

# DEATHS DURING THE PAST WEEK

## MRS. GEORGE SCHACHT

Kathleen Perry, member of an old Shelby county pioneer family, was born at the Perry home near Leonard in 1907 and died in St. Mary's hospital, Kansas City, Mo., on August 11, 1942. Almost 20 years ago she was married to George Schacht of Indianapolis, who survives as do four sisters, Mrs. O. Shofstall of Kirksville, Mrs. Elsie Chinn and Mrs. Mabel Martin of Kansas City and Mrs. Harold Derby of Texas. With the exception of Mrs. Derby, who is ill at her home, all the immediate relatives were present for the funeral services held in the Leonard Christian church on Thursday.

Mrs. Schacht, a gifted student in her chosen field of social science, had only recently completed advanced college work with distinction. The bank of flowers in the church and the beautiful service, conducted by Rev. Philip H. Norvel of Kansas City, were moving testimony to the deep affection in which Mrs. Schacht was held.

Attending the funeral services from Clarence were Mrs. J. O. Callison, Mrs. W. Barrow, who was a classmate of Mrs. Schacht's in the Clarence schools, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gosney, Mrs. J. T. Turner, Mrs. Agnes Brennan, Misses Kathleen Shale and Lottie Smith.

## MRS. TODD ASHCROFT

Funeral and burial services for Mrs. Todd Ashcroft, 83, were held at Princeton Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ashcroft, who had lived in Princeton for many years, had been ill of a heart ailment for several months and passed away in St. Mary's hospital in Kansas City Friday.

Besides her husband she is survived by three sons, Walter Ashcroft, manager of the Gamble Store here, Russell Ashcroft of Colorado and Carter Ashcroft of Nebraska, and one daughter, Mrs. O. J. Owen, of Kansas City. She is also survived by four grandchildren, all of whom attended services Sunday with the exception of one grandson, Lt. Coleman Owen, who is in the Army Air service.

## LOUISE HALL

Louise Hall, youngest daughter of Harry D. Hall of Lancaster, died August 13, 1942 in the Laughlin hospital at Kirksville, 18 days after an operation for gall stones. She was born August 14, 1915 and would have been 27 years old the next day after she died.

Many in Clarence will remember Louise as a beautiful flaxen curly haired child who visited each summer at the home of her grandparents, the late Q. T. Hall and wife, and other relatives here.

She leaves one sister, Gretchen, besides her parents, one aunt, one uncle and five cousins.

Her friends and pupils showed their devotion by their presence and the many flowers at the funeral which was held on Saturday afternoon at the Christian church in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Hall and daughters, Dorothy Sue and Mrs. Ray DeLaney, of Paris and Bill Hall of Miami, Okla., attended the funeral.

## MRS. SAM SHALE

Word has been received telling of the death of Mrs. Ella Shale, widow of the late Sam Shale, formerly of south of Clarence.

Mrs. Shale passed away August 16 in Los Angeles at the home of her granddaughter. She was a sister of Mrs. Lon Tansil of LaPlata.

## MRS. A. D. SCOTT

Mrs. A. D. Scott, northwest of Clarence, passed away Saturday morning at eight o'clock at the Samaritan hospital in Macon; after several weeks illness.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at Bethel Christian church, conducted by Rev. Alfred Munyon. Burial was in Bethel cemetery.

As Malisa Frances Farmer, daughter of Margaret Ann and James Henry Farmer, she was born May 8, 1867 in Macon county. On Oct. 10, 1886 she was married to A. D. Scott, who preceded her in death in April, 1941. After the death of her husband she made her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson.

For many years she was a member of the Christian church.

Besides Mrs. Clara Richardson she is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Eula Huett, of Tucson, Ariz., three sisters, Mrs. Ida Calvert of Shelbyville, Mrs. Myrtle Allen of Dillon, Mont., and Mrs. Mattie Yetter of Neosho. One sister having preceded her in death. Other survivors are three brothers, Norris Farmer of Warrenton, J. W. Farmer of Brashear and J. C. Farmer of Smith Center, Kans.

