

HORNING, Dorothy Lucille
Oroville Daily Register
1-9-1911

CHICO GIRL DEAD.

CHICO, January 8.—Dorothy Lucille Horning, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Horning, who reside near this city, died yesterday afternoon in the Sisters' Hospital, after an illness of but a few days. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon from the Advent Church, Chico Ve-cino, Rev. Mr. Brink officiating.

GAUB, Jacob
Oroville Daily Register
1-17-1911

JACOB GAUB PASSED
AWAY AT NAPA ASYLUM

Aged Morris Ravine Resident Died in
Napa Last Evening.

Jacob Gaub, who was recently committed to the Napa Asylum, passed away in that place last evening. The remains will be shipped to this city today, and will be buried here.

The deceased was a native of France, aged 81 years, and was one of the pioneer residents of this county. Mr. Gaub was committed to Napa some time ago, after he was found by the police wandering aimlessly about the outskirts of the city. He had wandered from his home in Morris Ravine and had been absent for several days. At the time of his commitment it was claimed by neighbors that the old man was being railroaded to the asylum.

PINKSTON, Mrs. William
Oroville Daily Register
1-17-1911

YANKEE HILL FAMILY
STRICKEN WITH
ILLNESS AND
DEATH

MRS. WM. PINKSTON IS DEAD AND
HUSBAND IS NOT EXPECTED
TO SURVIVE ATTACK
OF PNEUMONIA.

Mrs. William Pinkston passed away yesterday and her husband is not expected to live as the result of being stricken with pneumonia. Both are well-known residents of the Yankee Hill section. Mrs. Pinkston passed away last evening.

Besides the husband, five sons—Edward, William, Michael, John, and James Pinkston—survive Mrs. Pinkston.

The deceased was a native of California, aged 40 years. She was one of the best known and most respected women in the Yankee Hill district.

The funeral will be held from the family home in Yankee Hill at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Reynolds and McGinnis are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

GAUB, Jacob
Oroville Daily Register
1-20-1911

LATE JACOB GAUB WAS
LAID AWAY YESTERDAY

Interment Was in the Local Catholic
Cemetery.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Jacob Gaub were held yesterday afternoon at the parlors of Reynolds and McGinnis. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Charles Grugan, R. E. Cranley, L. Obernauer, Fred Maack, J. Machamer, and J. Obernauer. Interment was in the local Catholic Cemetery.

WILLIAMS, Roy
Oroville Daily Register
2-14-1911

**ROY WILLIAMS OF
OREGON CITY
IS DEAD**

YOUNG MAN WELL KNOWN IN
THIS CITY PASSED AWAY AT
HIS HOME YESTERDAY
AFTERNOON.

Roy Williams, a young man, well known in this section of the county, passed away at his home in Oregon City yesterday afternoon. The cause of death was tuberculosis.

The deceased young man was a native of Oregon City, this county, where he was born 26 years ago. Both his parents have preceded him to the grave, and he is survived by two sisters and one brother. His brother, Edgar Williams, is a resident of San Francisco. He is a relative of the well-known James family of Oregon City, being a nephew of Frank James and George James. Mrs. TeGrunde, of this city, is an aunt.

Roy Williams was a tailor and undertaker by trade, and had worked at both trades in this city. The news of his death will come as a distinct shock to his friends in this city and vicinity.

The funeral arrangements will be announced later. Gilman B. Merrill is in charge of the remains.

WILLIAMS, Roy
Oroville Daily Register
2-15-1911

WILLIAMS FUNERAL.

The funeral services of the late Roy Williams will be held at 10 o'clock this morning from the funeral parlors of Gilman B. Merrill. Interment will be in the Oregon City cemetery.

VADEL, Valentine
Sacramento Bee
2-15-1911

VADEL PINNED DOWN BY ROCK AND DROWNED

(The Bee's Special Service.)

OROVILLE (Butte Co.), February 15. Additional details of the tragic death of Valentine Vadel, the Yankee Hill miner, are that he was working his mine on the Feather River two miles below Intake when he loosened a boulder weighing a ton. By it he was pinned face downward in the sluice box and drowned. The remains were carried on a pack animal from the mine to Intake and were brought to this city last night on the Western Pacific.

