to Oregon City in 1884, Mr. Rambo's mother, Mrs. M. Kayes, and his sister, Mrs. Greenley, live in Lents. Another sister, Mrs. J. Murrow, lives in Hillsboro. Another sister and a brother live in Oklahoma.

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RABER, Jacob

Oct. 18, 1912; Oregonian, p 15

"Jacob Raber to Be Buried" Oregon City, Or., Oct. 17

The funeral of Jacob Raber, the 83-year-old pioneer who died in Portland Wednesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. Feichtinger, will be held here Saturday morning. Services will be held at the St. Johns church at 10 o'clock in the morning.

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REVENUE, John

Feb. 17, 1911; Oregonian, p 18

March 27, 1931; Oregonian, p 12

"John Revenue, 75, Dies" Sandy, Or., March 26

John Revenue, 75, the first white child born in the Sandy valley and president of the Sandy Pioneer association, died at his farm home in the Kelso district near here today. Mr. Revenue was the son of Francis Revenue who established the first trading post in the Sandy country in 1853. The son was born three years later. He spent his entire life in this section and is regarded as its best known resident. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Emma Miller, now in Texas; two sons, Homer, who resides near his father, and Ray of Oregon City; and a sister, Mrs. Alice Webster of Portland. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday from the Sandy grange hall. Charles Sievers, Oregon City attorney and lifelong friend of the family, will deliver the funeral oration.

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REVENUE, Edward A.

February 27, 1913; Oregonian; p 9

"Pioneer Buried at Sandy"

The funeral of Edward A. Revenue, a pioneer farmer living near Sandy, who died February 21, was held Sunday with interment in the family cemetery. Harvey E. Cross, of Oregon City, conducted the services. Mr. Revenue was born on this farm, owned by his father, the late Francis Revenue, July 15, 1864. Mr. Revenue after residing in different parts of Oregon and Idaho, returned to the home place, where he had lived for the past 16 years. He was married to Mrs. Myra Flynn, October 13, 1895, who survives him. He is also survived by a daughter, Alice Ruth Revenue, at home; two sisters, Mrs. A. Roberts of California, and Mrs. Webster of Portland, and two brothers, John Revenue of Sandy and Theodore Revenue of Fort Klamath.

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RAMBO, I. G.

Sept. 16, 1909; Oregonian, p 1

"Man Dies as He Sleeps" Oregon City, Or., Sept. 15

I. G. Rambo was found dead in his bed this morning at his home in Green Point by his brother, Captain Rambo. He had died during the night of heart disease. He was born in Davenport, Ia., August 17, 1853, and came to Oregon in 1886 and settled at Salem, living there eight years, when he came to Oregon City, where he had since resided. Rambo was a plasterer by trade. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lotto Greenlee, of Lents, Or., a sister at Russellville, Kan., a mother at Lents and three brothers, W. and Captain S. Rambo, of Oregon City, and Murrow Rambo, of Portland.

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RAKEL, Fred

Nov. 23, 1909; Oregonian, p 10

"Oregon City Loses Pioneer" Oregon City, Or., Nov. 22

Fred Rakel, for many years a resident of this city, died at 5 o'clock this morning, following a stroke of apoplexy, which occurred about two months ago. He was born in Hanover, Germany, February 16, 1844, and came to the United States in 1870, living five years in Chicago and other sections of Illinois before coming to Oregon City, where he made his home until his death. Six children survive him: Mrs. Peter Winkel, August, George, Herman, William and Minnie Rakel. The funeral services will be held Thursday morning. The interment will be in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery.

