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 VOL: V ISS: 4 JONES COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY JUL/AUG 1989

 P.O. BOX 174 ANAMOSA, IA 52205

PREZ SAYS;

We have completed our inventory. We are open on Tuesday afternoon from 1:00 to 3:00. Hopefully we will get a few more volunteers so that we can be open at other times.

*** Many thanks to JUNE MORROW for the 2 chairs. ***

*****"OUR VERY SPECIAL MEMBERS"*****
 JOYCE WELLS and GAROLD WELLS

Joyce can be found in the Jones county courthouse, at the clerk of courts office, on any Tuesday of the month. She has copied the marriage books "A", "B", "C", "F" and has been working on "D" and will soon start "E". In the afternoon you can find her at the resource center. Thats not enough though she then took a scrapbook home and extracted names for our index file. The 1925 Iowa state census was completed after several months of starring into the micro-film reader. When not researching hers or husbands family, or copying records, she busily makes handcraft articles for most of her 11 children and stepchildren, 25 grandchildren, plus friends, for Christmas. Joyce lives in Marion and does not drive, so her "very special "hubby" Garold brings her to Anamosa. Garold visits friends, relatives, shops or just goes for walks. He is always there to pick us up at high noon to make sure we stop and eat. THANK YOU JOYCE AND GAROLD WELLS!!!!

After Joyce has done the copying we then proof it, send it to JOANNE WILKEN, then when it is in the computer a printout is sent back to us to check. Back to the computer then one more time for proof-reading. Then Joanne assembles the finished product.

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A short history of the daughter of Jaduthan and Sally Gibbs Seeley

Mary E. was Born 1814 in Cayuga County, New York. She Moved with her parents from Cattaragus County, New York to Portland, Illinois in 1836. Mary married Marvin Frary, born 1799 in Massachussetts. Their children; Myron, b. 1837, d. 1836 and Caroline, b. 1837, m. Joshua Bennidum.

Mary and Marvin were divorced. She later married R.J. Cleveland born 1805 in Boston, Mass. He was a graduate of Harvard University the class of 1827. He came to Iowa 9 Sept. 1840 and was instrumental in securing the first post office in Jones Co. in 1841. He was County Surveyor and Postmaster for two years, Justice of the peace was also in the Surveyor General's office at Dubuque. Mary and R.J. were married in 1839. Mary taught school in the village of Rome, in their house during the winter of 1840, and her services being paid for by subscription. The following was taken from the History of Jones County, Iowa: It was written by R.J. Cleveland. REMINISCENCES OF ROME—1840-1841. "On the 9th of September, 1840 a cold and misty rain falling, my wife and I after fourteen days' ride, in a lumber wagon, from Logansport Indiana arrived at the log cabin of Norman B. Seeley. Mr. Seeley's house, saw-mill, and blacksmith shop were the only structures here—the latter roofed with rag carpet.

My wife was an only daughter, and the motive which prompted this long journey was to give her mother (old Mrs. Seeley) a home with us. Thirty miles from our destination, we learned that Mrs. Seeley had died in July of that year. But we came on; though with ardor dampened—hope withered. The country appeared in consonance with our feelings, a dreary waster of prairie—except Walnut Creek and Wapsie timber, 'Sugar Grove' and 'Big Woods'—to the north and west. Here I commenced my first lesson in chopping, plowing, mowing and farm work in general. Here we have succeeded, though poor, indeed, we both were, in all except brave hearts and stron arms, in gaining a home in these then Western wilds. I had but \$2 left when we arrived.

"At that time there were no railroads west of Buffalo, N.Y. and no telegraphs. The mails crept slowly and sadly along in stage-coaches, and letters were subject to 25 cents postage.

"As remarked, my wife's mother died on the 9th of July 1840, only two months before our arrival. The first American flag hoisted in Jones County was at Rome in 1840, and made by this aged lady. She allowed no other fingers to work thereon but hers, and this was her last work,"

Mary and Richard had no children. R.J. died 7 Sept 1877. Mary was married to Rev. Joseph Lowry, born in 1813 in Ireland. He came to Canada in 1849 and to Iowa in 1854. Rev, Lowry established the first Sunday School in the village of Rome. Mary, R.J. and Rev, Lowry are buried in Olin Cemetery.

