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Early Members of the First Congregational Church QUINCY, ILLINOIS

Part 1 of 3

This article by Jane Neu lists early members of the First Congregational Church (1830-1849). It was taken from Family History Library microfilm no. 960869 Church Book No 1 (1830-1840) and No 2 (1840-1866). Some information about dismissals and deaths were with lists of members. Other information was taken from minutes of meetings and register of births & deaths and added after the individual's name. The list is as accurate as possible for some of the print was difficult to read. The Church was organized Dec 4 1830 as a Presbyterian Church, reorganized and changed into a Congregational Church Oct 10 1833. The Church split in 1847 into the First Congregational Church and the Center Congregational Church. The date is the day the person was admitted to the Church.

note: removed means left the Church without being dismissed to another Church. readmitted means rejoined the First Congregational Church.

December 4 1830

Peter Felt funeral 1 Aug 1866, age 82; he was probably the oldest man in Quincy at that time
Mrs Mary Felt wife of Peter Felt; died Aug 27, 1840
Rufus Brown dismissed Mar 5, 1850
Mrs Nancy Brown dismissed Mar 5, 1850
Amos Bancroft dismissed June 30, 1847
Mrs Adelia Bancroft dismissed June 30, 1847
Levi Wells dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy
Mrs Anna Wells dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy
Hans Patton dismissed Feb 4, 1834
Danial Henderson took letter of dismiss Mar 31, 1832
Mrs Martha Turner wife of Rev A Turner; dismissed June 28, 1839
Mrs Margarette Rose wife of Jeremiah Rose
Mrs Lucy Knight Snow born Feb 5, 1801; married Aug 1, 1827
Henry H Snow born June 7, 1792 in Westmoreland, New Hampshire; came to Quincy about 1825; became a Judge; died Dec 24, 1860
Maria Robbins married John P Robbins Mar 28, 1831; dismissed June 30, 1847

May 28 1831

Dr Calvin Brown dismissed July 12, 1834
Mrs Lydia Brown dismissed July 12, 1834
Charles Holmes Jr married Susan Wyman Dec 1, 1831; removed about 1834
Miss Susan Wyman married Charles Holmes; removed about 1834
Isaac Ferguson removed Sept 27, 1837
Jeremiah Rose
Willard Keyes came to Quincy in 1824; died Feb 7, 1872
Mrs Laura Keyes wife of Willard Keyes; died May 8, 1832
Mrs Jane Hynes wife of Peter Hynes
Miss Eliza F Deming died Sept 15, 1831
Loring Ames to Fulton Co about 1836

July 22 1831

Orestes Ames dismissed Dec 3, 1841 to Protestant Methodist Church in Quincy
John Wise to Galena about 1832
Mrs Matilda Wise to Galena about 1832

December 17 1831

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Early Members continued

Robert Tillson dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy
Mrs Anna Maria Wood wife of John Wood; dismissed June 30, 1847; funeral Oct 11, 1863 was largely attended by the old settlers and the German population to whom the deceased had endeared herself by many acts of kindness

John B Chittenden dismissed Feb 28, 1833 to unite in forming the Congregational Church in Mendon, IL

Mrs Eliza Chittenden dismissed Feb 28, 1833 to unite in forming the Congregational Church in Mendon, IL

Miss Cornelia Burgess married Willard Keyes; died Nov 22, 1834

February 25 1832

Joseph T Holmes ordained to parish Oct 3, 1845; died Apr 13, 1847 at Griggsville, age 40 yrs; buried at Quincy Apr 14, 1847

April 8 1832

William Parkhurst from 1st Church in Framingham, Massachusetts; removed to Warren Co about 1837

Oliver Hawes dismissed to Presbyterian Church at Clayton about 1834

Mrs Nancy Hawes wife of Oliver Hawes; from Presbyterian Church in French Creek, Virginia; dismissed to Presbyterian Church at Clayton about 1834

John Bean from Presbyterian Church in Alexander, Athens Co, Ohio; dismissed Dec 3, 1841 to Church in Payson

Miss Hannah Vansickle born Jul 27, 1805; removed to Galena about 1838

April 22 1832

Mrs Huldah Heath wife of Daniel Heath; dismissed June 3, 1847

Changed Form of Church Government to Congregational Oct 10 1833

November 3 1833

Miss Louisa Pond removed to near Payson about 1836

Ariel Flint removed to Ohio about 1843

Mrs Percis Flint died Jan 3, 1838

Edward B Kimball dismissed June 30, 1847

Mrs Percis Kimball wife of Edward Kimball; dismissed June 30, 1847

Dr Richard Eells died Oct 4, 1846 on Ohio River near Cincinnati; buried there on Mon or Tues following death

Jane Eells wife of Richard Eells; dismissed Dec 20, 1848 to Connecticut

Horatio L Huntington died Mar 1845

Miss Martha Stone married H L Montandon; dismissed Feb 15, 1844 to Denmark, Iowa

December 29 1833

Henry L Montandon dismissed to Denmark, Iowa Feb 15, 1844

Mrs Eliza Montandon died Jan 5, 1838

Cephas Robbins died May 1846, killed by lightning

Peter McWorth removed about 1837

Mrs Mary A Holmes wife of Joseph T Holmes in 1833; dismissed to Griggsville Congregational Church and readmitted Sept 3, 1847 to Quincy Congregational Church; married ex Governor John Wood June 6, 1865

George Stoby removed 1838 to Payson and Pittsfield

Mrs Almira Ames wife of Loring Ames; removed 1836 to Fulton Co

James Stoby

Miss Josephine Brown married Daniel Bradley of Mendon; dismissed Apr 14, 1837

Early Members continued

Joseph Kinney dismissed Aug 1839 to Methodist Episcopal Church
Mrs Ann Jackson to Missouri about 1835
Mrs Hannah Aldrich wife of Dunbar Aldrich; dismissed June 30, 1847
Miss Durinda Fuller removed June 30, 1843 to Brattleboro, Vermont
Miss Celestia Brown dismissed Jan 8, 1841 to Mission Institute; (probably married
____Francis) Celestia Brown Francis dismissed Jul 1, 1849 to Iowa, husband a missionary
April 8 1834

Charles Ames dismissed Apr 3, 1838 to Payson Church
June 22 1834

Mrs Josephine Turner wife of Edward Turner, dismissed Feb 28, 1854
Elam A Pease removed 1837 to Farmington, Fulton Co, Illinois
George Westgate dismissed Dec 1, 1839 to Denmark, Iowa; readmitted Mar 1, 1850 from
Congregational Church in Denmark, Iowa
Mrs Eliza Westgate wife of George Westgate; dismissed Dec 1, 1839 to Denmark, Iowa;
readmitted Mar 1, 1850 from Congregational Church in Denmark, Iowa
George Ames dismissed Dec 9, 1838 to Payson Church
July 12 1834

Mrs Maria Streeter widow, married _____ Hedges; removed to Iowa about 1836
Miss Lucy Rose daughter of Jeremiah Rose; married George W Brown
Abner Perry dismissed 1836 to Payson Church
Mrs Adeline Perry wife of Abner Perry; dismissed 1836 to Payson Church
September 21 1834

Mrs Levina Lewis dismissed Sept 27, 1837
Mrs Jane Hodge dismissed June 1836
Thos S Gardner removed May 1837
Elijah Ballard dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to Church forming at Mission Institute; readmitted
Aug 6, 1842 from Church at Mission Institute no 2; dismissed Aug 9, 1849 to Center
Congregational Church
John C Ballard dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to Church forming at Mission Institute; probably dead
by 1842
Mrs Polly Ballard wife of John Ballard; dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to Church forming at Mission
Institute; readmitted Aug 6, 1842; dismissed to Center Congregational Church Aug 9, 1849
Miss Mary (Marie) Ballard dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to Church forming at Mission Institute;
must have been readmitted for dismissed to Center Church Aug 9, 1849
Miss Margaret Stoby married Samuel Winter; dismissed July 27, 1865 to Congregational
Church in Colonia, California
Miss Lucina Ames married to (left blank); dismissed about 1838 to Payson Church
September 23 1834

Asher Edgerton dismissed Nov 25, 1834 to Galena
Mrs Chloe Edgerton wife of Asher Edgerton; removed to Galena about 1835
Miss Ann Edgerton married Wm King; died June 1845
Samuel Winter married Margaret Stoby; dismissed July 27 1865 to Congregational Church in
Colonia, California
Alvin T Smith removed 1840 to Orregon? mission (probably Oregon)
Geo W Brown member of firm of Brown, Dimock & Co; died Mar 15, 1863; funeral Tues, Mar
17, 1863
Mrs Phila W Pease wife of Elam Pease; to Farmington, Illinois in 1866

