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QUARTERLY EXTRACTIONS

French Canadian/Acadian Genealogists of Wisconsin

In Volume 19, No. 2, there was an article entitled *Two Western Quebec Families at the Origin of the Christian Catholic Church in Illinois and Wisconsin*. This article refers to Father Chiniquy and the parish of St. Anne, Illinois, including a picture of Father Chiniquy and a drawing of the church-school in St. Anne. One of the sources listed was member Ardis Boone's *Father Charles Chiniquy's Ledger*.

National Archives, Great Lakes Region

With over 62,000 cubic feet of historical records, this archives is a resource of encyclopedic diversity. Location is at 7358 South Pulaski Rd., Chicago, IL 60629 (773) 581-7816. Hours are: Monday, Weds-Fri. 8 to 4:15 p.m.; Tuesday 8 to 8:30 p.m.; closed Saturday, Sunday and federal holidays. *Central Illinois News. March-April 2005*

How Long Did It Take?

Length of voyage to the shores of America:

1824 68 days	Rotterdam to Baltimore
1832 58 days	Bremen to Baltimore
1834 44 days	Bremen to Baltimore
1843 66 days	Bremen to New Orleans
1854 47 days	LeHavre to New Orleans
1893 10 days	Ireland to New York

GENEALOGY SEMINARS/CONFERENCE

Palatines to America 2005 National Conference

This conference is hosted by the Indiana Chapter of Palatines to America and will highlight its 30th anniversary. The conference will be held June 9-11, 2005, in Ft. Wayne, Indiana. For more information contact Ralph Kroehler at RalphKroehlerprodigy.net or by writing to Ralph at 6910 N. Rockvale, Peoria, IL 61614.

National Genealogical Society 27th Annual Conference

The National Genealogical Society is sponsoring the 27th annual "Conference in the States" at the Nashville, TN, Convention Center. There are 150 seminars from which to choose, mostly in one-hour time slots throughout each day. For a schedule of events, syllabus and registration information, see www.eshow2000.com/nqs/conf/program.cfm

Federation of Genealogical Societies

The FGS in association with the Utah Genealogical Association will present *Reminders of the Past: Visions for the Future*. This event will be held in Salt Lake City, Utah, September 7-10, 2005. The event offers over 130 lectures and workshops on all levels of genealogical research. Classes will be sponsored by BCG, ICAPGen, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and other organizations. Registration information is available at www.fgs.org/2005conf/FGS-2005.htm.

11th Genealogical Institute of Mid-America

Held on the University of Illinois Springfield campus from July 10th-14th, 2005. A choice of four genealogical courses taught by distinguished faculty is offered. Registration costs include eight general sessions, food and parking. Courses include:

Computer Resources	(\$455)
Research in Action	(\$425)
Bridging the Atlantic	(\$425)
European Research	(\$425)

There is a \$50 discount for ISGS members. Contact ISGS, P.O. Box 10195, Springfield, IL 62791-0195, e-mail GIMA2005!Qaol.com 215/359-2209.

KVGS WEBNEWS (<http://kvgs.org>)

If you've been to our website lately you'll have noticed that Volumes 6 and 7 of the quarterly have been posted. We will be posting quarterlies through Volume 15 including the index to the first 15 volumes in the near future.

Favorite Websites from the Decatur Genealogical Society

Genealogical Charts: www.io.com/Hhaller/forms/forms.htnnl
[Www.gendircom/free family tree charts q.html](http://Www.gendircom/free_family_tree_charts_q.html)

Library Sites: www.dar.org/library (DAR)
Www.loc.gov/library (Library of Congress)

Illinois Epidemics: www.iltrails.org/ilhealth.htm

GREAT & GREAT, GREAT

Must apologize for not listing the contact person for the Louis Denoyer and wife Agnes St. Pierre query run in the last quarterly. They're looking for information on Agnes' death date and also on the death dates of two sons. Contact Robert & Kathie Vlahos, 11565 6250 Rd., Montrose, CO 81401. mottzart2ba,montrose.net.

Looking for information on Christensen & Wittrup lines. The progenitors of these U.S. families are Jens C. Wittrup (d. abt. 1898) and his wife Matte, nee Jensen (1830-1917). Both were born and married in Demark. Matte is buried in the Clifton Cemetery. Their daughter Jenssine (1856-1929) married John Christensen (1857-1939). These two are also buried in the Clifton Cemetery. Contact Ray Bergman, 1419 Linden Ave., Homewood, IL 60430, e-mail raybergmana,webtv.net

Looking for Joseph Martin, where was he born in Canada or Illinois, 1820. Also, where did he die? Contact David Boudreau, 1009 Multnomah Dr., Modesto, CA 95350, e-mail BoudreauDavidcomcast.net.

1883 KANKAKEE COUNTY MARRIAGES

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette (publication date in parenthesis).

(25 Jan 1883) In Essex, January 17, 1883, by Rev. A. Riemenschneider, George Robinson and Miss Lama Granso, both of Essex.

(25 Jan 1883) In Sherburnville, January 10, 1883, by Rev. George K. Hoover, Charles A. Beebe and Miss Nettie Hayden, both of Yellowhead.

(25 Jan 1883) At Sugar Island, January 1, 1883, by Rev. W. T. Kerr. John R. McCune, of Chebanse, and Miss Mary F. Day, of Otto.

(25 Jan 1883) In Essex, Jan 9, 1883, by A. Grayson, Daniel J. White and Miss Libbie Cooper, both of Essex.

(25 Jan 1883) In Chebanse, January 15, 1883, by Rev. A. Gonant, Wm. Murphy and Miss Mary Lynch, both of Chebanse.

(25 Jan 1883) In Momence, December 21, 1882, by Rev. Geo. K. Hoover, John L. Fulton and Mrs. Susie Allinson, both of Momence.

(25 Jan 1883) At the St. John's Reformed Church in Clear Spring, Md., January 11, 1883, by Rev. Wm. Goodrich. Eaton Haslett, of Momence, Illinois, and Miss Sadie J. Conrad, of Clear Spring, Md.

(01 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Dec. 30, 1882, by A. Zinkann, Charles Perry Jr., of Kankakee and Miss Marie L. Lafleur, of Papineau.

(01 Feb 1883) In St. Anne, Dec., 25, 1882, by Rev. P. Boudreau, Nelson A. Pelletier and Miss Georgiana Chagnon, both of St. Anne.

(01 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Dec. 22, 1882, by Rev. N. H. Axtell, Charles B. Kaiser, of Chicago, and Miss Sarah M. Sykes of Kankakee.

(01 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Jan. 18, 1883, by Rev. N. H. Axtell, John McMann and Miss Mary M. Sherwood, both of Pembroke.

(01 Feb 1883) In Bourbonnais, Jan. 1. 1883, by Rev. P. Beaudoin, Edward Martin and Miss Delia Odette, both of Bourbonnais.

(01 Feb 1883) In Bourbonnais, Jan. 1, 1883, by Rev. P. Beaudoin, Clayi Marcotte and Miss Aurelia Partrie. both of Bourbonnais.

(01 Feb 1883) In Manteno, Jan. 21, 1883, by Rev. A. L. Bergeron, Charles H. Tope!, of Manteno and Miss Maggie Moat of Sumner.

(01 Feb 1883) In Lowell, Ind., Jan. 10, 1883, John Hibbs, of Yellowhead, and Mrs. Parker of Lowell, Ind.

(01 Feb 1883) At the residence of the bride's parents in Grand Rapids, Mich. Jan. 24, 1883, Samuel W. Lindsay of Chicago and Miss Louise H. Curtis, formerly of Kankakee. No cards, at home February 1, at No. 20 North Throop street, Chicago.

(01 Feb 1883) In St. George. Jan. 14, 1883, by Rev. I. C. Lesage, Edward Lenene of Sumner and Miss Delia Lambert of Bourbonnais

(01 Feb 1883) In St. George, Jan. 1?, 1883, by Rev. I. C. Lesage, Napoleon Boudreau of West Point, Ind., and Miss Laise Grigroire of Ganeer.

(01 Feb 1883) In St. George, Jan. 1, 1883, by Rev. I. C. Lesage, Henry Bruley and Miss Zelia LeClair, both of Sumner.

(01 Feb 1883) In St. George, Jan. 1, 1883, by Rev. I. C. Lesage, Joseph Hassler of Manteno and Miss Aurelia Lagesse of Bourbonnais.

(01 Feb 1883) Mr. Charlie Tople and Miss Margaret R. Moat were married at Manteno, Jan. 24. After the ceremony the bridal party returned to Wm. Moat's, where a sumptuous supper awaited them at about which sixty partook. A few hours of social dance was enjoyed when oysters were served. The presents were useful and numerous. May they live a long and happy life in the Far West where they anticipate going when the weather moderates.

(08 Feb 1883) In Momence, Tuesday Jan. 30, 1883, by Rev. C. R. Hodge, Charles S. Lake and Miss Frankie Ruger, both of Momence.

(08 Feb 1883) At the Grand Pacific Hotel, Chicago, Jan. 30, 1883, by Edwin R. Davis, Mr. George Avery, of Pilot and Miss Frances Goodrich, of Kankakee. Mr. and Mrs. Avery left Chicago Tuesday evening last on a visit to relatives in Coldwater, Mich., in Oberlin and other places in Ohio. They expect to be at home in about three weeks.

(08 Feb 1883) Charles S. Lake, son of J. Lake, of Ganeer, was married today to Miss Frankie Ruger, daughter of Captain Ruger, of Momence. The ceremony took place at 12 o'clock, m., in the Episcopal church by Rev. C. R. Hodge in presence of a large audience of invited friends. The bride and groom were preceded to the altar by the four ushers, Mate Hand, Reub Edwards, Chas. Styles and Walter Brown; groomsman, Mr. Ed Groesbeck, of Chicago, and bridesmaid, Miss Mary Lake, sister of the bridegroom. The wedding march was performed by Miss Lizzie Bissett, of Momence. After the ceremony the relatives and a few invited friends repaired to the residence of the bride's parents and partook of a bountiful dinner. The groom and bride took the two o'clock train for Chicago where they remained until Thursday. On their return a reception was given them by the groom's parents. The future home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lake will be in Sutherland, Iowa. They will go this month.

(15 Feb 1883) In Bourbonnais, Feb. 1, 1883, by Rev. A. L. Bergeron, Eugene D. Bergeron and Miss Marie Caron.

(15 Feb 1883) In Bourbonnais, Feb. 5, 1883, by Rev. P. Beaudoin, Isaac Senesac and Miss Matilda Frechette, both of Bourbonnais.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Feb. 7, 1883, by O. Durfee, John B. Murphy and Miss Minnie Barker, both of Momence.

(15 Feb 1883) In Sumner, Feb. 1, 1883, by Rev. G. K. Hoover, D. L. Neff and Miss Sadie Sharpe.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Nov. 21, 1882, by Rev. J. Kruell, August Krause, of Pilot, and Miss Annie Zopf, of Kankakee.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Feb. 6, 1883, by Rev. N. H. Axtell, Fred H. Bonsall and Miss Mary L.

Clayton, both of Cabery.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Feb. 12, 1883, by Rev. N. H. Axtell, John Jacobs and Mrs. Susan Clifton, both of Ashkum.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Feb. 6, 1883, by O. Durfee, Stephen W. Jones, of Chebanse, and Miss Cecelia Bacon, of Otto.

(15 Feb 1883) In Chebanse, Feb. 6, 1883, by Rev. C. Gonant, William Dempsey and Miss Mary Clabby, both of Chebanse.

(15 Feb 1883) In Manteno, Jan. 29, 1883, by Rev. A. L. Bergeron, Joseph Trepanier and Miss Anna DeMarteux, both of Manteno.

(15 Feb 1883) In Manteno, Feb. 5, 1883, by Rev. A. L. Bergeron, Peter Trepanier and Miss Marceline Grise, both of Manteno.

(15 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Feb. 5, 1883, by Rev. G. Mueller, John P. Friendt and Miss Emily Dierks, both of Papineau.

1883 KANKAKEE COUNTY BIRTHS

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette.

<u>Son/Dau.</u>	<u>Parents</u>	<u>Date</u>
Daughter	Mrs. James McCoy, Waldron	12 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. Myron E. Sterling, Waldron	14 Jan 1883
Son	Mrs. Gottlieb Deusch, Kankakee	28 Dec 1882
Daughter	Mrs. Adam Zopf, Kankakee	01 Jan 1883
Twins	Mrs. Wm. Zielke, Kankakee	05 Jan 1883
Son	Mrs. Louis Passell, Kankakee	24 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. John Grimes, Yellowhead	07 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. George Newark, Yellowhead	02 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. Chris Miller, Sherburnville	13 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. Joseph Adair, Aroma	14 Jan 1883
Daughter	Mrs. John W. Ravens, Otto	19 Jan 1883

1883 KANKAKEE COUNTY DEATHS

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette (publication date in parentheses).

(25 Jan 1883) At the hospital, January 12, 1883, of suffocation in epileptic fit, Robert Burnett, aged 22 years.

(25 Jan 1883) At the hospital, January 9, 1883, of pneumonia, Valendar? White, aged 70 years.

(25 Jan 1883) At the hospital, January 17, 1883, of septicamna, Nieck Morrison.

(25 Jan 1883) At St. Anne, Dec. 18, 1882, of bilous fever, Caroline Lepage (Lesage?) aged 72 years.

(01 Feb 1883) In Momence, January 19, 1883, Mrs. Arden Sherwood, nee Jane West, aged 22 years.

(08 Feb 1883) In Momence, Dec. 4, 1882, of eryipelas?, Mrs. Hannah Richardson, aged 50 years.

(08 Feb 1883) In Chebanse, Jan. 25, 1883, of ulceration of the lungs, Robert A. Barnett, aged 21 years.

(08 Feb 1883) In Kankakee, Jan. 27, 183, Ludovic, infant son of Telesphore Lafond, aged 2 years and 4 months.

(15 Feb 1883) In the hospital, Feb. 1, 1883, of chronic dementia and kidney disease, Charles E. Case, aged 28 years.

(15 Feb 1883) In Norton, Jan. 6, 1883, of dropsy, Mrs. Lorinda Peterson, aged 56 years.

(15 Feb 1883) In the hospital, Feb. 6, 1883, of organic brain disease, Eben J. Chapin, aged 68 years.

(15 Feb 1883) In Aroma, Feb. 3, 1883, of typhoid fever, Alonzo Jr., son of A. H. Wood, aged twenty years and ten months.

(15 Feb 1883) Alfred Bastien, of Kankakee, Ill., was shot dead today by William Davis in Ennis Texas (Feb. 13). Bastien was advancing on Davis with an ax. Bastien was an old resident of Kankakee and once owned and lived in the house now occupied by Capt. Savoie. He moved to Texas several years ago.

(15 Feb 1883) Mrs. Anastasie Vincent, whose age would have been 96 next April, died at the residence of her son-in-law B. Gressot in St. Anne last Friday. At her funeral were her two daughters, two grand sons and two great grandsons - the youngest of whom is 24 years of age. Mrs. Vincent was the great grandmother of L. Goudreau, Jr., of this city. She had resided in this county 28 years.

COUNTY COURT - 1883

Taken from the **Kankakee Gazette, January 25, 1883.**

Estate Jacob Reinhart. Judgment for Jacob Reinhart, Jr., for \$150.

Estate John Rondy. Final report approved and administratrix discharged.

Estate Thomas McDonough. Widow's relinquishment approved.

