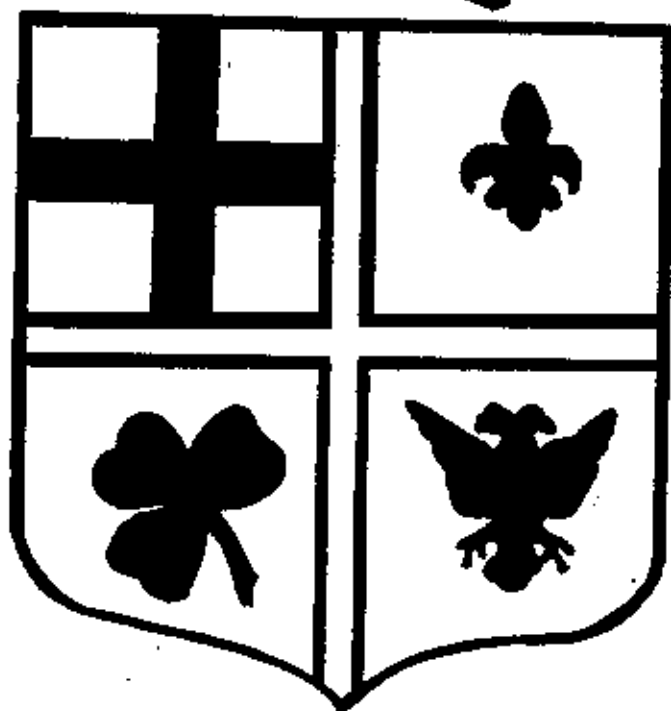


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THE NEW CATHOLIC CHURCH - MAY, 1877

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, May 31, 1877.

The frescoing of the new church erected by the people of St. Rose during the past year, is now being completed. It is of a more elaborate and costly character than we had supposed, and a hasty inspection the other morning convinced us that it was a job which will reflect credit upon the church as well as the artist who designs and executes it. M. Pajol, a French painter, is the artist under whose direction the work is being done. His reputation is established beyond all cavil in the magnificent frescoes which adorn the Palmer House in Chicago. The work in St. Rose's church is not of course of the costly character found in the Palmer, but it reveals the genius of the artist in its conception and finish. The work will cost nearly \$700 and will be completed in a few days.

The dedication of the church will take place June 24, (St. John's day) at 10 a.m., which Bishop Foley will bestow the blessing upon the church, and other clergymen will be present to assist in the ceremonies.

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COUNTY COURT - 1877

Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, June 14, 1877.

Estate of Greer McElvain. Objections filed by heirs and distributees to the inventory; leave given to administrator to amend inventory, and former appraisers appointed to appraise additional property.

Guardianship of Fanny Howland, a minor. Report approved.

Estate of Alfred Deslauries. Report of J. E. Labrie approved and resignation accepted; estate ordered to pay him \$336.75, due him for compensation as executor.

Estate of D. S. Parker. Amended answer of Harriet A. Parker filed.

Estate Paschal Lebeau. Will proven; letters issued to Angelle Lebeau; appraisers appointed, etc.

Estate Patrick Riley. Letter issued to Honore Riley in bond of \$1280.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, June 21, 1877.

Est. of James S. Bird. Inventory and proofs filed.

Est. Frank R. Marcey. Claim of Orin Scramlin for \$3 allowed.

Est. Francis Marcotte. Claim of Celestin Gravelin for \$18.82 allowed; administrator's sale of real estate approved.

Est. of Mr. M. E. Vincent. Claim of S. S. Baker & Co. for \$48 allowed.

Est. Elisha H. Havens. Claim of John Umbach & Bros. for \$3.40 allowed.

Est. Margaret Wheeler. Inventory approved.

Est. Henrietta Burgess. Claims allowed: Henry Weigerb, \$1.00; Wm. Watson \$9.98; Dr. Way, \$12.75.

Est. Mahala Mellvain. Inventory and appraisal bill approved.

Est. of John B. Cyrier. Claims allowed: Geo. Beauchamp, \$18.16; J. G. Knecht, \$13.80; C. Stravelow, \$28.87; Joseph Lecour, \$5.25; John Kruse, \$70.33; L. Babst, \$40.94.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, July 12, 1877.

Estate August Schultz. August Degener appointed administrator in bond of \$1500.

Estate Reuben Putman. Will admitted to record.

Estate of George Marcotte. Report of sale approved.

Estate of Daniel S. Parker. Mrs. Harriet A. Parker discharged from further proceedings under citation.

Certificate of naturalization issued to Christian Longherst.