Early Members continued

Miss Harriet A Trowbridge married John B Brown; died 1837

Daniel D Heath dismissed June 30, 1847

Geo L Harrison died Nov 1836

Benjamin Wilmot removed 1836 to Galena

October 6 1834

Emily Harkness married to John Harkness; died Nov 1834

December 6 1834

Joseph Badger removed to Payson about 1835; probably dead by 1858

Mrs Frances Badger wife of Joseph Badger; removed to Payson; probably dead by 1858

Dr Adam Nichols dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Mrs Martha Nichols wife of Adam Nichols; dismissed Jun 11, 1840

Seth Pitkin died Sep 29, 1854

Mrs Catherine E Pitkin wife of Seth Pitkin; died Apr 1, 1836

John Burns dismissed Apr 26, 1837

Mrs Elizabeth M Burns dismissed Oct 3, 1837

Mrs Beulah Burns dismissed Oct 3, 1849 to Center Congregational Church in Quincy; mother of Mrs Beulah Brown

Mrs Beulah Brown wife of Charles Brown; dismissed Oct 3, 1849 to Center Congregational Church in Quincy

John B Brown son of Charles & Beulah Brown; dismissed Oct 31, 1855

February 1 1835

Theron Trowbridge removed Feb 24, 1842 to Denmark, Iowa

Francis Brown dismissed Apr 21, 1849 to Center Congregational Church

John Burns 3rd dismissed Apr 26, 1837

Amzi C Root

Mrs Flovilla C Root wife of Amzi Root; probably dead by 1858

March 8 1835

Mrs Lydia Safford widow, much lamented, died Feb 5, 1844, age 61; mother in Isreal

Miss Elizabeth D Worrell married ___ David; removed May 6, 1837

Miss Sarah D Lawton married Thos Gregg of Warsaw; removed about 1836

April 5 1835

Miss Catherine C Messick removed about 1840

Miss Ann Messick removed about 1840

Miss Hana Messick removed about 1840

Danial McCoy returned to Pennsylvania

William Stoby dismissed Dec 19, 1849

Edward S Turner dismissed 28 Dec 1849

Avery Turner moved to Ellington Township (daughter Susan married Lumar B Searle; dismissed Nov 15, 1864 to Congregational Church in Morris IL)

Hannah Turner wife of Avery Turner; moved to Ellington Township

Mrs Martha Hosman died about 1839

Lyman Harkness dismissed Apr 11, 1841 to Methodist Episcopal Church in Hancock Co near Carthage

Miss Lucina Burns married Rev Peter Bovien; dismissed April 9, 1837 to Methodist Church

William P Burns dismissed Apr 26, 1837

Miss Elva Wells dismissed Jan 11, 1840 to 1st Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Charles Brown Jr dismissed Apr 7, 1852

Early Members continued

Edward Turner removed Jan 27, 1838

Sydney S Parker removed to Missouri

Miss Elizabeth Ballard married Rev Theron Loomis; dismissed Nov 27, 1837; readmitted Aug 6, 1842; dismissed Nov 7, 1845 by Congregational Church in Menden

Miss Jane Ballard dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to the church forming at Mission Institute; readmitted Aug 6, 1842; married Rev John Randall and dismissed Aug 14, 1845 to go on mission to southern India

Miss Abigail Edgell married Edgar S Turner; dismissed Apr 3, 1865 to Presbyterian Church in Lacon, IL

William Richard (Record?)

Miss Hannah E Safford married Homer Brown; dismissed 1836 to Carthage

Miss Elizabeth M Safford married Rev A H Fletcher and went on mission to India; dismissed Dec 28 1842

Stephen S Safford dismissed in 1849

Mrs Emmy Crissy widow, removed to Connecticut

Miss Catherine Jackson removed about 1835

Miss Abigail Brown married ____ Chattin; dismissed Dec 3, 1841 to Methodist Church
May 8 1835

Thomas Rand dismissed 1839 to Payson Church; died 1845

Mrs Mary S Rand wife of Thomas Rand; dismissed 1839 to Payson Church; married Seth Pitkin after death of Thomas; readmitted Nov 5, 1848 to Quincy Congregational Church; dismissed Feb 2, 1859 as a widow with Lyman B Rand to church in Dallas City

John Edmonds dismissed Apr 3, 1838 to Payson Church

Mrs Sarah Blackington removed to Church in Denmark, Iowa

John Craig went South about 1839

Miss Margarette Mitchell married Dr J W Ralston of Episcopal Methodist Church; dismissed 1836

Edward Turner 2nd

Abigail Turner

August 2 1835

Mrs Isabella West wife of William West; dismissed Apr 29, 1837

William West dismissed Apr 29, 1837

Henry Pitkin removed about 1853; probably dead by 1858

John Fletcher dismissed Dec 3, 1841 to Payson Church; died about 1853

October 1 1835

Charles Felt removed to Iowa

Lorin Harkness dismissed Jan 30, 1841 to Payson Church

Mrs Sarah Robbins wife of Cephas Robbins, now Prentiss

Homer Brown married Hannah E Safford; dismissed about 1836 to Carthage

December 6 1835

Miss Sarah Wales married ____ Nudd; removed to La Harpe

Miss Mary Morrison married James Stoby

Mrs Cynthia P White wife of Ebenezer White; died Apr 26, 1838

Ebenezer White

Miss Mary Elizabeth White married ____ McGavich; removed 1852 to Keokuk, Iowa; died 1861

Mrs Elizabeth Sherman wife of Seth Sherman; dismissed 1840 to Protestant Episcopal Church

Wm Ware removed about 1836

Early Members of the First Congregational Church

Part 2 of 3

See introduction in Part 1 for explanation.

February 6 1836

Clark B Church dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy

May 3 1836

Robert P Vance dismissed June 30, 1847

Mrs Ann Vance wife of Robert Vance; dismissed June 30, 1847

Samuel B Church dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Mrs Church dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Abraham Taylor removed about 1836

Mrs Nancy S Cooley dismissed April 9, 1837 to St Mary; died 1845 in Quincy

Miss Catherine Stoby dismissed Jan 30, 1841 to Mission Institute; went to Jamaica mission in 1847

June 19 1836

Ebenezer Harkness removed 1849

John C Conant dismissed 1839 to Hillsgrove, Illinois

Mrs Mary Folsom Keyes wife of Willard Keys; died Nov 2, 1864, age 64; leaves husband, three daughters & one son; funeral Nov 4 1864

November 30 1836

John Benson dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

John Randall dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

John M Hunter dismissed May 31, 1837- leaving city

Martin Kibbey dismissed Aug 12, 1838 to church at Mission Institute

Albert G Field dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute (wife's name Salvina)

Whitley Thompson dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

Orrin Kendall dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

Mrs Mary A Kendall wife of Orrin Kendall; dismissed Nov 15, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

Chas Burnham dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute; became in 1840 a minister of the Gospel in Iowa

Lewis Faxon dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Evan Williams dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

John K George dismissed Nov 25, 1837 to church forming at Mission Institute

Lucy Brown

Harriet A Brown

Abigail Brown

Mrs Sally M Williams removed about 1837, sister to Clarissa and Debra Bradley

Miss Clarissa W Bradley removed about 1837

Miss Deborah Bradley removed about 1837

Josephine T Bradley dismissed Apr 19, 1837

Mrs Martha Winter died March 12, 1863, age 82; buried Mar 15, 1863

Evan Winter dismissed Nov 25, 1837

Mrs Louisa H Safford wife of Stephen S Safford

February 5 1837

Early Members continued

Anthony Hoffman dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church in Quincy
David Laforce dismissed Mar 28, 1837, leaving city
Elizabeth Laforce wife of David Laforce; dismissed Mar 28, 1837, leaving city
Miss Ann Winter married Mr Harris; removed about 1843 to Baptist Church

March 25 1837

Edwin Brown removed to Iowa about 1841
Mrs Willson
Edmond Wheeler removed to Newton in 1842

June 3 1837

Jared Sheldon removed probably 1848
Mrs Charlotte Church dismissed Jan 6, 1840
Miss Mary Ann Lowry married Henry Miller; dismissed July 31, 1847

August 6 1837

Mrs Anna M Nichols wife of Rev Wm Nichols; dismissed Oct 1838 to church at Mission Institute
Strong Burnell dismissed 1840
Alvina Burnell dismissed 1840
Mr Jagger
Sufina Jagger
Adeline Jagger daughter

October 1 1837

Charles Coolidge dismissed Jan 6, 1839 to church forming in Waterloo Iowa

November 15 1837

William Mellon from Templeton, Mass; dismissed Jan 3, 1842 to Mission Institute Church
Sarah Jane Wilson from Lowell, Mass; (Mrs Kate) probably married Joseph Kate
Thomas Milner dismissed Jan 1841 to Protestant Episcopal Church