Vadel, a native of Sweden, aged 55, had resided in Butte County fourteen years. He is survived by no relatives in this country.

McKILLOP, Neil
Oroville Daily Register
3-4-1911

DEATH CALLED NEIL M'KILLOP YES- TERDAY

WELL-KNOWN FARMER OF DRY
CREEK SECTION CALLED
AWAY YESTERDAY.

Neil McKillop, a well-known farmer, residing at his ranch on Dry Creek, eleven miles from this city, passed away last evening. Death was due to cancer. The deceased was well known in this city.

Mr. McKillop was a native of Ireland, aged 60 years. When a boy he came to this country, and had resided in Butte County since 1876. He was one of the best-known farmers of the Dry Creek section. He is survived by his wife, and by two sons and four daughters. The sons are John and Arthur McKillop, who reside at the ranch. The daughters are Mrs. Bert Uren, of Thermalito, and Mamie, Kattie, and Mabel McKillop, all of Dry Creek.

The funeral announcement will be made later. Reynolds and McGinnis are in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Burial in Old Oroville Cemetery

MORGAN, Evan W.
Oroville Daily Register
3-7-1911

**EVAN MORGAN DIED
IN THIS CITY
YESTERDAY**

—
LAST REPRESENTATIVE OF PIONEER BUTTE COUNTY FAMILY CALLED BY DEATH.
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After an extended illness of over a year, death ceased the sufferings of Evan Morgan, one of the best known ranchers and cattlemen of the Cherokee section. The end came shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning, at the home of an uncle, J. D. Williams, on Lincoln Street, where he had been for the past few weeks. Bright's disease was the cause of death.

The death of Mr. Morgan marks the last one of Butte County's pioneer families of prominence. He was the son of the late Jenkin Morgan, the Cherokee capitalist, who passed away several years ago.

The deceased was a native of Butte County, having been born at Cherokee in 1872. After receiving a grammar school education he engaged in the cattle and farming business, and at the time of his death was one of the most affluent cattlemen and ranchers in this part of Butte County. His many sterling qualities and his amiable disposition in the face of pain and suffering, had served to make him one of the best liked men in this section of Butte County. Although his death had been expected for some time, his many friends are pained to learn of his demise.

The only relatives left to survive him are a sister, Mrs. Frederick Skaggs, of San Francisco; an uncle, J. D. Williams, of this city, and an aunt, Mrs. William James, of Cherokee.

The funeral will be held from the James residence in Cherokee on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Reynolds and McGinnis are in charge of the remains.

PIONEER RESIDENT HEEDS CALL OF MAKER

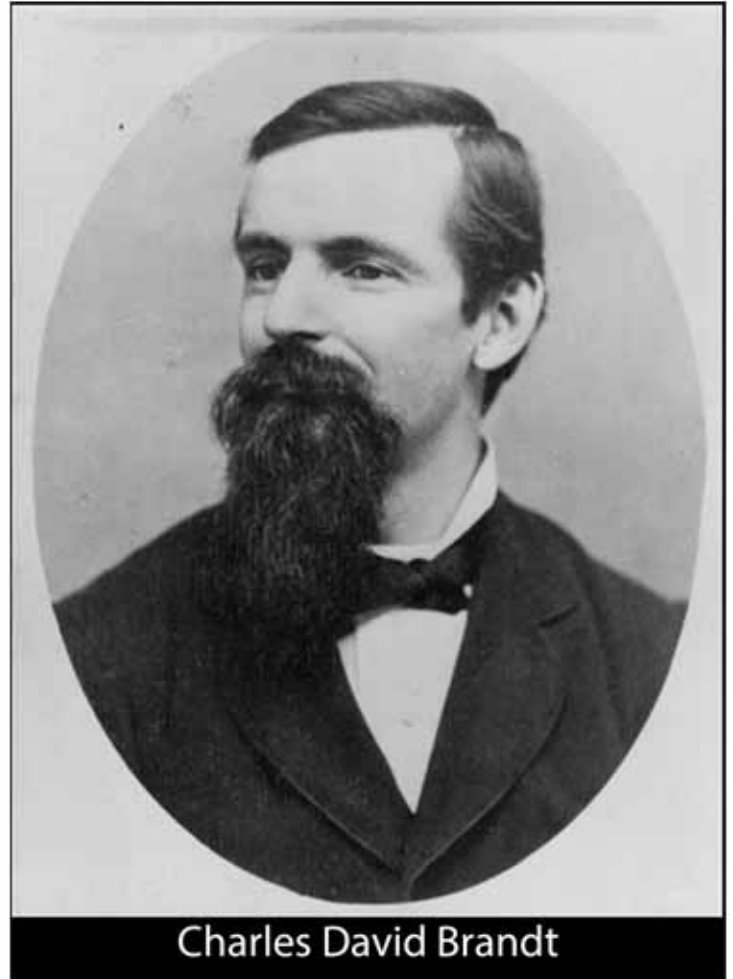
CHARLES D. BRANDT EXPIRED
YESTERDAY AFTERNOON—
AILMENT OF LONG STAND-
ING CAUSES END.