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REVENUE, Francis

June 8, 1909; Oregonian; p 18

"Francis Revenue is Ill; Aged Pioneer of Eastern Multnomah Not Expected to Recover"

Francis Revenue, one of the best known pioneers of Eastern Clackamas County, living on his farm near Sandy, on the Mount Hood road, is very ill of dropsy at his home, and is not expected to recover. He is in a very feeble condition and is unable to talk. For some time past Mr. Revenue has slept most of the time sitting in his chair, but is unable to lie down. He was one of the most interesting characters in the early history of the state. It was largely through his intervention that many troubles with Indians were avoided. The redskins had great confidence in him and relied on his judgment. Mr. Revenue was born in New Orleans September 12, 1813, which now makes him 97 years of age. Before coming to Oregon he was a sailor and made three trips around the world. In

1853 he came to Oregon and took in his farm near Sandy at the Revenue hill on the old emigrant road, and was useful in pacifying the Indians when they were inclined to be ugly, and in helping the emigrants up the Revenue hill. Mr. Revenue has encouraged improvement of roads. He served as road supervisor and school director. He belongs to Lone Pine Lodge of Masons. Before he became enfeebled by old age and sickness, Mr. Revenue was a most interesting talker, being full of information of early history.

June 23, 1909; Oregonian; p 11 (photo)

"F. Revenue Is Dead; One of Best-Known Pioneers of State Passes"

Francis Revenue was born in New Orleans, September 13, 1813; and when he was 5 years old his parents returned to their home in France, and the lad was left in the care of an uncle, with whom he remained until 16 years of age, when he learned the cooper trade. later he became a sailor, and made several voyages around the world. In 1853 he crossed the plains to Oregon and located upon his farm near Sandy, where he secured 320 acres of land. He engaged in general farming and dairying. He was a progressive citizen of the neighborhood. In the early days he established himself in friendly relations with the Indians, and because of their confidence in him, he was able to prevent much trouble between them and the emigrants who traveled past his home. Mr. Revenue built the first bridge over the Sandy River, and aided in establishing schools and improving the roads of that neighborhood. Mr. Revenue was married in 1849 to Miss Leda A. Lawrence, and to them nine children were born, of whom the following survive: John H. of Sandy; Lucy of California; Matilda and Alice of Portland; Edward A. of Sandy; Dode Revenue of Klamath Falls, and Lawrence of Sandy. Mr. Revenue is kindly remembered by many pioneers of the Northwest. He was a member of Lone Pine Lodge of Masons.

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RAMSBY, R. C.

March 30, 1909; Oregonian, p 5

"Rev. R. C. Ramsby is Dead"

Rev. R. C. Ramsby, well known throughout Western Oregon, died last night at his home, 1082 Milwaukie avenue, near Midway, from the infirmities of age. Mr. Ramsby was born in Ohio in 1823, and came to Oregon in 1868, first settling in Clackamas County. He was elected a member of the Legislature in 1878, and in 1880 he was elected Sheriff of Marion County, serving one term. For 33 years he made his home in Silverton, and lived in Salem during his term of Sheriff, after which he returned to Silverton. Seven years ago he moved to Portland where he has lived ever since. From his early manhood he was a Methodist preacher and remained a member of that church through his life. He was a man of excellent character and highly respected, although he had decided and independent opinions of his own. At his death Mr. Ramsby was surrounded by his entire family. He is survived by his widow and the following children: E. B. Ramsby, Klamath Falls, Or.; Marshall Ramsby, of Silverton; Maxwell Ramsby, of Oregon City; Mrs. Athalia Nelson, of Oregon City; Mrs. J. S. Blair, Mrs. W. O. Waddel and C. E. Ramsby, of Portland. The family will leave this afternoon with the body for the old home at Silverton, where the funeral will be held tomorrow.

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RAINEY, Samuel

June 24, 1908; Oregonian, p 8

"Death of Samuel Rainey" Oregon City, Or., June 23

Samuel Rainey died at 11 o'clock last night at his home in Estacada. Death was due to heart trouble. He was past 70 years of age. Mr. Rainey came to Oregon immediately after the close of the Civil War. He is survived by a wife and the following children: Ben, of Gresham; Harley, of Portland;

Charles, George, William, Mrs. Robert Guttridge, Mrs. Lena Dean, of Estacada; Mrs. Bert Whitehead, of California.