November 29 1837

Miss Sarah Lane married Sylvannus Gantle
Emily Smyth wife of John Smyth; dismissed Feb 3, 1841 to Presbyterian Church in Quincy
John Smyth dismissed Feb 3, 1841 to Presbyterian Church in Quincy
Hugh Smyth

Mrs Electra A Jones wife of James Edward Jones; dismissed June 30, 1847

Joshua Perry

Mrs Susan Perry

Mrs Thomas Milner dismissed Jan 1841 to Protestant Episcopal Church

Miss Rebecca Morgan married Rev McCady; dismissed to Oberlin

Mrs Jane Morgan dismissed June 30, 1847

December 2 1837

James B McKown dismissed Oct 28, 1840

Betheah P McKown wife of James McKown; dismissed Oct 28, 1840

February 4 1838

Enock Comstock dismissed Jan 11, 1840 to 1st Presbyterian Church in Quincy; readmitted June 8 1841

Newton Flagg dismissed Jan 11, 1840 to 1st Presbyterian Church in Quincy

Reding Burns removed 1845 to Meadville, Pennsylvania

Mrs Burns wife of Reding Burns; removed 1845 to Meadville, Pennsylvania

Chas H Rossiter removed about 1840

Sarah Mitchell removed 1839

Early Members continued

March 25 1838

Dr John Fonday dismissed Jan 6, 1839 to Church in Columbus, Illinois
William Milner dismissed Sept 14, 1839 to Episcopal Church
Charles Henry Bull dismissed Dec 1855 to Congregational Church in Menden (mother, Anna Baldwin, died July 3, 1860 at age 62)
Hesekiah Wallsworth removed about 1839
Joseph R Cheny dismissed Aug 14, 1839
Joseph R Hilburn dismissed Dec 28, 1849; died Dec 1856
Sheldon Wright died near Meadville, Pennsylvania about 1840
Augustus Kraber
Harriet Kraber wife of Augustus Kraber
Charles H Winn dismissed Dec 31, 1839 to Payson Church; readmitted Nov 5, 1848; dismissed Apr 13, 1856 to California; readmitted Mar 10 1859
William Johnson died 1840
Benjamin Wilson died before 1866
John R Beston/Bentor dismissed Nov 11, 1838
Miss Jane White married Richard Chappell; dismissed Dec 31, 1840 to Methodist Church in Quincy
Miss Ann Jane Wilson married David Wood
Miss Eliza Wilson married James Brown
Mrs Elizabeth Wood widow of George Wood (married Richardson); dismissed May 31, 1844 to Evangelical Church in New York City
Miss Louisa Moore married William Manley; dismissed July 1, 1849 to African M E Church
Richard S Jose removed about 1839
Alfred C Garratt dismissed April 24, 1839 to Iowa
Mrs Garratt wife of Alfred Garratt, dismissed April 24, 1839 to Iowa

April 1 1838

Thomas Winter
Mrs Sabrina Winter wife of Thomas Winter
Joseph Kate
Edward T Cotton dismissed Oct 28, 1840 to Farmington Iowa
Mrs Mary Cotton wife of Edward Cotton; dismissed Oct 28, 1840 to Farmington, Iowa
Miss Helen Finlayson dismissed Jan 6, 1840 to form Presbyterian Church
Mrs Adeline Brown wife of John B Brown

May 19 1838

Charles Howland Sr funeral Dec 14, 1866, age 66, a descendant of the 7th generation of John Howland who came over on the Mayflower

August 5 1838

William A Wood from Presbyterian Church in Poughkeepsie, New York; dismissed Jan 9, 1840 to 1st Presbyterian Church in Quincy

October 14 1838

William Lensenderfer dismissed Jan 9, 1940 to 1st Presbyterian Church in Quincy
Miss Harriet Andrews died Aug 1839
Mrs Julia A Pitkin wife of Seth Pitkin; died June 1839

November 1838

Wilder J Mellen from Templeton, Mass; dismissed Jan 30, 1850 to Center Church
Mrs Abigail Mellen from Templeton, Mass; wife of Wilder Mellen; died Nov 10, 1846, age 29

Early Members continued

February 1839

Mrs Caroline Root wife of Dr Root; dismissed Aug 2, 1840 to 1st Presbyterian Church

August 11 1839

Mrs Cecelia A Lovejoy from Presbyterian Church in St Charles, Missouri; dismissed Apr 5, 1840 to Church in Cincinnati

Miss Selina French from Presbyterian Church in St Charles, Missouri; dismissed Apr 5, 1840 to Church in Cincinnati

Mrs Julia Rossiter from 3rd Christian Church in Philadelphia, Penn; wife of Charles H Rossiter; died Apr 1840

December 1 1839

John K Vandoorn from Templeton, Mass; dismissed June 30, 1847

Elijah A Swinney from 11th Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia; dismissed June 30, 1847

Margarett R Swinney from 11th Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia; wife of Elijah A Swinney; dismissed Jun 30, 1847

March 1 1840

Porter Smith

Mrs Mary T Smith wife of Porter Smith

Mrs Helen Vanvooris funeral July 27, 1865, nearly 80 years old; buried on farm of son 6 miles from Quincy in Ellington Township

Miss Rachel Vanvooris

Mrs Relief Vandoorn widow; dismissed June 30, 1847; funeral Sept 20, 1867, age 80

William F Vandoorn

Miss Lydia Vandoorn married Eaton Littlefield

Thomas Judkins dismissed Mar 1841 to church in Iowa

Edmond Judkins age 12, son of Thomas Judkins; dismissed Mar 1841 to church in Iowa

Edward Judkins age 10, son of Thomas Judkins; dismissed Mar 1841 to church in Iowa

John R Bowen dismissed June 14, 1843 to Farmington, Iowa

Eldridge K Stone

George Baughman (?George Baughman Jr died Oct 11, 1861 of consumption)

Mrs Sarah Boughman wife of George Baughman

Miss Sarah Streeter married Uri M Penfield; dismissed Dec 1, 1847 to Center Church

Miss Mary Ann Keyes daughter of Willard Keys; married ____ Humphry; died Apr 20, 1853

Miss Margaret Ann Campbell married Dale Bedford; dismissed Feb 20, 1843 to Church in Bedford, Indiana

Mrs Jane Matilda Clark

Mrs Ruth Limanus dismissed June 14, 1843

Erastus E Downey removed about 1841

Mrs Amelia Downey wife of Erastus Downey; removed about 1841

Louis M Booth removed Dec 16, 1840

Mrs Elizabeth Booth wife of Louis Booth

George Wood died June 22, 1842

Edward Turner

William F Karnes died Sept 1849

Mrs Desire Karnes wife of William Karnes; died June 1840

Miss Jane Stoby

Miss Elizabeth Norwood

Charles Brown Sr dismissed Oct 3, 1849 to Center Congregational Church

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Early Members continued

Miss Bulah C Brown dismissed Oct 3, 1849 to Center Congregational Church

Philander Brown removed about 1844, went East; dead by 1866

Mrs Minerva Folkrod died Feb 17, 1843

March 29 1840

Mrs Maria Tyson wife of Jonathan Tyson; dismissed April 5, 1840 to Evangelical Church in Baltimore

Joseph Craig

Thomas K Lawrence removed 1846 to Boston, Mass

James Weller dismissed Jan 8, 1842 to Mission Institute Church

William Rockwood dismissed Dec 3, 1841

Mrs Elizabeth Hardy wife of Francis Hardy; dismissed Jul 29, 1846

Rasselas Sartell dismissed June 30, 1847

Mrs Lois Sartell wife of Rasselas Sartle

Nehemiah Abbey removed about 1844

William Tainter dismissed Oct 28, 1840

Miss Caroline Cottle

April 5 1840

Mrs Martha Ramsey widow by 1840

Miss Adeline Newhall dismissed June 14, 1843

Miss Sarah Newhall married ___ Stephenson; dismissed March 13, 1846 to Presbyterian Church at Columbus

Eaton Littlefield married Lydia Vandoorn

Charles H House removed 1848

Gersham Dimock dismissed June 30, 1847

April 19 1840

Charles Maertz from German Church; dismissed March 25, 1843 back to German Luthern Church

June 6 1840

Joseph Miller dismissed June 30, 1847

Mrs Sarah Miller wife of Joseph Miller; dismissed June 30, 1847

Miss Marie Miller daughter of Joseph Miller; married J K Vandoorn; dismissed June 30, 1847

Miss Sarah Miller daughter of Joseph Miller; dismissed June 30, 1847

Miss Louisa Miller daughter of Joseph Miller; died Aug 2, 1840

Miss Frances Miller daughter of Joseph Miller; dismissed June 30, 1847; married William F Vandoorn

