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Death of Mrs. Sanger.

Esther M. Thomas was born in Monroe county, New York, Dec. 11, 1819, and died at her home near Leon, Iowa, April 12, 1911, at the age of 91 years, 4 months and 1 day. She was the eldest daughter of James and Catharine Thomas, and when 24 years of age came with them to Lake county, Indiana, where she made her home for a number of years. On April 6, 1848, she was united in marriage to Leander W. Sanger, who died Nov. 12, 1881. To this union five children were born as follows: Marcus R., of Washington, Kansas, A. W., who died January 31, 1900, Leander W., of Oregon, Mrs. Esther Stewart and Geo. W., of Leon. There are also thirteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren. To all these she was fondly attached, often remembering them with letters of comfort and cheer, though she herself was lying on a bed of pain. Three of her children were present at her last sickness and death. For almost eight years she had been confined to her bed, yet uncomplainingly, and was ever thoughtful of those who ministered to her wants. She was raised among the Friends (commonly called Quakers), and firmly believed in the goodness and righteousness of these people of whom she often spoke words of praise and commendation. She was a devoted mother and her life was spent for the happiness of her family and comfort of her friends.

In 1870 the family moved to Decatur county, Iowa, where she made her home the remainder of her life. Funeral services were conducted at the residence of Mrs. James Stewart, two miles northeast of Leon, Friday afternoon by Elder J. S. Coffin, of the Christian church. The remains were laid to rest in the Leon cemetery.

"Life, we have been long together, through pleasant and through cloudy weather.

"This hard to part when friends are dear:
Perhaps 'twill cost a sigh, a tear;
Then steal away, give little warning;
Choose thine own time.
Say not, 'Good night,' but in some
brighter clime,
Bid me, 'Good morning.'"

Loren Tittle.

Loren Tittle was born in Rochester, N. Y., May 16, 1836, died at Leon, Iowa, April 14, 1911, aged 74 years, 10 months and 28 days.

His death was a shock to the community, as he had been feeling real bright and well. On Friday he was up town during the day and felt remarkably well, and in the evening entertained company until about 8:30 o'clock. Upon retiring he was taken with a hard spell of coughing which the physician said caused an inward effect from which he never rallied, passing away almost instantly. Mr. Tittle was almost a stranger in this city, having come here from Rochester, N. Y., on March 29th, and was married the same evening to Mrs. E. Yarrington, of this city, they having been acquainted during their school days 55 years ago in New York. He seemed to be perfectly contented and happy after coming to this city. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Francis Shaw, of Rochester, N. Y., who was unable to attend his funeral on account of sickness. Elder H. A. Stebbins preached the funeral sermon at the home in north Leon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the G. A. R. Post attending in a body and escorting the remains to the final resting place in the Leon cemetery.

A Card—We wish to extend to the kind neighbors and friends, and the G. A. R. Post, our heartfelt thanks for their assistance in this our time of sad affliction. Mrs. Loren Tittle and family.

Benjamin Jefferson Riddle.

Benjamin Jefferson Riddle was born in Indianapolis, Ind., June 28, 1823, and died at his home at Decatur City April 13, 1911, at the age of 87 years, 9 months and 15 days. On February 21, 1850, he was married to Amelia Radebaugh. To this union ten children were born, nine of whom together with his wife survive. He became a member of the Christian church in 1895 and remained a faithful member until called up higher. The funeral services were held at the Christian church in Decatur City Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock by Elder J. S. Coffin, of the Leon Christian church, assisted by Rev. Vanatta

of Decatur City, and Riley Buchanan, of Leon. The speaker took for his text II Timothy 4:7-8, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith, henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give me at that day, and not to me only, but also to all them that have loved His appearing." A large audience of friends and neighbors gathered to pay their last tribute of respect to this good man. His remains were laid to rest in the Decatur cemetery. In the death of Mr. Riddle the wife has lost a true and devoted companion who has journeyed with her for more than half a century; the sons and daughters a noble father, and the community a splendid citizen. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Basil Harvey Shoemaker.

The community was shocked and saddened Thursday to learn that death had entered the home of L. H. Shoemaker and taken their youngest child, Basil. It is a sad blow to the parents to lose this little one, and the heartfelt sympathy of all is with them in their dark time of sorrow.

