

Mrs. I. R. Atlee.

Lucy Melinda Atlee was born near Fairport, Muscatine county, Iowa, November 12, 1852, and died at her home, 1101 Third street, Fort Madison, Iowa, Tuesday at 1 o'clock a. m., September 7, 1915, aged 62 years, 9 months and 26 days.

Her parents were Rev. C. P. and Martha Reynolds; her father being one of the pioneer M. E. ministers of Iowa. When the other conferences were set off his ministry remained in the present Iowa conference to the close of his life, serving a number of its charges.

This daughter, with her twin sister, an elder sister and a brother grew to womanhood and manhood in their various parsonage homes. She was married to Isaac R. Atlee, at Fort Madison, Iowa, September 23, 1875, her father being pastor here of the First M. E. church and also serving his turn with the other local ministers as acting chaplain at the Iowa state prison.

She and her husband made their new home in this city for five years, then resided in Leon, Iowa, for ten years; in Mitchell, South Dakota, five years, when they returned to Fort Madison and made their permanent home for twenty years.

There were born to them seven children. Two sons and one daughter passed from this life to their heavenly home in early childhood. Four daughters survive her: Mrs. Dr. Robert M. Scovel, 1008 Third street, Fort Madison; Genevieve Atlee and Mary Atlee, 1101 Third street, Fort Madison, Iowa, and Marguerite Atlee, Los Angeles, California.

She also leaves to mourn their loss her husband, two sisters and one brother, Mrs. W. C. Walters, Toledo, Iowa; Mrs. A. M. Bowdle, her twin sister, Los Angeles, Calif.; Harry R. Reynolds, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and one granddaughter, Virginia Scovel, 1008 Third street, Fort Madison.

Her parents preceded her in death, her mother residing with her in the last years of her widowhood and passing from this life at her home seven years ago.

As a woman Mrs. Atlee was a true daughter, a faithful and affectionate wife and mother; had a hopeful disposition that looked on the bright side, sought the happiness of her family, and had an integrity of heart that took life's results sincerely to the throne of God.

She deeply appreciated true and noble friendships and opened her inner life to such consecrated fellowships.

She became a church member early in childhood under her father's pastorate, and in this city her membership has remained in the First M. E. church.

While in Mitchell, South Dakota, she first felt the failure of health. On her return to this city it seemed to improve for several years. But about five years ago its failure became quite marked and somewhat gradually its complete break down came and she passed from this life and suffering with loved ones rendering her every tender assistance.

The funeral services over the remains were held Wednesday afternoon at the home at two o'clock, the Rev. J. E. Newson officiating. The pallbearers were John Pritchett, August Soechtig, Henry Lerche, C. J. Williams, Chas. Butz and L. L. Scovel. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Walters and son Ernest of Toledo, Iowa, attended from out of the city. Interment was at Elmwood cemetery.—Ft. Madison Democrat.

William Twedell.

William Twedell, whose funeral will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the South Park Methodist Episcopal church, had been a resident of St. Joe sixty-seven years, and of the state five years longer than that. He was 84 years old. He died last Saturday.

When Twedell came to St. Joe, it was but a little city, and Joseph Robidoux and John Patee were still active in its affairs. Twedell knew them both, and was familiar with the early history of the town. When he first came to St. Joe he lived on a farm of 160 acres at the foot of Eleventh street, where the bridge now crosses the Rock Island railroad. At that time he could have bought the whole quarter section of land, which extended north to where Mitchell avenue now is, and west to the river for \$200.

Twedell was born in Kentucky, June 24, 1831, and moved with the family to Illinois when he was only a small boy. From there he went to Gentry county, Missouri, in 1842, and to St. Joe in 1848. He married Miss Nancy M. Briggs, July 31, 1856, and she with nine children now survive him. These children are Mrs. Mary Bolich, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Laura Russell, Spokane, Wash.; Mrs. Fannie Walker, Leon, Iowa; and Mrs. Nannie Brenninger, Mrs. Lillie Scott, Henry C., William P., Allen M., and John M. Twedell of St. Joe. There are twenty-two grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

When the war broke out, Twedell enlisted under General Robert E. Lee and served faithfully the cause of the confederacy. He was converted as a young man and joined the Cumberland Presbyterian church, uniting with the congregation at Tenah and Edmond streets, when he came here. Later he moved to another part of the city and worshipped with the Methodists at Centenary church, and afterwards became an attendant in the services at the South Park Methodist Episcopal church. Several months ago he made arrangements with Dr. D. F. Bone, 3106 Felix street, a clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, to preach his funeral sermon and Dr. Bone, assisted by Rev. E. O. Wells, pastor of the South Park Methodist Episcopal church will conduct the services. Burial will be at Ashland cemetery.

