

Mrs. W. F. Blair.

Martha Catharine Jordan, daughter of William and Nancy Jordan, was born January 30, 1862, near Decatur City, Iowa, and died September 12, 1915, at her home in Van Wert, Iowa, aged 53 years, 7 months and 13 days. Her father died when she was but six months old and at the age of five years she moved to Garden Grove, with her mother, where she spent her childhood and grew to womanhood. The deceased early developed a remarkable commercial ability and engaged in the millinery and dressmaking business in her teens.

At the age of 23 she was united in marriage to William F. Blair, of Van Wert, at which place Mr. and Mrs. Blair have since made their home; to them were born two daughters, Fannie Ethel Lamoree and Helen Louise. Mrs. Blair was an exceptionally capable partner with her husband in building up a successful mercantile business and as a social entertainer she will never be forgotten for many a pleasant hour has been spent by friends at the Blair home where all were alike welcome.

At the age of 12 years she united with the Methodist church at Garden Grove, but at marriage transferred her membership to the same church at Van Wert, where she remained a faithful member until her death. Her place in the Aid Society can never be filled just as she filled it and she will be greatly missed there. She was also a member of the Order of Eastern Star at Weldon.

While the deceased had been a silent sufferer for many years her untimely death, which was due to an abdominal tumor, came as a shock to the family and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. W. Morrow, assisted by father Seth Samson, at the Blair home on Tuesday, Sept. 14, and interment made in the Van Wert cemetery. The pall bearers were eight nephews: H. J. Blair, W. P. Blair, A. E. Blair, John Blair, Edwin Blair, Carder Throckmorton, A. J. Tuttle and H. O. Tuttle.

She leaves to mourn her departure a husband, two daughters and her mother, Mrs. Nancy Carder of Van Wert, also three sisters, Mrs. Jane Clay of Decatur, Mrs. Minerva Tuttle of Van Wert, and Mrs. Fannie Throckmorton of Garden Grove, besides a host of very dear friends.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our gratitude to our many friends for their love, sympathy and kindness in this our great bereavement.

W. F. Blair, Mrs. E. E. Lamoree, Miss Helen Blair.

Wm. A. Machlan.

W. A. Machlan was born in Rush county, Indiana, June 30, 1854, and died at his home south of Weldon, Iowa, Sept. 10, 1915, aged 61 years, 2 months and 10 days. He was the oldest son of Geo. W. and Ellen E. Mann Machlan. He was married Sept. 7th, 1879, to Ella F. Moore, a native of Fayette county, Ohio.

To this union were born 5 sons and 7 daughters: Perry L., of Jolo Mora Province, P. I., L. Grace Jennings of Weldon, Iowa, Laura E. E. Clay, of Garwood, Tex., Geo. W. of Stapleton, Neb., Charles who died in infancy, Amy B. Cronin of Garden Grove, Mrs. J. B. Truitt, of Weldon, Esther M. Arnold of Russell, J. Howard, of Indianola, W. Russell of Weldon, Lillian who died in infancy, Pauline A. of Weldon.

In the year 1857, he with his parents moved to Iowa, locating 7 miles north of Leon which the deceased owned at the time of his death and it was here amid the privations of a pioneer life he developed into rugged manhood that stood for the best of the community in which he lived.

He joined the Methodist Episcopal church in 1872 at Fairview and at the time of his death was a member of the church at Weldon. During all this time he lived a consistent life. He stood for the purest and highest ideals in life and was a true American citizen and will be greatly missed in the home and in the councils of the county and state. He believed in the education of the people and gave of his means to the support of educational institutions.

He leaves to mourn his departure his wife and ten children, two brothers, two sisters and ten grandchildren. Six of the children were at the bedside of their father when the end came and nine were present at the funeral. He was a devoted husband, an indulgent father and a lover of his home.

The funeral services were conducted from the home by Rev. Geo. E. Mitchell, an old time friend of the deceased. Interment was at the Van Wert cemetery. The bereaved have the sympathy of the entire community.

Mrs. Lee J. Moulton.

Ollie Frances Wiley was born in Decatur county, Iowa, June 22, 1886, departed this life at Iowa City, Iowa, Sept. 8, 1915, aged 29 years, 2 months and 16 days.

She was married to Lee J. Moulton on March 6, 1906. To this union was born one son, Elbert Marion. She leaves to mourn her loss, a loving husband, one son, a father, in-law, mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Wiley, five brothers, Fred, John, Jake, Perle and Lewis, three sisters, Dollie, Dovie and Veta, besides a host of relatives and friends. Although she had been sick for months her last illness was of short duration and her death came as a shock to the community. She was taken to Iowa City on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, where she was operated upon and all that loving hands could do, was done, but after one week of suffering her spirit was taken to the God who gave it. She made her peace with her Maker and signified her willingness to go. Ollie counted her friends by her acquaintances, and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood in which she lived. She was forgetful of self in trying to help others, was of a sunny disposition, always cheerful and though she has gone from our midst her kindness and good deeds will live on forever. Nothing was too hard for Ollie to do, when it would

help or cheer some one else and especially was this true in her own home. The sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Kellerton, Sept. 11th, conducted by Rev. James Teeters and the remains laid to rest in the Kellerton cemetery.