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RIGGS, Elisha

Nov. 10, 1921; Oregonian, p 8

Obituary --- Elisha Riggs Canby, Or., Nov. 9

Elisha Riggs, well known in this city, died at Vasalia, Cal., this morning, according to word received here. It is probably that his body will be brought to Canby for burial. His wife died here last July. Mr. Riggs was born on April 11, 1841, and moved to the Macksburg country, near Canby, in 1847. He was 84 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by a daughter and son, Edward Riggs, with whom he made his home at Visalla, and Mrs. Olive Hartel of Canby.

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RICHARDSON, Sidney Daniel

Feb. 17, 1911; Oregonian, p 18

"Oregon City Pioneer Dead" Oregon City, Or., Feb. 16

Sidney Daniel Richardson, who died here this week, was 67 years of age the day before death. He was born February 11, 1844. Mr. Richardson was reported to have been the first white, child born in Oregon City. He made his home here continuously, living at the home of his sister, Mrs. Theodore Clark, at the corner of Sixth and Monroe streets.

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RICH, George P.

Nov. 21, 1908; Oregonian, p 9 (photo)

"Minister's Death Sudden"

In the death of Rev. George P. Rich of Boring, last week, at Molalla, where he had been holding services, there passed a well known minister and veteran of the Civil War. Friday, November 13, while on the way to church he was stricken with paralysis and died the following Monday. He was born August 16, 1847, in Crawford County, Illinois, and received his education in the public schools of that state. He enlisted in the Union Army and served with credit in a number of engagements, being discharged at Nashville, Tenn., at the close of the war. March 29, 1865, he was married to Miss Nancy Hickey, and they came to Oregon by way of California in 1875, arriving in May of that year. Shortly afterwards he took up a homestead in the eastern part of Clackamas County, on which he resided till death. He began preaching in 1873 and was engaged in evangelistic work when stricken. He is survived by his widow and eight children. The funeral was held Monday, and the interment was in Damascus Cemetery.

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RINGO, Mary Louise

Jan. 22, 1930; Oregonian, p 15

Estacada, Or., Jan. 21

Funeral services were held here yesterday for Mrs. Mary Louise Ringo, 93, who died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Branch Tucker. She was born in Arkansas. She married William Garrett, who served through the civil war but died in 1865. Mrs. Horner, with four small children, in 1867, crossed the plains to Oregon with ox teams, the trip requiring six months. They located at Highland. In 1875 she was married to Joseph Ringo, who died several years ago, since which time she has lived with a son and a daughter. Interment was in the Springwater cemetery.

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RIVERMAN, Charles

April 16, 1912; Oregonian, p 20

"Central Point Man Dies" Oregon City, Or., April 15

Charles Riverman died at the family home at Central Point, near New Era, Saturday night, after an illness of only 24 hours, of Bright's disease and paralysis. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock AM. at the Catholic Church at New Era, Father Mathews officiating. Mr. Riverman was born June 24, 1850, in Germany, and September 9, 1884, married Otell Stephani, who survives him. Besides his widow the following children survive: Carl, Frank, Bernard, Albon, Alfred, Mrs. Annie Kuemper, Miss Katherine and Miss Clara Riverman. A brother, August, lives at Cornelius, Or.

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RISLEY, Charles W.

Aug. 14, 1917; Oregonian, p 13

"Charles W. Risley Dies" Oregon City, Or., Aug. 13

Charles W. Risley, member of the House of Representatives in the 1915 Legislature, died tonight at his home at Risley Station on the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company line. Mr. Risley was a prominent lodge man and the principal shareholder in the Broadway building, Portland. He was born on the donation land claim where the Risley home now is, August 1, 1858. He is survived by his widow and four children --- Jacob S., all-star center on the University of Oregon football team; Ralph W., Risley Station; Mrs. Ethelyn Bradshaw, The Dalles; Miss Olive R. Risley, Risley Station. He was an Elk, a member of Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, of Masons, and a Shriner. Mrs. Harvey Starkweather was a sister and John Risley, a brother. Both live at Risley Station.