As a climax to a long siege of illness, death arrived for Charles D. Brandt at his Oliver avenue residence yesterday afternoon. His passing marks the end of one of the best known residents of this city and a man loved and respected by every one. He had been a sufferer from Bright's disease for several months and gradually weakened until the end.

He was born in New York on the first of May, 1852 and after attaining manhood, came to this country and settled at Cherokee. He was married to Miss Jennie Strang of Cherokee and four children were born to gladden their home. They are Misses Christine, Caroline and Sarah Brandt, and one deceased. His wife expired in 1904

Shortly after he married, Mr. Brandt came here and started a furniture business, afterwards selling out to S. D. Johnson of Marysville who in turn sold to G. W. Braden.

BRANDT, Charles David
Oroville Mercury
3-8-1911



Charles David Brandt

MORGAN, Evan W.
Oroville Daily Register
3-8-1911

MORGAN FUNERAL TO-MORROW.

The funeral of the late Evan Morgan will be held from the home of Mrs. William James in Cherokee tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be under the auspices of Cherokee lodge, F. and A. M. Interment will be in the Cherokee cemetery.

BRANDT, Charles David
Oroville Mercury
3-10-1911

HUNDREDS ATTEND BRANDT FUNERAL

FLORAL OFFERINGS FORM PALL
—CONGREGATIONAL CHOIR
RENDERS SELECTIONS.

Hundreds of friends of the late Carl D. Brandt were in attendance at the last sad rites in the Congregational church this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The final prayers were conducted by Rev. W. L. Douglas and during them, the Congregational church choir sang several selections. The floral tokens were as beautiful as any ever seen here and completely covered the casket.

The interment took place in the family plot at the Oroville cemetery. Those who officiated as pallbearers were J. M. Klefer, J. D. Bullard, Donald MacFarlane, F. F. Briggs, L. Kittrick and J. M. Parks.

MULLEN, William Harris

Arizona Republic

5-17-1911

DEATH OF WILLIAM H. MULLEN.

William H. Mullen died yesterday afternoon, after an illness of several weeks. The funeral will be held this afternoon at the home of R. L. Mullen, at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, the members of which society are requested to attend. Deceased has been a resident of Tempe for many years and was the oldest brother of J. B. Mullen and Charles Mullen of this place, being 82 years old. He was well known and highly regarded by all.

MULLEN, William Harris
Arizona Republic
5-18-1911

RESPECTED CITIZEN HAS PASSED AWAY

The Death of W. H. Mullen: His
Funeral Yesterday.

The funeral of W. H. Mullen, who died late Tuesday evening was held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock from the home of R. L. Mullen on East Sixth street. The services were conducted by Rev. R. L. Creal at the house and were under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, the deceased having been a hard working member of the order for something over forty years. He regarded his lodge almost as his religion and tried faithfully to live up to its teachings. That he came much



William H Mullen 1829 - 1911

nearer doing so than the average man is the opinion of his many friends. The pall bearers were all members of the Odd Fellows and the services at the grave were conducted in accordance with the ritual of that order.