Mrs Elizabeth Bowen wife of John Bowen; dismissed June 14, 1843 to Iowa

Miss Eliza Turner

Samuel Turner

August 2 1840

Miss Jane Prentiss from church at Mission Institute; dismissed Dec 31, 1847

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October 3 1840

Alexander Humphrey from Simsbury, Connecticut; alive in 1865
 Mrs Abigail Humphrey wife of Alexander Humphrey; from Simsbury, Connecticut; funeral May 2, 1865, age 71, married more than 50 years
 Albert Humphrey son of Alexander Humphrey; from Simsbury Connecticut
 Mrs Almira Moore wife of Thomas Moore; from Simsbury Connecticut
 E Brooks Wheeler from Methodist Church in Quincy; removed 1842 to Newtown Church
 Mrs Sophia Wheeler from Methodist Church in Quincy; died June 1841
 Miss Ann Whitney from Methodist Church in Quincy; married Edmund Wheeler; died 1845

December 4 1840

Mrs Abigail R Nash wife of Stedman Nash; from East Windsor; dismissed June 30, 1847
 Charles A Ames removed April 11, 1852 to church forming in Hancock Co
 Mrs Eleanor Ames wife of Charles Ames; removed April 11, 1852 to church forming in Hancock Co

June 6 1841

Cyrus Humphrey son of Alex Humphrey
 Edward Humphrey son of Alex Humphrey
 Allen Comstock
 Mrs Sarah Comstock wife of Allen Comstock
 Mrs Harriet Comstock wife of Enock Comstock
 Miss Maria Cotton dismissed April 1842

December 5 1841

James A Dunn dismissed 1842 or 1843 to Preach
 George R Moore dismissed Oct 25, 1843
 Mrs Ann Robinson dismissed June 3, 1843 to Sister Church
 Miss Emily Robinson daughter of Mrs Ann Robinson; dismissed June 3, 1843 to Sister Church
 Mrs Susan Dunham mother of Mrs Ann Robinson; dismissed June 3, 1843 to Sister Church

February 6 1842

Mrs Harriet Skinner died Aug 11, 1842
 Miss Hannah Skinner dismissed April 26, 1843 to St Louis
 Miss Jane Skinner married _____ Davis; dismissed April 26, 1843 to Sister Church
 Mrs Jane E Stone wife of E K Stone
 James Brown funeral May 17, 1864, age 57; died of consumption (son James Alvert Brown killed on railroad, Sept 25, 1864)
 Francis Hardy dismissed July 29, 1846

April 3 1842

Uri M Penfield dismissed Dec 1, 1847 to Center Church
 Thomas Pope dismissed Feb 27, 1853, family moving to Oregon City, Oregon Territory
 John F Edgerton removed 1844 to Galesburg, Illinois
 Miss Martha Newhall dismissed Mar 13, 1846 to Free Will Baptist Church

June 5 1842

Miss Helen M Moore from Presbyterian Church in Auburn, New York; married William Rockwood; dismissed Apr 26, 1843
 James Thompson

Early Members continued

John B Bennet removed 1844; joined Baptist Church

August 6 1842

Miss Ann Ballard

December 4 1842

Miss Josephine Heath dismissed June 30, 1847

March 26 1843

Mrs Frederica Lawrence removed 1846 to Boston

Miss Fhebe Gordon dismissed June 3, 1843 to Sister Church

Thomas Hill from Congregational Church in St Louis; removed 1847 to St Louis

Mrs Nancy Hill died June 30, 1845, age 33, leaving 5 children

William Vickery dismissed May 10, 1843 to any Evangelical Church; returned to England

Samuel Bowers

Lewis Morrison dismissed Dec 27, 1843; returned to England

Mrs Harriet Norwood wife of Joseph E Norwood; died March 16, 1848

Mrs Ann Karnes wife of William F Karnes

Mrs Ann Huntington wife of Horatio Huntington

Mrs Rosilla Howland wife of Charles Howland Sr; died June 16, 1863, leaving husband alone, only child, a son, in St Louis

Mrs P B Hilburn wife of Joseph R Hilburn; died Sept 1853

Cyrus Hilburn

William Manley dismissed 1849 to African M E Church

Edward Armstrong removed 1844 to Steam Boats on Mississippi

Henry Miller wife Mary Miller; dismissed July 21, 1847

Jacob Kidney married Mary Jane Brown; dismissed June 30, 1847

Thomas Kidney dismissed with wife Nov 21, 1861 to unite with new church being formed at Fowler IL

Dunbar Aldrich dismissed June 30, 1847

Edmond Aldrich dismissed June 30, 1847

Henry Snow Jr

Thomas W Foote dismissed June 30, 1847

Asa Turner 2nd

Ebenezer Winter

Alfred Vandoorn dismissed July 21, 1847

George Edward Kimball dismissed July 21, 1847

Miss Eliza Parker (probably married George Kimball) dismissed July 21, 1847

Miss Louisa Vandoorn

Miss A Maria Mason (just date) June 18, 1843

Miss Mary Jane Brown married Jacob Kidney; died July 30, 1846, age 22

Miss Emeline Brown daughter of Charles & Buelah Brown; married Hiram Whipple; dismissed Oct 3, 1849

Miss Lucretia Newhall married Edward Turner 2nd

Miss Lucinda Brown dismissed Oct 3, 1849 to Center Church

Miss Sarah M Vance dismissed June 30, 1847

June 4 1843

Mrs Augusta B Bennett dismissed July 21, 1847

Miss Ann Marie Gay from 1st Presbyterian Church; dismissed Sept 21, 1847 to Presbyterian Church at Monticello, IL

Early Members continued

Miss Clarissa Ann Marvel dismissed April 8, 1846

Edward G Turner from Baptist Church

Aug 6 1843

Mrs Susan Griggs wife of Francis Griggs

Mrs Lucinda Pope from 1st Congregational Church in Boston; dismissed 1846 to Boston, Mass

Oscar Bancroft dismissed June 30, 1847

Henry Bancroft dismissed June 30, 1847

Jan 7 1844

Edward W Prentiss from Church at Theopolis; dismissed June 13, 1849 to some Church in Wisconsin

March 3 1844

Mrs Abigail Foote wife of Rev Horatio Foote; dismissed June 30, 1847

Mrs Malvina Smith wife of R E Smith; dismissed Nov 15, 1846

Samuel R Bacon dismissed Jan 19, 1848 to 3rd Presbyterian Church at Rochester, NY

Mrs Lucy Alma Bacon wife of Samuel Bacon; dismissed Jan 19, 1848 to 3rd Presbyterian Church at Rochester, NY

Amasa R Parker dismissed July 21, 1847

Mrs Ellen Eliza Parker wife of Amasa Parker; dismissed July 21, 1847

May 3 1844

Alanson Lyon dismissed July 21, 1847

Mrs Harriet Lyon wife of Alanson Lyon, dismissed July 21, 1847

Miss Jane Lyon daughter of Alanson & Harriet Lyon; dismissed June 30, 1847

Edward S Demming died June 17, 1844, struck by lightning

July 14 1844

Simon Cooley from St Mary Church; dismissed June 30, 1847

January 4 1845

Celestia Brown from mission Institute in Theopolis; dismissed July 1, 1849 into Rev Francis mission to Iowa

Miss Eliz Cooley married Alex Stoby; died 1845

March 2 1845

Mrs Ann P Stoby wife of William Stoby; from Evangelical Baptist Church in Bedfordshire, England; dismissed June 30, 1847

Joseph Ashwood from Evangelical Baptist Church in Bedfordshire, England; dismissed July 21, 1847

May 4 1845

Charles A Wiggons from Theopolis; dismissed May 17, 1848 to Presbyterian Church at Keokuk, Iowa

Mrs Rachel Barker from Porter, NY; died Feb 1854

Mrs Sarah B Brown wife of Enoch Brown; from Church in Warsaw; dismissed Apr 15, 1849 to Congregational Church, Montebello, Hancock Co

Mrs Hannah Brown wife of Homer (H C S) Brown; from Church in Carthage; dismissed Apr 15, 1849 to Congregational Church in Montebello, Hancock Co

September 7 1845

William F Flandro removed

January 4 1846

James Stobie Senior died Aug 1854, the oldest member of the Church

April 9 1846

Early Members continued

Mrs Susan Craig wife of Isaiah Craig

September 4 1846

Mrs Bethiah Beardsley wife of Rev William Beardsley; dismissed Jul 21, 1847 to
Congregational Church at Griggsville

Mrs M G Anthorp wife of Rev William A Anthorp; dismissed Dec 30, 1848 to Iowa

Mrs Catherine Bowen died Oct 26, 1862

William S Andrews dismissed July 21, 1847

November 15 1846

Miss Nancy Rankin dismissed June 30, 1847

July 16 1847

Harvey Prentiss from Prattburg, NY

Mrs Levonia Prentiss wife of Harvey Prentiss; from Prattburg, NY; died March 23, 1848