Estate of George Marcotte. Resignation of Joseph Rivard accepted.

Estate Margaret Wheeler. Proofs filed.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, July 19, 1877.

In the matter of the petition of C. Stavelow and John H. Derking; notice for a ditch. Motion by D. H. Paddock, attorney for commissioners, for dismissal on the ground that the law under which proceedings were had is unconstitutional.

Estate Robert Galbraith. Claims allowed: Nancy Turner, \$82.72; Hiram Grover, \$20.31; N. G. Halsey, \$13; Geo. Tyler, \$2.50.

Est. Frank R. Marcey. Executor's report approved. Ordered that executor pay to Einetha Marcey \$274.50, and to Elsie Marcey \$424.50.

Est. Greer Mcllvain. Notice to heirs for hearing next term.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, July 26, 1877.

Estate of Alfred Deslauries. Executor's report approved.

Guardianship of Ursula, Phillip, Fredolina and Pierre Brosseau, minor children of Pierre Brosseau. Clodi Brosseau appointed guardian, bond of \$2000. Petition to mortgage real estate granted.

Estate of John Hasker. Claim of Robert Martin for \$173.75 allowed.

Estate of Emanuel Reed. Letters issued to Maria E. Reed.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, August 9, 1877.

Est. Felix Beauchamp. Heronine Beauchamp appointed administratrix, bond \$1000.

Petition of C. Stravelow and John H. Derkin. Notice for a ditch. Report of Commissioners Pratt and Scott approved. Proceedings dismissed. Petitions except.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, August 23, 1877.

Est. Alex Blanchette. Admr. ordered to file report.

Est. Thomas S. Taylor. Claim of Wm. Potter for \$15 allowed, estate settled and admr. discharged.

Est. of Albert Chipman. Claim of Mary A. Buck, \$110 and Frederick Schneider \$24 allowed.

Est. of Zeno Brayton. Claims allowed; Thomas Keys, \$11; H. C. Kelsey, use of M. O. Clark, \$10.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, September 13, 1877.

Estate Margaret Wheeler. Proof of publication filed.

Estate Greer McElvain. Objections filed to claims of John McElvain and Wm. McElvain.

Guardianship of Martha J., Mellie M. and Walter A. McKinstry, minors. George McKinstry appointed guardian and bond of \$9,000 approved. Decrees for sale of real estate.

John McElvain, administrator, vs. estate Greer McElvain. Leave given to withdraw claim and file amended and additional claim. Claim allowed, on Sept. 6, to the extent of \$295.

Wm. McElvain vs. same. Same order as to claim to extent of \$575.

Guardianship of Henry, Mary, Elizabeth and Elsie Whitehouse, minors.
Christenne Whitehouse appointed guardian with bond of \$200.

Guardianship of John Morris, minor. Phillip Bacon appointed guardian with
bond of \$200.

Estate Peter Clement. Letters issued to Leno Mailloux and Frank Coyer with
bond of \$4000.

Application of David E. Sasseen. Petitioner being about to apply for a
license to practice law a certificate of good moral character is hereby
issued to the petitioner by the court.

Estate of Nathaniel S. Storrs. Final report approved.

Estate Albert Chipman. Claims allowed: Saphronia Chipman, \$1,059.40;
Edward Chipman, \$26.12 with interest.

Estate Peter Colberg. Settled.

Estate Celine Legris. Settled.

Estate of Mary F. Bennett. Will recorded.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, September 20, 1877.

Certificate of naturalization issued to A. Christian Olson.

Estate of Alanson West. Resignation of Elenore West and A. L. Miner
tendered and notice ordered in Mومence Reporter. Application to be acted
upon at October term.

Upon the application of Harvey Miller, of Essex, the court ordered the issue
of a certificate that Robert Harvey Miller, aged 13 years, is a proper
subject for the care of the State institute for the deaf and dumb.

Estate of Robert Galbraith. Petition for sale of real estate. Decree for
sale.

Estate of John K. Chapman. Report approved.

Guardianship of Homer R. and Edgar J. Smith. Report approved.

Estate of George Marcotte. Claims allowed: Louis C. Paquin, \$214.02; same
on notes secured by mortgage \$2,669.21.

Estate of Patrick Riley. Preliminary steps approved.

Certificate of naturalization to Fred. Kutenmeier.

Estate of William Nichols, Sr. Sale of land disapproved and premises ordered to be resold.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, November 1, 1877.

Estate Orson Beebe. Will proven; Ann Eliza Beebe appointed administratrix as provided in the will; appraisers appointed.