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ROBBINS, Martin

July 21, 1922; Oregonian, p 12

Martin Robbins Oregon City, Or., July 20

Martin Robbins, one of the most prominent residents of Clackamas county, a pioneer of Oregon, died yesterday at the family home at Robbins station. He was 84 years old. Funeral services will be held at the Holman & Pace chapel here tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in Adams cemetery, Molalla.

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ROHEL, Mary

July 24, 1921; Oregonian, p 2

"Mrs. Mary Rohel Dies" Oregon City, Or., July 23

Mrs. Mary Rohel, well known pioneer of Clackamas county, died at the home of her son, A. L. Jones, near Mulino, this morning after several weeks' illness. Mrs. Rohel was 84 years of age, came to Oregon with her parents in 1867, and since that time had made Clackamas county her home. After the death of her first husband, Mr. Jones, she was married to Mr. Rohel, who was accidentally killed in the woolen mills a number of years ago. Mrs. Rohel is survived by her sons, W. H. Jones of Newport, Or., A. L. Jones of Mulino, Clackamas county; Lee Jones of Philomath, Or.

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RYAN, Thomas F.

Oct. 21, 1923; Oregonian, p 19 (photo)

"Thomas F. Ryan Passes" Oregon City, Or., Oct. 20

Thomas F. Ryan, one of the most prominent residents of Clackamas county, died suddenly this morning at 3 o'clock at his home at Gladstone. His death was attributed to heart disease.

Judge Ryan, who was president of the Bank of commerce, was at his desk Friday and the previous day made a trip to Wilhoit on legal business. On retiring Friday night he appeared to have improved following an attack of indigestion. Early this morning his 17-year-old daughter, Virginia, whose room adjoined his, heard her father groan and hastening to his bedside found him unconscious. She summoned her sister Elizabeth, and also her brother Marshall, who resides close by. Judge Ryan died before the arrival of the family physician. Judge Ryan's death cast a gloom over the city.

Judge Ryan held many offices of trust here. Besides being president of the Bank of Commerce, he was also mayor of Oregon City for a year, city recorder for six years, county judge for eight years, deputy state treasurer eight years and state senator, filling the unexpired term of the late Walter A. Dimick, in fraternal work he was also prominent.

Thomas Franklin Ryan was born at Providence, R. I., April 8, 1859, and was educated in the public schools of Rhode Island and Massachusetts. For 40 years he had resided in Oregon City. He is survived by his daughters, Virginia and Elizabeth Ryan of Gladstone; his sons, Marshall T. Ryan of Gladstone and Donald J. Ryan of Salem; a sister, Mrs. Andrew Healey of Lowell, Mass., and a grandchild, Marshall T. Ryan Jr., of Gladstone. Mrs. Ryan died a year ago. Funeral services will be held from the Oddfellows' temple Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Masonic plot of Mountain View cemetery.

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ROBINSON, William H.

May 2, 1916; Oregonian, p 13

"Robinson Funeral Held"

Funeral services for William H. Robinson, late cashier of the Pacific States Fire Insurance Company, were conducted yesterday at 1 p.m., from the Finley undertaking chapel, with Christian Science ritual. The body was taken to Clackamas, the family home, where it was laid to rest in the Clackamas Cemetery. Services at the grave were conducted by the Scout Young Camp, Spanish War Veterans, of which Mr. Robinson had been a member. Pallbearers were selected from the ranks of Mr. Robinson's comrades.