Norman Prentiss son of Harvey & Levonia Prentiss; from Prattburg, NY; dismissed about
1848 to Church at Amherst, Mass

Miss Philomela Prentiss daughter of Harvey & Levonia Prentiss; from Church at Mission
Institute; married _____ Rankin; dismissed Apr 11, 1851 to Church at Carlinville

Mrs Maria Lyman wife of Joseph Lyman; from Presbyterian Church at St Louis

William Sutton from Congregational Church at Rockport & Atlas, IL

Sept 3 1847

Omar H Gray from Athens, Ohio

Jananuary 2 1848

Mrs Sarah Emery wife of Henry F Emery; died Mon, May 21, 1854

Mrs Ann Emery

Mrs Sophia Dulany widow in 1848

Miss Louisa Call from Congregational Church in Griggsville

Mrs Rebecca Sutton wife of William Sutton; from Methodist Church in Pittsfield

March 5 1848

Miss Nancy C Iverson from Congregational Church in Jacksonville, IL

Henry Franklin Emery

August 5 1848

Miss Mary Patton

January 7 1849

Miss Mary Eliza Rand Married _____ Noyes; removed by 1858

May 6 1849

Horace Wentz from Methodist Church in New York; dismissed Sept 1850

William Channing from Congregational Church in England

Mrs Eliz Channing wife of William Channing

Miss Clarissa Story

TIME TO PAY YOUR DUES. SEE PAGE i.
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From the Wednesday, September 11, 1895 Quincy Journal, Page 1, Part 2:

UNNATURAL DEATHS

In Quincy in the Past Twelve Years--Murders in Which the Guilty Have Never Been Brought to Justice

Deaths by Accident and Suicide--The Many Different Methods Used by the Latter

In going back twelve years, to the time of the birth of the Journal, we must not overlook our crimes, suicides and deaths from unnatural causes. We find, by running over the coroner's records, that at least seventeen known murders have been committed in Adams County in the past twelve years. Some of the perpetrators have been captured and punished, among them Dan Porter and Wm. Jamison, who suffered the death penalty, and others are still at large.

In giving the inquests held in the past twelve years in chronological order, we have divided them into classes, placing them under sub-headings of "murders," "deaths by suicide," "deaths by accident" and "unknowns." Inquests held in cases where persons died suddenly of heart failure or other natural causes, are not included in this report.

The propriety of recalling the murders, suicides and fatal accidents may be questioned. It is true that the names of many will be read by friends and relatives with a feeling of sorrow and regret, but the good expected from the publication of this report may out-weigh the harm it will do.

The publication of the large list of accidents should make us more careful and should induce those in charge of the railroad yards and other dangerous places to take some steps to decrease the chances for accidents.

The publication of the list of murders should cause our city and county officials to be more vigilant in ferreting out past murders and cause them to use their efforts toward diminishing the opportunities for murder.

It is hard to see just what good or bad can come from publishing the list of suicides. In a news way the list is all right, as it is interesting to note the many different methods used by the deceased in ending their days.

It should be added here that the dates given, as a rule, refer to the time of the holding of the inquests.

Murders

Under this head is classed the murders which have occurred in this county in the past twelve years. Two of the perpetrators, Dan Porter and Wm. Jimison, paid the death penalty, and Simon Johnson was sentenced to Joliet for life. Others have received shorter sentences, and still others have never been brought to justice. This list is as follows:

October 8, '83, Jane Rogers, Quincy, by husband, with pistol.

October 14, '83, John Elder, Quincy, by John

Custer, with pistol.

May 17, '84, infant, Quincy, by strangulation.

July 3, '85, infant, Quincy, by strangulation by mother, Luella Hall, and Mrs. Sarah Hall.

March 7, '86, E. T. Hogan, below Quincy, skull crushed by unknown parties.

November 14, '86, Hattie Webb, Quincy, abortion.

May 28, '87, unknown infant, Ward's Island, drowned by unknown parties.

August 7, '87, Wm. E. Berry, Quincy, with club, by Chas. Ward.



1890, Ed Smith, Quincy, shot by Dan Porter.
October 22, '90, Daniel E. Price, Quincy, shot
by Lillie Boothe.

April 19, '92, Chas. Aaron, Cliola, shot by Wm.
Jamison.

July 1, '92, Mrs. Simon Johnson, Quincy, shot
by husband.

July 19, '93, Solomon P. Bradshaw, Kingston,
shot by whitecaps.

February 22, '94, Mary Cooper, Quincy, kicked
by Richard Taylor.

July 4, '94, Patrick O'Kiefe, stabbed by Wm.
Johnson.

Oct. 10, '94, Mrs. Kate Loomiller and niece
Viola Searles, aged 7 years, of Liberty, with some
sharp instrument, perhaps a hatchet.

June 22, '95, Edward Prewitt, Quincy, shot by
Geo. Coward.

Justifiable Homicide

May 29, '92, Wm. Jones, Quincy, shot by
Policeman Daley.

July 4, '95, Henderson Doomis, Quincy, shot by
Policeman Haselwood.

The Unknown

Under this head we put such cases where the
intention, manner or cause of death were not
ascertained. Some have the appearance of murder,
others suicide, and still others appear to have been
the results of accidents.

October 25, '83, infant, Front and Maine,
unknown

September 17, '84, unknown man, Quincy, shot
in unknown manner.

January 29, '85, John Kiefer, Quincy, pistol ball

February 24, '85, Jacob Brown, Quincy,
unknown.

April 27, '86, unknown, Quincy, drowned.

October 11, '87, Chas. Wright, Quincy, cut by
Larry Carver.

February 7, '88, Adam Kneuf, Quincy, shotgun.

April 30, '88, unknown woman, Cottonwood
Island, drowned.

June 30, '88, unknown man, Quincy, drowned.

August 1, '88, unknown man, Quincy,
unknown.

October 17, '88, unknown man, Quincy,
unknown.

December 24, '88, Theresa Sanders, Quincy,
poison.

January 23, '89, Mrs. Roy Fredericks, Quincy,

pistol wounds, supposed to have been inflicted by
husband.

April 7, '89, unknown, Gilmer, gun shot wound
in ankle, mortification setting in.

December 22, '90, John Bangert, Quincy,
unknown.

August 23, '91, Julius Sourwine, poor farm,
falling or jumping from window.

March 26, '92, Eliza Rose, Honey Creek,
supposed by exposure.

May 4, '92, unknown man, Quincy, drowning,
supposed.

August 3, '93, unknown male child, Quincy,
unknown.

June 18, '94, unknown, Fall Creek, drowning.

April 1, '95, Edith Duvall, Quincy, drowning.

May 7, '95, Harvey Weaver, Ward's Island,
unknown.

June 21, '95, Fred Draper, Camp Point, run
over by cars.

June 22, '95, John Gahan, poor farm, fell from
window.

Deaths by Accident

Below is given the list of fatal accidents. Perhaps
as many more deaths have occurred from accidents,
which did not come to the notice of the coroner--
cases where the injured lived long enough to be
treated by physicians, who issued the death
certificates making it unnecessary to hold an
inquest. The list below comprises principally the
cases where death resulted almost instantly. The
dates in many of the cases refer to the time of
holding the inquest. In the case of drownings, the
dates sometimes run several weeks or months
behind the actual time of death.

September 17, '83, W. H. Coffield, Concord,
accidentally shot.

September 20, '83, Charles Johnson, Camp
Point, poisoned accidentally.

September 20, '83, O. B. Ward, Camp Point,
poisoned accidentally.

October 7, '83, Philip Antweiler, Quincy,
runaway.

April 17, '84, Lewis Wagnussen, Quincy,
drowning.

April 17, '84, Matthew Murphy, Quincy,
drowning.

July 25, '84, G. Hannover, Quincy, runaway.

September 24, '84, Henry Thele, Quincy, skull
fracture.