(the above was sent to the Society, there was no contributors name on the original)

MINI ANCESTORS

**Want information on MACEK family. Joseph and Mary Macek emigrated to Jones County near Monmouth 1861. Daughter Frances Irene b. 1865 or 1866. Family moved to Guthrie County before 1885. What were names of their two sons? From what part of the country did they emigrate? Who was Mrs. Charles Macek whose mother died at Oxford Junction in 1932? Have information on descendants of Frances Irene Macek and Charles Cebelka. Sharyn Kastner Danielson, 100 Brunswick Ave. North, Golden Valley, MN 55422

**Want to correspond with descendants of Calvin C. REED, m. Alvira BROWN, daughter of Benonia Brown. Have computer data base with over 700 relatives and would correspond with anyone who may be related to his ancestors. John W. Reed, 922 Parma Way, Los Altos, CA 94022.

**Will correspond with anyone doing research in these family names; LEITCH, GRAHAM, DENNISON. Information on Harriet A. KRAMER SMITH, B. Nov. 8, 1835, Dauphine Co., PA; m. George SMITH in Jones County 1857; 2nd m. George W. SHANTZ, 1870 at Lisbon. Also information on KRAMER Families mid-to-late 1800's.

Information on parents or other family members of Samuel ALSTADT; m. Mary E, MOWREY, March 12 1869, in Anamosa. Also on Jacob MOWREY, b. Aug.=17, 1817 (Ohio?); d. Dec 14, 1874; His wife Maggie ?, seven children. Maggie, d. March 13, 1858. Jacob m. Helen SNYDER, Oct 16, 1858 and they had eight children, Jacob came to Jones Co. in 1853. Phyllis Leitch Lambeth, 21131 Bee Tree Lane, Bend, OR 97701.

**Information wanted about Josiah Beasley, b. VA and wife Malinda Weava, b. SC, came from Greene Co, Indiana to Linn and Jones Co. area in ca. 1856. died 1863, in Linn Co. Burried at Hazel Knoll cemetery. Daughter Sarah Jane Beasley Simpson Graham. Grand-daughter Emma Simpson Binley, wife of Grand Binley of Viola. Wilma Hart, 4-174 Holiday Lake, Brooklyn, IA 52211.

***Want information on Patrick LEONARD; b. 1844; farmed (1880) in Washington township; Jones county; Married Kate ??; children Frank, Maggie, Rose A. Where was Patrick born? Where did he die? Where is he buried? Anthony Peiffer, 4612 143rd Ave S.E. Bellevue, WA 98006

** Looking for descendants of Robert and Demaris Lyon. Allied names IRELAND, (two families, Purciance Ireland and Benjamin Franklin Ireland) CURTRIGHT, SWITZER, BLOOD, HOTZ, DE MOSS, FALL, O DEEN, WINK, WOLFE and several other names. June Morrow, 4986 Wagner Road, Central City, IA 52214

* * * * * Anamosa Eureka; 10 Jan 1919

Mr, and Mrs. Erand Blizek and their children Anna, 13, Martin, 10 and Francis, 4, were burned to death in a house fire.