Basil Harvey Shoemaker was born February 22, 1909, and died March 20, 1911, making his age 2 years, 1 month and 8 days.

The disease which brought the end was lung fever, following an attack of measles, the period of illness covering not quite two weeks, the little sufferer breathing his last at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Basil had been a frail child in infancy, but within the last year he seemed to gather strength and became hearty and rosy cheeked, and trudged manfully to his father's store almost daily with his sister, who will sadly miss her little playmate as time goes on.

Basil was bright beyond his years, one whom we could love and cherish fondly.

He was just learning to talk, and was endeavoring himself to the household more deeply with every passing day, and it seems particularly hard to the parents to give the little fellow up at the time when their hopes for him were the brightest.

The funeral was held at the Methodist Episcopal church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in charge of the pastor, Rev. Geo. H. Wenn, who spoke words of solace to the bereaved family.

Following the services at the church, interment was made in the old cemetery, the beloved little form being consigned tenderly to final rest.

The pall bearers were Misses Alta Severe, Jessie Adkins, Ida Bailey and Henrietta Fowler.

Alice Chandler.

Miss Alice Chandler was born in Fayette county, Ohio, April 17, 1854, and died at the county hospital April 15, 1911, at the age of 56 years, 11 months and 28 days. She came to Iowa with her parents in 1854, and settled in Decatur county, where she resided until the date of her death. Her mother died Sept. 15, 1881, and her father died Dec. 4, 1898. Deceased was a member of the Progressive Brethren church at Crown, at which place interment was made. She leaves to mourn her departure three sisters, all of whom live in Nebraska, and three brothers, as follows: G. T. Chandler, of Armour, S. D., S. D., of Riverton, Iowa, and W. S., of Leon. Funeral services were held at the home of her brother, W. S. Chandler, of this city, Monday morning at 9:00 o'clock, conducted by Elder J. S. Coffin, of the Christian church.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils of Leon School Neither Absent Nor Tardy During the Month of March, 1911.

High School—Ollive Bright, Vera Cox, Brown Caster, Eva Curry, Mary Edgington, Ralph Edgington, Sylvia Folmer, Sam Garber, Olive Gwinn, Sam Hamilton, Helen Norton, Ralph Thompson, Angie Cozad, Dee Snyder, Wilma Caster, Vergie Cox, Edith Chambers, Roy Cummins, Raymond Epperley, Linna Cummins, Ada Dale, Ruth Farquhar, Esther Henry, Delos Ackley, Ralph Ridgeway, Josephine Beavers, Mildred Avery, Nella Caine, Grace Garber, Ralph Goodman, Marea Grogan, Fust Gittinger, Deane Stiles, Robert Teale, Charlie Scott, Leland Allbaugh, Vivian Arney, Lulu Bright, Lola Brazelton, Coral Curry, Ollie Foxworthy, Zoa Gammon, Wilma Garber, Faye Hatch, Fay Macy, Bertha McKern, Emmet Mullins, Edgar Perdew, Ada Phelps, Victor Shultz, Joe Waight.

North Building.
8th Grade—Vernon Painter Nina Olsen, Pearl Phillips, Fred Epperley, Cecil Wright, Gretchen Hurst, Neal Quiet, Mabel Blatt, Marguerite Daughton, Elma Forbes, Dorothea Hull, Horry VanNostrand, Margaret McKiveen, Nina Bowman, Leal Buchanan, Grace Durell, George Perdew, Howard Sage, Andrew Scott, Mark Smith, Eva Sharp, Fern Melvin.
7th Grade—John Gates, Harry Lemley, Dewey Long, LaNelle Mullinix, Orpha Pottorff, Neil Smith, Ruth Sharp, Margaret Johnson, Clair Fletcher.

5th and 6th Grades—Barbara Peniwell, Freda Ferren, Beulah Pottorff Harland Andrew, Harry Woodard, Jane Folmer, Lynn Gardner, Lela Musselman, Marcia Wallace, Fay Dunn, Amanda Folmer, Edna Andrew Florence Williams, Frederick Parrish, Irene Buchanan, Marjorie Hoffman, Stephen Hurst, Hazel Starr, Ormand Starr, Roy Bryant, Waldo Andrew.