Guardianship Aggie M. Wert. Ella M. Gammon appointed guardian with bond of \$1500.

Estate Francis Xavier; petition to sell real estate. Rule on defendant to answer instanter: defendant demurs.

Estate of Alfred Deslauries. Citation to executors to show cause why J. E. Labrie's claim is not paid.

Estate of Philip Wambach. Claims allowed: J. B. Lague, \$5; Peter Fena, \$16.53.

Will of Horatio M. Wells duly approved.

Estate Lynden Thurber. Claims allowed: Louis B. Clark, \$373; trustee schools, \$330; J. F. Thurber \$611.03.

Estate John Steuber. Appraisement bill approved.

Estate Emanuel Reed. Inventory and appraisement bill and widow's selection approved.

Guardianship Sarah A. Anderson. Guardian's report and inventory approved.

Will of Archibald White approved.

Estate of Elizabeth McQueen. Inventory approved.

Estate Alanson Wert. Report approved and administrator's resignation accepted; M. O. Clark appointed administrator de bonis non.

Estate Margaret Maheier. Administrator's Daniel Beebe \$482.64; A. L. Miner and W. B. Hess, \$160; Cyrus Jones, \$197.77. Report approved.

Estate George Dutcher. Claims allowed.

Estate John B. Charron. Claims allowed: A. Goulet, \$3; Ben Morse, \$5.25.

Estate Richard Golding. Administrator's report approved.

Guardianship McKinstry heirs. Report of sale of real estate approved.

Estate Greer McElvain. Claims of Elizabeth Harris and Margaret Herzberg set for hearing Nov. 1.

Estate T. H. A. Smith. Order for probate or public sale of all property not taken by widow.

Estate of Asa M. Preston. H. M. Cook appointed administrator in bond of \$3000; appraisers appointed.

Peter VonLeven was adjudged insane and a fit person to be sent to the hospital.

Estate Robert Galbraith. Report of sale of real estate approved.

Estate Louis Thorns. Claims of C. L. and L. J. McCormick for \$154.50 allowed.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, November 22, 1877.

Final certificates of naturalization issued to Adolph Strabelow and Hans Sorensen.

Estate D. S. Parker. Leave to withdraw note against estate filed by Trustees schools town 30, range 13.

Estate Greer McElvain. Claims allowed; Margaret Hertzberg, \$416.60; Elizabeth Harris, \$496.66.

Estate H. Bonneaux. Claim of Bliss Sutherland for \$49.67 allowed; administrator's report approved.

Estate Emmanual Reed. Proof of publication made. Claims allowed; Levi Shaffner, \$66.60; D. H. Mitchell, \$60.50; E. D. Small, \$23.22; E. P. Catlin \$15; A. Krause, \$25.25; George Rainford, \$72; Chas. Holt, \$21.16; First National Bank, Kankakee, \$10.50; First National Bank, Wilmington, \$100.

Estate John Krol. Will recorded. Philip Karsher appointed administrator in bond of \$1000.

Estate T. H. A. Smith. Report of private sale approved.

Guardianship Isabel A. and Florence E. Parker. Guardian's inventory and report approved.

In the matter of the alleged insanity of Isaac Thompson the jury decided Thompson insane but not a fit subject for the asylum. Ordered to the temporary custody of David Greenawalt.

In the matter of the bond of W. F. Kenega, county clerk. Bond approved, with E. A. Sizer, W. Bonfield and W. R. Hickox as sureties, and oath of office taken.

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Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, November 29, 1877.

Guardianship Einfeldt heirs. Henry Licht appointed guardian in bond of \$1,000.

Estate Franklin Worcester. H. D. Worcester appointed adm'r.

Estate Richard Golding. Same order.

Guardianship Hathaway heirs. Nelson Seager appointed guardian in bond of \$16,000.

Estate John B. Caron. Decree for sale of real estate.

Estate Albert Chipman. Same order.

Estate Arcule Legris. Same order.

Taken from .The Kankakee Gazette, December 20, 1877.

Estate of John Stratton. Executor's report approved.

Estate of William Nichols. Adm'rs report approved.

Estate Elisha Havens. Estate settled..

Estate H. P. Havens. Final report approved; order for distribution; estate settled.

Estate of A. A. Nichols. Llzze Nichols appointed adm'x in-bond of X800. The assets of the estate not exceeding the widow's allowance, and the property been deilvered to the widow, the adm'x is discharged.

Estate Mauritz.Look. Admr's report approved.

Estate F. Beauchamp. Widow's selection approved.

Estate Orson Beebe. Inventory and appraisement approved.