Estate Elizabeth Naumann, Inventory approved.

Estate Fred Meyer. Final report approved and administrator discharged.

Estate Rosilla J. Coman. Executor's report approved.

Estate Ann Eliza Porter. Final report approved and estate chosed.

Estate Varnum Parish. Appraisement approved.

Guardianship August H. Meyer. Mother, Christina, appointed guardian in bond of \$1,700; inventory approved

Estate John Weif. Report of sale of personal property approved.

Estate John Rantz. Executor's report approved.

Guardianship minor children of Henry Schultz. C. E. Alberts appointed guardian in bond of \$1000.

Guardian's report approved in guardianship of minor children of Maurity Look (as written).

Estate John Rapp. Appraisement bill approved.

Estate Chauncey Chipman. Claim of Sophronia Seager reinstated.

Guardianship Ed Hull. E. T. Hull approved guardian in bond of \$100

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 1, 1883.

Estate of Isaiah Thyfault. Administrator's report affirmed.

Jennie M. Hawkins appointed guardian of Birdie, minor child of Robert Hawkins, Bond \$300.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

Mary A. Rapp, of Kankakee, was adjudged insane.

Guardianship of Esther A., Frank H. and Jennie M. Hathaway. Reports approved

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 15, 1883.

Mary Caron, of Bourbonnais, adjudged insane and ordered to the hospital.

Guardianship Sophia, Tina, Matilda, Frank, Annie and George Myer. Mother appointed guardian, bond \$600.

Estate Isaah Thyfault. Decree for sale of real estate.

Estate Benj. Tombly. Same order.

Estate George Kelly. Same order.

Estate Lars Chally. Will admitted.

Minor children Saloma Bronner. Daniel Bronner and Jos. Girard appointed guardians.

Estate Pauline Boudreau. Paschal Souce appointed admr, bond \$4000.

<p>A BUSINESS FAILURE</p>

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

The shoe store of Carl Ring was closed by the sheriff last Saturday on executions amounting to about \$1200 in favor of four or five Kankakee men and a Chicago firm. Mr. Ring confessing judgment for the several amounts. Other Chicago houses are creditors in amounts which it is alleged, will bring the entire liabilities up to \$2,500. Mr. Ring's misfortune will be regarded with sympathy by the community. He has made a hard struggle to build up a lucrative business, but lack of capital and indebtedness incurred in building a house proved an obstacle in the way of success. The stock in his store invoices enough to pay the preferred creditors in full.

EAST OTTO - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

G. B. Nickerson has rented Sim Sammons farm for two years. Sim got sick of the barn grain and tried to buy off, but not succeeding rented Mrs. Ferrington's farm. He says a man is a fool to turn himself out of doors.

Decatur Farley has sold his farm and purchased one of L. Milk. He did talk of going West but give it up. Perry Darst will run all of Joseph Huckins' farm next year. This looks as though he was giving satisfaction.

ST. ANNE - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

E. L. Gros will move upon his farm in the spring. It is the one he traded his stock of hardware for with Mr. Payro.

S. M. Davis was in town Friday and sold four thousand bushels of corn to a Cincinnati company.

Rev. Mr. Paradis will move upon the Coyer place lately purchased by Mr. Senesac. Mr. J. B. Bissett and family will move to Michigan in the spring, having sold his house and lot to J. Liberty.

Old Mrs. Boudreau has been called home after a sojourn here of many years. She leaves many friends and relatives who mourn her loss.

Mr. X. Siros talks of building a new house on Chicago avenue in the spring. Peltier Bros. will put up a new meat market if they continue in the business. Louis Gerard will remodel his old icehouse into a dwelling in the spring.

LOCAL BREVITIES - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, January 25, 1883.

Coroner Schmidt was called to Cabery last Thursday to hold an inquest on the body of Nicholas Grotto, a German living in that neighborhood, who died suddenly. A verdict of death from natural causes was rendered.

James Lillie, the well-known builder, has contracted for the material to construct a side wheel steamer to ply the Kankakee river. It will be used for pleasure or business as may be required and will cost about \$2,000.

The funeral services of the late R. B. Hawkins were largely attended at the Presbyterian church last Thursday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Worrall preached an excellent discourse and the choir of the church sang some appropriate music. The pall bearers were W. H. Richardson, Ulrich Erzinger, Peter Fina, N. Rivard, John McLane and C. G. Willis. The members of the city council were all present and accompanied the remains to the grave.

The ladies of Kankakee and vicinity will be interested to learn that Mrs. Rondy will continue in business, occupying the west half of the store recently occupied by Rondy & Pallissard, and will keep a full line of notions, ladies' underwear, zephyrs, etc., and will also take orders and give instruction in hair work. Mrs. Rondy is so well known in this vicinity that the Gazette finds itself at a loss to suggest anything which will add to her popularity. We trust, however, that her large circle of lady friends will remember her when they wish to purchase anything in her line.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette February 1, 1883.

Charley Johnson has bought a grain elevator at Gardner. He now owns a dozen at different points hereabouts.

Chebense had a golden wedding last week, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson celebrating their fiftieth marriage anniversary.

The representative of an electric light company was in town last Saturday, looking up the prospects for introducing the light here. This is probably the last we shall hear of it.

Gustave Beauchamp, of Concordia, Kas., has disposed of his interest in the Palace drug store and has become sole proprietor of the City drug store at that place. Thus our Kankakee boys are making places for themselves at the front.

Mrs. Dye, county superintendent of schools, was visiting the schools in this neighborhood Tuesday, 23d. She spoke as being well pleased with the manner in which our school was conducted. We think the people of Kankakee county did well in selecting Mrs. Dye for superintendent.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette February 8, 1883.

Eggs at forty cents a dozen will soon paralyze the income of a country preacher.

J. H. Craddock has the contract for erecting all the depots (not less than six), out buildings and cattle pens on the Three I road between Momence and North Judson.

Lawson Hatch, manager of the Kankakee telephone exchange, skated to Cabery over the snow crust going by the way of Herscher. He was compelled to make the trip to repair the telephone wires which were broken by the storm.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 15, 1883.

John L. Curtis, an old resident and business man of Kankakee, has been compelled to announce that he will close out his business, owing to continued ill-health. He has been confined to the house for several weeks with a cancer on the lip.

County Treasurer Todd has nearly completed the preliminaries for building a residence on Court street, adjoining E. A. Size's. The style, size and general finish of the building will be similar to some of the residences put up last season. Green Bros. & Keeble are the builders.

Postal Clerk Geo. D. Blake has been transferred from the Kankakee & Seneca to the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, between Chicago and Iowa City. The promotion is well deserved, for George is one of the best informed men in the service. J. L. More takes the Kankakee & Seneca run.

A dispatch says that Ed Mosely, son of Mrs. Medore Martin, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree, as accessory with Mrs. Martin in the murder of Mrs. Keiger of Emporia, Kansas.

ROCKVILLE - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 1, 1883.

Horse flesh changed hands quite lively last week. A. Holcomb, of Kankakee, purchased of W. L. Mann one horse for \$140, one of Thomas Magruder for \$150. Frank Campbell, of Manteno, bought one two year old of S. J. Mann for \$150. A nice lot of cattle changed hands by the same parties.

Wm. Lownes offers his place of 240 acres for rent.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 15, 1883.

James Stirling has rented his farm and moved to Kankakee. Charles Shreffler, of Spink county, Dakota, is at his father's, Jacob Shreffler's for a short stay. Jacob Andrews has moved to James Stirling's farm.

Jim Shreffler, of Remington, Ind., has been spending a few days with friends in Rockville.

Mrs. Fred Williams, Alvin Dawson, Will Lownes and Eugenie Magruder are all sick with the measles. Mrs. Nathaniel Uran has been suffering with the neuralgia the past three or four weeks.

Charles Shreffler has moved to the farm of the late Geor. Payne, of Wesley, Will county. Mrs. A. E. Courville has just finished hauling 700 bushels of winter wheat for which he received 95 cents per bushel.

J. D. Grimes, who recently sold his farm here, has purchased a farm near Paxton, Ill. Ed. Durham has sold his farm of 160 acres to Hamlin Smith for the consideration of \$7,200.

BUCKINGHAM - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, January 25, 1883.

Since our last death has again been in our midst, this time removed Mrs. Peterson, wife of A. Peterson. Mrs. Peterson was a great sufferer before her death, which was caused by a tumor and dropsy.

Uncle Thomas Moran is quite sick, having a relapse after typhoid.

Married at the residence of B. L. Cornwell on Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, Mr. Thomas Patterson and Miss Alice Cornwell. The wedding was a quiet affair owing to the previous death of Mrs. A. Armitage, Mr. Patterson's sister. No invitations were out except for a few relatives of both parties.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 15, 1883.

A. F. Beardsley has his ice house filled with 18-inch ice from Willow pond.

Tunis Walters and Webster Bros. are loading three cars for Iowa and will start tomorrow for their new homes. Joe Montague will go with them to look up a location.

H. M. Cook has moved into his new store which gives him more room. The room is 24 x 70 and nicely fitted up and shows off goods to a good advantage.

J. M. Kagey, who formerly owned the McNamee farm, but is now located in Montana, is visiting Mrs. J. M. Walters, his sister.

L. C. Oulmonn was called to Ordway, Dakota, by a telegram to come up and save his claim by putting in his appearance. Mr. O. has a valuable claim of 120 acres close to Ordway, which some parties are desirous of jumping.

PILOT - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 1, 1883.

Oliver and Huntington James left for Onarga this morning to attend school in the seminary.

Walter Ewing left last Thursday for Summit, one of Chicago's suburban villages, where he will reside this season. He will work for a man named Wadsworth on a dairy farm. James Inkster, Jr., is now clerking for Jack Wheeler in his hardware store.

William Blain and wife went to Morris, Grundy county, last week to attend the funeral services of her mother, Mrs. Leach, who died very suddenly.

Richard Mumford is now under the care of Albert Ayres. It is hoped he will improve under his new treatment. It will be remembered he is the man who was so seriously injured in Cabery sometime since, by falling from a horse.

Brink Serrine came here from his home in Marietta, Ohio, on hearing of his father's severe illness. We are glad to state he is better now.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

Tom Gardner, late of Union Hill, formerly in business here, is now seen behind Frank Grosse's counter. He's a tolerable handsome clerk.

Mr. Lars Chally, who was almost a centenarian, died at his residence north of Herscher on Friday evening. His body will be taken to Lisbon, Kendall county, for interment. Thomas Christopher's family is increased by a son who made his appearance.

John Herscher's grain office on last Tuesday afternoon looked like a bee hive at swarming time. It was filled with people and dozens outside clamored for admittance, the occasion being a suit against August Krause, the saloon keeper, for a flagrant violation of the law by selling liquor to minors and on Sunday. Over a dozen witnesses were examined and it was well shown that he had kept a disorderly house. It looked rather bad when three of the trustees in the village gave evidence showing that they had assisted in violating the law by patronizing the saloon on Sunday. Lawyer Potter, of Kankakee, defended the suit. The case for the people was not very vigorously conducted. Hi Richardson was out intending to take a hand in it, by request of the village marshal who made the complaint and who was advised by three of the trustees to get counsel, but it seems some of the board changed their minds and decided to conduct it themselves. Seventeen counts were found against him and under the village law he was fined fifty dollars and costs by the justice, Frederick Herscher. After the adjournment of the suit Krause was arrested and tried under the state law for selling liquor to an habitual drunkard. Two charges were proven against him and he was fined forty dollars and costs. Mr. Richardson had a hand in this time and worked well.

CHEBANSE - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 8, 1883.

Nick Smith, a German, living 2% miles south of Cabery, undertook to commit suicide by cutting his throat. He had been drinking very heavy for several days, and was whisky crazy at the time. He is in critical condition with his windpipe nearly severed and a great gash cut in one of his arms. Doc. Gilborn was called in and dressed his wounds.

WE MUST LET THEM BE DOGS

Excerpts taken from The Daily Journal, August 30, 2004, article by Mark Derr.

In the dog days of summer, 1785, George Washington was worried about the future of the young nation and the fate of seven rare French hounds sent to him from Paris by his friend and fellow dog lover, the Marquis de Lafayette. He feared that their trans-Atlantic escort, a young John Quincy Adams, had

abandoned the dogs in New York, where "war" had been declared "on the canine species".

Fortunately, the Harvard-bound Adams, like many college students, had simply forgotten to write Washington with the news that upon his arrival in New York, he had turned the dogs over to the former chief physician of the Continental Army. The hounds arrived safely at Mount Vernon on August 31, where they became part of Washington's beloved pack.

Happy ending aside, Washington's concerns were well founded. New York, a fast-growing city of 30,000 in 1785, was locked in one of those bouts of fear of free-ranging dogs that periodically gripped many communities, especially in summer when every hot, painting canine was believed to have hydrophobia -rabies - then a mysterious, fatal disease.

Hysteria over a possible rabies outbreak combined with resentment against packs of dogs harassing people, livestock and other dogs to produce demands for action. On Oct. 26 the New York Common Council declared that dogs not chained, leashed, muzzled or otherwise confined could be apprehended and killed.

Two centuries later much has changed, not least the development of vaccines for distemper and rabies, but dogs still need friends and allies. Fully 25-30 percent of the 65 million dogs in the U.S. have at one time or another been abandoned, turned over to shelters or rescue groups or given away to new owners. Experts estimate that millions of animals a year are abused or neglected. Nearly one-quarter suffer from anxiety, phobias and other psychological problems. Two to three million are euthanized in shelters each year.

Because they live so intimately with us, we have come to expect our dogs to always be loyal, obedient, devoted and forgiving. We expect them to anticipate our need for attention and then give their love unconditionally. That they so often oblige is testament to the dog's uniqueness. But in making those demands we often forget that dogs remain a separate species, not simply a human adjunct.

People and animals pay a price for such incomprehension. Mistreated, badly trained and poorly bred dogs become hazards to themselves, other animals and people. All of us who claim to love dogs must strive to understand their nature and their motives. We must give them the training that would allow them to live in tight quarters with people who love them and with those, who in Washington's words, would wage war against them. We must treat them with respect - and let them be dogs. The history lesson is simple: In seeing to our dogs, we see to ourselves.

KANKAKEE PHOTOGRAPHERS (1876- 1949)

The following information was taken from the Kankakee City Directories. The first directory was published in 1876 and the next one in 1896. I scanned through the advertisements run in the Kankakee Gazette during the 1880's but could not find a single one for photographers. The Kankakee Library has the first two city directories in their collection and, after 1900, directories are available for every other year. The first list below is for those photographers that were only found in one or two city directories. All the photographers that were listed repeatedly follow broken down by year and location.