Rev. Wells says of him: "Those who are privileged to be intimately acquainted with this saint of God will never forget him, and if ever any bore testimony to the power of God to save and keep men saved, surely that one was Grandpa Twedell. A sufferer for years, he bore with meekness and patience the trials and temptations of life, and they never heard him speak evil of any man. He was a constant attendant at my church, and his hearty 'Amen,' was a

great inspiration to the pastor."—St. Joe Gazette.

Mrs. Lou Pease.

Barbara Julia Scott was born near Garden Grove, Iowa, Dec. 23, 1885, and departed this life at her home in Leon on Sept. 21, 1915, at the age of 29 years, 8 months and 23 days.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, her father, mother and four brothers having preceded her to the better world. She was united in marriage to Lou H. Pease on June 27, 1906, and to this union was born one son, Marion Mitchell Pease, who with her husband, one brother, Bert Scott, and one sister, Mrs. Dan Alley, with other relatives and many friends are left to mourn her departure.

At the age of twelve years Mrs. Pease accepted Jesus Christ as her saviour, and united with the M. E. church. She was a faithful christian, a kind wife and real helpmate to her husband, and a devoted mother.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. church on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd, at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Chas. W. Reeder, assisted by Rev. Raoul R. Moser, pastor of the Leon M. E. church, and Rev. B. Frank Jacobs, pastor of the Leon Presbyterian church. Many neighbors and friends gathered to pay their last respects to the deceased, for she was very popular among a large circle of friends. Interment was in the beautiful Leon cemetery, the funeral cortege being led by the K. of P. band, and many friends followed her remains to their last resting place.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved husband, little son and other relatives. Truly a good woman is gone, and we mourn but the angels rejoice.

Mrs. Alva Foland.

Mrs. Alva Foland died suddenly at her home northeast of town. She was apparently as well as common when Mr. Foland left home for his work on Monday morning. The baby was not feeling very well, but nothing serious and it is the supposition that the little one made some unfavorable demonstration which gave her the shock that killed her, her heart being in a bad condition. Funeral services were held last Tuesday at Mt. Zion church. The family surely have the sympathy of the entire community.—Grand River Local.

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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. T. A. WEBSTER, Administrator.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

In the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Decatur County. In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Larken McDaniel, deceased.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed and has qualified as administrator of the estate of Larken McDaniel, late of Decatur county, Iowa, deceased. All persons in any manner indebted to said deceased or his estate will make payment to the undersigned; and those having claims against said deceased or his estate will present them in manner and form as by law required, for allowance and payment. Dated this 24th day of September, A. D. 1915.

A. T. WELDON, Administrator of said estate. 7-3t

Notice of Expiration.

To Herbert E. Carkins: You are hereby notified that the following real estate, situated in Decatur county, Iowa, to-wit: Lot two (2) in black two (2) Elmwood Heights addition to Lamon, Iowa, was sold for taxes of 1910 on the 4th day of December, 1911, to Heman C. Smith, and that the right of redemption will expire, and a treasurer's deed for said land will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the date of completed service of this notice.

You will govern yourself accordingly. Dated, September 15th, 1915. 5-3t HEMAN C. SMITH.

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OCTOBER WEATHER.

Here Is What Hicks, the St. Louis Prognosticator, Has Dished Up for the Coming Month.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 1st and 2nd, possibly extending to the 3rd and 4th. The Earth's annual equinox is still in force, and the Mars period begins at the opening of October. As we pass from September into October, it will be natural for reactionary disturbances to be in transit from west to east. These disturbances will pass the central valleys, in the form of falling barometer, cloudiness and rain on and touching the 1st and 2nd, followed by rising barometer, northerly winds and clearing, much colder weather. Frosts at night from about the 2nd to 4th.

The first regular storm period is central on the 7th, extending from the 5th to 10th, inclusive.