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PLACE NAMES IN JONES COUNTY: PAST AND PRESENT

- ARGAND:** P.O. Section 4, Castle Grove Township 1880-1889, where the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church is now.
- BIG WOODS:** Castle Grove Township, 1847 -?
- BLOOMFIELD:** On North bank of the Wapsie in Fairview township, 1841 on Jones-Linn county line.
- BLUE CUT:** Now Amber in Wayne township.
- BOWEN'S PRAIRIE;** Section 6, Richland township, platted 1853. P.O. from 1849-1902
- CASS CENTER:** Section 22, Cass township, postal center 1862-1865
- CASTLE GROVE:** Section 3, Castle Grove township 1851-1903
- CHELSEA:** Section 33, Fairview township, platted 12 Sept 1855
- CLAYFORD:** Section 7, Clay township 1861-1902
- CLAY MILLS;** Section 10, Clay township, 1863-1920
- CONDIT:** Section 21 Cass township
- DARTMOUTH:** now in Anamosa, platted 1840
- DOWNERSVILLE:** see Sumner
- DUANE:** Cass township Section 3, P.O. 1855-1861
- EBY'S MILLS:** near Oxford Junction
- EDINBURGH:** Section 36, Wayne township 1840-1847, 1856-1873
- ELKFORD:** Section 11 and 12, Rome township
- FARM CREEK:** Same as Clay Mills
- FAIRVIEW:** Section 20, Fairview Township 1841 to present.
- FULLERS MILLS:** north-east corner Scotch Grove township P.O. 1859-1869
- GARFIELD:** P.O. in the town of Oxford Junction
- GROVE CREEK:** Section 4, Castle Grove township, P.O. 1850-1880
- HALE CITY:** Section 10, Hale township; 1880 - present
- HALE VILLAGE:** same as Hale City; 1872-1883
- HIGHLAND GROVE:** Section 36, Fairview township, 1852-1875
- ISABELL:** Jackson township at the corners of section 13, 14, 23 a and 24. P.O. from 1857-1867
- JOHNSON OR JOHNSONTOWN:** Scotch Grove township, corner of Sections 23, 24, 25, and 26; P.O. from 1853-1880, platted 21 Dec 1861
- JONESVILLE:** P.O. for a few months in 1840, former name of Edenburg shown on 1840 map
- Junction Switch:** never a village but a junction of the railroads where trains from Cascade would be routed to Monticello or Sand Springs
- LEXINGTON:** Later called Dublin, original name of the south west portion of the present city of Anamosa
- MADISON:** Village in section 20 and 21 Madison township, laid out in 1856, P.O. 1855-1873
- MARSHFIELD:** First name given to the P.O. at the present town of Wyoming 1854, name changed in 1855.
- MINERAL CREEK:** Section 34, Scotch Grove township, on official maps of 1868.
- NEWPORT:** Town platted in 1846, in northern part of Section 33 Jackson township, just north of the Wapsipinicon, It was settled as the county seat in 1847 but was never so used.
- NORWICH:** Section 32, Fairview township, shown on maps of 1856.
- PAMAHO:** P.O. established in 1840, located about 1 mile west of Fairview but a few months later the postoffice moved to Fairview but retained its name until 1843 when the name was changed to Fairview.

(place names; continued)

- PIERCE: Section 22, Wyoming township, P.O. 1853-1857
- RICHLAND: Section 5, Richland township, platted 5 Sept 1856, a kind of suburb of Bowen's Prairie.
- ROME: Original name of the present town of Olin, platted in 1842 name changed in 1868.
- SPENCERVILLE: Section 3 Wyoming wounship on maps of 1881, platted 17 Aug 1857, existed about 3 years.
- SPENCERS PLACE: early name of the Langworthy area
- STRAWBERRY HILL: East of Anamosa, annexed to Anamosa in 1901.
- SUMNER: Section 14, Castle Grove township on premises of H. Downer, platted 8,9 June 1855, name changed to Downersville, extinct.
- TEMPLE HILL: Hamlet in the northern part of Section 27, Washington township. Had P.O, 1857 - 1860 when it was discontinued but was revived again and ran from 1884 - 1901.
- VIROQUA: name of the present town of Morley, so named from 1873 - 1886. P.O. also having the same name. Name changed to Morley in 1887
- WALNUT FORK: Section 13, Rome township, east of Olin, platted 8 July 1854, was P.O. 1841 - 1872 name changed to Rome then to Olin.
- ZURICH; Section 5, Richland township, at the Junction of Military road and the road to Temple Hill and Canton. Four or five homes, a church, blacksmith shop and cheese factory Was known as Richland in 1856 and in 1860 the government opened a P.O. there, and the name changed to Zurich, named after John C. Lawbowers home town in Switzerland. in 1866 the government closed the P.O. and the town faded away.
- WALNUT GROVE METHODIST CHURCH and cemetery; Section 28, Rome Town ship
- GERMAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH: Section 1, Wayne township
- GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CEMETERY: Section 22, Wayne township now Wayne Zion.
- FRENCH SCHOOL: Also FRENCH RIDGE: Section 31, Cass township on the ridge above Stone City.
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EDITORIAL

To All Members;

The purpose of the JONES COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY is to help others in their research. Our newsletter is printed to share information with fellow members. Almost everything that has been printed in the newsletter in information I have taken from books and newspapers.

The newsletter is placed in the Genealogical Society library in Des Moines, the Historical Library in Iowa City, The Allen Co. Library in Ft. Wayne Indiana and a library in Burmingham, Alabama. It is also sent to Genealogical Societies in Cass Co, Jackson Co., Linn Co. Dubuque Co, and Monroe Co. in Iowa. We have members in 20 states, including Iowa, Washington, Oregon, California, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Illinois, Colorado, Wisconsin, North Dakota, Alaska, Arizona, Pennsylvania, North Carolina, Idaho, Florida, Missouri and Virginia. As you can see we get over a large area.