Eugene Hotchkiss, Cor. Station & Harrison (1876)

Charles Knowlton, Indiana between Chestnut & Locust (1876)

J. B. Dedrick, 53 East Ave. (listed only once for 1902)

David H. Bennett, 53 East Ave. (listed only once for 1904 - appears to have replaced Dedrick)

H. L. Koontz, 224 Court (listed only once for 1904)

A. H. Beardsley, 196% Court (listed only once for 1911)

Emma Leach, 279 E. Court (listed 1915-1918 only)
 Henry B. Evans, 3 E. Court (listed only once in 1921)
 Kankakee Film Finishing Co., 11-15 Chabot Bldg. (listed from 1925-1931)
 Knight Studio, 168 S. East Ave. (listed only once for 1925-26) Jas. O.
 Lucas, 266 N. Greenwood (listed only once for 1939)
 Pierre Studios. 188 E. Court (1949)

I. W. Powell (listed also as Powell Studios)

1896, 1898, 1902, 1904	282 Dearborn Ave.
1911	284 Dearborn Ave.
1913-1949	128 S. Dearborn

Charles E. Voss

1896, 1898, 1902	207 Court
1904	no listing
1911	207 1/2 Court
1913-1915	235 E. Court

Mrs. Josephine Voss

1916	130 E. Court
1921	no listing
1923-1935 Voss Studios	3d Fl. Commercial Building (130 E. Court)
1939 Emory V. Voss	130 E. Court

C. W. Hutton

1911	73% East Ave.
1913-1915	130 S. East Ave.
1916	241 E. Court
1918-1919	112 E. Court

Fred J. Kegebein

1911	53 East Ave.
1913-1915	276 S. East Ave.

M. E. Einbeck (Einbeck's Photo Studio)

1915-1933	143 N. Schuyler
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Snyder's Studio

1935	159 S. Schuyler
1937-1947	333 Arcade Bldg. (189 S. Schuyler)

Roy A. Breymeier

1935	258 E. Court
1937 (Breymeier Studio)	307-09 Volkmann Bldg. (253 E. Court)

Elmer A. Kirkman

1919	279 E. Court (same address as Emma Leach)
1931	143 E. Court
1935-1947	143 E. Court

Blankenberg Photographers

1935-Present	143 N. Schuyler
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Albert L. Scatterday

1937-1939	116 W. Washington, Momence
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Garvie (Garvice) G. Shook

1937-1949	258 E. Court
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Chas. Drude	
1931	307-08 Volkmann Bldg.
1939-1947	159 S. Schuyler
Colonial Studios	
1949	122 N. Dearborn
2005	(located at 2293 W. 3100 N. Rd. Bourbonnais, IL 60914)

BONFIELD - 1883

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 1, 1883.

Christopher Davis and Bert Michael are back from Kansas. They are well pleased with the country and will remove there in the spring.

Mr. C. Gray, commonly known as "Jake" is hauling the lumber for a fine residence on his farm three miles northeast of town. It will be 16x24 with an ell 12x20, with a veranda on each side, all to be 16 feet high.

Taken from the Kankakee Gazette, February 15, 1883.

Harry Davis is back from Delaware county, Ohio, where he has been visiting relatives. Messrs. Bert, Michael and "Crit" Davis are loading a car with household goods, farming utensils, teams, etc., today and will ship for Kansas tomorrow. Ira Coomer will accompany them.

Mr. David Bett starts this week for New York where he will ship on board one of the Guion line steamers for Liverpool, and from thence to Dunoon, Argyllshire, Scotland. Davey has been but thirteen months in America but has made many friends who wish him a pleasant voyage.

Sam Verkler is building a house, 18 x 24, on the west part of the farm for his tenant. Mr. Bates of Coal City moved into the saloon Saturday night. He has set up a billiard table and we suppose the boys will travel around it at the rate of ten miles per hour. Mrs. Hertz has moved back to her farm again, the arrival of Mr. Bates necessitates the use of the rooms lately occupied by her over the saloon.

KANKAKEE COUNTY PROBATE INDEX

The index information is from the "Old Estate Index Book A-Z from beginning (1853) through 1976". Abbreviations: Admin. WWA - Administration of an estate or property with will annexed (usually a will from another jurisdiction) Admin. - no will, only an estate. Guardianship - of a minor child or children. Conservatorship - a guardian of an adult(s).

<u>Estate</u>	<u>Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator</u>	<u>Nature of Estate</u>	<u>Box No.</u>
Brazil, Mary	John R. Brazil	Admin.	463
Braun, Albert	John Braun	Will	477
Brandt, John	John Ader, Fr.	Will	481
Brais, Mary B.	Anthony H. Yonke	Will	503
Brass, Jennie C.	E. C. Corkens	Will	516
Brass, Jerome	John E. Holland	Conservatorship	543
Bray, Fannie	Thomas Bray	Will	560
Brandt, Elizabeth	Henry Brandt	Will	717

Estate	Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator	Nature of Estate	Box No.
Bray, Henry	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Conservatorship	587
Braun, Amelia	John Braun	Will	585
Brassard, Victor T.	Wm. Brassard, et al	Will	615
Bracken, George W.	Frank A. Meier	Will	679
Brandt, Elizabeth	Henry Brandt	Will	717
Brassard, William	Fred Brassard	Admin.	775
Bradley, Charles L.	Elda Bradley	Admin.	777
Bradecich, Annie	Joseph Surprenant	Guardianship	782
Bracken, Frank	Emma M. Bracken	Will	792
Brandt, Henry	Eugene T. O'Neill	Admin.	798
Brassard, Fred	May L. Brassard	Admin.	802
Brault, Lawrence	William J. Brault	Admin. WWA	808
Bratton, Luther B.	Edith E. Burt	Will	814
Bracken, Alex		Heirship	820
Brandenburh (g?), Wayne R.	William E. Brandenburg	Guardianship	830
Bray, Henry	Laura Bray	Will	831
Bracken, Edward	Frank A. Meier	Will	847
Bras, Helena	Aris Bras	Admin.	876
Brassard, May L.	Carrie L. Blood, et al	Will	917
Brais, Nelda	City National Bank	Conservatorship	1432
Brazier, James Henry	Donald H. Brazier, Sr.	Admin.	933
Bratan, Archangelo	Adelaide Brantan	Admin.	959
Bradecich, Eli Francis	Frances Bradecich	Guardianship	975
Brandt, Louiella	Beulah Cantway	Admin.	996
Brault, Louise	William J. Brault	Will	998
Brais, Nelda	City National Bank	Admin. WWA	1000
Bragenberg, Nelda & Jeanette	Mary J. Cotsones et al	Guardianship	1002
Brazil, Theresa A.	Edward L. Ader, Sr.	Admin. WWA	1025
Brauer, Walter J.	Frances C. Brauer	Will	1053
Bratton, Kate M.	Edith E. Burt et al	Will	1058
Brackney, Luella	Roy Brackney	Admin. WWA	1076
Branton, Adelaide	John Branton	Admin.	1076
Brandt Carl Emmanuel Myrsell	Inez Brandt	will	1098
Bratton H. Ray	Edith E. Burt et al	Will	1114
Braun, John W., Sr.	Olive Paris et al	Will	1160
Brasel, Olivette Marie	Eugene Willey	Admin.	1194
Brand, Albert C.	Clara Brand	Will	1203
Brackin, Charles L.	Marion Blackmore	Admin.	1208
Brandt, Peter	Henry & Richard Brandt	Will	1241
Bradecich, John	Frances Bradecich	Will	1226
Bras, Arie	Minnie Blankenstyn	Conservatorship	1244
Bratton, Edith	Walter G. Bratton	Guardianship	1254
Braatz, Otto F.	Frank J. Braatz & Arnold Martin Goers	Will	1264
Braatz, Alvena C.	Otto F. Braatz	Will	1265
Brazil, William E.	John R. Brazil	Admin.	1283
Brady, Harry	Margaret Brady	Will	1304
Bras, Arie	Minnie Blankenstyn	Will	1318
Brazil, John R.	John R. Brazil	Will	1332
Brault, Joel, Carol, Richard	Cecile Brault	Guardianship	1335
Brais, Bernadette	15t Trust & Savings	Conservatorship	1341
Bratton, Walter G.	Lillian W. Bratton	Admin.	1362
Bracken, Emma	Bertha Page & Frank Bracken	Will	1369
Brady, Isabel Alice		Heirship Only	1396
Brasel, Rachelle	Eugene Willey	Guardianship	1423

Estate	Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator	Nature of Estate	Box No.
Bragg, Richard Roy	Earl Stevenson	Guardianship	642661-P
Brandfon, Marie H.	Charles O. Henry	Admin. WWA	65-931-P
Brady. Alice J.	James C. Brady	Will	66-2304-P
Bryton, Stella	Donald Cloos	Admin.	67-22-P
Bramson, Ronald Abert (Albert?)	Selma Bramson	Will	66-472-P
Brady, Fir-man Asbury, Jr.		Inheritance Tax	70-P-141
Bradley, John	Bernice Bradley	Admin.	69-P-197
Bradfore, Pearl	George Nucholls (Nicholls?)	Will	70-P-223
Brady, James	James T. Brady	Will	68-P-190
Brandt, Tillie	Henry & Richard Brandt	Admin.	71-P-176
Brassard, Anna E.	Verne T. Brassard	Will	71-P-313
Bramson. Selma	Charlene Liebers & Frank Bramson	Will	72-P-60
Brady. Laura E.	Kathryn E. O'Brien	Admin.	72-P-154
Bradford, Roger	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Guardianship	72-P-234
Braatz, Frank J.		Inheritance Tax	73-P-178
Brault, John T.	Herman Brault et al	Admin.	70P-234
Brand, Clara	Thomas Meidell & Donna Stone	Will	73-P-172
Bracken, Frank F.	Frank N. Bracken & Lorraine Bracken	Will	74-P-159
Brading, William H.	City National Bank	Admin.	74-P-234
Brading, Ina	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Admin.	74-P-242
Brandenburg, William F.	W. Gene VonLanken	Will	75-P-159
Brady. Michele, et al	Pearl Brady	Guardianship	1478
Brais. Marie A.	Nathan J. Brais	Will	76-P-72
Breault, Leander	Louis Breault	Will	74
Brennon, John	H. L. Richardson	Admin.	143
Breault, Eleanore	Louis Morin	Will	168
Brenneisen, Frederick	Susan Brennieisen	Admin.	177
Brault, Leandre	Louis Breault et al	Will	249
Brenneisen, Adam	Augusta Brenneisen	Will	257
Brenneisen, Augusta	Henry A. Brenneisen	Will	306
Breckenridge, Harriet G.	W. R. Breckenridge	Will	395
Brenneisen, Raymond	Callie Brenneisen	Admin.	406
Breault, Eugene	Nelda Breault	Admin.	463
Brenneisen, Raymond	Eastern Trust Bank	Guardianship	524
Breault, Louis	Adam Rivard et al	Will	682
Bregenzer, Charles G.	Charles Bregenzer, Jr.	Admin.	706
Breault, Maria	Alphonse L. Benoit	Will	720
Brenneisen, Alta	Henry Brenneisen	Conservatorship	806
Breault, Alex J.	Sylvia Breault	Admin.	820
Brentom, Arcangelo	W. M. Durham	Admin.	851
Bressner. Frank	Frederick A.	Will	862
Brett. William	Frank W. Curran	Conservatorship	870
Breault. Marie	Robert Breault	Will	873
Bremer. Louis	Frances Spies, B. Cotter	Will	1050
Brenner, Ben	Joseph Sohn	Admin. WWA	1086
Breitbach. Charles T.	Charles D. Breitbach	Guardianship	1206
Bredemeier, Fred J.	Elsie Bredemeier	Will	1231
Brewster, Dan	Ural Brewster et al	Admin.	1265
Brenner, Morris	Jeanette Brenner	Admin.	1293
Brenneisen, Laura	Edward G. Brenneisen	Admin.	1383
Breeze, Harley	Carrie Malone	Admin.	1396
Brenner. Jeffrey & Jeri	Jeanette Brenner	Guardianship	1415
Brenneisen, Edward G.	Elsie Brenneisen	Will	66-1898-P
Bregenzer, Charles C.	Maxine Bregenzer	Will	67-266-P

Estate	Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator	Nature of Estate	Box No.
Brenneisen, Alta	Pearl McElheny et al	Conservatorship	1466
Bressner, Cecila	Roy F. Bressner	Will	66-2510-P
Breese, Arthur W.	Melven Breese et al	Will	70-P-336
Bressner, Everett	Bertha Schoon	Will	73-P-42
Breeden, Powatan III	Jane C. Breeden	Will	74-P-59
Breault, Gilbert	Rita Breault	Will	74-P-365
Breault, Joseph G.	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Guardianship	1478
Breese, Leonard	Leonard Breese	Guardianship	1484
Brisco, James E.	Gel. E. Hikes	Admin.	1
Briggs, Wm.	A. S. Vail	Guardianship	51
Briant, Nelson		Will	54
Bristol, Caroline A.	Wm. F. Kenaga	Will	74
Briant, Mary Ann	M. C. Briant	Will	93
Brink, Juliana	E. E. Brink	Will	177
Brink, Nicolai	Julian Brink	Will	177
Briggs, Ruth Elizabeth	Albert E. Nichols	Guardianship	524
Briggs, Emily Mary	Harley B. Bichols	Conservatorship	435
Briere, Blanche P.	Thomas C. Briere	Admin.	481
Bringstaff, Josie	John Bringstaff	Will	538
Brink, Edward E.	Christena Brink	Will	586
Briggs, Loren		Conservatorship	676
Brinkman, Matilda	Bertha Schmidt	Will	696
Bringstaff, Kathryn	E. W. Keast	Will	739
Bringstaff, John	Edward J. Bringstaff	Will	804
Brink, Christina	Nicholas R. Brink	Will	884
Bringstaff, Laura	Edward J. Bringstaff	Admin.	898
Brinkman, Charles F.	Charles M. Brinkman	Admin.	914
Bright, William G.	Ruby Forburger	Admin.	941
Bringelson, John E.	J. Holger Bringelson et al	Will	945
Briese, Bertha	Anna Heinke	Will	999
Brinkman, Pearl E.	Dorrance M. Tammen	Will	1233
Bringelson, Josephine S.		Inheritance Tax	1268
Bringstaff, Edward J.		Inheritance Tax	1291
Bright, Charles W.	Matilda R. Bright	Will	1415
Bringstaff, Lillie E.	Betty Jane Metz	Will	64-3529-P
Brinkman, Catherine R.	Deland Burns	Will	65-1864-P
Brinkman, Donald P.	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Conservatorship	1466
Brinkman, Charles Meridan	Elmer Brinkman	Will	69-P-167
Brinkman, Donald O.	Elizabeth M. Buinkman (Brinkman?)	Admin.	69-P-135
Brinkman, Gladys	Doris Birr	Will	71-P-323
Brinkmann, Maria	Arthur Brinkmann et al	Will	70-P-116
Brinkman, Lydia	Harlan Bruer	Admin.	72-P-239
Bright, Matilda	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Conservatorship	72-P-253
Brickey, Grace R.	Clare R. Brickey	Admin.	74-P-34
Brickle, Dorothy		Inheritance Tax	75-P-34
Brinkman, Arthur J.		Inheritance Tax	75-P-44
Bright, Matilda	Charles O. Henry	Will	75-P-116
Bright, Elinor J.	Nora Bright	Guardianship	1478
Brown, Adam	Rebecca Brown	Admin.	3
Brown, Elisha	Elisha Parsons	Admin.	3
Brown, Martha E.	Alfred Brown	Admin.	27
Brown, Allen H.	Margaret Brown	Admin.	30
Brown, Rody	Bridget Brown	Will	33
Brown, Charles Nelson	H. W. Burton	Guardianship	36