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RUGG, Arthur

Jan. 7, 1910; Oregonian, p 7

"Oregon City Woman Dies" Oregon City, Or., Jan. 6

Arthur Rugg, of this city, has been advised of the death of his mother, Mrs. M. L. Rugg, and wife of a former pastor of the Baptist Church of this city. Mrs. Rugg, accompanied by her husband, left New Westminster, B. C., last April, for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Edna Hubbard, at Columbus, Ohio, and it was there she was taken ill. Paralysis was the immediate cause of Mrs. Rugg's death. The interment will be at Hamilton, N. Y., former home of the deceased. Mrs. Rugg was born in the State of New York, March 2, 1855, and was 54 years of age. She is survived by her husband and three children---Arthur, of New Westminster, B. C.; Mrs. Edna Hubbard, of Columbus, Ohio, and Arthur E., of this city.

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ROBERTS, Edwin W.

June 11, 1920; Oregonian, p 4

Obituary --- Edwin W. Roberts Oregon City, Or., June 10

Edwin W. Roberts, son of early Oregon pioneers, died at the family home at Eighth and Washington streets, today after a short illness. Mr. Roberts was born in Oregon City, November 17, 1868. Twenty-seven years ago he obtained a position in the office of the Crown Willamette Paper company, and had since been employed by that company. Mr. Roberts is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mary, 4 years old; four sisters, Mrs. Frank Jaggard of Carus, Mrs. Jennie May, Mrs. Grace Marlborough, Miss Sarah Roberts, the latter two being residents of Oregon City.

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ROBBINS, O. W.

Dec. 22, 1921; Oregonian, p 20

"O. W. Robbins" Oregon City, Or., Dec. 21

O. W. Robbins, pioneer of Clackamas county, died suddenly at the family home at Molalla yesterday from heart disease at the age of 87 years. Mr. Robbins was a native of Indiana and came across the plains to Oregon in the early 50's, settling in Molalla. He is survived by his widow of Molalla and the following children: O. W. Robbins, Miss Ipha Robbins, Mrs. Martha Kayler, Mrs. Della Shaver, L. W. Robbins, Everman Robbins, all of Molalla, Or., and Mrs. Nettie Kayler of Dallas.

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ROBBINS, Oliver

Nov. 17, 1933; Oregonian, p 13

"Last Oregon 1852 Pioneer is Dead, Kin of Lincoln" Molalla, Or., Nov. 17

Oliver Robbins, 93 years old, claimed to be a distant cousin of Abraham Lincoln and who is believed to be the last of Oregon's pioneers of 1852, died at his home here yesterday. He was born in Indiana, June 1, 1840, one of eleven children of Sarah and Jacob Robbins, and came with his family to Oregon when he was 12 years old. He and Mrs. Mary Jane Robbins celebrated their sixty-eighth wedding anniversary here two weeks ago. Robbins is survived by his widow, two children, five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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RYAN, Inez Naomi (Marshall)

March 9, 1922; Oregonian, p 16 (photo)

Oregon City, Or., March 8

Mrs. Inez Naomi Ryan, wife of Judge Thomas F. Ryan, died this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the family home near Gladstone. Mrs. Ryan had been an invalid for seven years. Mrs. Ryan was born in Oregon City on April 25, 1869, and was the daughter of the late Andrew J. and Sarah Rebecca Marshall, early Oregon pioneers. She was a teacher in the Harrison street school of Portland for several years. In 1904 she was elected associate grand matron of the grand chapter and served as worthy grand matron in 1905. The family moved to Salem, where Judge Ryan was assistant state treasurer. Mrs. Ryan was the mother of five children, Marshal Ryan of Gladstone, Donald Ryan, a student of the Willamette university, Salem; Elizabeth and Virginia, aged 13 years, two of triplets born in 1906, the third child having died. Funeral services will be held from St. Paul's Episcopal church in this city Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. A. Cleland, rector, will officiate. Interment will be in Mountain View cemetery.

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ROMAN, Joseph A.