Miss Jane McLaughlin.

Jane McLaughlin was born in Pickaway county, Ohio, June 7, 1827, and died at Cedar Falls, Iowa Sept. 13, 1915, aged 88 years, 3 months and 6 days.

Aunt Jane was the oldest of a family of six children and was the last of the family to depart from the earthly life.

Her father died in Ohio when she was 27 years old and with her mother and the other children she moved to Decatur county, Iowa, in the year 1854, making the journey from Ohio to Iowa in a wagon, entering the then prairies of the west. Unmarried throughout her entire life she continued to live with her loved ones in Decatur county until two weeks prior to her death. At that time cheerful and in fair health she went to visit her niece, Mrs. F. M. Eurtitt at Cedar Falls, Iowa. While there she was stricken and suddenly her spirit passed to its eternal rest.

At the early age of eleven years she consecrated her life to her Savior and united with the Methodist Episcopal church, later she placed her membership in the United Brethren church and after coming to Decatur county she joined the Church of Christ. As a christian her life was one of continued and ever increasing faith, loyalty and love, making others happy with her presence and her smile.

She leaves her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary McLaughlin with whom Aunt Jane lived many years, three nephews and two nieces with their families and a large number of tender friends to mourn her departure from this life.

Mrs. Leander Pullen.

Louisa Whaley was born in Crawford county, Pennsylvania, December 9, 1840. When but a small child she came with her parents to Illinois, where they settled in Rock Island county. In 1863 she was united in marriage to Leander Pullen, who preceded her to the better world in 1908. In 1878 they removed with their children to Decatur county, which place has since been their home. To this union were born ten children, five of whom are waiting their mother on the other side. The remaining five are Mrs. Ida McClure of Council Bluffs, Mrs. Eva Dobson, Mrs. Ada McDowell, Mrs. Jennie Miller and Chester Pullen, all of Decatur county. She leaves besides, nineteen grandchildren and friends whom are only numbered by her acquaintance. Mrs. Pullen departed this life for the better world September 14, 1915, being 64 years, 9 months and 5 days old. She was a loving, tender mother, a kind neighbor and above all a faithful consistent christian, letting her light shine on all about her and was always found, when possible. Truly she has gone to her reward.

Funeral services were held at the Davis City M. E. church on Wednesday, Sept. 15th, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. Y. Howe, and notwithstanding the bad weather there was a large attendance, testifying to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Mrs. Christina Leopold Seuter.

Christina Leopold Seuter was born in Wittenborg, Germany, Nov. 28, 1827, and died at Centerville, Iowa, Sept. 14, 1915. She came to Ohio with her parents in 1839, and was married to Beverly Hogan in 1847. To them were born three children, Mrs. Katherine Ware of Centerville; Anna Ware of Auburn, Wash.; and Martin Ware, who died in 1864. Her husband died in 1852.

In 1864 she was married to Mathias Seuter and they came to Decatur county, Iowa, in the same year. To this union were born six children, Geo. Seuter, of Walker, Minn.; Mary Bird, of Diagonal, Iowa; Elizabeth Bennett, of Leon, Iowa; and Lottie Jennings, of Leon, Iowa; and Lewis Seuter, who died in 1882, and Caroline Byrum of Chariton, Iowa. Mr. Seuter died in 1902 and since that time she has made her home with her children and the last four years with her eldest daughter, Mrs. R. L. Ware at Centerville. The remains were taken to Lineville on Thursday, and interment at the Woodland cemetery Friday.

Card of Thanks.

To the many kind friends and neighbors that were so kind to help us with the burial of our dear mother and met us at Lineville, we extend our heartfelt gratitude and thanks for their kindness.

Mrs. R. M. Bennett, And Sisters.

Mrs. Mary Dale.

Mrs. Mary Dale, a former resident of Decatur county, Iowa, died at her home near May, Oklahoma, Sept. 2, 1915, at the age of 60 years, 4 months and 28 days.

Mary Maria Cavanaugh was born in Mercer county, Missouri, April 5, 1855. She was united in marriage to John S. Dale, Jan. 9, 1873, and to this union seven children were born, two of whom died in infancy. The remaining five are Delbert Dale, of May, Oklahoma; Mrs. Etta McNair, of Bladen, Neb.; Rev. Albert Dale, of Helena, Oklahoma; Henry Dale, of Shawnee, Oklahoma; and Mrs. Blanche Hill, of May, Oklahoma. She also leaves twelve grandchildren and one great grandchild, with other relatives and a host of friends to mourn her loss. At an early age she accepted Christ as her Savior and lived a consistent christian life until God saw fit to call her home.