Estate	Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator	Nature of Estate	Box No.
Brown, Franklin	Abram Snyder	Guardianship	36
Brown, Mary E. et al	Joanna Brown	Guardianship	36
Brown, Chas. H.	W. A. Farr	Conservatorship	50
Brown, Charles		Conservatorship	54
Brown, William J.		Will	105
Brown, John	Charles Brown	Will	138
Brown, John	Harry Brown	Will	144
Brown, George L.	Caroline Brown	Will	224
Brown, E. A.	G. L. Hoke	Will	249
Brown, Samuel H.	Delia Brown	Admin.	249
Brown, Cora A.	D. T. Allard	Guardianship	278
Brock, John	S. J. Brock	Will	292
Brooks, William Henry	Earl E. Brooks	Will	296
Brouillette, Hattie	Rose Caron	Will	296
Brouillette, Ulrich	Alex J. Powell	Admin.	296
Brouillette, Jesse	Malvina Brouillette	Will	352
Brouillette, Arthur	Anna Belle Brouillette	Admin.	352
Brock, John et al	Clara Brock	Guardianship	378
Bronner, Paulina	Edw. J. Wesemann	Admin.	395
Brouillette, William J.	Marie E. Brouillette	Admin.	364
Brown, Richard	David Snyder	Admin.	372
Broecker, Amos C.	Annie Broecker	Admin.	411
Brooks, Olive R.	E. C. Streeter	Admin.	411
Brown, J. A.	Albert W. Miller	Will	433
Brosseau, John	James Brosseau	Will	452
Brouillette, Severille		Heirship	457
Brouillette, Damas	Floyd Brouillette	Will	503
Brouillette, Noe	Delilma Brouillette	Guardianship	524
Brown, Burton et al	J. Archibald Brown	Guardianship	524
Brouillette, Peter	Barney Brouillette	Will	544
Brown, Jennie	Lillian Berry	Will	551
Brouillette, Malvina	Jeanette Brouillette	Will	556
Brosseau, Joseph	J. E. Labrie	Will	2
Brosseau, Pierre J.	Elodin Brosseau	Admin.	2
Brockmayer, Lorentz	Catharine Brockmayer	Will	3
Brooks, Francis H.	Virginia C. Brooks	Admin.	3
Brockway, Chauncey	B. G. Lee et al	Will	27
Brosseau, Etienne	Adelaide Brosseau	Will	30
Brouillette, Joseph	Emile Brouillette	Admin.	30
Broderick, Michael	Hannah Broderick	Admin.	33
Brosseau, Margaret	Mason B. Loomis	Guardianship	36
Brooks, Virginia	W. G. Brooks	Admin.	27
Brosseau, Joseph E. et al	Josephine Brosseau	Guardianship	42
Brosseau, Ursula et al	Elodie Brosseau	Guardianship	42
Brooks, Mary Jane et al	George Brooks	Guardianship	51
Brosseau, Martine	Nowl Brosseau	Will	62
Brosseau, Barbare et al	Daniel Broone	Guardianship	70
Brosseau, Peter et al	Amable Larocque	Guardianship	72
Brown, Lettie	Samuel Brown	Will	72
Brosseau, Antoine	Moses Legris	Will	74
Brosseau, Soulange	Teles Betourne	Will	74
Brosseau, Joseph E.	Noel Brosseau	Admin.	99
Brooker, Louisa	Fanny Wood	Guardianship	103
Bromley, Harvey	Weltha Bromley	Admin.	114

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Brosseau, Moses	Noel Brosseau	Admin.	115
Brosseau, Ursula V.	Wm. H. Granger	Will	138
Brown, John	Charles Brown	Will	138
Brosseau, Noel	P. A. Brosseau	Will	152
Brooks, John	G. Brooks et al	Will	152
Brosseau, Francis	Louis C. Prew	Will	163
Bronner, Daniel	Paulina Bronner	Will	168
Brosseau, Hipolyte	Philomene Brosseau	Will	177
Brouillette, Mary	John Brouillette	Conservatorship	182
Brosseau, Corrine et al	P. A. Brosseau	Guardianship	184
Broecher, Fred	Harry Broecher	Admin.	173
Brosseau, Jeremie	Mathilda Brosseau	Will	166
Brock, William J.	Clara B. Brock	Admin.	184
Brosseau, William et al	Philip A. Brosseau	Guardianship	200
Brosseau, Louis	America Brosseau	Admin.	211
Brockway, Martin A.	George Bly	Admin.	228
Brockway, Nancy A.	Ernest Croxen	Admin.	257
Brown, Jane A.	Walter H. Lowe	Will	345
Brock, Samuel J.	Charlotte Brock et al	Admin.	370
Brosseau, Mary	Eva Vanderwater et al	Will	371
Brosseau, Jesse	Alix Brosseau	Will	463
Brodeur, Alexander	Flavie Brodeur	Will	487
Brosseau, Lorette	Orville Brosseau	Admin.	519
Brosseau, Edward	E. A. Marcotte	Admin.	549
Brouillette, Berthe	Eugene Brouillette	Admin.	580
Brouillette, Ralph et al	Elsie Brouillette	Guardianship	585
Braun, Amelia	John Braun	Will	585
Brosseau, George	F. R. Brosseau	Guardianship	585
Brook, Carrie B.	Helen B. Smith	Admin.	604
Brouillette, Nelson	Georgya Tatreau	Admin.	605
Brown, Anna	Kate Gebbs	Conservatorship	649
Broecker, Annie	Claude M. Granger	Admin.	667
Brown, Alvin	Clifford Brown	Admin.	671
Brown, Anna	Katie Shields	Will	679
Brown, L. Caroline	John K. Brown et al	Will	718
Bryan, Lena	George Bryan	admin.	69-P-80
Brosseau, Stephan	Joseph Brosseau	Admin. WWA	736
Brown, Martha	Lucia B. Peck	Admin.	741
Brock, Clara B.	Helen Smith et al	Will	741
Brott, Alfred	City Trust & Savings Bank	Conservatorship	787
Brouillette, Alfred	Arselia Brouillette	Admin.	792
Brosseau, Levi	Agnes N. Brosseau	Admin.	800
Brown, Howard H.	Jennie L. Ubellar	Will	802
Brosseau, Alix	Clara Boucher	Will	815
Brown, Harold	Trust Co. of Chicago	Admin.	820
Brown, R. E.	Mildred I. Beckman	Admin.	870
Brown, William O.	C. R. Brown	Admin.	870
Brosseau, Lorresita	Orville Brosseau	Admin.	870
Brosseau, Gaspard	Bertha Brosseau	Admin. WWA	876
Brock, Charlotte	Edna Wilken et al	Will	898
Brosseau, Joseph M.	Zelda Tatro Brosseau	Will	914
Brosseau, Agnes	Orville Brosseau	Admin.	933
Brower, Guy H.	Donald Gray	Admin.	954
Brown, Lena R.	Iona Lucille Johnston	Admin.	973

<u>Estate</u>	<u>Name of Administrator, Executor, Guardian or Conservator</u>	<u>Nature of Estate</u>	<u>Box No.</u>
Brosseau, Philip H.	Leo P. Brosseau	Will	975
Brown, Elmer A.	Dora B. Brown	Will	1003
Brooks, Ora	City National Bank	Admin.	1021
Brosseau, Bernard et al	Orville Brosseau	Guardianship	983
Brockett, Emma	E. S. Crosier	Conservatorship	1027
Brouillette, Ralph H.	Opal Brouillette	Will	1078
Brown, Bonita Marie	Lorraine M. Hooker	Guardianship	1081
Brooks, Patricia	1st Trust Bank	Conservatorship	1117
Brosseau, Romeao et al	Bernadette Collett	Guardianship	1129
Brown, J. Archibald	Gretchen P. Brown et al	Will	1148
Brock, Walter E.	Walter D. Brock	Admin.	1190
Brown, Logan	Elmo F. Peterser	Admin.	1190
Brouillette, Leonie	Alton E. Brouillette	Conservatorship	1231
Brouillette, Leonie	Alton E. Brouillette	Admin.	1252
Brown, David J.	City National Bank of Kankakee	Will	1252
Brown. Thomas P.	City National Bank of Kankakee	Will	1258
Brown. Odessa aka Odessa R.	Louis E. Beckman	Admin.	1286
Brosseau, William	Everett Brosseau	Will	1297
Brown, Mary Frances	Glenn E. Brown	Will	1323
Brosseau. Hermeline	Albert D. Brosseau	Admin.	1328
Brown, John T.	Esther Brown	Will	1335
Brown, Arthur L.	1st Trust & Savigns Bank	Conservatorship	1341
Brouillette, Amanda	Howard Brouillette	Admin.	1343
Brosseau, Hermeline	Viator Brosseau & Donald Detourne	Will	1352
Brown, Charles R.	Glenn E. Brown	Will	1352
Brown. Gretchen Palmer	Burton A. Brown	Will	1354
Brockman, Marie	Eva L. Minor	Will	1367
Brosseau, Doria	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Admin.	1382
Brosseau, James	Louis & Mable Rasmussen	Conservatorship	1378
Brosseau, Roland	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Will	1394
Brosseau, Nellie aka Ellen	Louis & Mable Rasmussen	Conservatorship	1404
Brosseau, James	Louis & Mable Rasmussen	Admin.	1415
Brosseau, Ellen aka Nellie L.	Eva L. Minor	Will	1419
Brosseau, Viator F.	Elizabeth Good et al	Will	1422
Brouillette, Ona E.	Alton E. Brouillette	Will	64-629-P
Brooks, Kenneth D.	1st Trust & Savings Bank	Guardianship	1431
Brosseau, Zelda Tatro	Oscar Tatro et al	Will	65-650-P
Brown. Winifred Lucy	City National Bank	Will	65-3370-P
Brown, L. Maxine	Minnie Lichliter	Admin.	67-29-P

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KANKAKEE COUNTY SCHOOL RECORDS

The following records are from *Examination of Teachers in the Public Schools* (a register of applicants for schools). The following is continued from the last quarterly with the following abbreviations: ps = public schools. (Nativity lists first location where teacher was born and second current residence.)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Where Educated</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Nativity</u>
04 Jan 1908	Elisabeth Claypool	Park Ridge	Chicago Univ.	36	IL
18 Jan 1908	Edna Chagnon	St. Anne	St. H.S. & Normal	20	IL

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Where Educated</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Nativity</u>
18 Jan 1908	Lilian Orwig	Bonfield	Bonfield	18	IL
29 Jan 1908	Mrs. J. H. Bill	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	47	
01 Feb 1908	Elizabeth Claypool	Park Ridge, IL	Chgo Univ.	36	IL
01 Feb 1908	Frances Evans	Kankakee, IL	Kankakee H.S.	30	IL
01 Feb 1908	Nellie Eaton	Momence, IL	Chgo Musical College		
			Waukon, IA	26	IA
01 Feb 1908	Opal McBroom	Bradley	Bradley	17	IL
01 Feb 1908	Nellie McCoy	Bradley	Bradley	17	IL

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07 Mar 1908	Grace Newton	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	18	IL
07 Mar 1908	Clyde Young	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	24	IL
07 Mar 1908	Walter Cavanaugh	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	28	MI
07 Mar 1908	Frances Dillon	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
07 Mar 1908	Beatrice Brule?	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
07 Mar 1908	Zella Brooks	St. Anne	St. Anne	20	IL
07 Mar 1908	Lucy O'Neal	Kankakee	Kankakee	17	IL
07 Mar 1908	Minnie Snune?	Kankakee	Chicago	24	IL Special
07 Mar 1908	Nellie Easton	Herscher	Normal Herscher H.S.	22	IL
07 Mar 1908	Alice McLane			28	
04 Apr 1908	E. D. Broulette	Bradley	Bourbonnais		IL
04 Apr 1908	Margaret Nelson	Momence	Momence	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Margaret Calahan	Essex	Valparaiso	22	I
04 Apr 1908	Agnes Calahan	Essex	Valparaiso	18	IL
04 Apr 1908	Grace Scroggins	Essex	Valparaiso	18	IL
04 Apr 1908	Mary Kelley	Essex	Valparaiso	19	IL
04 Apr 1908	Anna M. Greene	Momence	Bourbonnais	19	IL
04 Apr 1908	Frances Halpin	Momence	Momence	18	IL
04 Apr 1908	Florence Smith	Momence	Momence	18	IL
04 Apr 1908	Margaret McMan	Momence	Momence	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Mattie Stetson	Momence	Momence	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Gertrude Nelson	Momence	Momence	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Katheryn Corcoran	Buckley, IL	Buckley	21	IL
04 Apr 1908	Nellie Buckley	Cabery, IL		24	IL
04 Apr 1908	Mary Nugent	Cabery, IL	Cabery	16	IL
04 Apr 1908	Bina Frerich	Kankakee	Normal	28	IL
04 Apr 1908	Mayme Greeley	Kankakee	Normal	25	IL
04 Apr 1908	Hilda Frerich	Kankakee	Normal	19	IL
04 Apr 1908	Ella Funk	Reddick	Reddick	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Serena Mortensen	Reddick	Reddick	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Bessie Holland	Chebanse	Chebanse	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Selma Johnson	Chebanse	Chebanse	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Lela B. Greene	Chebanse	Chebanse	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Lucy Weis	Reddick	Reddick	17	IL
04 Apr 1908	Olivina? LeSage	Bradley	Valparaiso	31	IL
04 Apr 1908	Agnes M. Peterson	Momence	Normal Univ.	21	IL
04 Apr 1908	Maud Young	Kankakee	Watseka	20	IL
02 May 1908	Mary E. Bukowski	Momence	Momence H.S.	29	IL
02 May 1908	Lucy Corlos	Manteno	St. Jos. Seminary	19	IL
02 May 1908	Edna Luehrs	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	18	IL
02 May 1908	Edna McKee	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
02 May 1908	Millie Kammann	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
02 May 1908	Adrian Ponton	St. Anne	Valparaiso	23	IL
02 May 1908	Jacob L. Crosby	Momence	Normal Univ.	25	IL

