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Interesting Sketch of "Squire L. D. Chaddon
of Wellington.

It is probably not generally known that Squire L. D. Chaddon of this city has known and been intimately acquainted with some of the greatest people of this century, but such is the case.
Born many years ago—when the century was young—when Lincoln was but a lad of nine, and Gladstone yet a stripling; when the soldiers of the war of 1812-14 were almost as fresh from the scenes of war as are now the heroes of Santiago—he has met and known some of the greatest characters living in his time.
Mr. Chaddon was born in Coopers-town, New York, and when old enough learned to be a carpenter. The first work that he was ever sent to do was to repair the yard fence of James Fenimore Cooper, the great novelist, and many of the scenes and places described by Cooper in his "Leather Stocking Tales" were familiar to Mr. Chaddon in his boyhood.

Before he was twenty years old he moved to Utica, where he became acquainted with Roscoe Conkling and Horatio D. Seymour. He often saw Grover Cleveland, although he did not know him well, but was well acquainted with Miss Rose Cleveland (who was the lady of the White House until Cleveland's marriage). For a number of years Mr. Chaddon worked at a planing mill a few miles from Utica and was frequently visited by Conkling and Seymour and the three would often hunt together in the forests. In the fifties Mr. Chaddon moved to Champaign, Ill., and while living there held the office of justice of the peace a part of the time and at another time was deputy sheriff. In both positions he met Abe Lincoln frequently and heard him tell many of his quaint stories—not all of which will do to print. While David Davis was judge, Lincoln sat as judge pro tem one evening and tried a case in which Mr. Chaddon was plaintiff. The case is mentioned in the "Life of Lincoln" by William H. Herndon, who was Lincoln's law partner for twenty-five years. The story is to be found in the second volume, on page 318, and is as follows: "Several of us lawyers," remarked one of his colleagues, "in the eastern end of the circuit annoyed Lincoln once while he was holding court for Davis by attempting to defend against a note to which there were many makers. We had no legal, but a good moral defense, but what we wanted most of all was to stave it off till the next term of court by one expedient or another. We bothered 'the court' till late on Saturday, the day of adjournment. He adjourned for supper with nothing left but this case to dispose of. After supper he heard our twaddle for nearly an hour, and then made this odd entry: 'L. D. Chaddon vs. J. D. Busby et al, April term, 1856, Champaign county court. Plea in abatement by B. Z. Green, a defendant not served, filed Saturday at 11 o'clock a.m., April 24, 1856, stricken from the files by order of court. Demurrer to declaration, if there ever was one, overruled. Defendants who are served now, at 8 o'clock p.m., of the last day of the term, ask to plead to the merits, which is denied by the court on the ground that the offer comes too late, and therefore, as by all direct judgment is rendered for plaintiff. Clerk assess damages. A. Lincoln, Judge pro tem.'"
"The lawyer who reads this singular entry will appreciate its oddity if nobody else does. After making it, one of the lawyers, on recovering from his astonishment, ventured to inquire, 'Well, Lincoln, how can we get this case up again?' Lincoln eyed him quizzically a moment, and then answered, 'You have all been so mighty smart about this case, you can find out how to take it up again yourselves.'"
Probate Court Notes.
The final account of S. C. Burnett, guardian of E. C. Shipley, has been filed, showing a balance of \$109 due the heir.
A. Logan has been appointed administrator of the estate of Stephen Jones, deceased. A. C. Lambe, Chas. B. Lambe and N. Loobourrow have been appointed appraisers of the personal property of the deceased.
The will of H. N. Eggleston, deceased, has been admitted to probate.
W. A. Lichtenberger has filed his annual account as guardian of Roy B. Snyder, showing a balance of \$248.20 due the heir.
J. L. Murray has made final settlement as administrator of the estate of Chas. C. Shoop, deceased, and the court has ordered the distribution of \$2,184.25 among the heirs.
Virginia C. Dunham, guardian of David H. Spencer, has filed her annual account, showing \$2,116.11, due the heir.
N. C. Shoop, guardian of Floyd C. Shoop, has filed her annual account, showing \$1,084.95 due her ward.
Dolan Collins of Oxford, was in the city Friday.