Disturbing causes and what to look for.—This regular Vulcan period is strongly reinforced by the Moon on the equator on the 7th, and in conjunction with Earth and Sun on the 8th. The Earth and the Mars disturbances overlap the period, also the Mercury disturbances adding its disturbing force to the whole combination. Study the October storm diagram. In all such astronomical combinations, it is not only exceedingly interesting, but tremendously important to study the movement of a reliable barometer. Look for changes to much warmer in western extremes as we enter this period, with south winds and rapidly falling barometer. This will cause warmer, threatening weather, falling barometer and cloudiness to advance eastward, in advance of rain, wind and thunder storms. These storms will reach their culminating crisis on and next to the 7th, 8th and 9th, each successive day adding strength and extent to storm areas, as they pass the central regions of the country, and on to the Atlantic coast regions. Heavy October thunder storms will center on and touching the 7th. The temperature will remain high, the barometer low, and storms will continue in aggravated form over the 8th, and into the 9th, reaching eastern extremes about the 9th and 10th. As the barometer rises in areas west of the advancing storm centers, cool to cold autumnal winds, with possibly sleet and snow squalls in the northwest, will push close on the heels of the storms to the Atlantic coast states. Very cool weather, with general frosts over central and northern regions, may reasonably be looked for from about the 9th to the 12th. It will be well to note carefully the weather peculiarities at this, and the next following storm periods, as we are now entering the Mars period, and the character of the storms and weather now prevailing will give us a hint of much we may expect, for the remainder of October and through November. If rough autumnal storms and weather should be the rule at this and following storm periods, it may be put down as a reasonable certainty that November, and a slice of early December, will be to a great extent of like character. But this, we have often explained, does not mean that the same kind of storms and weather must prevail everywhere. Each general or wide subdivision of the globe may experience widely different kinds, or degrees of weather; but each subdivision will have a prolonged continuation of conditions prevailing as we enter well into the Mars period.

The second reactionary storm period is central on and touching the 13th and 14th. The Mercury brace is central on the 13th, and its influence will dominate weather and storm conditions from about the 7th to the 18th, causing prolonged cloudiness and threatening weather from one period into another. But these conditions will rise into decided disturbances on and touching the 13th and 14th. Rains will have a tendency to early sleet, and marked cold will come with the rising barometer following.

The second regular storm period is central on the 18th, extending its influence from the 16th to the 21st, inclusive. Disturbing causes and what to look for.—The regular Vulcan period is strongly reinforced by the combined influences of Mercury and Mars. The Moon passes over the celestial equator on the 20th, going from south to north declination. This fact promises to temper the atmosphere with warmer, southerly winds, with October rains and thunder storms on and about the 20th. The regular fall and rise of the barometer, passing eastwardly across the country in regular, successive order, will mark this period. Warmer weather, falling barometer, cloudiness and rain will mark the first stages; rising barometer with possibly early spurts of snow, and change to clearing, colder weather will mark the last stages. This is the infallible law, and every reader of these forecasts, with a properly filled and balanced head on his shoulders, should long ago have learned to see when the first stages or the last stages of all storm periods are going to pass his patch.

The third reactionary storm period is central on the 23rd, 24th and 25th. The position of the Moon on the 22nd, will tend to bridge over the time from the preceding period, bringing continued, threatening weather into this reactionary period. At all events you may look to see quickened barometric changes, with responding cloudiness, precipitation and winds, on and touching the 23rd, 24th and 25th, followed promptly by rising barometer, spurts of early snow, and clearing, colder weather. "Why do we keep on saying these same old words?" Simply because the eternal laws of God keep on bringing back the same old results. These are facts we are after learning—eh?

The third regular storm period is central on the 30th, extending from the 28th to November the 3rd.

Disturbing causes and what to look for.—with the exception of the regular Vulcan influence, and the Mars period, there are no other known causes for abnormal disturbances at this time. The Moon is at last quarter on the 30th, the central day of the period, three days south-

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ward from its extreme north declination. Falling barometer and October rains will appear in the west early in this period, and from about the 30th up to November the 3rd, these storms will progress daily to the eastward, with falling barometer and warm threatening weather east of storms, and rising barometer, snow squalls and colder, clearing weather west of storm centers. All these conditions will pass each section in due time and order, winding up in the Atlantic regions about the third to fourth days of November.—We believe that October as a whole, will not be a disagreeable month, and that general seasonal conditions will be such as to facilitate all outdoor and agricultural work. It will be wise to have an eye on perishable fruits and vegetables, especially in northern extremes. No doubt there will be enough frosts and early freezing, at the end of the storm periods, to endanger such exposed commodities. Heed this warning and act accordingly.

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