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02 May 1908	Earl Hassemeyer	Essex	Valparaiso	18	IL
02 May 1908	William Schwark	Bonfield	Bonfield	18	IL
02 May 1908	Della D. Case	Waldron	Waldron	17	IL
02 May 1908	Lotus Hassemeyer	Essex	Valparaiso	17	IL
02 May 1908	Grace White	Essex	Valparaiso	17	IL
02 May 1908	Honor Sweeney	Bonfield	Bonfield	18	IL
02 May 1908	Alma Lee	Essex	Valparaiso	17	IL
02 May 1908	Amanda Rathman	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	18	IL
02 May 1908	Bessie Howard	Coal City, IL	Normal Univ.	19	IL
02 May 1908	Lillilan Dole	Manteno	Chicago Univ.	23	IL
02 May 1908	Charles Hoss	Cabery	Cabery	18	IL
02 May 1908	Hazel Finch	Kankakee	Kankakee	17	IL
02 May 1908	May Scroggins	Essex	Valparaiso	31	IL
02 May 1908	Kathryn Sweeney	Bonfield	Valparaiso	21	IL
02 May 1908	Ilah? Patchett	Reddick	Reddick	17	IL
02 May 1908	Ida J. Johnson	Buckingham	Normal Univ.	17	IL
02 May 1908	Edythe Payne	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	19	IL
02 May 1908	Mary E. Kisner	Manteno	Normal	24	IL
02 May 1908	Anna L. Berns	Chebalse	Chebalse	19	IL
02 May 1908	Juliane Jensen	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
02 May 1908	Chas. A. Changnon	St. Anne	IL Univ.	26	IL
02 May 1908	Eva Supernant	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	25	IL
02 May 1908	J. D. Cokeley	Essex	Valparaiso	48	NY
02 May 1908	Gilbert A. Willis	Momence	Momence H.S.	22	NY
02 May 1908	Lilly Laurup	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	27	Canada
02 May 1908	Jno. E. Hirst	Kankakee	N.I.N.S. & IA State Univ.	40	IL
02 May 1908	Jennie Engles	Essex	Valparaiso	19	IL
02 May 1908	Genevieve Moore	South Wilmington	IL Normal	18	IL
02 May 1908	Narcisse Marcotte	Bourbonnais	St. Viateur's Col.	27	IL
02 May 1908	Mary Halloran	Reddick	Corn. School	16	No Cert. Issued
02 May 1908	Leon Kevin?	Irwin	Corn. School	14	
02 May 1908	Dixie Copeland	St. Anne	IL Normal	24	IL
02 May 1908	G. W. Bishop	Kankakee	IL Normal	30	IL
06 Jun 1908	Maggie Mulligan	Essex	Wilmington H.S.	30	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kathryn Mulligan	Essex	Valparaiso Col.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Zella Brooks	St. Anne	Normal IL	23	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kathryn Devine	Chebalse	St. Jos. Seminary	26	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mayme Cloonan	Chebalse	Ashkum H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mary A. Dunn	Bonfield	Corn. Schools	28	IL
06 Jun 1908	Elmer F. Moore	Bonfield	Normal Univ.	37	IL
06 Jun 1908	Pearl M. Schott	Bonfield	Luth. College	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Dora E. LaMontagne	Bourbonnais	Notre Dame Ac.	21	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kathryn McGrath	Braidwood	IL Normal	24	IL
06 Jun 1908	Franklin H. Smith	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mable Hilliker	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Anna M. Durham	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Lillian Orwig	Bonfield	Dist. 72	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mabel L. Shreffler	Bonfield	Dist. 72	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Clara I. White	Essex	IL Normal	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Jennie M. Cleary	Momence	IL Normal	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Lou B. Murray	Union Hill	Northern IL Nor.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Hattie H. Lamport	Momence	Momence H.S.	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ethel M. Lamport	Momence	Momence H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Agnes Barrett	Momence	Kentland Ind. H.S.	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Margariette Walsh	Ashkum	St. Josep's	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Nellie A. Hanen	Momence	St. Anne Acad.	19	IL

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06 Jun 1908	Isabelle Bouchard	St. Anne	St. Anne H.S.	29	IL
06 Jun 1908	Eva Clouatre	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Bessie Bowler	Bradley	DeKalb Normal	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	Emma Peterson	Herscher	Dixon Normal	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Clara R. Wilson	Grant Park	Momence H.S.	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Georgia Frecette	Notre Dame	Notre Dame Ac.	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	Laura Carpenter	Hopkins Park	Pontiac H.S.	29	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mayme Halpin	Momence	Momence H.S.	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ruth S. Selleck	Grant Park	St. Chas. H.S. Minn.	26	MN
06 Jun 1908	Ella I. Thorson	Herscher	Valparaiso	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Harriet L. Isaacson	Herscher	Dixon Normal	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Romeo Wadleigh	Herscher	Herscher H.S.	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Rachael Brazier	Herscher	Herscher H.S.	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Anna L. Krueger	Bonfield	Kankakee	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Sara G. DeHart	St. Anne	Arcola H.S.	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Gertrude Bouchard	St. Anne	DeKalb Nor.	19	
06 Jun 1908	Agnes Shrontz	St. Anne	St. Anne H.S.	32	
06 Jun 1908	Ida A. Bouchard	St. Anne	DeKalb Nor.	24	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ella B. Emmett	Wilmington	Wilmington H.S.	40	IL
06 Jun 1908	Edith S. Bittourna	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	32	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ralph Harwood	Valparaiso	Valparaiso Univ.	20	IN
06 Jun 1908	Merle Nichols	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Edna M. Lowe	St. Anne	Dist. 111 IL	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	Josie Durning	Chebanse	Chebanse H.S.	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mabel L. Eggleston	Kankakee	DeKalb Nor.	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kathryn McCormick	Manteno	St. Xavier Convent	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ida B. Burno?	Kankakee	Blue Island H.S.	21	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ella Nichols	Manteno	Watseka H.S.	26	IL
06 Jun 1908	Albert L. Mann	Manteno	Valparaiso Univ.	22	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mary Quigley	Manteno	Valparaiso Univ.	23	IL
06 Jun 1908	Emile Kerger	St. Anne	St. Anne H.S.	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	Cora Piper	Peotone	Peotone H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kathryn Fallon	Braidwood	Braidwood	23	IL
06 Jun 1908	Frances G. Holmes	Momence	DeKalb Nor.	32	IL
06 Jun 1908	Minnie F. Christ	Cabery	Pontiac H.S.	20	IL
06 Jun 1908	DeEtte D. Beck	Chebanse	Chebanse H.S.	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Lizzie B. Rice	Momence	Momence H.S.	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mary A. Slater	Manteno	Valparaiso	21	IL
06 Jun 1908	Kate A. White	Essex	Normal, IL	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Louie C. Woodington	St. Anne	DeKalb, IL	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Mary Townsend	Chatsworth	Melvin H.S.	24	IL
06 Jun 1908	Lawrimer L. Henry	Bonfield	Onarga Sem.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Edwin L. Hasker	Kankakee	Kankakee	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Ella Knittel	Chebanse	Chebanse H.S.	25	IL
06 Jun 1908	Rose McGovern	Essex	Essex	17	IL
06 Jun 1908	Blanche Bloxam	Reddick	Reddick	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Laura A. Mellanson	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Jas. Craig	Peotone	Valparaiso	41	IL
06 Jun 1908	Laura Rivard	Bourbonnais	Bourbonnais	18	IL
06 Jun 1908	Dena M. Moe	Reddick	Reddick	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Laura H. Little	Momence	Momence H.S.	21	IL
06 Jun 1908	Clennie B. Little	Momence	Momence H.S.	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Hazel Ulbrick	So. Wilmington	Clarke City	19	IL
06 Jun 1908	Pearl LaMontagne	Bourbonnais	Notre Dame	18	IL
01 Jul 1908	Mata Shroeder	Bonfield	Kankakee H.S.	17	IL
01 Jul 1908	Anna Livingston	Kankakee	Valpo. & DeKalb	27	IL
01 Jul 1908	Georgie Whitmore	Kankakee	Mich. U. of M.	26	IL

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01 Jul 1908	Elizabeth Wetmore	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	20	IL
01 Jul 1908	Anna B. Peck	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	37	IL
01 Jul 1908	Winnifred Sewel?	Kankakee	Charleston Nor.	25	IL
01 Jul 1908	Frances E. Smith	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	20	IL
01 Jul 1908	Susan V. Riggs	Kankakee	Onarga Sem.	44	IL
01 Jul 1908	Lilian Havens	Kankakee	Onarga Sem.	33	IL
01 Jul 1908	Edith Childs	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	32	IL
01 Jul 1908	Josephine Bunker	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	34	IL
01 Jul 1908	Bertha McCue	Bradley	Valpo. Ind.	23	IL
01 Jul 1908	Mayme Young	Bradley	Valpo. Ind.	20	IL
01 Jul 1908	Ada Bowman	Bradley	Paxton Col.	32	IL
01 Jul 1908	Mrs. Dora Sperry	Kankakee	Battle Creek H.S.	42	IL
01 Jul 1908	Cora Scroggins	Bradley	Valparaiso	21	IL
01 Jul 1908	Eva A. Marcotte	Bourbonnais	Bourbonnais	20	IL
01 Jul 1908	Minnie Waide	Kankakee	Onarga	38	IL
01 Jul 1908	Harriet Carmichael	Kankakee	DeKalb	27	IL
01 Jul 1908	Harriet Conn	Kankakee	Charleston Nor.	28	IL
01 Jul 1908	Ethel Weaver	Kankakee	Momence H.S.	25	IL
01 Jul 1908	Mrs. Elizabeth Love	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	38	IL
01 Jul 1908	Laura E. Koon	Kankakee	Onarga	27	IL
01 Jul 1908	Edith L. Babcock	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	23	IL
01 Jul 1908	Nellie Durham	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	28	IL
01 Jul 1908	Belle L. Cleghorn	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	29	IL
01 Jul 1908	Nettie Young	Kankakee	Valpo. Univ.	32	IL
01 Jul 1908	Anna M. Duffy	Kankakee	Valpo. Univ.	23	IL
01 Jul 1908	Abbie Vanwort	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	26	IL
01 Jul 1908	Nellie Carroll	Kankakee	St. Jos. Academy	29	IL
01 Jul 1908	Vida T? Kirk	Kankakee	Carbondale	23	IL
01 Jul 1908	May E. Holmes	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	40	IL
01 Jul 1908	Maud A. Lyons	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	29	IL
01 Jul 1908	Marrion Higgins	Kankakee	Col. Normal	43	IL
01 Jul 1908	Ida Babin	Kankakee	Valparaiso	44	IL
01 Jul 1908	Kake Adams	Kankakee	Dixon Nor.	34	IL
01 Jul 1908	Belle V. Perry	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	48	IL
01 Jul 1908	Nellie Lavery	Kankakee	Bloomington	26	IL
01 Jul 1908	May Roeth	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	36	
01 Jul 1908	Louise Roeth	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	39	
01 Jul 1908	Honora Lavery	Kankakee	St. Jos. Acad.	42	IL
01 Jul 1908	Minnie Wittemore	Kankakee	Onarga Sem.	28	IL
01 Jul 1908	Mable Fraucher?	Kankakee	Normal, IL	26	IL
01 Jul 1908	Isabelle Durfee	Kankakee	NY Normal	40	NY
01 Jul 1908	Hattie Pahtge?	Kankakee	IL Normal	29	IL
01 Jul 1908	Marie Rafferty	Essex	Valpo.	45	IL
01 Jul 1908	Isabelle Durfee	Kankakee	NY Normal	41	NY

Mrs. Isabelle Durfee was not reported to Treas. in July report, but was in Nov. 1908.

01 Aug 1908	Eunice Dickey	Grant Park	Momence H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Jeannette Vining	Kankakee RFD	Kankakee H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Rose V. Voight	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Emma Pittman	Momence	Momence H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Elsie E. Mann	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Gladys Thurston	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	Irma M. Beardsley	Buckingham	Valparaiso	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Maude E. Minnich	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	Zella R. Burr	Essex	Valparaiso	18	IL

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01 Aug 1908	Maude F. Shott	Union Hill	DeKalb, IL	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Lottie Graham	Momence	Denison Univ.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Lottie I. Hiss?	Momence	Momence H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Bessie A. Jackey	Gardner	McKinley H.S. Chgo.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Josephine Payer	LaGrange	Chicago H.S.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Floyd E. Heavener	Momence	Normal 2 yrs.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Mary Coderre	Manteno	H.S. Kankakee	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Elsie Woodruff	Kankakee	H.S. Kankakee	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	H. A. Albright	Waldron	Normal	23	IL
01 Aug 1908	Grace Scroggins	Essex	Valparaiso	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	H. H. Russell	Herscher	Normal	26	IL
01 Aug 1908	Beatrice Vickery	Waldron	Valparaiso	28	IL
01 Aug 1908	Ellen M. Murphy	Kankakee	Chebans H.S.	31	IL
01 Aug 1908	Clara M. Brawthen	St. Anne	N.W. Univ.	23	IL
01 Aug 1908	Emma Haven	Momence	Momence H.S.		IL
01 Aug 1908	Carrie Thorson	Herscher	Pleasant View Col.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Lola V. Redfield	Buckingham	Valparaiso Univ.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Evelyn Taylor	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	23	IL
01 Aug 1908	Lottie Patterson	Herscher	III. State Nor.	28	IL
01 Aug 1908	Anna Mae Launip	Kankakee	Kankakee H.S.	24	IL
01 Aug 1908	Eugenia D. Brouillette	Bradley	Bourbonnais Acad.	25	IL
01 Aug 1908	Jessie Fearn	St. Anne	St. Anne H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Ruby Brown	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Emma Felton	Grant Park	Crown Point H.S.	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	Josephine Peterson	Buckingham	Lutheran Col. Ottawa	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	Louemma Cochran	Waldron	Valparaiso Univ.	27	IL
01 Aug 1908	Gunhilde Johnson	Waldron	McKinley H.S. Chi.	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Birdie Evans	Chebans	Normal, IL	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Olive M. Burchard	Grant Park	Momence H.S.	25	
01 Aug 1908	Juliet C. Fortier	Clifton	St. Jos. Acad.	18	
01 Aug 1908	Chas. A. Daly	Union Hill	Valparaiso	21	
01 Aug 1908	Louise Sholes	Grant Park	Oberlin Col.	23	
01 Aug 1908	Florence L. Lyon	Evanston, IL	Chgo. Univ.	31	IL
01 Aug 1908	Estella M. Cant?	Herscher	Dist. School	17	IL
01 Aug 1908	Edith M. Warfel	Manteno	Chgo. Nor.	36	IL
01 Aug 1908	Cora B. Neilson	Reddick	Valparaiso	26	IL
01 Aug 1908	Nellie V. Neilson	Reddick	Valparaiso	30	IL
01 Aug 1908	Tessa E. Magruder	Kankakee	Normal, IL	21	IL
01 Aug 1908	Florence Thurston	Manteno	Manteno H.S.	28	IL
01 Aug 1908	Nellie I. Loghrey	Momence	Normal	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Anna V. Webb	Momence	Charleston H.S.	24	IL
01 Aug 1908	Will E. Hayden	Grant Park	Momence H.S.	18	IL
01 Aug 1908	Glenn C. Bainum	Momence	Normal, IL	20	IL
01 Aug 1908	Mary S. Dwyer	Momence	Momence H.S.	21	IL
01 Aug 1908	Clara M. Law	Momence	Northern III. Nor.	25	IL
29 Aug 1908	Anna L. Bissell	Momence	Macomb Nor.	22	IL
01 Aug 1908	Wm. W. Lish	St. Anne	Valparaiso	21	IL
01 Aug 1908	Carolyn M. Linehen	Manteno	DeKalb Nor.	25	IL
01 Aug 1908	J. H. B. Smith	Manteno	Hedging Co.	30	IL
01 Aug 1908	Carrie Brooks	St. Anne	Normal, IL	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Mary I. Denny	St. Anne	Ind. State Nor.	19	IL
01 Aug 1908	Franklin N. Tracy	Kankakee	N.W. Univ. IL	58	NY
01 Aug 1908	Cora Z. Nichols	Momence	Momence H.S.	41	IL
01 Aug 1908	Evelyn B. Holmes	Momence	III. Nor. DeKalb	30	IL
01 Aug 1908	Emma G. Hanen	Momence	St. Patrick's Acad.	18	IL
03 Sep 1908	Henry W. Sutton	Grant Park	Ann Arbor	30	IL

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01 Sep 1908	Rev. Sister St. Vitaline	Bourbonnais		23	IL
05 Sep 1908	J. J. Ferguson	St. Anne	Normal, IL	47	IL
12 Sep 1908	Louis Todd	Kankakee	Oberlin Col.	25	IL
14 Sep 1908	Mrs. Eliz. Leonard Ashby	4211 Ellis Ave. Chgo.	Hyde Park H.S.	24	IL
11 Sep 1908	Mayta O. Hobba?	St. Anne	Mich. Univ.	23	MI
12 Sep 1908	Herbert F. Williams	Kankakee	Ewing Acad.	23	IL
12 Sep 1908	Albertine M. Larson	Kankakee	N.W. Univ.	27	IL
12 Sep 1908	Lloyd Hunter	Frankfort, IL	Englewood H.S.	20	IL
01 Sep 1908	Hazel Brayton	Kankakee	Art Inst. Chgo	24	IL
01 Sep 1908	Flora R. Lane	Kankakee	Mo. Univ.	25	IL
12 Sep 1908	Anna E. Menaul	Kankakee	Slippery Rock, PA	29	IL
12 Sep 1908	Fannie B. Porch	Kankakee	Mt. Union OH	30	OH
05 Sep 1908	Mae M. Minninger	Grant Park	Valparaiso	20	IN

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KVGS MEETINGS & NEWS

Upcoming Meetings:

- May 14, 2005 Cemetery Recheck - Momence Protestant & St. Patrick's Cemeteries (9:30 a.m.)
- June 11, 2005 History of the Kankakee Nursery by Bob Worth
- August 13, 2005 Pat Chalmers will speak on the Masons
- September 10, 2005 Charlene Reinhart will present a program on her recent trip to Ireland
- October 8, 2005 Dan Hechenberger will portray Pere Jacques Gravier, SJ: Illiniwek Connections

It's with sadness we announcing the death of one of our charter members, Marie Charbonneau on March 3, 2005. Mrs. Charbonneau was born on October 13, 1918, the daughter of Amedee and Florence Hewes Brais. Her husband, Robert H. Charbonneau, whom she married February 24, 1941, at St. Patrick Church in Kankakee died in 1976. Our deepest sympathy is extended to her family.