Estate Richard Galbraith. Adm'rs report approved.

Estate Mary -A. Sibley. Report of John Durham approved and resignation accepted. D. C. Taylor appointed adm'r upon petition of Mary E. Loomis and Emma H. Orr, in bond of \$8000.

Estate Lydia Jane Brainard. Wiii recorded.

Estate Franklin Worcester. Inventory and appraisement bill approved. Sale of personal property ordered on time.

Guardianship Lewis Sterling. Sale of real estate ordered.

Estate John Kral. Preliminary reports, etc,, approved,

Bond of Chas. P. Swigert, county collector, approved.

Estate A. Deslauries. Continued.

Guardianship Stephen Turcoite. Geo. W. Byrns appointed guardian in bond of \$1000.

SCHOOL STATISTICS - 1876

Taken from The Kankakee Gazette, August 9, 1877.

We are in receipt of the biennial report of the State. Superintendent of Public Instruction for the two years ending September 30, 1876. Mr. Etter explains that it is the fault of the State Printer that the report is so tardy in its appearance. From the reports of the various county superintendents for 1876 we glean the following facts relative to school matters in Kankakee county:

The whole number of school districts is 146, in all of which schools are sustained five months or more during the year. The average is 7 months.

Whole number of male pupils, 3,489; female,. 3,342; total 6,831.

Number of male teachers, 78; female, 205; total 283.

Number of graded schools, 3; ungraded, 142. High schools, 2; private schools, 6.

Six districts have libraries, containtng an aggregate of 525 volumes.

Number. of school houses, 144. Number built during the year,. 3.

Kankakee county is below thee average in the amount of wages paid to teachers. The highest monthly salary paid to any male teacher is X200 female, \$50. The lowest monthly salary paid to any male teacher is \$25; female, \$20. The average amount paid to male teachers is \$43.06; female, \$29.44.

The Superintendent's work is thus summed up: Number of examinations held during the year, 15. Number of applicants for teachers' certificates, 221; number of different schools visited during the year, 40; number visited more than once, 4; number of schools not visited at all, 104; average number of hours spent at each school, 2. The total compensation of the Superintendent was X725.

The amount paid out for repairs and Improvements on school property was \$4,499.71; for school furniture, \$1,543.79; for school apparatus, \$318.49.

Estimated value of school houses and grounds, \$157,411; of school apparatus, \$1,412; of school libraries, \$657.

Number of males between 6 and 21 years of age, 4,464; females, 4,279; total, 8,734.

GREAT AND GREAT, GREATS

McINTURF - Norma Jean McInturf, born. 19 Jan. 1918, Kankakee, IL; married 28 Aug. 1937, Noble Co., IN, to Marvin Ruel Westerhoff, born 26 Dec. 1915, Kankakee, IL, parents John Westerhoff/Ruby Cheffer. Norma's parents were Wllllam McInturf and May Malone. William McInturf was born Serena, LaSalle Co. IL, probably a descendant. of Samuel McInturf. On this line of McInturfs, I have. data dating back to the early 1600's In Europe, will gladly correspond. James H. Wilson, Rt. 1, Box 376A, Rome City, IN 46784.

PARENTEAU - Interested in communicating modern data on the descendants of Noel and Judith Lavallee. Pierre Boileau, 4029, Rue de Bullion, Montreal, Quebec, Canada H2W 2E3.

MARCOTTE/LAVOIE - Who are the parents of Angeile Marcotte who was married to Paschal LeBeau on 15 Jul 1845, St. Martin, Laval Co., and died at St. George, Kankakee Co., IL, on 15 Jan. 1'891 at age 73? Where and when did Remi (George) Lavoie <LaVoy) die and who were his parents? He was born about 1835 and: married Louise Boudreau who died 08 Jan 1914 In Chicago, IL, but was burled at St. George, IL. Karen Boerboom, 4125 Lance, Idaho Falls, ID 83401.

1911 LIVINGSTON COUNTY ATLAS

The 1911 Livingston County Atlas is now available. Cost is \$10.00 plus \$2.00 postage and handling. Anyone Interested In purchasing this atlas should write the society or see Karen Burden at the Bourbonnais Public Library.

1991 REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Mark your calendar for Saturday, September 28, 1991, for the Regional Conference. The Conference will be held again this year at Governor's State University with the following speakers: Rachael Melon, Anthony Hoskins, Ron Otto, George Miller, Kermit Westerberg, Lou Szucs and Karl Moore. A Conference Flyer will be Included with the next quarterly.