## JOHN W. TILLER

Funeral services for John W. Tiller were held Sunday afternoon at the Fairview church, south of Macon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Kring Allen, pastor of the Christian church of Macon, officiated.

Mr. Tiller was born in Macon county August 26, 1867 and was united in marriage to Miss Mary C. Waddell on December 26, 1887. To this union one son, Hubert Tiller, was born. Mrs. Tiller preceded her husband in death on December 4, 1934.

Mr. Tiller had been a lifelong resident of the Fairview neighborhood in Macon county except for the past year when he made his home with his son, Hubert, south of Huntsville because of ill health. He passed away at his son's home.

Besides his son he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. D. M. Tedford, of Clarence, Mrs. Anna Reynolds of Moberly, Mrs. Jessie Cox of Macon and Mrs. Frank Orbin of the Fairview community. One brother, Robert Tiller, and one sister, Mrs. Ben Linley, preceded him in death.

## WALTER T. WOOD

Walter T. Wood, 79, died Thursday at his home in Clarence after being in ill health for several years.

Son of Hugh and Melcenia Wood, he was born in Macon county on Nov. 7, 1870. In February of 1900 he was married to Miss Claud Smith who died leaving an infant son, Walter Thomas. On Sept. 16, 1903 he and Miss Martha Mobley were united in marriage. To this union were born three children, Mrs. Kay Tisue of Clarence, Mrs. Chester Hollenbeck of Glasgow and Herndon of Kansas City. Surviving besides his wife and children are: five grandchildren; three great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Walter O'Bryan; two brothers, Willie (a twin brother) and Arthur of Spokane, Wash.

Mr. Wood owned and operated a farm near Enterprise until six years ago when he moved to Clarence. In early manhood he united with the Christian church at Union where he was an active member, serving as deacon for a period of years.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at Union church with Rev. Elba Martin officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Joe Patton, 79 years old, died at her home in Clarence Friday after suffering a stroke Thursday morning.

Born as Ettie Jane Brammer in Randolph county on July 27, 1869, she was the daughter of Payton and Mary Brammer. Shortly afterwards, she and her family moved to the Woodville community where she grew to womanhood.

On March 13, 1887, she was married to Joseph N. Patton and had she lived until March 13, they would have celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary. To this union none child, Saphronia Ann, was born on August 19, 1891 and passed away December 12, 1892.

In 1895, after the death of his mother, Dora Patton Barton, a four year old nephew, Arnold Barton, was taken into the Patton home and reared. In early life, Mrs. Patton united with the Baptist church at Woodville, later taking her membership to Hannibal where the family moved in 1903. After spending several years in Hannibal, the Pattons moved to Colorado but returned to Clarence about seven years ago, where she had since been a member of the Clarence Baptist church.

Her father, mother, three brothers and one sister preceded her in death and she is survived by her husband, foster son and a number of nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Sunday conducted by Rev. J. M. Dawkins and interment was in Phillip cemetery south of Clarence.

## Mrs. Emma McCully Dies at Home of Son

Mrs. Emma McCully, 76, passed away here at the home of her son, Harley Walker, at 1:25 o'clock Thursday morning, February 15, after a several days' critical illness. She had been in declining health for several months.

As Emma Ruth Golay, she was born January 20, 1864 in Shelby county, near Clarence, and had spent her entire life in this vicinity.

On December 28, 1882, she was married to James Henry Walker, and to this union ten children were born. One daughter, Sylvia, died at the age of 13, on the 26th day of January, 1900. Mr. Walker preceded her in death on January 14, 1930.

On September 6, 1931 she was married to Dr. J. M. McCully, who also predeceased her.