March 29, '85, J. L. Hearndon, Quincy, drowning.
 May 8, '85, Wm. Asterman, Golden, run over by cars.
 May 20, '85, John Ahern, Big Slough, drowning.
 June 29, '85, Albertus Ringo, Quincy, drowning.
 August 21, '85, John Clemme, Quincy, drowning.
 September 3, '85, Chas. Jacobson, Quincy, run over by cars.
 September 19, '85, Matthew Dick, Quincy, carbonic acid gas.
 October 6, '85, Edward Mansfield, Quincy, run over by cars.
 November 25, '85, Conrad Berning, Quincy, falling tree.
 February 10, '86, H. C. Meredith, Quincy, run over by cars.
 April 20, '86, Chas. Kaltenbach, Quincy, under sand bank.
 April 20, '86, Eddie Klusemeyer, Quincy, under sand bank.
 April 20, '86, Chas. Klusemeyer, Quincy, under sand bank.
 May 11, '86, Franklin Moody, Quincy, drowning.
 June 15, '86, Simon Kelly, Quincy, struck by lightning.
 June 17, '86, Frank Williams, Quincy, drowning.
 July 23, '86, Ann Riley, Quincy, laudanum.
 August 22, '86, Geo. Neuman, Big Slough, drowning.
 September 22, '86, Rodney Lambert, Quincy, falling wall.
 September 22, '86, Jarrett Douglas, Quincy, falling wall.
 October 16, '86, Henry Hickie, Quincy, gunshot.
 October 18, '86, Leroy Gates, Quincy, run over by cars.
 November 27, '86, James Barlow, Quincy, run over by cars.
 June 7, '87, Thos. Prestowe, Quincy, run over by cars.
 March 15, '87, Nathaniel Miller, Big Slough, drowning.
 June 9, '87, W. H. Brown, Quincy, drowning.

June 23, '87, George Degits, Quincy, drowning.
 August 3, '87, Frank P. Hall, Delton's Island, drowning.
 October 8, '87, Henry Carver, Quincy, run over by cars.
 November 3, '87, Geo. W. Watson, Quincy, drowning.
 December 22, '87, A. C. Allen, Quincy, run over by cars.
 January 29, '88, Arthur Rentz, Quincy, run over by wagon.
 July 12, '88, Wm. Sweet, Quincy, drowning.
 July 31, '88, Frank C. Mitchell, Quincy, drowning.
 August 13, '88, James Purvis, Quincy, falling out window.
 August 26, '88, Wm. Holthouse, Quincy, drowning.
 September 8, '88, John Schwab, Quincy, drowning.
 October 15, '88, John Emory, Quincy, drowning.
 December 11, '88, Frank P. Abney, Quincy, run over by cars.
 January 11, '88, Henry Newman, Quincy, drowning.
 February 5, '89, Unknown, Quincy, run over by cars.
 April 15, '89, Wm. Bramer, Quincy, drowning.
 June 17, '89, Wm. Keeley, Quincy, falling off courthouse balcony.
 August 2, '89, G. T. Hatcher, Quincy, drowning.
 August 6, '89, Bessie M. Stratton, Quincy, drowned in a tub.
 September 10, '89, Michael Larney, Quincy, run over by cars.
 October 25, '89, Nicholas Haley, Quincy, run over by cars.
 November 23, '89, Alfred Hartwig, Quincy, pistol in his own hands.
 December 2, '89, Andrew Michaels, Quincy, by vicious deer.
 December 14, '89, Wm. Wilson, Quincy, run over by cars.
 April 4, '90, Jesse Cain, Golden, shot by Chas. Heinicke.
 May 11, '90, Phil Zimmerman, Quincy, drowning.
 May 16, '90, Gertie Pusey, Quincy, drowning.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE BEHRENS FAMILIES

The following was extracted from the 1910 Federal Census of Quincy. This is not a complete list of all the Behrens families in Quincy found on the 1910 census. The purpose is to update a *Yellowjacket* article, Vol. XXVIII, no. 2, Sept. 2002, about the Behrens family during WWI. Submitted by Mike Brinkman.

Ernest A. Behrens, head of household, age 41, married 17 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1894, he was naturalized.

Margarita C. Behrens, wife, age 38, married 17 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1894.

August H. Behrens, son, age 17, born in Germany, came to America in 1894.

The family was living at 1608 Adams.

Claus Behrens, head of household, age 51, married 24 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1895, he was naturalized.

Rebecca Behrens, wife, age 46, married 24 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1895.

The family was living at 1504 Adams.

Adolph Behrens, head of household, age 36, married 12 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1895, he was naturalized.

Wilhelmina Behrens, wife, age 33, married 12 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1894.

Carl Behrens, son, age 11, born in Illinois.

Ernest O. Behrens, son, age 7, born in Illinois.

Bertha A. Behrens, daughter, age 5, born in Illinois.

Otto H. Behrens, son, age 2, born in Illinois.

The family was living at 1724 Madison.

August P. Behrens, head of household, age 43, married 10 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1902, he was naturalized.

Gretchen Behrens, wife, age 36, married 10 years, born in Germany, came to America in 1902.

William Behrens, son, age 9, born in Illinois.

Ernest H. Behrens, son, age 8, born in Illinois.

Edward Behrens, son, age 4, born in Illinois.

The family was living at 1705 Monroe.

HENRY PAUL'S SUDDEN DEATH

The following was extracted from the March 24, 1852 *Quincy Whig*.

"Coroner's Inquest—On Tuesday an Inquest was held by Coroner Munroe on the body of Mr. Henry Paul, who died very suddenly at his residence, near the old City Cemetery. The verdict of the jury was that the deceased died of apoplexy. The inquest would not have been held, but for reports that had become generally circulated that the deceased had been bleed to death. These rumors originated in slight, but painful incidents connected with his death. During the time that the Physician was bleeding him, one of his assistants fainted, and in the confusion some blood was spilt on the floor. From this in some manner the report alluded to arose. Mr. Paul was 27 years of age."

BEGINNERS GENEALOGY CLASSES QUINCY PUBLIC LIBRARY 7 P.M. IN THE MEETING ROOM

March 18, Tuesday	Getting Started, Ancestor Charts, Family Group Sheets
March 26, Wednesday	Sources of genealogical information, organizing research and etiquette.
April 1, Tuesday	Resources at the Quincy Public Library, Illinois Room etc.

UNNATURAL DEATHS

From the Wednesday, September 11, 1895, *Quincy Journal*, page 1, part 2, and continued from THE YELLOWJACKET, Volume XXVIII, No. 3, (December 2002) issue. These deaths go back twelve years to the beginning of the *Journal*.

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| <p>May 22, '90, John Stafford, Quincy, drowning.
 May 23, '90, Wm. Schumacher, Quincy, drowning.
 June 23, '90, Mrs. Ann Peart, Paloma, run over by cars.
 June 24, '90, Albert Pearson, Quincy, drowning.
 June 24, '90, James Watts, Quincy, drowning.
 June 25, Edward Hoolahan, Quincy, runaway horse.
 June 25, '90, Anton Diener, Quincy, sunstroke.
 June 26, '90, Chas. Hesselman, Quincy, drowning.
 July 1, '90, C. E. Scholley, Quincy, drowning.
 July 7, '90, Peter Altheide, Melrose, mowing machine.
 July 8, '90, Louis Bence, Melrose, falling off barn.
 July 20, '90, Unknown, Fall Creek, sunstroke.
 September 6, '90, Clarence Busby, Quincy, falling down stairs.
 September 19, '90, Preston B. Jonier, Quincy, fell out of window.
 October 20, '90, Jas. Splillars, Quincy, fell off bridge at Soldiers' Home.
 October 22, '90, Lillie E. Booth, Quincy, pistol shot while struggling with Seymour Price.
 January 29, '91, Mrs. A. V. Harrison, Quincy, carbolic acid.
 January 22, '91, Gus Meyer, Quincy, fell off a smokestack.
 May 14, '91, James McClancy, Melrose, drowning.
 June 6, '91, Charles Baldwin, Quincy, drowning.
 June 14, '91, Eunice Goodwin, Quincy, drowning.
 August 3, '91, Zeb Steele, Quincy, drowning.
 August 26, '91, Peter Johnson, Quincy, run over by cars.
 August 31, '91, Joseph Nuessen, Quincy, crushed at rock quarry.
 September 30, '91, D. W. Ruby, Payson, kicked by horse.
 October 30, '91, Albert Kelly, Quincy, run over by cars.</p> | <p>January 20, '92, Geo. Coburn, Quincy, struck by ice thrown from roof of Rensch building.
 May 11, '92, G. H. Van Frank, Fabius, drowning.
 June 7, '92, Chas. Krroush, Quincy, struck by lightning.
 June 13, '92, Chas. Williams, Quincy, drowning.
 June 18, '92, Lulu Berbridge, Marblehead, drawing gun from under the bed.
 July 10, '92, Jas. Strathaus, Quincy, drowning.
 July 25, '92, Oscar Sturm, Quincy, sunstroke.
 August 12, '92, Mike Traxler, Quincy island, drowning.
 September 8, '92, Thos. Owrey, Quincy, run over by cars.
 September 8, '92, Adam Zopf, Quincy, run over by cars.
 September 10, '92, James W. Reynolds, Camp Point, run over by traction engine.
 November 4, '92, Edward Wilkins, Quincy, gun in hands of Wm. Krueger.
 November 11, '92, Jacob C. Bliss, Quincy, run over by cars.
 May 15, '93, Laurence Ennis, Quincy, falling off train.
 June 12, '93, Herman Sandkoetter, Quincy, drowning.
 June 17, '93, Herman Tansman, Quincy, drowning.
 June 17, '93, Edward Huseman, Quincy, drowning.
 July 3, '93, Sophia Ringwold, Quincy, burning.
 July 7, '93, John F. Daley, Quincy, drowning.
 July 27, '93, Arthur Mitchell, Quincy, drowning.
 August 16, '93, Lewis E. Wilkinson, Coatsburg, run over by cars.
 August 28, '93, Roland Spyers, McKee, pistol in his own hands.
 October 6, '93, unknown, Quincy, drowning.
 October 11, '93, James Collins, folding bed closed on him.
 October 18, '93 Victor Bavery, Indian Grave, gun shot wound.</p> |
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December 11, '91, Thos. Lahan, Quincy, run over by cars.