The society extends its thanks to Patricia McCreary for donating *Soldiers of the American Revolution Buried in Illinois* and Nelda Ravens for donating *A History of The Chicago Club* by Emmett Dedmon. The society purchased *A Story of Chebanse, 1854-2004*.

Member Frances Prussner wrote about the article run in the February quarterly on Prussia. She was pleased with the article since her Prussner ancestors came from Detmold which is near the Lippe River. She passed along two websites she would like to share with anyone interested: chris.simonson.nu and pruessner-hannover.de/der_name/index.htm. She also wrote that a former professor of hers wrote a fascinating book about the Battle of Teutoburg Forest where a band of barbarians trapped and butchered three Roman legions - 20,000 soldiers. The name of the book is *The Battle that Stopped Rome* by Peter Wells.

The society extends its thanks to member Thelma Lunsford for donating the following books: *That's the Way it Was in Iroquois County 1822-1976*; *Who's Who in Kentucky Genealogy*; *The First Methodist Church, Kankakee, Illinois, 1853-1953*; *Research in Kentucky*; *Research in Tennessee*; *Research in Pennsylvania*; *Research in Virginia*; *Research in North Carolina*; *Kentucky Ancestors, Vol. 4, No. 4*; *1830 Kentucky Census Index, Volume 1 A-C*; *1981 Illinois State Genealogical Society Surname Index*; *Surname Index of the Genealogy Society of Southern Illinois, 1986*; and *Guide to Genealogical Research in the National Archives*.

Mr. Bothfuhr disposed of the furniture stock, and since has continued with the hardware as sole commodity. He carries a complete line of hardware and agricultural implements, and caters to a trade covering a radius of many miles. He married, in Grant Park, June 20, 1899, Gertrude Machesney, who was born near Grant Park, November 11, 1877, the daughter of Samuel and Anna (Spinney) Machesney. Three children brighten the Bothfuhr household, Margaret A., Hattie B., and Mamie H. Fraternally Mr. Bothfuhr is connected with the Momence Lodge No. 481, A. F. and A. M., Grant Park Lodge No. 867, I. O. O. F., Kankakee Lodge No. 627, B. P. O. E., and Grant Park Lodge No. 1365, M. W. of A. The postmaster of Grant Park is one of the West and most substantial citizens which have contributed to its upbuilding. His career, though comparatively brief, bespeaks the possession of those traits which insure permanent success, and which designate him at once as a representative product of the sweeping, resourceful prairies of Illinois.

BOURDEAU, REV. ONESIME R.—During the pastorate of the Rev. Onesime R. Bourdeau, the church of St. Joseph at Manteno has extended its usefulness into many avenues, and has taken on importance in the community as a promoter, through the individual, of education, industry, philanthropy and moral ideals. Rev. Bourdeau was born at Point St. Claire, Quebec, Canada, June 7, 1865, and is a son of Oliver and Anna (Lesperance) Bourdeau, natives also of Quebec. The elder Bourdeau died in 1868, and his wife now makes her home with the pastor of St. Joseph's in Manteno. There were four sons in the family, of whom Oliver and Arthur are deceased, and George lives in Montana.

Next to the youngest in his father's family, Rev. Bourdeau received his preliminary education at the school of the Christian Brothers in Montreal, and in 1878 he entered Montreal College, from which he was graduated from the classical and theological course in 1886. Ordained to the priesthood in 1890, he was for a year assistant priest of the Immaculate Conception church at Winnipeg, Manitoba, for the following four years taking charge of the church of St. Augustine, at Brandon, Mani-

toba. He became pastor of the church at Manteno in 1898, and during the intervening years has impressed his zeal, earnestness, and practical worthiness upon all with whom he has come in contact, winning the confidence and establishing friendly and helpful relations without, as well as within, the church.

BOYER, ERWIN S. Of all the men who have paved the way for the present prosperity of Kankakee county, none have risen superior in attainment and judgment to those who claim Teutonic descent. The thrifty, economical and persevering qualities instilled into the youth of the Fatherland seem to lose little when filtered through succeeding generations, and, when applied to the less conservative and more daring methods of, the representatives of other countries, produce a force of great merit and practicability. Essex township has profited richly by this class of workers, a notable representative being Erwin S. Boyer, owner of a farm of one hundred and sixty acres on section 32. Mr. Boyer is a native of Pennsylvania, and was born in Montgomery county., January 7, 1865, a son of Charles E. and Anna H. (Seipt) Boyer, and grandson of Peter and Hannah (Bothe) Boyer.

Charles E. Boyer was born in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, January 25, 1829. His parents were born in Germany, the father in 1800. Peter Boyer learned the stone mason's trade in his youth, and when twenty-eight years of age immigrated with his young wife to Pennsylvania, where he followed his trade for a number of years before settling on a farm in Montgomery county. Here the wife died several years before her husband, whose death occurred in 1884. Charles E. was the oldest in a large family of whom six sons and three daughters attained maturity. As a boy he lived on farms in both Montgomery and Buck counties, and established his independence at the age of sixteen by leaving home and working for a neighboring farmer. Naturally a student, his ambition to learn met with many obstacles, and his only chance lay in the three months of schooling during the winter season. Feeling his limitations keenly, he

diverted his leisure into knowledge-acquiring channels, and in time secured a certificate to teach school in Montgomery county. This was a distinct triumph, and spoke worlds for his Physical endurance and perseverance. His work as an educator was limited to one winter, and thereafter he farmed exclusively, living on little or nothing himself, that he might contribute to the support of his brothers and sisters. He continued to live in Montgomery county until 1866, when he moved to Illinois and settled upon his present farm in Norton township, which he had purchased two years before, and which then was an unbroken prairie. The intervening years have witnessed a vast change in this property, and now it is one of the best in the township. In 1853 Mr. Boyer established a home of his own, marrying Anna Seipt, who was born in Pennsylvania, and who is the mother of four sons and four daughters: George, Samuel, Susanna, Erwin, Mary Ann, Ida, Frank S., and Ella Irene. Mr. Boyer has accomplished his purpose in life by ignoring obstacles and making light of discouragements. He belongs to that class of men who not only are self made, but who are well made, and whose careers point a practical moral to young men who are blind to the opportunities constantly within their reach.

Inheriting his father's fundamental traits, Erwin S. Boyer has developed thereon a capacity for painstaking effort along lines laid down by the most advanced agriculturists of the time. His education was acquired with less difficulty than was that of his sire, and he is constantly adding to his fund of knowledge through the medium of the best literature of the day. He settled upon his present farm soon after his marriage, which occurred September 26, 1888, his wife, formerly Emma L. Unz, being a native of this county, and born November 27, 1865. Wilhelm and Mary (Feller) Unz were among the very early settlers of Kankakee county, and had, besides Mrs. Boyer, several other children. To Mr. and Mrs. Boyer have been born eight children: Edna M., Laura A., Howard L., Viola S., Mildred F., Victor R., Ruth H., and Esther L. The family are members of the United Evangelical church. Mr. Boyer is a republican in politics, and for six years has been a member of the school board. He is an agreeable and approachable gentleman, a firm believer in work and pur-

pose as a panacea for many of the ills to which human nature is heir, and a promoter of moderation, contentment and happiness.

BRADLEY, HON. DAVID—Among the eminent men of Illinois whose life record forms an integral part of the history of the state, and especially of Kankakee county, is numbered Hon. David Bradley, and in his death the state lost one of its most progressive residents and active and honorable business men, as well as one whose influence was felt in a marked degree along the line of intellectual, moral and financial advancement. As the day with its morning of hope and promise, its noontide of activity, its evening of completed and successful efforts, ending in the grateful rest and quiet of the night, so was the life of this honored man. His career was a long, busy and useful one, marked by the utmost fidelity to the duties of public and private life, and crowned with honors conferred upon him in recognition of superior merit. His name is inseparably interwoven with the manufacturing annals of Illinois, with its best development and its staple progress, and his memory is cherished as that of one who made the world better for his having lived.

One of the pioneers of the city of Chicago, and a prominent and influential member of the mercantile and manufacturing life of Kankakee, he was a scion of that sturdy Puritan stock that settled in New England in the early part of the seventeenth century. Fleeing from religious persecution in Old England, they sought an asylum in the new world, and founded a new commonwealth "where every man could worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience."

Among the earliest arrivals in New England was William Bradley, who landed on the bleak shores of that part of this continent in 1636, and settled at New Haven, Conn. From him was descended in the eighth generation the subject of this sketch, a worthy example of the strict integrity, uprightness and general keen sight of those who owe their ancestry to the Pilgrim Fathers.

David Bradley was born at Groton, Tompkins county, New York, November 8, 1811, and was the son of Daniel and Patience (Cooper)

Bradley. His father was a farmer by occupation, and both parents devout and consistent members of the Presbyterian church, were strictly and zealously devoted to their duty in the rearing and culture of their children.

Laying the foundation of his education during the winter months and in summer when he had leisure from the work in assisting in carrying on the farm, Mr. Bradley passed his early years. In 1832 having arrived at the age of manhood he moved to Syracuse, New York, and there, in connection with an elder brother, engaged in the manufacture of agricultural implements and stoves. In 1835 he came on west and in the rising young village of Chicago settled for a time. That place then contained about twenty-five hundred white people and a camp of some three thousand Indians, all located in the marshy ground at the mouth of the Chicago river. On his arrival in the future city Mr. Bradley was employed in the manufacture of plows and also assisted in building and opening the first iron factory in the village. He was the pioneer in bringing pig iron to Chicago.

In 1838 Mr. Bradley removed to McHenry, Lake county, Illinois, and for a few years was engaged in farming, but in 1842 opened a place for the manufacture of agricultural implements and another for making brick at Racine, Wisconsin.

After a time he disposed of his interests in the latter place and engaged in the lumber business on Lake Huron, but in 1845 returned to Chicago, and resumed the manufacture of plows at that place. A short time after by the admission to a partnership of Conrad Furst, wagon and carriage manufacturer, was formed that well-known firm of Furst & Bradley. In 1860 they moved to the corner of Fulton, Jefferson and Desplaines streets, and their business having grown to large proportions they abandoned the wagon making part and devoted their entire energies to the manufacture of plows and other farm tools. In 1872 there was organized by them, the stock company known as the Furst & Bradley Manufacturing Company, which continued until 1884. Sometime in the latter year David Bradley and his son, J. Harley, purchased the interests of Mr. Furst and changed the name of the corporation to that of The David Bradley Manufacturing Company. The business was carried on in Chicago until 1895, when it was removed to

what is now known as Bradley, just north of Kankakee, the town being named after David Bradley. This move was made necessary by the imperative demands of their business for more room and they selected the spot on account of its excellent shipping facilities.

Mr. Bradley was united "in marriage in 1838 with Miss Cynthia Abbott, the daughter of Abyah and Abigail Cutting Abbott. Her father was born in Barre, Vermont, and her mother in Worcester, Mass. Of this union there were born five sons and one daughter; two sons, Byron C. and J. Harley, are now living.

Early in life Mr. Bradley was affiliated with the whig party but in 1856 on the formation of the republican party, he attached himself to it and ever remained identified with it and its interests. During the Civil war he gave a hearty support to the administration. Ever standing up for justice, right and equality, he gave his entire sympathies to the Union cause. Personally, Mr. Bradley was a king among men, possessing most excellent qualities; genial, hospitable and generous, he made himself hosts of friends. Extreme sympathy he had for all beginners in life, and his charities were proverbial. None asked him, for aid but found in him a warm friend if deserving.

Many a business man and firm in the United States owes its prosperity in a large measure to the generous assistance received from Mr. Bradley in time of need. His own business career was unassailable. Honor and integrity characterized his every act, and he was never known to take advantage of his fellowmen in any business transaction. He enjoyed to the fullest extent the respect and esteem of those who knew him best, and it might be said the circle of his friendship was almost co-extensive with the circle of his acquaintances. In his religious belief he favored the faith of his ancestors and affiliated with the Presbyterian church, but was broad and liberal in his views, and when he was called away by the angel of death, February 19, 1899, he was truly and sincerely mourned by, not alone his family and friends, but the entire community in which he lived.

BRADLEY, BYRON C.—Among the sturdy

English Puritans who left their native land and sought a refuge from oppression in the wilds of America was William Bradley, who in 1636, settled at New Haven, Conn. From him, in a direct line is descended the gentleman whose name heads this brief personal memoir. He is of the ninth generation and retains many of the better characteristics of the race from which he sprang. Good business sense, thrift, honesty of purpose and uprightness are his birthright and education and culture has in him softened the ruder lines of the make up of the posterity of the Pilgrim Fathers.

Byron C. Bradley, the son of David and Cynthia (Abbott) Bradley, was born at Libertyville, Illinois, May 3, 1839. A sketch of the life of his well known father may be found elsewhere in this volume. In 1845 he was brought to Chicago, where the father had first made his appearance in 1835. He grew up in the rising young city and therein received, in its schools, the elements of his education. After graduating from the Northwestern University, at Evanston, he entered the employ of Furst & Bradley, a firm of which his father was a partner. In 1861 a (lark cloud was hanging over the country and soon broke out into Civil war. Traitorous hands sought to tear down the flag and disrupt this glorious union. The president caller on the loyal people of the north for men to defend the country, and many flocked to the standard. April 21, 1861, Mr. Bradley enlisted in Barker's Dragoons. The company were assigned for duty in West Virginia, and under General George B. McClellan, participated in the battle of Rich Mountain. When the general was ordered to Washington to reorganize the army beaten at Bull Run, and train the new recruits, and to take command of the army of the Potomac, Barker's Dragoons became his personal body guard.

After his term of service was over, Mr. Bradley returned to Chicago, but about that time the excitement about the mines that had opened at Pike's Peak, began to reach this Part of the country, and he turned his steps that way. After two years spent in the mountains, however, he returned to Chicago, and was made assistant superintendent in his father's factory. There he remained until 1884, when he emigrated, as many others did to Dakota, and there essayed the mercantile

business. One year later he returned to his home and became superintendent of the works of the Chicago Screw Company. In 1895 when the David Bradley Manufacturing Company moved their factory to the town of Bradley, near Kankakee, Byron C. Bradley was made superintendent. He is the present vice-president of the company, and has his office at the works. Many of the improvements in the implements manufactured and in the method of making them, are due to the ability and inventive genius of Mr. Bradley. He has reduced everything to a system and all the work moves with a smoothness that is commendable.