While the last few months of her life she suffered greatly with cancer, she bore it all patiently, continually rejoicing in the Savior and her hope of eternal life beyond the grave. The funeral was held Friday, Sept. 3, when a large company of her friends and relatives were in attendance.



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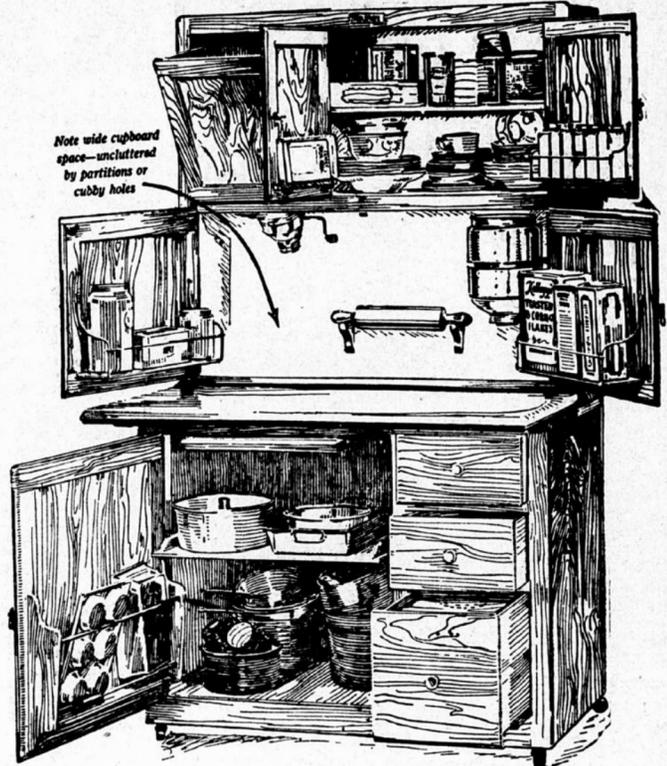
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Emma M., the eldest daughter of G. A. and Elizabeth Smallwood, was born April 17, 1889, died September 4, 1915, aged 26 years, 4 months and 26 days. She was united in marriage December 12, 1910, to Leo E. Snethen of Pleasanton, Iowa. One child, George E., was born to this union. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband and son, a loving father and mother, three sisters and a host of friends. She united with the Christian church at Odessa, Mo., in October, 1907, and since that time has lived a true christian life. The funeral was held at the L. D. S. church at Pleasanton, Iowa, conducted by Elder Smith of Lamoni, Iowa, interment being in the Hamilton cemetery. She was laid to rest in a beautiful white shroud and a white casket, which was placed in a metal vault, there to wait the bright morning of a new day. While the day was bad, there was an unusually large crowd in attendance and her casket was strewn with beautiful flowers as a token of love and esteem had for her. She was a young woman whom everyone loved and respected as she was always cheerful and ever ready to do her duty at all times. She loved home and her family and labored diligently that they might enjoy all the blessings of life. She was called in the summertime of life when all nature was smiling with beautiful flowers and each verdant breeze wafted sweet perfume therefrom. It seems very hard for friends to give up their loved ones, yet it is a consolation to know that they will never again be compelled to confront the serious battles of life that come to us all day by day. Her lips will never utter another word of pain or grief; her eyes will never know again the touch of tears. With the most useful portion of her life to live she was without a day's notice called to face that sad, solemn debt that we must all submit. It may be in the springtime of life, in the summertime, as in her case, or in the autumn when harvest is over and nature is shedding her foliage preparatory to

the piercing winds of winter which mows us all if we are so fortunate as to escape the ravage of disease for the three previous periods of life. We strive to look beyond the heights but our only answer is the echo of our willing cry, but some day we will all understand.

### Notice of Final Report.

In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Decatur county.

No. 2011 Probate.

In the estate of Polly A. Clark, deceased.

To Lida Brown, Thomas Clark, George Clark, Myron Clark, Bell Rocco, Albert Rocco, John Dorsey and Grant Dorsey and Amanda Webster: You are hereby notified that the undersigned T. A. Webster, administrator of the estate of Polly A. Clark, deceased, has filed his final report therein in the office of the clerk of the district court in and for the aforesaid county, and has asked for its approval and his discharge from further duty or responsibility therein, and that said report and application for discharge will come on for hearing before the court aforesaid at Leon, Iowa, on the 26th day of October, A. D., 1915, at which time and place you can appear and show cause, if any you have, why said final report should not be approved and the undersigned discharged from any further duty and responsibility.

6-2t T. A. WEBSTER, Administrator.

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