December 13, '91, Jno. Sandham, south of Quincy, gun shot.

December 22, '93 Ludwig Hermann, Quincy, run over by cars.

January 8, '94, Charles Shorb, Quincy, drowning.

January 24, '94, Albert Freeman, Quincy, frozen.

March 23, '94, Lizzie Kimes, Quincy, drowning.

May 7, '94, Webster Lewis, Ursa, drowning.

May 15, '94, Philip Pfeifer, Melrose, drowning.

May 15, '94, Oscar H. Parks, Quincy, drowning.

May 19, '94, Philip Merkel, Quincy, fell off Knittel building.

May 28, '94, Mrs. Wm. A. Kendall, Melrose, paralysis of heart, caused by fright while riding behind a runaway horse.

June 13, '94, Edgar Anderson, Clayton, drowning.

July 17, '94, James and John Lavery, Quincy, drowning.

July 28, '94, Henry Fleer, Quincy, falling down embankment.

July 29, '94, Pauline Laupheimer, Quincy, run over by motor car.

September 1, '94, M. Reskempleck, Quincy, drowning.

September 5, '94, Wm. C. Melville, Quincy, caught in machinery.

October 1, '94, Frank Doyle, Quincy, fell from box car.

October 25, '94, Minnie B. Poland, Concord, target gun held by her brother.

January 9, '95, John W. Leffringhouse, Liberty, runaway team

January 15, '95, Bernard VandenBoom, Quincy, drowning.

January 16, '95, Edwin Appleby, Camp Point, run over by cars.

January 21, '95, John Hauser, Quincy, sun-stroke

February 13, '95, Timothy Pryor, Loraine, crushed by logs.

April 28, '95, John Steppe, Quincy, drowned.

October 19, '93, J. W. Floyd, Quincy, morphine.

November 15, '93, unknown man, Riverside, gun shot wound.

Marcelline, drowned.

July 23, '95, Perry Hunsaker, Quincy, caused by falling wall.

August 4, '95, Jas. Kauffman, Quincy, drowned.

August 25, '95, Jacob Scholz, Quincy, run over by motor car.

Deaths by Suicide

For the twelve years the suicides average about si a year. In the eight months of the present year there have been ten deaths by suicide. The list:

October 8, '83, Joseph Rogers, Quincy, pistol ball.

December 28, '83, Fred Wessells, Quincy, hanging.

June 30, '84, L. H. Bloom, Quincy, poison.

November 8, '84, Henry Mittlemeyer, Quincy, hanging.

December 2, '84, John Gehringer, Quincy, drowning.

December 4, '84, Christopher Lippot, Quincy, hanging.

December 12, '84, Louis Humpkey, Quincy, poison.

December 14, '84, Wm. L. Working, Golden, pistol ball.

January 11, '85, Thos. Waters, Quincy, drowning.

April 29, '85, Ira Wisner, Quincy, pistol and hanging.

May 17, '85, Wm. Huseman, Quincy, hanging.

August 31, '85, Wm. Buchner, Quincy, drowning.

October 1, '85, W. W. Wood, Quincy, pistol ball.

January 16, '86, Henry Brunning, Quincy, pistol ball

April 27, '86, Otto Heilwagon, south of city, drowning.

July 16, '86, Pearl Buhl, Quincy, morphine.

August 1, '86, John Huffman, Quincy, carbolic acid.

August 12, '86, Mary Meyers, Fall Creek, drowning.

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- May 12, '95, Archie Allen, Quincy, drowned.
June 11, '95, Guy Crenshawe, Quincy, run over
by cars.
June 28, '95, B. H. Lechtenberg, Quincy,
drowned.
July 3, '95, Lelia and Grover Schultz,

December 19, '86, J. W. Nichols, Quincy,
poison.
December 29, '86, Ella Johnson, Quincy, rough
on rats.
March 3, '87, Abraham Vassen, Quincy, pistol
ball.
March 22, '87, Joseph Levy, Quincy, pistol ball.
March 24, '87, Jessie Simpson, Quincy, pistol
ball.
August 6, '87, Julius Albrecht, Quincy, cut
throat.
September 9, '87, N. P. Brown, Quincy, pistol
ball.
December 5, '87, Albert Smith, Quincy, pistol
ball.
December 29, '87, Unknown, Ellington, pistol
ball.
February 2, '88, Fred Brown, Quincy, poison.
February 3, '88, Jos. Bowman, Quincy, cut
throat.
March 30, '88, Jos. Clark, Quincy, morphine.
April 15, '88, Bernard Ryan, Quincy, cut throat
with razor.
April 22, '88, Henry Lamkey, Quincy, hanging.
June 1, '88, unknown, Quincy, drowning.
July 8, '88, Jos. B. Menke, Quincy, cut arteries
of arm.
October 11, '88, Hubert Schwieties, Quincy,
morphine.
January 4, '89, J. H. Layman, Quincy, poison.
January 23, '89, Lafayette Fredericks, Quincy,
pistol.
April 8, '89, John A. Lampe, Quincy, pistol.
July 26, '89, James W. Hanson, Quincy, poison.
November 28, '89, John Wood, Quincy, pistol.
December 22, '89, Moses Coffman, Quincy, cut
throat with razor.
June 7, '90, William Bock, Quincy, pistol.
December 2, '90, Andrew Euler, Quincy, pistol.
October 16, '91, James R. Stevenson, Quincy,
pistol.

August 29, '86, Annie Strothoff, Ellington,
pistol ball.
October 18, '86, Eugene Diebitsch, Quincy,
aconite.
November 5, '86, Carrie Huffman, Quincy,
carbolic acid.

April 8, '92, Clifton McAdams, Lima, pistol.
June 27, '92, Gottfried Schlippf, Soldiers' Home,
hanging.
August 22, '92, John E. Frower, Quincy, pistol.
October 20, '92, T. W. Wandry, poor farm,
hanging.
November 10, '92, John Pugh, Quincy,
hanging.
March 31, '93, Henry Bechermeyer, Quincy,
pistol.
June 25, '93, E. H. Todd, Quincy, pistol.
July 11, '93, Harry H. Herren, Golden, pistol.
September 17, '93, Wm. Vancil, Liberty, pistol.
December 2, '93, Theodore Lindeman, Quincy,
pistol.
December 21, '93, C. S. Thompson, Quincy,
pistol.
April 12, '94, Henry B. Groetting, Quincy,
pistol.
April 25, '94, W. F. Wilson, Quincy, morphine.
June 2, '94, John Hoffeld, Quincy, laudanum.
September 8, '94, Wm. Sigsbee, Quincy,
morphine.
December 26, '94, John W. Kopitsky, Quincy,
pistol.
January 17, '95, Wm. Holding, Quincy,
hanging.
January 21, '95, Della Stufflebean, opium.
March 9, '95, Webb Grigsby, Quincy,
morphine.
March 18, '95, John Brown, Quincy, shotgun.
May 20, '95, Catherine Meckes, Quincy,
drowned in cistern.
June 7, '95, Edwin Moore, Lima, hanging.
June 14, '95, Jacobine Vernlaud, Quincy, paris
green.
June 18, '95, Ralph Turner, Quincy, hanging.
July 30, '95, P. E. Hatcher, Soldiers' Home,
drowned.
August 19, '95, Mrs. A. W. Ellerbrecht,
Quincy, carbolic acid.

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This information was taken from Family History microfilm no. 1434888.