Nov. 9, 1921; Oregonian, p 15

"Joseph A. Roman Dies" Oregon City, Or., Nov. 8

Joseph A. Roman, civil war veteran, died today at his home on the Rose farm, east of this city, at the age of 84 years. He had lived here since 1900. Mr. Roman was born at Rowlandsville, Md., in 1837 and served in the civil war with the famous Pennsylvania "Bucktail" regiment. He was wounded at the battle of South Mountain. Following this he received the rank of lieutenant. He was married during the war to Alice Milner, who survives him. Mrs. John W. Gerber of Portland is a daughter. Other children living in Oregon are Mrs. D. F. Adcox, Mrs. G. L. Snidow, Miss Harriet and Miss Emma Roman. Mrs. W. E. Boone, a daughter, and W. H. Roman, a son, live at Wableau, Mo. Twenty-one grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren survive. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

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ROBBINS, Thomas

Nov. 2, 1913; Oregonian, p 14 (photo)

"Molalla Early Pioneer Settler, Born in Indiana, Passes Away" Molalla, Or., Nov. 1

The death of Thomas Robbins Sunday night removed another of the original pioneers of this section and the state. He was born in Decatur County, Indiana, in 1836. When 16 years of age he crossed the plains by ox-team with an emigrant train. The family settled in what was then known as Salem Prairie. In 1860 he moved to what is now the city of Molalla. Many of the family and their descendants now live there and are among the most prominent citizens. He is survived by a widow, two sons and four daughter, and brothers, Harvey Robbins, Spokane; Levi Robbins, Molalla; Martin Robbins, Oregon City; Oliver Robbins, Molalla; Nancy Jane Gilliam, Pilot Rock, Or.; Mrs. N. Loveridge, Weston, Or., and Mrs. E. T. Benson, Portland.

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ROGERS, Alice M.

July 21, 1938; Oregon City Enterprise, p 6

Obituary --- Mrs. Alice Rogers

Mrs. Alice M. Rogers, an Oregon City resident for the past 5 years, died yesterday afternoon, following a brief illness. Mrs. Rogers was born January 31, 1870, in Wisconsin, and came west 10 years ago, making her home in Portland for about 5 years until coming to this city. Mrs. Robers is survived by two daughters and a son, Mrs. Robert (Zelma) Weisman, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. Charles (Melba) Bloomhuff, Green Bay, Wis. and J. B. Caldwell, Oregon City, besides 2 grandsons, Jack and Jimmy Caldwell, Oregon City. The body is at Holman & Hankins mortuary.

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ROBBINS, Levi

Dec. 27, 1921; Oregonian, p 17

Obituary --- Levi Robbins Oregon City, Dec. 26

Many friends attended the funeral services for Levi Robbins, prominent early pioneer of Molalla, held at the family residence at that place Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. A. T. Shoemake of Molalla officiated. Mr. Robbins was born in Decatur county, Indiana, February 28, 1835, and came to Oregon in 1852. At the age of 17 years he crossed the plains with his parents, Jacob and Sarah Robbins. He was one of ten children. He had lived on the old home place at Molalla, where he died, for the last 59 years. Mr. Robbins once was the owner of the Robbins store, of Molalla, now owned by his sons. He is survived by his brother and sisters: Harvey Robbins, aged 88 years, of Hood River; Martin Robbins, 83 years of Oregon City, route 3; Oliver Robbins, 81 years, of Molalla; Mrs. Nancy Jane Gilliam, 79 years, of Pilot Rock, Umatilla county; Mrs. Amanda Minerva Loveridge, 71 years, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Sarah Allen Benson, 64 years, of Portland; his widow, Mrs. Ediff Robbins of Molalla; his children, O. W. Robbins, Miss Ipha Robbins, Mrs. Martha Kayler, Mrs.

Della Shaver, L. W. Robbins, Everman Robbins of Molalla, and Mrs. Nettie Kayler of Dallas.



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