1900 KANKAKEE RESIDENT DEATHS

Taken from The Daily Gazette.,. January 2, 1901.

Following. are the names of the residents of this city who have died this year. The total number is 105, against 81 last year. The list is compiled from our files... If there are any omissions they are not intentional.

January

Ed Arthur
Leonard Herbst
John O'Hern

John Crozier
Nellie Brown
Mrs. W. C. Belden

February

Mrs. J. E. Russell
Mrs. Narcisse L'Ecuyer
Frank Pepin
James Peay
Mrs. Wm. Gresens
Albert Letourneau

James Carrigan
Peter Klingleschmidt
Mrs, Herman Wobbeke
F. X. Metty
Martin Bacon
John Dugan

March

A. N. Belgard
Miss Leonie Martin
Mrs. Mary Puls
Peter Count
Mrs, Alice McManus
Mrs. James Hutchens

l.. R. Robinson
Richard Murphy
Mrs. Mary Exline
Hugh McGaughey
Mrs. M. J. Palmer

April

Miss Mamie Schmidt
Mrs. Solomon Rapp
John Boudreau.,,
Mrs. Mary Alberts
T. W. Cox
George Betourne
Rev. F. C. Stewig

Mrs. D. Blanchette
Michael Erzinger
Edward Mayrand, Sr.
Mrs. Louisa St. Aubin
Mrs. C. O. Savoie
E. W. Dixon
Mrs. W. E. Strickler

May

Wm. Czech
Mrs. F. L. Merrick
Mrs. Agnes O'Mera
Mrs. Mary J. Edmunds
Ed Alberts

Mrs. Esther Hazlett
Ernest Holmes
Mrs. Wilhelmina Krollman
Mrs. Charlotte Sherwood

June

James McGrew, Sr.
Joseph Louiselle
Mrs. Sarah Prussner

Mrs. Lucy Dufault
Judge C. R. Starr
Mrs. J. H. Van Wert

July

Albert E. Adams
Mrs. Helen Brown
Mrs. Hercules Bastien
Mrs. McIntosh
Miss Rosina Lamore

Rose Seroy
Wm. N. Dusenbury
Miss Mayran Martindale
Mrs. John Downs

August

Mrs. Sanford Wright
Gordon Risser
Mrs. Sufranna Turcotte
Mrs. Wm. Cooper

Mrs. Joseph Charron
Russell Wiley
Charles Holtz
Thomas Vadboncaur

September

Sanford Torbett
Martha D. Smith
Mrs. Sarah Shekey
N. M. Lake
J. Lavirier

Mary Loie Risser
Mrs. James Bate
Henry Earning
John Cyrne

October

Miss Lena Teroch
Mrs. J. H. Fellows
Mrs. T. Dorion

Fred Guske
Miss Catherine Zaucker

November

Mrs. L. J. Cyrier
Miss Libbie Meyer
H. W. Adams
John Balduff

Mrs. Carl Stoll
Miss Hattie Holtz
Mrs. Mary Bond

December

James Crawley
Mrs. Charles Schroeder
Miss Elizabeth Smith
Herman Rupp
Wm. Gresens

Mrs. Orpha Skinner
Joseph Dupuis
Joseph Richard
Mrs. John McGladdery

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Taken from "The Illinois Sheriff", Vol. VIII, No. 1, Winter 1987.

Have you ever wondered why the badge most sheriffs and deputies wear is a star rather than a shield, circle or hexagon? The National Sheriffs' Association has and it decided to try finding out. Preliminary research wasn't very revealing.

One thing was certain. The NSA favored the star badge and had urged in a resolution passed in Milwaukee in 1959, the adoption, nationally, of a uniform five-point star as the official emblem of office for sheriffs of the United States. Little has been done since that time.

To possibly help shed light on the subject, the NSA contacted Joseph R. Ferland, who supervises badge distribution for the world-famous V. H. Blackinton & Co., situated in Attleboro Falls, MA, an area considered the hub of the American jewelry industry.

Hearsay and Folklore

Joe, as he's familiarly known to hundred of sheriffs all over America, is considering an authority on badges, having researched thoroughly on the subject. Unfortunately, he's found very little which clearly indicates why the star was chosen and what was its significance. He has come up with a lot of hearsay but, as he is quick to point out, most of it is strictly folklore and cannot be based on any true fact.

One legend has it that the star badge originated in Texas when the state's sheriffs' association was formed nearly 100 years ago. The governor of "The Lone Star State" put in an appearance at the first convention to affix his seal on the organization's original papers. His seal was a star-shaped ring and he imprinted the document with the seal in the sealing wax. Since that time, Sheriffs, Texas Rangers, and later the Texas Departments of Public Safety and Correction have used the star as their emblem of authority.