Surviving are nine children: Mrs. Lillie Rose, Mrs. Lena Rose, Mrs. Alpha Copenhaver, Ervin Walker, Mrs. Blanche Riley, Harley Walker, all of Clarence; Orville Walker of Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Fleta Diamond of Williamsburg, Kans.; and Mrs. Ella Mae Jones of Kansas City.

She also leaves 19 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Cora Butner of Clarence, Mo.; two brothers, George and Alva Golay of St. Louis, Mo.; two step-children, Mrs. Glessner Worthy of Hannibal and Dr. Aubrey McCully of Shelbyville, and six step grandchildren.

At the age of fourteen years, she joined the Baptist church and in 1884 she united with the Christian church.

Funeral services were held at the Clarence Christian church at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, with the Rev. Elba Martin, local pastor, officiating. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery.

## BETTY SUE SCOTT

Betty Sue Scott passed away at the Spencer hospital, Spencer, Iowa, Friday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock after an illness of two years. Funeral services were held Monday at 2 o'clock at the Million & Barkelew Funeral Home in Shelbyville conducted by Rev. J. L. Shoemaker. Burial was in Shelbyville cemetery.

Betty Sue Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott, was born May 20, 1934 at the Scott home south of Clarence. Besides her parents she is survived by one brother, Bennie Lee, a sister, Wincie Lou, her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gaines of Shelbyville, her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Utley of Spencer, Ia., and her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott, of Clarence.

## John W. Overstreet 1943 Dies in California

John W. Overstreet, son of Rachel and Henry Overstreet, was born in Randolph County, Missouri October 15, 1858, and departed this life December 9, 1943, at the home of a daughter in California.

He was united in marriage to May Reyner, October 9, 1895. To this union, two daughters were born, both of whom are living in California.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, and three grandchildren, all of California, three sisters—Mrs. Mary Cox, of Ardmore, Mrs. Lee McGhee and Miss Margaret Overstreet of Macon, and a host of other relatives.

## CHARLES WILLIAM LILLY

Charles William Lilly, retired farmer, passed away Friday, July 25, 1941 at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eyer. Six days previous to his death he suffered a broken hip. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Lilly he was born April 21, 1861 at Levicks Mill. On August 11, 1890 he was married to Miss Ida Elizabeth Frazer in Quincy, Ill. He was a member of the Baptist church at Ash, Mo.

Since the death of his wife he has made his home with his three daughters and one son, who are Mrs. W. C. Eyer, Clarence; Mrs. Dwight Henderson, Monroe City; Mrs. Don Gilbert, Detroit, and Guy B. Lilly, of Kansas City, Kans. Other survivors are six grandchildren, Donald E. Lilly, Kansas City, Kans.; Marilyn, Harold and Charles Gilbert, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Roy E. Willey, of Clarence, and Miss Ruby Eyer, who is attending Northeast Missouri State Teachers College at Kirksville. He also leaves one brother, Henry Lilly, of Jacksonville and one sister, Mrs. Omer Hendricks, of Duncans Bridge.

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 27 at 2:30 o'clock at Phelps Chapel conducted by Rev. Heffner and Rev. Wheeler. Burial was in the Phelps Chapel cemetery.

## Death of Mrs. Hollyman

Mary Elizabeth Pollard Hollyman was born near Clarence, Mo., Jan. 19, 1873 and passed away at her home in Denver, Colo., June 19, 1940.

She was married to L. K. Hollyman March 19, 1890, who preceded her in death Oct. 10, 1928. To this union was born one son, T. M. Hollyman, 3427 W. 45th street, Denver, Colo.

She also leaves besides the son, one grandson, Martin, Jr., one granddaughter, Mrs. Marjorie Warman, and one great grandson, Stephen Hollyman of Denver, two sisters, Mrs. Theo Glynn of Farber, Mo., Mrs. Pearl Hubble, Clarence, Mo., one brother, J. H. Pollard, of Canton, Ill., and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held in Denver Friday and her body was brought to Kansas City, Mo., where it was laid to rest beside her husband in Forrest cemetery.