(editorial, continued)

SHARE. If you have not sent in your pedigree chart please do so. Someone may be looking for someone on your chart. or you may be able to find an ancestor through some one elses chart. If possible send your pedigree chart typed in Ahnentafel form so it need not be retyped, this will keep errors to a minimum

PROJECTS: Jones county Births. If you know of someone who was born in Jones County before 1880, send as much information as you can. Date and township of birth, parents names and birthplaces, Fathers occupation, spouse and childrens names and date of marriage and death. Send on 3 by 5 inch file cards if possible.

NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS: We have started a file of obituaries, news paper accounts of marriages and etc. Some of our collection have been included in the newsletter and more will be printed in future issues. Either type them or send a zerox copy of the original.

ANCESTORS COLUMN: We have been recieving a few letters for the column but we can always use more. Keep them concise but give as much information as possible, especially dates. We try to keep the words to between 50 and 60 but sometimes stretch that a bit.

LIBRARY: Our collection is growing slowly. If you have purchased a book that you no longer use consider donating it to our library. These books can be from any area but should be relevant to history or genealogy.

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AHNENTAFEL

Genealogical tree of table, genealogy pedigree. During W W II Germans were required to carry with them a record of their parents grandparents and great grandparents. To make the information compact and easy to carry they devised and used a numbering system as this; # 1 is the person carrying the card, #2 was his father #3 was his mother. #4 was the paternal grandfather, #5 was the paternal grandmother, # 6 & #7 was the maternal grandparents. Numbers 8 through 15 was the greatgrandparents.

To carry the lines back to other generations simply double the number for the father and add 1 for the mother. All males have even numbers and females have odd numbers/ Thus the father of #8 on the chart would be 16 and the mother # 17, #7's father would be 14 and mother # 15.

This system can be used to record as many generations as you can find records for.

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ANAMOSA EUREKA: December 1918

Condensed from the original;

EVA JOSEPHINE JOHNSON ODEEN, born Baros, Sweden, 22 Sept 1851, died Stone City, 26 Dec 1918, married John Odeen, 22 Dec 1871. children, Eric, Ida, Alma Bodenhofer, Mary Bemrose, both of Hill City, Idaho, Ellen Pickering, New Brighton, Minnesota, Ernest, Cedar Rapids, Albert, Gustav, Edward all of Stone City. Eva came to the United States in October 1896, burial in Riverside Cemetery.

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Note; three of Eva Odeen's sons married daughters of Charles Newell and Electa Francelia Ireland Blood. Gustav married Ellen Blood, had no children; Albert married Ora Celia Blood, had 3 sons, Edward married Delilah Grace Blood, no children, married 2nd Maude Angeline Stanaway and had a son and a daughter.

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(174) corrected

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1988 through December 31, 1988

Checkbook Balance on December 17, 1988: \$1591.78

INCOME:

Income from Dues:	\$ 610.00
Income from Sales:	338.52
Income from Donations:	57.85
Income from Research:	<u>70.00</u>
Total Income:	<u>\$1076.37</u>

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Newsletter & Postage:	388.22
General Expenses:	573.30
Taxes:	<u>.48</u>
Total Expenses:	<u>962.00</u>

Checkbook Balance on February 16, 1988: \$1696.63

(Note: This is the earliest balance recorded in account. Both the former savings accounts and the checking are represented.)
(December 17, is the latest entry.)

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1989 through June 30, 1989

BALANCE IN TREASURY: \$1106.40 (As of June 30 in Savings and Checking)

Income from Dues:	\$ 580.00
Income from Sales:	17.20
Income from Donations:	42.00
Income from Research:	<u>78.00</u>
Subtotal:	<u>\$ 717.20</u>
Income from IGS REGIONAL	<u>668.50</u>
TOTAL INCOME:	<u>\$1385.70</u>

OPERATING EXPENSES:

Newsletter & Postage:	408.65
General Expenses:	556.28
Utility Expense:	<u>120.00</u>
Subtotal:	<u>\$1084.93</u>
Expenses from IGS REG.	<u>782.50</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES:	<u>1867.43</u>
EXPENSES OVER INCOME:	<u>\$ 481.73</u>

Expenses over Income from IGS Regional: \$115.00

BALANCE IN TREASURY: \$1547.00 (As of Jan. 17, 1989)

1968

Ellsworth Tallman Of Anamosa Area Dies on Feb. 26

Ellsworth Tallman, 80, Anamosa, died Monday, Feb. 26, at the Cedar Manor rest home, Tipton, following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 1, at 1:30 p.m., at the Goettsch Funeral home, Anamosa. Rev. Walter D. Wigger will conduct the service. Burial will be in Center cemetery.