Another story going along with star badges, Joe reports, is that the original sheriffs and marshals had no badge available to them. They therefore took a Mexican peso made of soft silver and because of the convenience, carved this in the shape of a star and this became the emblem of office.

It has been suggested that the star may have been selected because of its significance in the U.S. Armed Forces denoting highest authority and rank. Sheriffs, as written into most state constitutions - some of which are centuries old - are the highest law enforcement authorities of their respective counties.

Not only is very little known about the sheriffs' star, but very little is known about the time or origin of the first badge, even though they can be traced back to earliest Chinese history, says Joe Ferland. Egyptian history mentions badges in many of its eras.

Badges first gained importance in the early days of heraldry when originally worn by knights and their followers in battle as marks of identification, Joe adds. For instance, as early as the 14th and 15th centuries during the reign of Richard the Lion-Hearted, badges were borne on horse strappings as well as on knights' battle dress. Although these early heraldic badges did not appear as the badges of today, nevertheless this is actually where the present day badge originated, he said.

Use Native Motif

The badge expert has found that American police badges represent a development of the middle ages, when the present form first made its appearance. Every country and every municipality utilizes something of national or local significance as a motif in their own badge. For instance, he said, the U.S. federal badges usually are identified by the American Eagle as the principal theme. States sometimes incorporate the identifying or characteristic feature of that particular state.

According to Joe, the earlier badges with which we are familiar had many shapes and were made of many materials. Some were merely scribbled signs, or printed insignia; others were batons, keys, seals, plaques and scrolls.

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THE VOLUNTEER STATE

According to National Geographic, Tennessee is called the Volunteer State because of the spirit it showed in the War of 1812 and again in 1846, when Tennessee was asked for 2,800 men to fight Mexico - and 30,000 volunteered.

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KANKAKEE COUNTY GRAVE MARKERS

The markers on the following two pages are from Bloom Cemetery. Marker information is listed below reading markers top to bottom and left to right.

Sophronia, Wife of Geo. W. Allen, died Aug. 22, 1850, aged 18 yrs. & 5 Ms.

Annis E., Wife of Jered Johnson, dau. of Capt. W. & S. Grimes, died May 27, 1857, aged 30 yrs., 7 Mos., 26 Ds.

Rosalie S., dau. of C. W. & H. Mobre, died Sept. 11, 1854, aged 1 year, 6 m. & 6 d.

May, dau. of H. S. & E. A. Bloom, died Sep. 15, 1854, aged 3 m. 15 d.

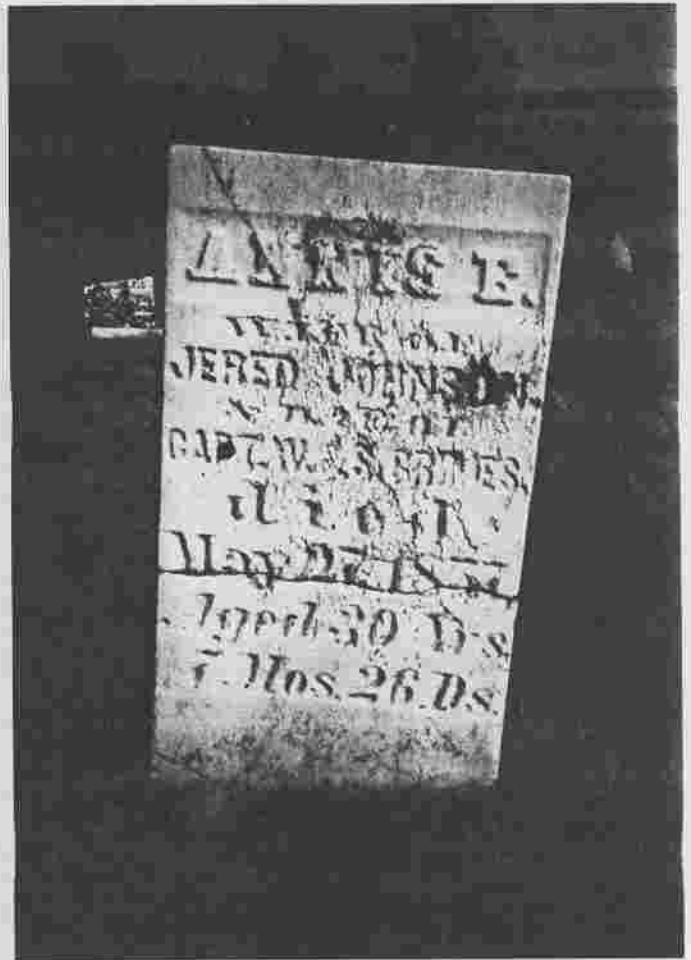
Alex. Mann, died June 25, 1867, aged 78 yrs. 2 mos. & 2 days

Polly A. Bloom, died Dec. 8, 1854, aged 54 ys. 2 ms.