4th Grade—Ralph Beck, Ralph Biggs, Roy Elwell, Harry Gillham, Arthur Howard, Arthur Gardner, Wallace Officer, Willie Phillips, Vern Steen, Edward McKay, Glen Snyder, Lester Painter, Lester VanNostrand, Roy Wiley, Inez Marshall, Helen Tansey, Lucile Buchanan.

2nd and 3rd Grades—Marion Mullinix, Dorothy Beardsley, Thomas Bradfield, Gladys Gillham, Pauline Abury, Curtis Bennett, Louie Jenkins, Alma Shaw, Harold Sears, Vada

Owens, Eula Combs, Minnie Phillips, Verda McLaughlin.
1st Grade—R. G. Elwell, Velma McKay, Vera Pottorff, Walter Officer, William Ferren, Pearl Clark, Ruby Lindsey, Leo McCutchan, Harold Reeder, George Johnson, Clayton Steen, Evangeline Voelker, Bernice Alexander, Leon Benefiel, Gleason Starr, Merl Pace, Harold Pickering, South Building.

6th and 7th Grades—Frances Kentner, Teresa Tullis, Winifred Hamilton, Marion Slade, Roscoe Scott, Orville Weaver, Nellie Gloekler, Bessie Armstrong, Josephine Coder, Bertie B. Tullis, Elizabeth Daughton, Gladys Lutz, Harold Wright, Glenn Walker, Irving Little, James McHarness.

4th and 5th Grades—Martin Cessler, Earl Dodge, Roy Gunter, Glenn Kentner, Allis Moore, Pearl Perks, Morton Perks, Opha Armstrong, Marjorie Cessler, Pearl Evans, Helen Gammill, Maude Gunter, Clara McHarness, Mae McKern.

2d and 3rd Grades—Gladys Martindale, Robert Coffin, Frank Slade, Juanita Hinds, Enid Rhoades, Sarah McKern, Letha Perks, James Daughton, Leland Statzell, Albert Brooks, Clarke Smith, Curtis Bigley, Clarence Swanson.

1st Grade—Aubra Gardner, Helen Still, Ruth Hamilton, Lyman Akes, Edgar Epperley, Benjamin VanWerden, Dallas Moore, John Stockton, Wanda Allen, Ethel Jennings, Dick Brooks, Mabel Brooks, Pearl Coffin, Mamie Bright, Edgar Hansell, Freddie Tullis, Ingrid Rhoades, Everet Scott, Inez Rhoades, Ruth Hines, Roe Martindale, Willette Statzell.

School Report.

Pleasant View, Dist. No. 5, Center township. No. enrolled for eight months, 40. Those neither absent nor tardy, Josephine Garber, 7 months, Myldred Myers, 6½ months, Georgia Garber, 12 years of age, has attended school for 26 school months, being neither absent nor tardy.
Janie Evans, Teacher.

Rose Hill.

Mrs. George Wallace spent a few days last week at the home of J. O. Garner.

Mrs. Will Frost spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. John Evans. Mrs. Evans is having a seige of the measles.

Miss Estella Tuller spent Saturday night and Sunday with her friend, Miss Grace Garber.

Fay Osborne and family spent last Sunday at the home of her parents, Dide Petty and wife.

John Grogan, wife and daughter, Miss Margaret, spent Sunday at the home of Mike Griffin.

Miss Verna Linden spent Saturday night and Sunday with her friend, Miss Bertha Gammon.

Mrs. Fred Potter and daughter Reta called on Mrs. Pat Mahoney last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Dot Webster assisted Mrs. Finch with her house work the past week.
John Frost and family spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. John Evans.

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The Kentucky Jack.



This Jack is 8 years old, color iron gray, good size, weighs 1,000 pounds. Farmers who have seen this Jack say he is the best they have ever seen in this part of the country. Will stand at the James Baker place, 3 miles northwest of Leon, during the season of 1911.

TERMS—\$10.00 to insure colt to stand and suck. Persons parting with mares or removing from county, forfeit insurance and service fee becomes due at once. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

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