Pallbearers Named
Pallbearers include: Verne Shaffer, Floyd Siver, Glenn Siver, Ivan Duncan, Kenneth Pieper and Lawrence Duncan.

Mrs. M. W. Frederick will be organist. Mrs. Floyd Siver will be soloist.

Life Outlined
He was born Dec. 22, 1887, son of Wilbur Tallman and Delilah Merritt Tallman, Rome township, Jones county. He attended Jones county rural school.

Marriage Told
He was married to Elta Gordon in 1909. She preceded him in death in 1918. He was married to Mary Smith, Feb. 21, 1928. He lived at Morley for a short time and the remainder of his

life was spent in Green community.

He worked as a carpenter, machinist and saw mill operator. He served in the United States army in World war I. He was a member of the American Legion at Mechanicsville.

Survivors Told
Survivors include his wife, Mary; three sons, Virgil, Harlan and Lester, all of Anamosa; one

brother, John, Anamosa; three sisters, Mrs. Avert Cook, Anamosa; Mrs. Uriah Pieper, Mechanicsville; and Mary Tallman, Anamosa; five grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Beside his first wife he was preceded in death by a son, Buddy; one brother and two sisters.

*My mother's half
sister daughter*

Arthur Lincoln Of Wyoming Dies April 5

1973

WYOMING - Funeral services for Arthur Clayton Lincoln, 89, were held at the Wyoming Methodist church on Sunday, April 8 at 2 p.m. Burial was in the Wyoming cemetery.

Arthur Lincoln was born near Onslow on March 25, 1884, the son of Peter and Edith Nichols Lincoln. He graduated from the Center Junction high school and attended Epworth college.

He homesteaded in South Dakota for two years, and in October 1910 married Margaret Bailey near Center Junction. Mrs. Bailey passed away in 1948.

He married Leona Lewis in Jan. 1954 at Havana, Ill. They farmed west of Wyoming for 54 years where he raised Purebred Angus cattle. He and his wife retired to Wyoming in 1968. He passed away at the Americana Nursing Center in Cedar Rapids on Thursday, April 5, 1973.

He is survived by his wife, Leona; one son, Duane, Wyoming; one daughter, Erma, of Huston, Tex. He was preceded in death by his first wife, an infant daughter, two brothers and three sisters.

He was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist church, and for several years served on the Board of the Wyoming cemetery association.

Stella Hart Dies Wednesday, May 7

Funeral Services Held
Olin Methodist Church

OLIN—Stella Easterly Hart died on Wednesday, May 7, at the home of her daughter. Services were held on Saturday, May 10, at 2 p.m., at the Methodist church, Olin. Rev. P. J. Daba officiated.

Pallbearers Named
Pallbearers were Louis Lorenzen, Lee Crain, J. B. Pieper, Willard McCormick, Edmond Sealls and M. C. Gordon. Burial was in the Olin cemetery. Campbell funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Andrew Cubit sang. Mrs. L. J. Rohwedder was organist. O.E.S. service was conducted by the officers of Hiawatha chapter in charge of Mrs. Grace Meineke, worthy matron.

Life Outlined
Stella Easterly was born Dec. 27, 1871, at Stanwood, daughter of John and Mary M. Easterly.

She was united in marriage to Wallace L. Hart at Stanwood, Dec. 9, 1890.

To this marriage were born three children. All her life was spent in Olin and Stanwood with the exception of the last five years when poor health made it necessary for her and Mr. Hart to stay with their daughter in Wheatland.

She was a member of the Olin Methodist church, Royal Neighbors, Hiawatha chapter, O.E.S. and several clubs.

Survivors Named
Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Irma William, Wheatland; one son, Eugene Hart, Olin; one sister, Mrs. Otheal Kester, Garner; three grandchildren, Mrs. Harold Harris, Wheatland; Mrs. Mervin Chamberlain, Wyoming; and Linda Hart, Olin; and three great-grandchildren, Keith Harris, Wheatland; and Randy and Ricky Chamberlain, Wyoming.

FROM
DOROTHY
DUNCAN
ALLAN

DAVID HUGH McMURRIN

DAVID HUGH McMURRIN, SECOND SON OF WILLIAM AND ISABELLA McMURRIN, WAS BORN OCTOBER 30, 1849, IN ANTRIM COUNTY IRELAND, AND DIED MARCH 19, 1933, ONLY TWO WEEKS AFTER HIS YOUNGEST SON DIED OF A HEART ATTACK.

HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1856 WITH HIS PARENTS, THREE BROTHERS, AND TWO SISTERS. THEY SETTLED ON A FARM NEAR HIGHLAND GROVE IN JONES COUNTY IOWA. HE WAS MARRIED TO ANNA ELIZA MERSHON ON JANUARY 31, 1877, AT ANAMOSA, IOWA.

IN 1885, THEY LEFT IN A COVERED WAGON, WITH THREE LITTLE GIRLS, AND WENT TO RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEAR McCOOK, NEBRASKA. FOUR SONS WERE BORN THERE. DURING THESE YEARS, THEY BELONGED TO THE CAMPBELLITE CHURCH. THEY DEPARTED FOR BECKER, MINNESOTA IN 1911, WHERE THEY WERE MEMBERS OF THE METHODIST CHURCH. DAVID WAS A KIND AND VERY GENTLE CHRISTIAN MAN, AND READ HIS BIBLE EVERY DAY. HE LOVED MUSIC AND PLAYED THE VIOLIN.

HE IS SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE, ANNA, THREE DAUGHTERS; MRS. LENA HIGHLAND, MRS. MAMIE KNOBBS, MRS. LELA SILVER, AND THREE SONS; VAN, NOBLE, AND DAVID LEROY; THREE BROTHERS; JAMES, ROBERT AND ALBERT. HE WAS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY ONE SON, GLENN, TWO BROTHERS, NATHANIEL, AND JOHN, AND THREE SISTERS; MRS. SARAH DUNCAN, DR. MINA SNYDER, AND MARIAH.

BURIAL WAS AT THE BECKER CEMETERY, BECKER, MINNESOTA.

13 June 1979

Reuel McCole

The funeral of Reuel Owen McCole, 85, Monticello, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, June 14, at First United Presbyterian church. Interment will be in Oakwood cemetery. Rev. W. Willis Longer will officiate.

Masonic services will be held at 8 o'clock tonight (Wednesday) at Goettsch Funeral home with Burns lodge AF&AM in charge.

Mr. McCole died Monday morning, June 11, at John McDonald hospital, Monticello, after a brief illness. He was born April 13, 1894 near Letts in Muscatine county, son of Frank and Margaret Belle Estle McCole.

He received his early education in the Letts schools and graduated from high school there in 1910. He then entered the academy at Cornell, Mt. Vernon, graduating in 1912 and attended the University of Iowa.

He was married Aug. 25, 1915 to Bernice McMurrin. The couple farmed near Morley. They became the parents of three daughters. Bernice McCole died in 1913.

Mr. McCole married Florence Elizabeth Noble Dec. 30, 1942. They lived on the farm near Morley until 1946 when they moved to a farm in Castle Grove township near Monticello.

The couple had made their home in Monticello since 1961 and for the past 15 years have spent six months of each year in Homestead, Fla.

Mr. McCole was a trustee and elder of the former Peniel Presbyterian church in Castle Grove and was a member of First United Presbyterian church in Monticello. A Mason since 1915, he was a member of Burns lodge, the Anamosa chapter and Commandery and the El Kahir Shrine, Cedar Rapids.

He was a former director, president and insurance agent for the Farm Bureau.

Surviving are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Gwendolyn Peterson and Mrs. T. R. (Doris) Wood, both of Des Moines, and Mrs.

Charles (Louise) Davis of Anamosa; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Mildred Hoverter of Seattle, Wash., and two brothers, John of West Liberty and William of Letts.

FROM
DOROTHY
DUNCAN
ALLAN

CALENDAR

MEETINGS

August 15, regular meeting at the courthouse community room.
Joanne Wilken will be our guest speaker, her topic will be
Salt Lake City library.

September, 19, regular meeting at the courthouse community room.
The speaker will be Betty McCray

BIRTHDAYS

September 20; Virginia Sibert

ANNIVERSARIES

August 14; Onalee and Milton Arnold

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH DEPARTMENT

No one in your family tree ever did anything noteworthy, always
rented property, was never sued and was never named in wills.

You learned that Great Aunt Martha's executor just sold her life's
collection of family genealogical material to a flea market broker
"somewhere in New York City"!

Yours is the only last name not found among the 3 billion in
the world famous Mormon Archives in Salt Lake City!

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