Mr. Bradley was united in marriage July 1, 1869, with Miss Alice Wilbur, a native of Madison county, New York, and the daughter of Betsey (Gates) Wilbur, a sister of P. W. Gates, a prominent citizen of Chicago. The father died when she was ten years of age.

By this union Mr. and Mrs. Bradley are the parents of one son, B. Harley Bradley, whose biography appears on another page in this volume.

Genial in all things, courteous in every way, and strictly upright in all business transactions, Mr. Bradley is an ideal business man. His friends cannot praise him 'too highly. Endowed by nature with a due sense of right and justice, he shuns all action that is to the detriment of his fellowmen and squares his life by the Golden Rule.

BRADLEY, B. HARLEY, who holds the Position of assistant secretary of the David Bradley Manufacturing Company, at Bradley, is one of the promising young business men of the county. Of old Puritan stock, he unites the thrift and common sense of the New Englander with the strong energy and strenuous push of the west, where he was born.

Mr. Bradley is a son of Byron C. and Alice M. (Wilbur) Bradley, a sketch of whom will be found elsewhere in this volume, and is the grandson of David Bradley, the founder of the company. He was born in Chicago, August 1, 1870. Reared in his native city, he there received his earlier education, his schooling being finished at Amherst College, from which he was graduated. Assuming the duties of

life, he entered the employ of the David Bradley Manufacturing Company, with whom he remained in a subordinate position for a time, when he was made assistant secretary, a position which he now holds.

Mr. Bradley was united in marriage January 6, 1897, with Miss Anna M. Hickox, daughter of Warren R. and Georgia (Griffith) Hickox, and a native of Kankakee. Her father, who was a man of large means, was engaged in abstracting titles and in the banking business for many years. He was born in New York, October 14, 1837, and died April 5, 1895. Her mother, who was a native of Vermont, was born September 4, 1842, and died April 3, 1895. Mrs. Bradley is one of three children born to her parents, the others being Warren R., who died in childhood; and Warren R. 2d, a resident of Kankakee, whose life's history appears in another place.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley have one child, Margaret Hickox. Both are members of the Episcopal church.

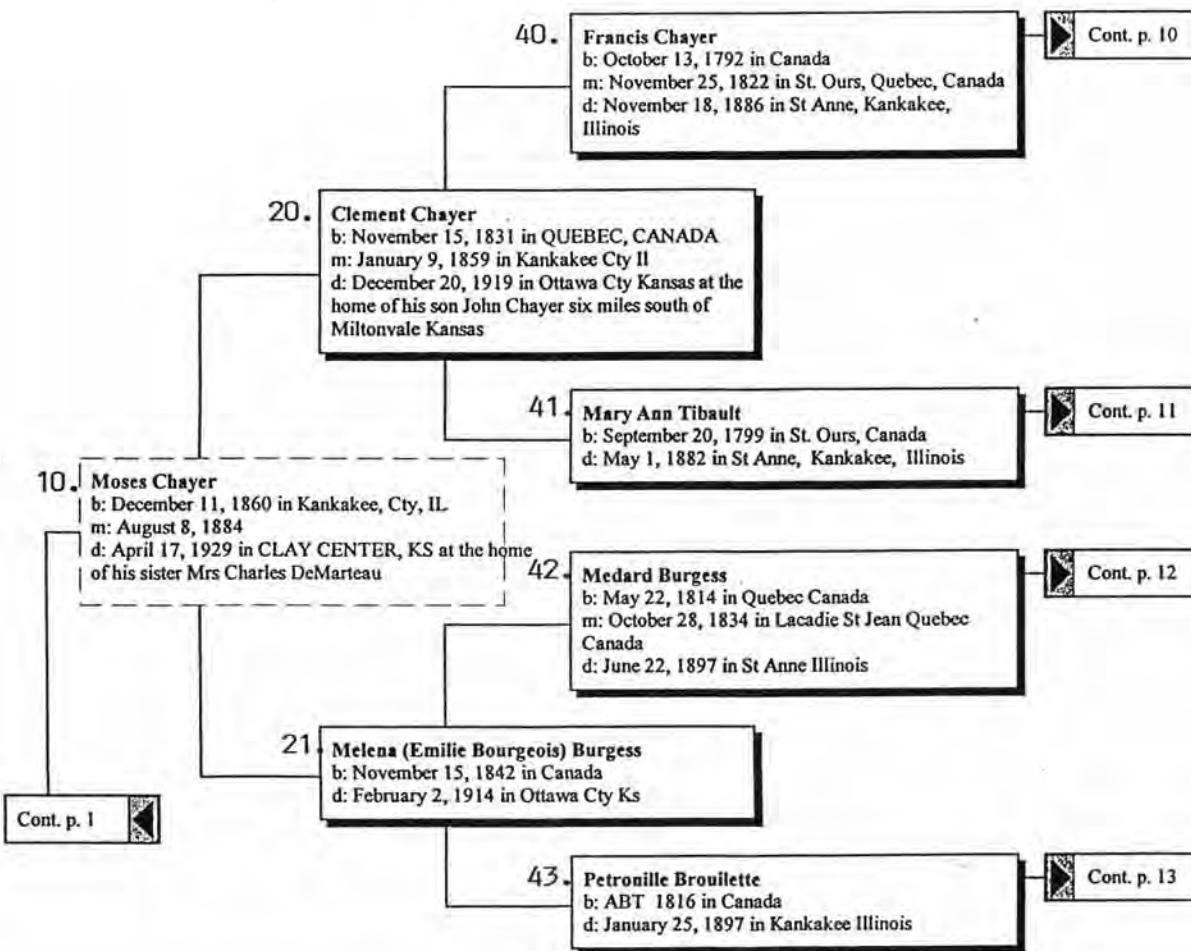
His beautiful home is noted for its generous and cordial hospitality and he and his family are much esteemed in their wide circle of friends. His genial, pleasant manner has won him many friends in both business and social circles.

BRADLEY, J. HARLEY, of Chicago, the president of the David Bradley Manufacturing Company, of Bradley, a town situated just north of Kankakee, in this county. This is one of the leading manufacturing concerns of this part of the state, and has a wide influence in the growth and development of the city and county of Kankakee. Like their father the Bradleys are keen business men, endowed with a natural aptitude for the manufacturing business, and are successfully carrying on the work instituted and fostered by the late Mr. David Bradley.

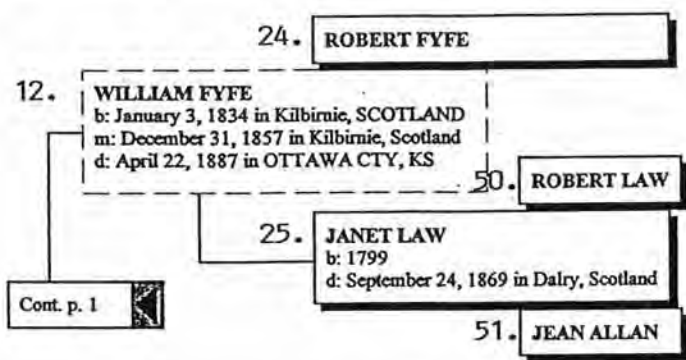
J. Harley Bradley was born at Racine, Wisconsin, September 30, 1844, and is the son of David and Cynthia (Abbott) Bradley, a sketch of whose lives is given elsewhere in this book. He received his education in the schools of Chicago. the family returning to that growing city in 1845. Early adapting himself to business, in 1865, on attaining his majority he became a partner in the firm of Jones, Ellingwood &

Bradley. They were wholesale and retail dealers in agricultural implements and seeds and were the successors of Hooker & Jones. Three years later Mr. Bradley disposed of his interests in that concern and together with Harry Banks, formed the firm of Bradley & Banks, and embarked in the general jobbing of farm machinery and implements. This venture was quite successful, but in 1872 he disposed of his interest therein to become the secretary of the Furst & Bradley Manufacturing Company, of which his father, David Bradley, was a partner. In 1884 he and his father purchased the interests of the others in the company and changed the name to that of the David Bradley Manufacturing Company, David Bradley becoming president and J. Harley Bradley, vice-president and treasurer. This office he held until the death of his father, which took place Feb. 19, 1899, at which date he assumed the duties of president. The business was carried on most successfully in Chicago until 1895, when the increasing demand for their wares necessitated the removal of their factory to a place where they could have more room and good shipping facilities. This they found just north of Kankakee, and buildings were put up, and the rising village called Bradley, after the head of the company. J. Harley Bradley is also interested in other enterprises, all engaged in the jobbing of agricultural implements, among them being Bradley, Clark & Company, Minneapolis, Minn.; David Bradley & Company, Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Bradley, Alderson & Company, Kansas City, Mo. He is also a director in the Northern Trust Company of Chicago and has been active in the affairs of the Relief and Aid Society, serving as a director in 1883 and 1884. He was also one of the organizers of the Chicago Freight Bureau, and in 1891 was president of the Citizens' Association. Socially, he is a member of many of the leading clubs of Chicago, among them the University, Commercial, Chicago, Union League, and Illinois. Of the last named he was president in 1883-1885. He has been identified with many private and public affairs, looking to the betterment of social conditions and the uplifting of the city, and bears the reputation of a high-minded, honorable, public-spirited gentleman. His genial manner, hospitality and perfect tact in