Peter Heiss, the old German from Euporia who came to Wellington a week or so ago for the purpose of having Joseph Oswald, a farmer living near Caldwell, arrested for unlawfully cohabiting with his wife, has been sued by Mrs. Heiss for divorce. After relying in her petition that they were married in Germany 29 years ago, Mrs. Heiss charges her husband with negligence of duty, loading, failure to provide, and extreme cruelty. The defendant frequently threatened her life, the plaintiff says, and in 1886 she was compelled to leave him. They were then living at Jamestown, Kas. The plaintiff charges that in Cloud county, Kansas, the defendant was convicted of a heinous crime, to wit: poisoning a well with the intention of committing wholesale murder. For this crime, Mrs. Heiss says, her husband was convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of years. The parties to the suit are past middle age.

We failed to make mention in our last week's issue of the birth of the "only boy in the west." Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barrett of San Francisco, Cal., are the proud parents. A letter written to parties in Oxford states that the happy grandmother presented it with a diamond ring when it was a day old and its grandfather was so happy that he has quit thinking about coming back to Kansas—Oxford Register.

Mr. Barrett will be remembered in Wellington as "the tall scamp" of the Arkansas." He studied law under W. W. Schwinn, and married Miss Eva Benton of Wellington.
G. W. Milne returned from Chicago Saturday, where he went a week ago with Will Carter, who was supposed to be afflicted with cancer. An examination was made in a hospital and Carter was found to be suffering with a foreign growth on the collar bone, caused by an injury received some time ago. An operation was performed and Carter will return home as soon as his shoulder heals, probably ten days hence.

Geo. T. Pitts Friday received a letter from Mr. Perry, president of the company that owns the Wellington waterworks plant, saying that the company would accept the offer of the city of \$50,000 for the plant. The bonds to purchase the plant were voted at a special election December 30 last. The deal will be closed as soon as the bonds can be floated and a deed to the property made out and signed.

Prof. Nash of Oxford, was in the city today. He says Postmaster Maggard of Oxford died this morning. He died at 3 o'clock this morning of pneumonia. Everett Maggard's father, Dr. Maggard, is seriously ill with influenza and was unable to get out of bed when he heard of his son's death. —Journal 13th.

A report reached Wellington Friday afternoon to the effect that Capt. Grinstead had lost his life in the Philippines by being crushed. The report is unconfirmed, and is probably untrue. Capt. Grinstead's name is not mentioned in the cablegrams from General Otis.

Judge McBride and Stenographer Herrick returned from Winfield Saturday. Geo. Mack, the Winfield barber who killed a man in Arkansas City last Fourth of July, got ten years in the penitentiary. Geo. Banks, the negro rapist, was sent up for five years.

Word has been received from New Mexico that Geo. Hunt is quite sick. His mother, Mrs. S. E. Hunt, will probably go to Roswell to wait on him.

Kornstett Found Guilty.

The jury in the case of John Kornstett who has been on trial at Anthony for a week for killing his nine year old cousin, Nora Kornstett, in June, came in with a verdict of murder in the first degree Thursday afternoon after only a short deliberation. Kornstett confessed to the crime and pled guilty at the September term of the Harper county district court. Before Judge Gillett passed sentence Kornstett withdrew his plea and made the defense that he was scared into making the confession. It will be remembered that Nora Kornstett went to the field where the boy was plowing. He murdered her and threw the body into a well. She was there forty-eight hours before her parents found her.

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J. M. Kirby has filed his annual accounts as administrator of the estate of Uriah McKinney, deceased, and guardian of George and Sybil James. The latter account shows \$494.88 due George James, and \$402.73 due Sybil James.

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