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PAPE FAMILY BIBLE

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A few days before he died in June 1993, my grandfather, Clifford Ellsworth Rappe, gave me a German bible that had belonged to my great-grandmother, Elizabeth Adeline Pape Haines (b. Oct 1868 in New City, Sangamon Co., Illinois, d. After 1949 (most recent photograph) in Silverton, Marion Co., Oregon) who married in 1887? John Haines (b. Feb 1858 Illinois, d. Abt 1935 probably in Silverton, Marion County, Oregon). Her parents were Charles Henry William Pape (or Karl Henrich Wilhelm Pape), an immigrant from Baden, and Elizabeth Adeline White, a native of Illinois. After her mother's death, her father remarried to Antonette --- (and I am quite confident that the marriage record between Karl Henrich Wilhelm Pape and Antonette Therese Vogel on 30 Aug 1874 in St. Louis, Missouri is this marriage). With this as back-ground, the notes from the bible will probably be much easier to interpret. The parentage (and step-parentage) of Elizabeth A. (Pape) Haines was pieced together after finding the bible, and then census information was valuable for filling in additional info. Although the bible provides exact birthdates for her parents, I have not yet been able to locate birth or parentage records for either of her parents. I have since passed the bible on to my uncle. Text from the bible follows.

Handwriting on the inside front cover read: "Mrs. Elizabeth Adeline Haines, New City, Ill., Sangamon County". And "This Bible is to go to Naomi or her children when I am gone, Mother". On the inside back cover handwriting read: "James L. White died at the age 78. March 29 -- 1925", and "Elizabeth A.

Pape age 10 years used this Bible in school in Saint Louis Mo. 1879."

On a page inside the bible, the following was written (very old and hard to read):

Charles Henry William Pape b. 2 Feb 1840
Elisabeth Adeline Pape Born 29 Aug 1842
Caroline June Pape born 25 November 1862
Henriette Delane [Pape or Rape]

Also found in the bible were various newspaper clippings, including the following two obituaries (newspaper unidentified):

James L. White, 75 [altered by pencil to read 78] passed away at the home of his neice, Mrs. E. Haines on Brooks street; January 9th after an illness of several months' duration. Mr. White was a native of Illinois but for the past sixteen years he has been making his home with his neice. Funeral Service was held at the Jack and Ekman mortuary, Monday 2 p.m. Rev. J.A. Bennett acting minister. Interment was made in the Silverton cemetery. Deceased is survived by his neice Mrs. Haines of this city and one brother living in Illinois.

CHARLES S. PAPE DIED IN HOSPITAL [1928 is penciled in next to headline.] The body of Charles E. Pape, Marigold place, who died Saturday night in St. Joseph's hospital where he was taken one week ago following an attack of heart disease, was shipped this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to Springfield, Ill., for burial in Zion cemetery. Mr. Pape, who was 60 years old, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rose Pape, two daughters, Mrs. Fay Wiley of Decatur, Ill., and Mrs. W.V. White of Joliet,





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Historical Society Publishes Pioneer Autobiography

The Sangamon County Historical Society has reprinted an authentic first-person account of pioneer life in the Midwest, "Sketches: Early Life and Times in Kentucky, Missouri and Illinois" by Elijah Iles, an early settler and merchant of Springfield.

The 68-page book preserves the text of Iles's original 1883 autobiography and adds an introductory essay, photographs of Iles and his soon-to-be-restored Springfield house, and a name index that will be especially valuable to genealogists and others interested in pioneer Midwest families.

Iles (1796-1883) describes in colorful detail his migrations from his native Kentucky to Missouri and then to the nine-family settlement that became Springfield. He writes about his Black Hawk War service, farming, health conditions, log cabin shopkeeping, and family life in the 1820s, 1830s, and 1840s. His purpose was to capture everyday life on the frontier. He concludes with stories of his expeditions to Florida.

Profits from the sale of the book will benefit the Elijah Iles House Foundation, which is assisting the nineteenth-century frame house, now located at 1825 South Fifth.

"Sketches" sells for \$6.00 (plus \$1.50 for postage and handling for mail orders). Mail orders should be sent to the Historical Society, % Robinsons Advertising, 308 East Adams, Springfield, IL 62701. The book can be purchased at that address, the Cardologist, Lincoln Home bookstore, Twas the Night Before Christmas, or the Sangamon Valley Collection of Lincoln Library (all in Springfield).

The Sangamon County Historical Society holds monthly programs, September through June. It promotes county history through a newsletter and other publications, as well as tours, colloquia, and project awards. For membership information, write the Sangamon County Historical Society, % 308 East Adams Street, Springfield, IL 62701 or call (217) 522-2500.

and a son August J. Pape of this city. In addition, he leaves his step-mother, Mrs. Antonette Pape of Morrisonville, Ill., four brothers, William of Nokomis, Ill., Henry of Morrisonville, Ill., Otto of Canada, Clem of Silverton, Ore., four sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Haines of Silverton, Mrs. Louise Funderduk and Mrs. Bert Delay of New City, Ill., and Mrs.

Karl Denton of Edenburg, Ill. He was the grandfather of 11 children.

Also found in the bible were newspaper clippings announcing the wedding of "Leon D. Chrisman of Scio and Linda Rappe of Woodburn" [Oregon].

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The Circuit Rider

From the Diary of Philemon Stout Jr.
Resident of Ball Township (1836-1895)

Date	Entry
February 13, 1860	Went to see <u>Elisha Saunders'</u> cattle offered \$20 per head for 20 head.
February 14, 1860	Went to Springfield with a load of wheat 32 1/2 bus, sold it for \$1.10 per bus. Paid \$145.00 on W. Poor's check. Wrote a letter for Mr. Morgan last night. Very stormy this evening.
February 16, 1860	Went to Springfield with 29 50/00 bus of wheat. Sold it at \$1.05 per bus. recd. two numbers of the signs. Paid the postage on them for one year. Mr. & Mrs. Kincaid here tonight.
March 5, 1860	Sowed timothy & clover in the morning & went to mill. <u>James Sanders</u> & Bob cleaned up 60 bushel of oats. I went to Charles Aylsberry's in the evening and got 15 bushel of spring wheat at \$1.00 per bus.
April 2, 1860	Louisa had a chill this morning. <u>W. Saunders</u> set in to work for me at 12 dollars per month. Roan mare foaled a bay horse. Cold. Louisa sick at night.
June 30, 1860	Commenced cutting spring wheat. Rained very hard in the evening. Wrote a letter to Mr. Lovelock.
July 1, 1860	At home all day. Rained nearly all day. Wrote a letter to Forbeys & Eliza.
July 2, 1860	Cutting wheat. Joal very sick had Dr. Wright to see him. I went to Chatham in the evening to let him know how he was. Paid <u>W. Sanders</u> for binding wheat 40 cts.

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