Maria, wife of Alex. Mann, died Apr. 30, 1890, aged 86 ys. 10 ms. & 13 ds.

Hiram Todd, born in Poultney, Vt., Nov. 18, 1795, died in Rockville on July 11, 1879

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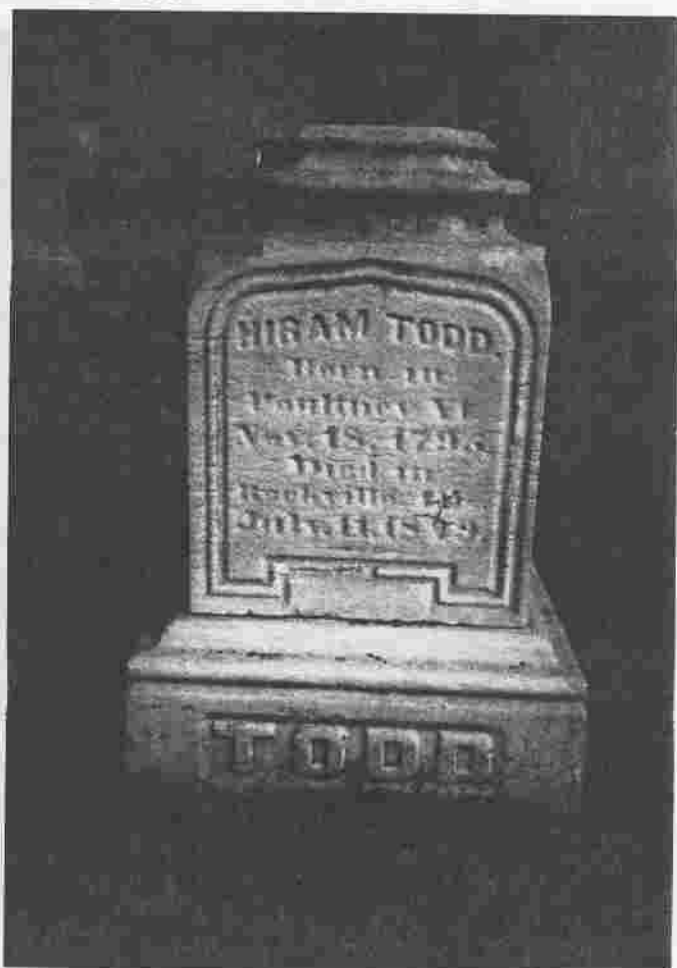


Bloom Cemetery, Kankakee Co.





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The Optimist staff has accorded the privilege of editing this issue to the Alumni Association.

This issue is under the direct supervision of the officers of the Alumni Association.

President, L. H. Risser, 1900; Vice President, Mrs. A. B. Holt, 75; Corresponding Secretary, Alice Barton, 90; Recording Secretary, A. S. Andereck, 01; Treasurer, D. P. Cleghorn, 99.

The annual dues of the Association of 50 cts. are now due, payable to the Treasurer. Postage stamps are acceptable from members out of town.

To the members of the Association who have not been in close touch with its workings it might be said that we are now free of any indebtedness and have the good will and moral support of the home members.

All members are urged to step forward promptly and with their financial support sustain the Alumni Association of their Alma Mater.

The alumni can do a great good lending their assistance toward properly decorating the new building. While the present alumni have not had the privilege of the splendid new building, yet as conservators of our alma mater, anything we can do to adorn or beautify the new temple should be done. With a little effort, statuary, pictures and other decorations can be secured and doubtless the alumni will take pleasure in making that effort.

It is a fortunate thing that the alumni and the student body of the High school are getting close together. To make good alumni members the regular graduating classes should get acquainted with the aims and purposes of the association. The publication of this alumni number will do a great good to the student body and give them an interest in the alumni which will not be lost. Working together for mutual help as in The Merry Milk Maids, will have a like result. The commencement base ball game and the fall High school alumni foot ball game have already done a good work toward bringing the alumni into close relationship with their alma mater.

TO THE ALUMNI.

