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OBITUARY.

—We regret to learn of the death of the five-month-old son of our friend, George Acton, which occurred last Friday evening at Buceton. He was buried on Sunday. The young parents will have the sympathy of many friends.

—Died, in his home, in Pettis county, on Friday last, Thomas Dix, aged sixty-seven years. He was a native of this county, a son of the late Larkin Dix, of Blackwater township. The deceased will be remembered by many of our citizens as a highly respected gentleman.

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—J. I. Barnes, who was brought from Wright county to the Reform School in this city, last Wednesday, died on Saturday last, this being the first death that has occurred at the institution. He was ill when he arrived, and though every attention was given him by Mr. Drake, the kind-hearted superintendent, and his assistants, he was not relieved. He was buried on Sunday, at the city cemetery.

—Mrs. Rebecca Coudra was born March 11, 1794, in Marion county, South Carolina, and died in Boonville, Mo., March 26, 1890. At the age of eight years, she went with her parents to Tennessee; where, in March, 1816, she was married to George Coudra, and came with her husband to this county in 1846. He was a soldier in the war of 1812, and died in Cooper county in 1852. Mrs. Coudra was a resident of Boonville from 1863, and was a member of the Baptist Church of this city for twenty years. Her connection with the Church extended over a period of sixty-eight years. She was the mother of ten children—four sons and six daughters. Of her surviving children, one son lives in California and one in Tennessee; one daughter in Montana and three in Cooper county—two of the latter in Boonville. She had many friends in our city, who will sympathize with her children and her Church in their loss.