Name	Date of Death	Age	Place of Burial	Remarks
James Walker	Apr 22, 1907	80-2-17	Walker Cemetery	member Dunkard Ch.
Earnest Fredr. Heine	Jul 1, 1907	67-1-00	Xander Cem.	Confirmed mem.
Amos Fred Barringer	Aug 26, 1907	00-3-21	Xander Cem.	Twin of Aug & M?? Barringer
Frederic Miller	Nov 12, 1907	86-9-27	Kingston, Ill.	
Mrs. Martha Vollmer	Nov 18, 1907	50-0-12	Xander	member
Fredr. Limberg	Jan 12, 1908	73-1-25	Newtown, Ill.	Member – cancer
Danl. Fellmer	Jan 28, 1908	26-2-19	Bap. Ch. E. of Liberty	member
Mrs. Nettie Boyer (can't read rest)	Feb 13, 1908	18-5-7	Millersville, Ohio	death a mystery
Mrs. Alice Salome Vollmer	May 27, 1908	47-5-27	Xander Cem.	Member
Leslie H. Tabor	June? 9, 1908	34-6-9	Liberty Cem.	Shot, very wicked
Mrs. Nellie May Reid	Oct 16, 1908	31-0?-2	Walker Cem.	No member, consump.
Mrs. Jane E. Graff	Oct 26, 1908	85-1-8	Liberty Cem.	Mem. Pres. Ch.
August Carl	Feb 24, 1909	64-7-20	Walker Cem.	No mem. [sudden?]
Ahrend Bohlen	Mar 24, 1909	55-3-25	Kinderhook Cem.	Confirmed in [Ger?] but no transfer
Bertha L. Redman	Apr 9, 1909	27-6-6	Franks	faithful mem. Of this ch
Miss Mary E. Close	Jun 10, 1909	39-3-14	Spring Valley	mem. Holiness Ch.
Jas. H. Craig	Jun 9, 1909	64-11-16	Bap. Ch. E. of Liberty	no profession
Frederic Gottlieb Heine	Jun 27, 1909	72-0-01	Liberty	member here
Gottlieb Zehender	Oct 11, 1909	79-6-22	Liberty	" "
Mrs. Dan'l Weiss	Jul 5, 1911		Liberty	" "
William Manigold	Jun 1, 1912		Xander	" "
Mrs. [Lucy] Graff			Liberty	" "
Mrs. W.F. Snider	1910		Barry	" "
Thompson Frey			Xander	" "
Erma Frey	Oct 1912		Xander	" "
Harley Frey	Sep 1, 1913		Xander	" "
Edward Klarner			Xander	" "
Mrs. " Klarner			"	" "
Rev. Mortensen began here.				
Banister Boren	Jun 5, 1915	77-3-10	Walker Cem	no mem. of old age
Angelina Boren	Aug 2, 1915	76-1-21	" "	old age, once a mem.
Andrew Muder	Sep 19, 1915	80-6-2	Woodland Quincy	member St. John's German Ch, blood poisoning
Clara Marie Breckenridge	Sep 22, 1915	33-4-2	Xander	Sudden death from Hemorrhage
Mrs. Amanda Kauder	Oct 23, 1915	77-8-11	Walker	Dropsy
August T. Hartrick	Feb 7, 1916	81-11-5	Xander	complications & old age
Mrs. Emma Taylor	Jun 6, 1916	51-9-4	Xander	Bright's disease
Lola Esther Diehl	Oct 2, 1916	12-7-21	"	Brain or nerve fever
Mrs. Catharine Fischer	Jan 7, 1917	86-9-16	"	Paralysis & old age

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Name	Date of Death	Age	Place of Burial	Remarks
Lewis Vollmer	Jan 13, 1917	63-5-18	Xander	cerebral hemorrhage
Pauline Ernestine Heine	Feb 8, 1917	68-2-26	"	nee Hoffman died from an operation
Roy Edward Coats	Apr 3, 1917	7-3-7	"	killed on street of Liberty by a car
Chistopher J. Uhland	Apr 6, 1917	50-2-16	Franks	measles into pneumonia
Caroline Regina Uhland	May 8, 1917	78-6-24	"	grief, pneumonia & old age
Aaron B. Xander	Aug 5, 1917	74-11-28	Woodland, Quincy	cancer
John George Pracht			Xander	diphtheria or tonsillitis
Samuel Francis McBride	Nov 13, 1917	28-1-12	"	Typhoid & Pneumonia
Leetah Winnifred McBride	Dec 12, 1917	26-4-23	"	Typhoid & miscarriage
Susan Frey			"	old age
Floyd Lorenzo Franks	Apr 15, 1918	12-2-24	Franks	grippe & congestion of Lungs
Mrs. Mary (Limberg) Beringer				
	May 6, 1918	43-10-28	Xander	Bright's disease
Wm. Earl Riggins		7-0-29	"	Pneumonia
Edward Martin Klarnar	Jun 17, 1918	41-9-2	"	Tuberculosis
Charlotte Adelaide Elliott	Aug 20, 1918	5-4-13	Burton Cem.	
Anna Sarah (Saxer) Diehl	Sep 22, 1918	43-0-12	Kingston Cem.	
Prosper Loran Tournear	Oct 10, 1918	21-10-9	Kimmon's Cem.	Died at Camp Taylor, KY of "Flu"
Chester Arthur Boyer	Nov 12, 1918	30-9-12	Xander	Died of flu & pneumonia
Mae Dora (Klarnar) Sumter			"	
	1 st Gold star on ch. Service flag			
Harry Michel	Dec 30, 1918	25-1-7	Kingston	Flu & pneumonia after Return from camp
Littie B. (Penny) Michel	Jan 11, 1919	52-0-17	"	Flu & pneumonia & Grief over Harry's death
Beulah Cantrell (nee Heckrodt)	Jan 20, 1919	21-2-22	Coatsburg Cem.	Flu while on a trip west
Martha Christina Frey	Feb 10, 1919	69-11-25	Xander	died from complications after operation for tumor at St. Mary's
Jacob J. Gieker	Feb 20, 1919	57-10-13	Goertz Cem.	Dropsy
Abner Gates	May 14, 1919	78-4-15	Walker	Apoplexy
Jacob Marion Puttz	Oct 20, 1919	0-3-14	Liberty	
Fred Albert Hinds	Nov 25, 1919	1-10-20	Xander	Convulsions
John L. Boyer	Dec 3, 1919	59-1-6	"	Hardening of arteries & paralysis
Henry Edward Craft (nee Wollett)	Oct 10, 1919	0-6-7	"	
Sarah Caroline Longlett (nee Cook)	Jan 17, 1920	65-4-10	Independent Cem.	On Broadway Quincy Road
Fannie Browning	Jan 26, 1920	44-10-0	Liberty	Peritonitis
Wilber Adam Craft	Feb 8, 1920	22-5-22	Xander	Flu & pneumonia
Perry Enlow	Feb 26, 1920	81-2-14	Frank's	died in Buffalo, NY

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Nee Rowsey				T.B.
Elma Opal Banks	May 7, 1920	25-10-8	Walker	
Katherine Elizabeth Koch	Jul 18, 1920	75-4-18	Xander	
Mrs. Fred Henning	Oct 23, 1920		"	
John Philip Deege			Independence Cem.	
Geo. Henry Fengel	Nov 26, 1920		Walker	
	Rev. George G. Parker began here			
Sarah Miller Craig	Dec 29, 1921	73-1-1	Pleasant View Baptist	

NOTE – A check of volume II, *Cemeteries of Adams County* indicates that some of the death dates may actually be dates of burial. This book was used to try to confirm some of the spellings of surnames.

GRGS MEETING DATES

September 12, 2002 Chester Clark	"Discovery of Historical Facts by Unusual Methods" He will reveal that more things than water can be witched.
October 10, 2002 Mary Lea Prentice	"Hidden in Plain View, Quilts and the Underground Railroad" The Underground Railroad was a story of codes and secrets. Find out what part quilts played in the escape to freedom by the slaves.
November 14, 2002 Jason Peters	"The Kinderhook Plates: Examining a 19 th Century Hoax" First presented at the Mid-Mississippi River Valley History Colloquium, Peters tells the saga of the Kinderhook plates beginning in 1843, and having been a subject of controversy ever since. These strange copper objects suggested a link to ancient civilizations. Come hear the story.
December 12, 2002	To be announced.
January 9, 2003	A video, "TheBoneyard," by Sharon DeBartolo Carmack This could be your guide to cemetery research.

Our meeting dates are the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7 p.m. All meetings except the December meeting will be held at the Quincy Public Library, 526 Jersey. Questions can be addressed by the program chairpersons. Their addresses are found on page i. Join us and bring a friend.

ADDRESSES NEAR AND FAR

The Illinois State Death Certificate Index is a database of deaths in Illinois from 1916 until 1950. www.cyberdriveillinois.com/departments/archives/idphdeathindex.html is the address. Certificates for deaths 1916-1947, can be ordered from this Illinois State Archives website. Certificates after 1947 should be ordered from the Illinois Department of Vital Records or the proper County Recorder's Office. For more on this subject read Michael John Neill's article at <http://www.ancestry.com/library/print/news/articles/5885.htm>.

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