Your letter of the fifteenth inst. received. I am pleased to see that there is an effort being made to interest the old Kankakee High School pupils in their alma mater. I hope that you will have many responses to your efforts. It has been a long time since I have been able to meet with you, but if you will notify me of the next spring meeting, I will make a special effort to be with you once again. With best regards to yourself and all who chance to enquire, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

HIRAM E. TODD.

Peoria, Ill.

The following is a list of the instructors in the High school since its beginning in 1875. As this is the first list that has been compiled it may be that one or two names have been omitted. It has also been impossible to locate several. Should any one who might be able to correct us on the addresses or inform us of any omissions it would assist greatly if you should drop us a card.

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Student: Not at all sir. It is the answer that bothers me.

greater perpetuity. Thus we ought to grasp the opportunities while they last and seek to get what pleasure and enjoyment we can out of them.

This association should be invaluable to its members in the particular that it keeps them interested in educational matters. Simply because we hold a certificate or diploma from some institution of learning is no reason whatever that our schooling is completed. Each succeeding day brings us into new realms of thought and action which are constantly a source of instruction to those who will receive it. When we go out from these different halls of learning we are leaving a world of high and scholarly motives for one where selfish aims and selfish aspirations are far too prevalent and far too successful. The almost irresistible tendency of the future is to crush in our breasts the higher motive, supplanting it with the lower. We must ever have uppermost in our lives the high and lofty aim, the grander impulse and then whatever our expectations may be, should we fail, let us ever be found resting with faces turned toward them.

We should also remember that true culture is of the heart as well as of the mind. One feature of our educational system, is that in our mingling with others we are trained to think and act for ourselves, to profit by the successes or failures of our associates, and to form such friendships, which, if carried into later years, are a source of enjoyment, pleasure and profit to those concerned. Then as we look back upon the past, not the least part of our education has been in the good fellowship engendered in the healthy sociability and intercourse which has prevailed; narrow minds have become broadened, and prejudices born of ignorance, have been swept away. A spirit of true democracy has reigned and in after years, when out in the world, struggling against elements for bread or fame, let us pause, now and then, amidst the intervals of strife and look fondly back upon the good old days we have spent in the High School at Kankakee.

J. ELMER DESELM, '95.

To the Alumni Association:

Yours of the 15th., received and should have been answered before, but rush of business is the only excuse.

I will ever look back with the fondest remembrance upon the years spent in the various grades of the Kankakee High School. I will never forget the day when the order was given out for us to take our books and remove to the new High School building. This, I think, was in the year 1871, and from that time until my graduation in June of 1875, I do not think I missed a day. Our principal in those far off days, was Mr. A. E. Rowell, an able and competent instructor, and one who was deeply interested in the educational interests of his various classes. Yes, I will ever cherish a fond memory for my school days in old Kankakee and firmly believe that for all ordinary purposes a High school education is amply sufficient to prepare one to enter into an active business life.

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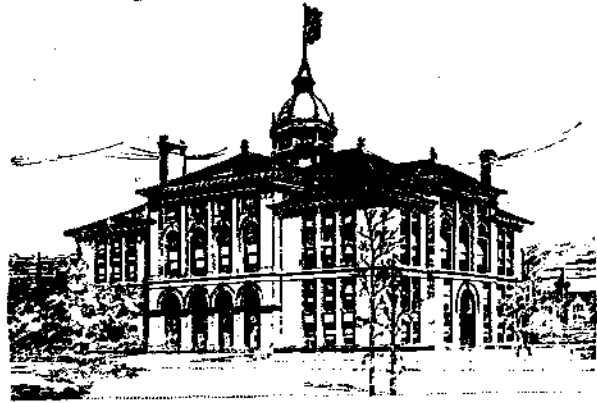
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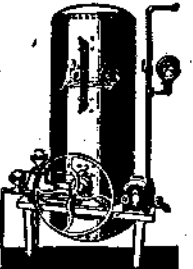


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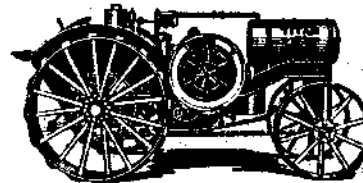
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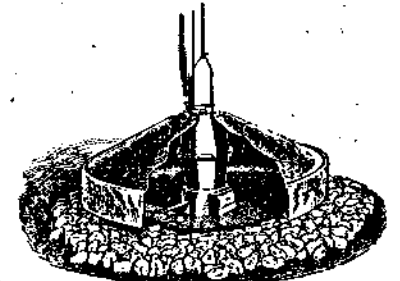
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