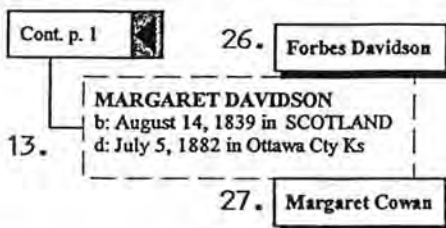
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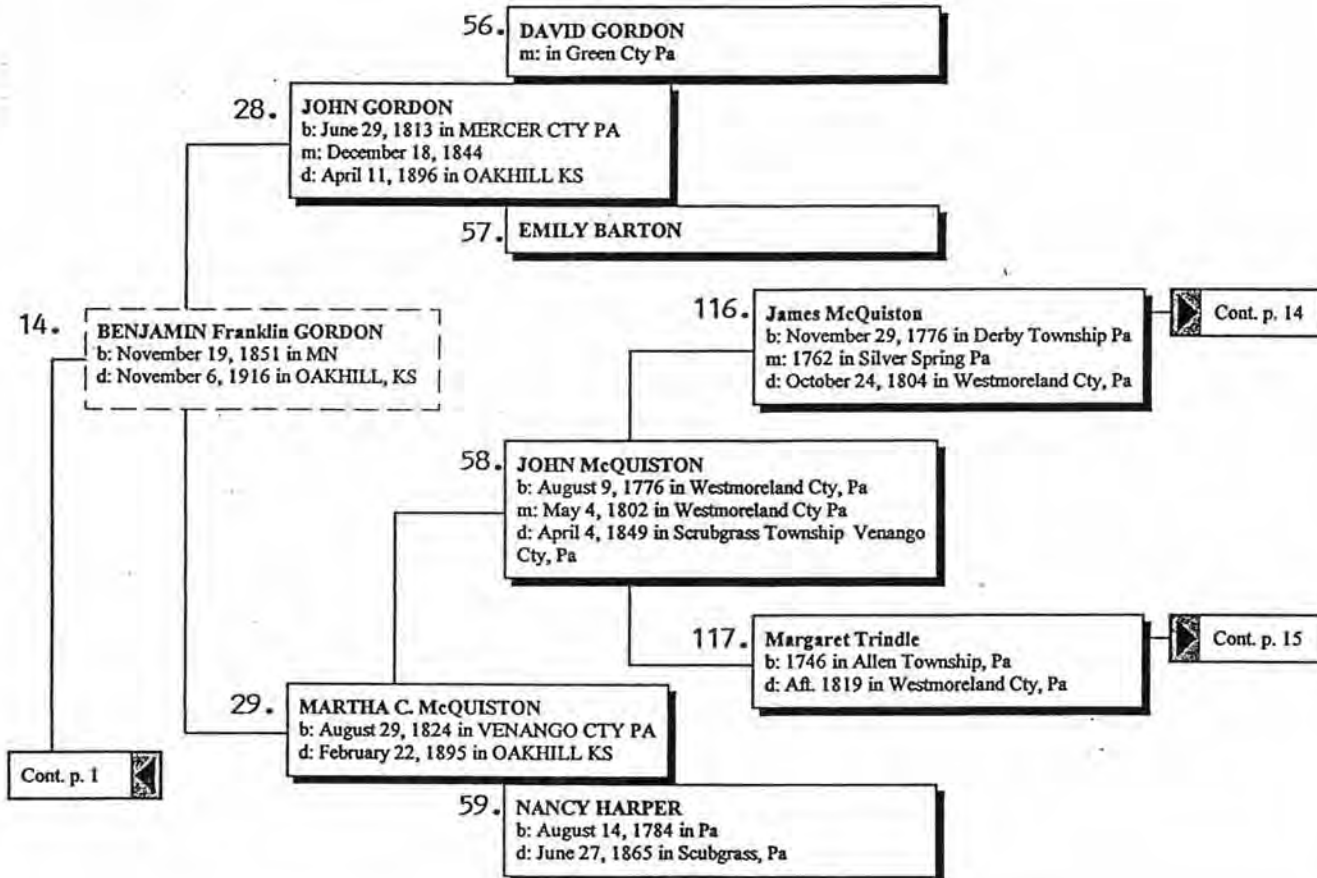
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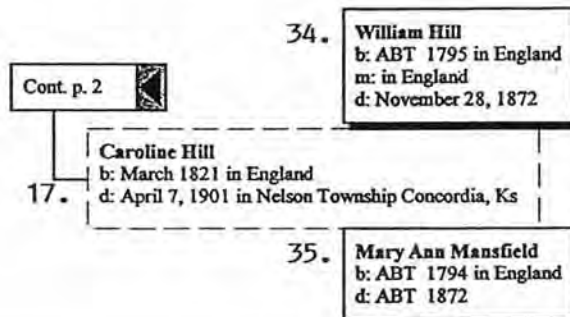
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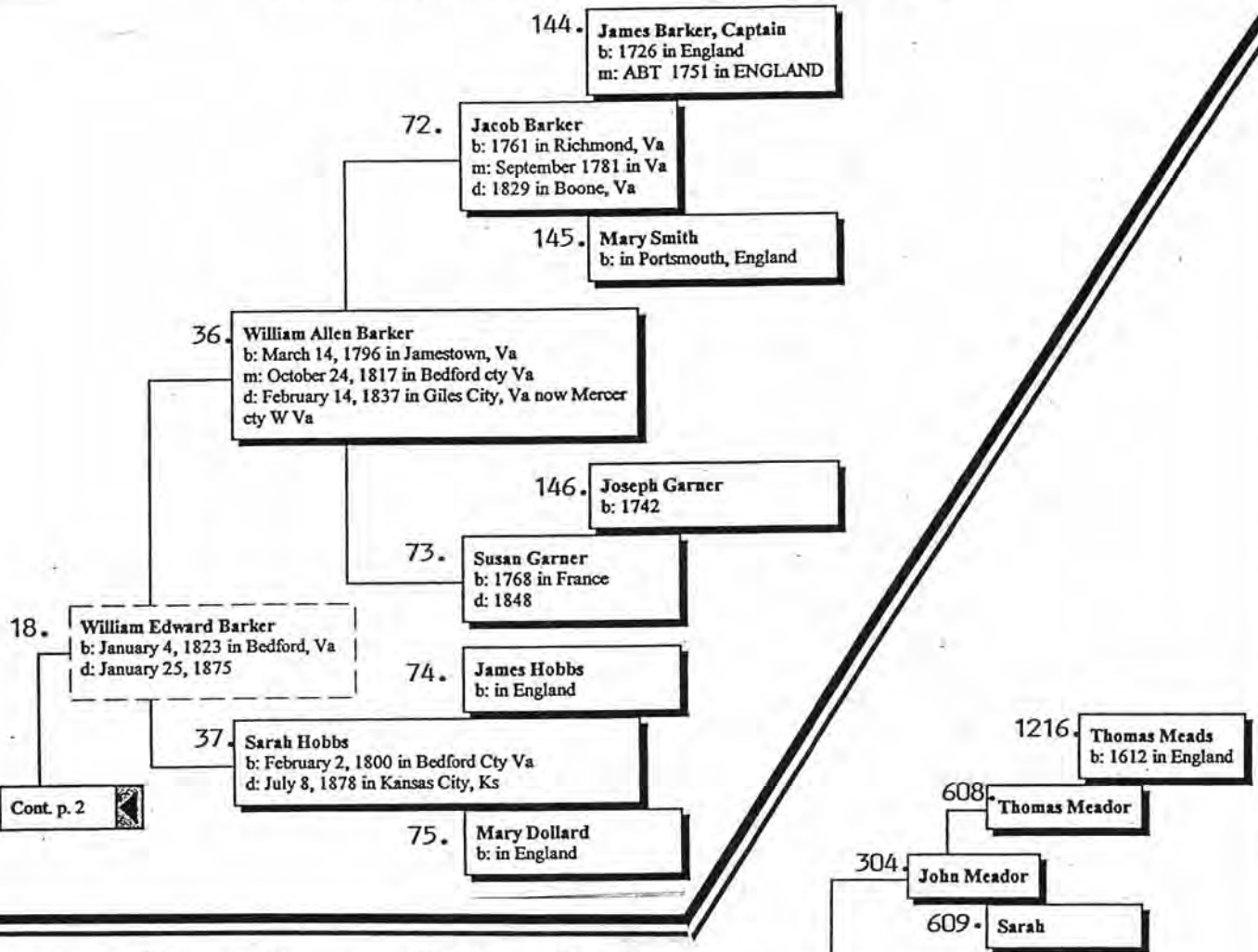
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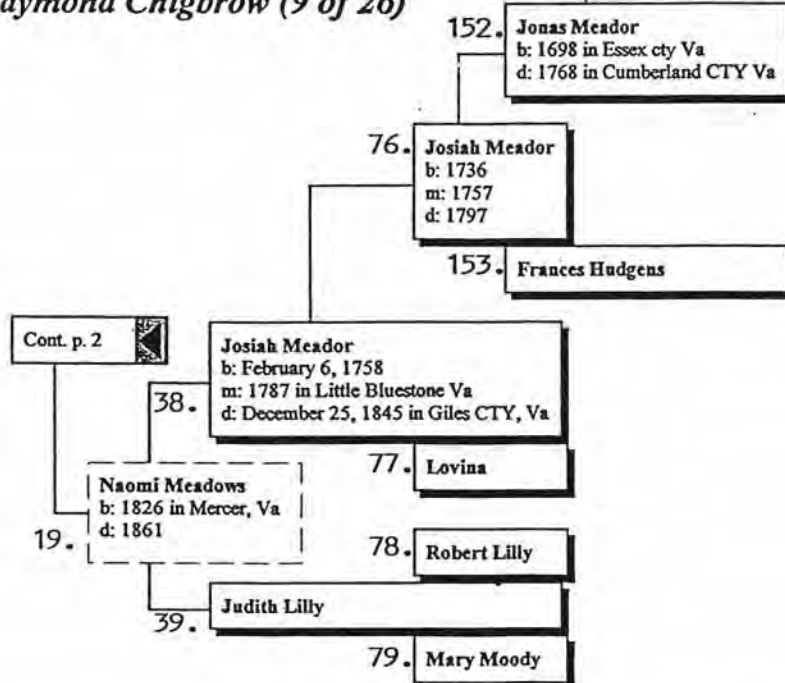
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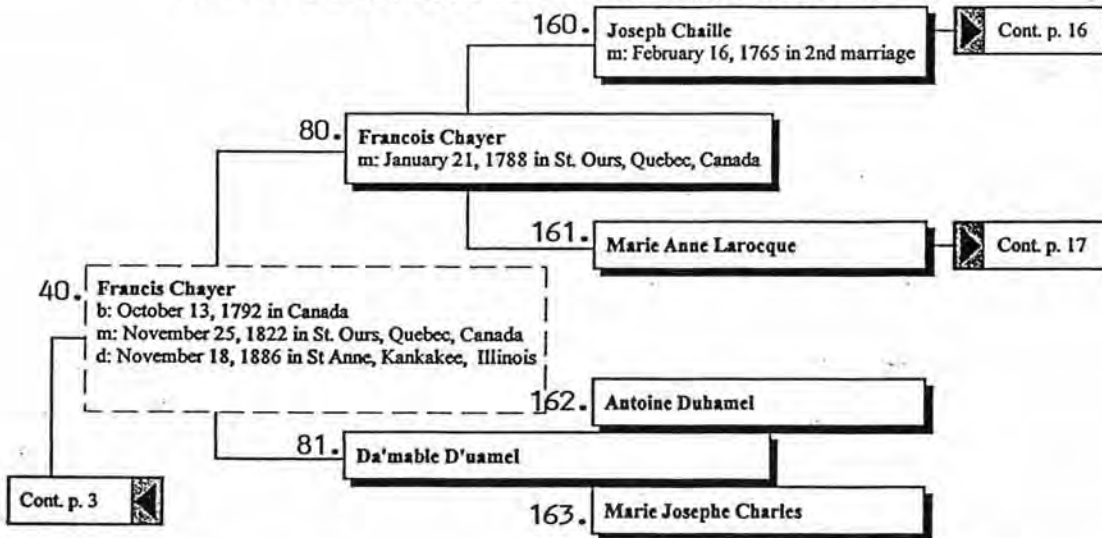
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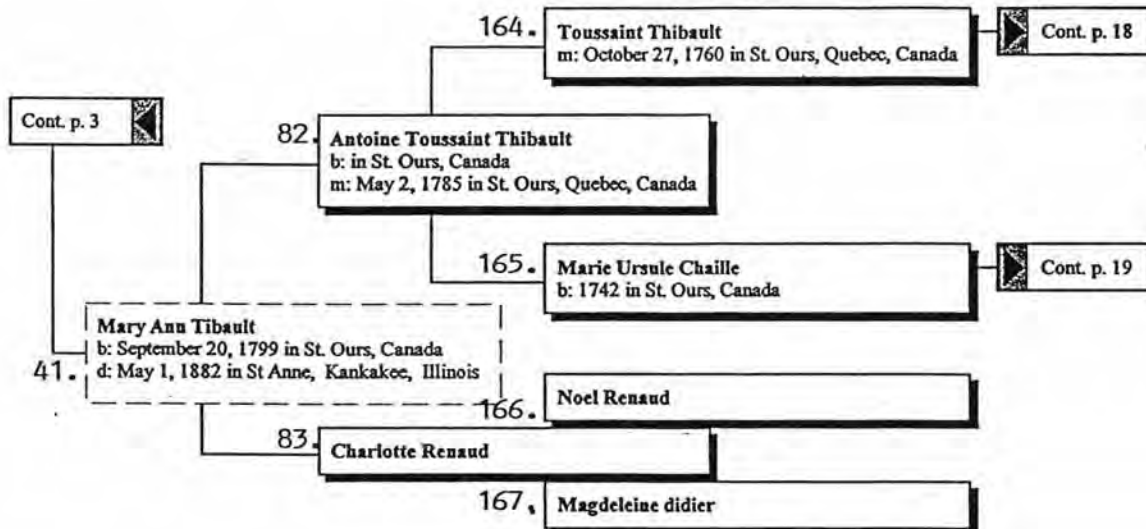
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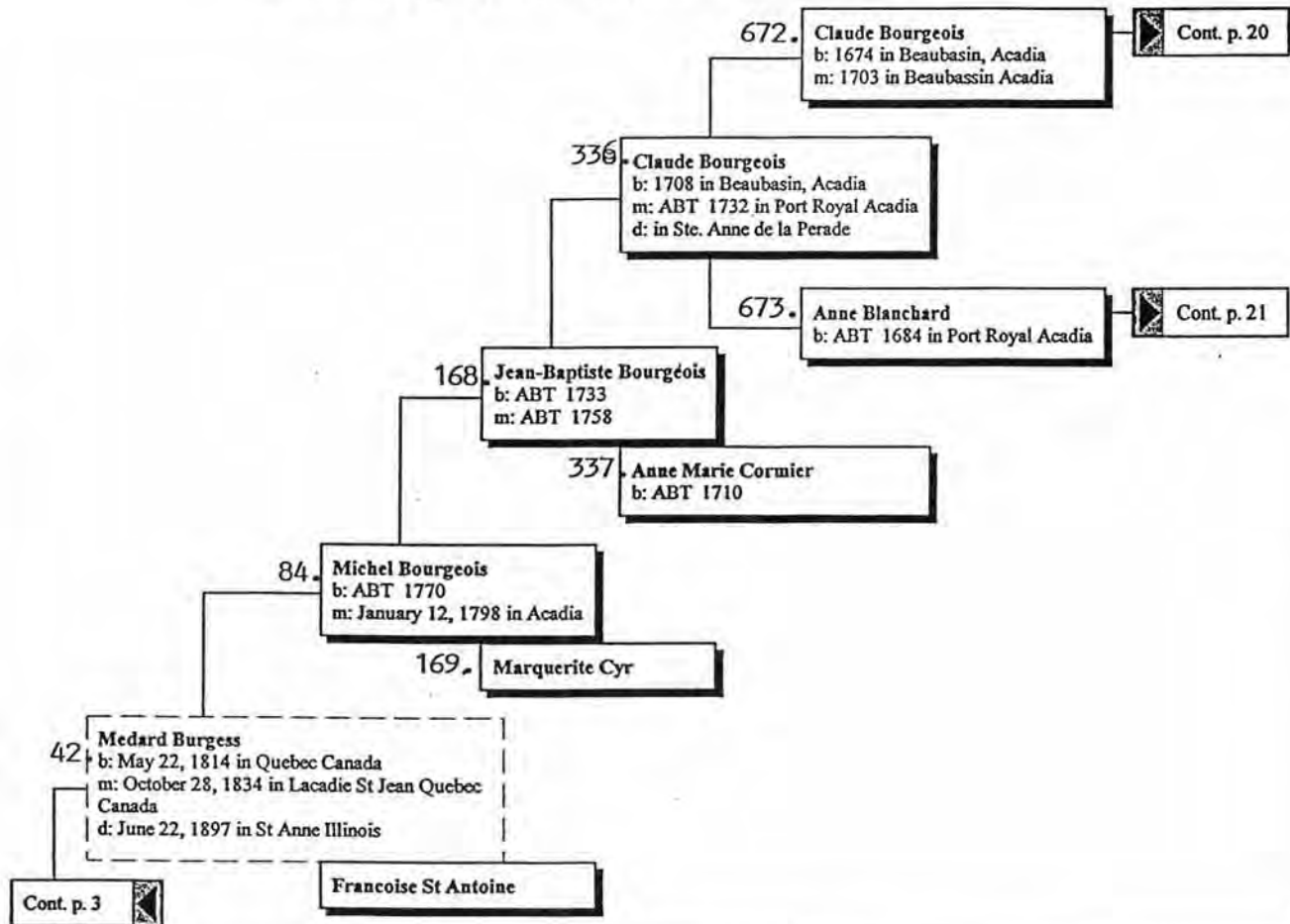
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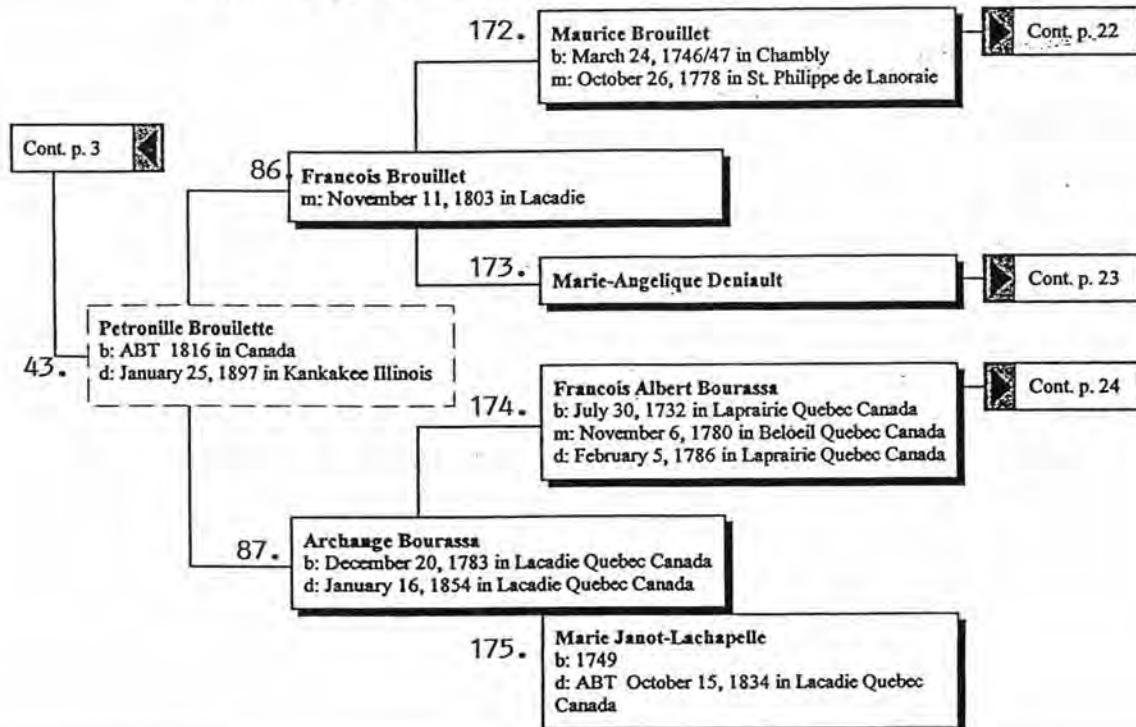
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Which state in the U.S. has the fewest people? According to the 1990 census, the answer is Wyoming.

The word "motel" was first used for a motor inn in San Luis Obispo, CA, in 1925 - with the owner combining the first 2 letters of "motor" and the last 3 letters of "hotel".

Millard Fillmore, the 13th U.S. President, could barely read at the age of 20, but by age 46 he was chancellor of the University of Buffalo and by age 50 he was President of the United States.

California now has more people than the entire nation of Canada or Australia or three-quarters of the countries of Europe.

Do you know the capital cities of Canada, Australia and Switzerland. Few people know the capitals are Ottawa, Canberra and Bern.

No place in Denmark is more than 40 miles from the sea.

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