"Uncle Bill" Mullen, as he was more familiarly known by his Tempe friends, lacked but a few months of being eighty-two years of age. He was born in Ohio and came west to California in 1850 crossing the plains by ox wagon. He made California his home up to about seven years ago when he came to Tempe where he has since resided. He was a highly regarded and much respected citizen and his death, though not unexpected, will be regretted by all.

DAY, Frederick William

Oroville Mercury

6-21-1911

SON FINDS FATHER LYING DEAD IN HIS BED

FRED W. DAY, PIONEER OF PARADISE, BREATHED HIS LAST EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING.

The funeral of F. W. Day, the pioneer of Magalia and Paradise who was found dead in his bed by his son, Arthur, early yesterday morning, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services will be held at the late residence, interment to take place in the Paradise cemetery.

As Mr. Day died without medical attention, it was necessary for Coroner John Wallace to hold an inquest yesterday morning. The jury rendered as its verdict that death was due to a hemorrhage, brought on by hardening of the veins and complications.

The body was found early yesterday morning by Arthur Day, who went to his father's room over the store and discovered his parent lying, fully dressed, on the bed. It is believed that Day got up at 4 o'clock, as was his custom, and after dressing had lain down again.

Fred W. Day was born in England sixty-six years ago. He came to the United States while still a young man, and came to Butte county from Salt Lake city about thirty years ago. He engaged in mining on Magalia Ridge, and was superintendent of several mining companies in that section. Three years ago he entered into a partnership with R. M. Brown, and together they conducted a general store at Orloff. About a year ago Day purchased his partner's interest in the firm. At the time of his death he was postmaster at Orloff.

SLACK, Jesse
Chico Record
7-12-1911

FUNERAL AT RANCHERIA

Jesse, the two-year-old son of John Slack, an Indian of the Chico rancheria, was buried in the Indian cemetery yesterday afternoon. The little fellow's death followed an illness of several days' duration, from a form of paralysis.

PEAIRS, Miss Mary
The Times Recorder (Zanesville, Ohio)
7-25-1911

DIES HOUR AFTER BEING STRICKEN

**Miss Mary Peairs, of Duncan
Falls, Had Apoplectic Stroke
in Her Yard**

Just one hour after Miss Mary N. Peairs, aged 76, was stricken with apoplexy in the yard of her home at Duncan Falls Monday evening her death occurred without her having regained consciousness. Miss Peairs had not been in the best of health but her sudden death, at 5 o'clock Monday evening came as a severe shock to her many friends. She is survived by a brother, J. P. Peairs, of Duncan Falls, and a sister in Missouri and a brother in the west.

Miss Peairs was a member of the Duncan Falls Presbyterian church where the funeral will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Chapin. Interment will be made in the Duncan Falls cemetery.

JURGENSON, Jacob Peter
Oroville Daily Register
7-28-1911

LOVELOCK RESIDENT DEAD

Peter Jurgenson, an aged resident of Lovelock died at the County Infirmary yesterday. Mrs. Ike Kitchen, a daughter, is in Oroville to arrange for the funeral services. A. V. Reynolds is in charge of the remains. The services will be held from the Reynolds parlors this afternoon at five o'clock.

WHOLE COMMUNITY MOURNS DEATH OF MRS. CURTIS

BELOVED WOMAN PASSES AWAY
AT HER HOME IN PENTZ.

PENTZ, August 3.—The death of Mrs. L. O. B. Curtis, a beautiful character and a prominent woman in educational and religious circles, has caused a veil of sorrow to spread over the entire community. When but fourteen years of age the deceased began teaching in the schools in the east, President Atkinson of the Atkinson Business College of Sacramento, being one of her pupils.

For many years she followed the occupation of proof-reader in the printing offices in the east.

After her marriage to Mr. J. G. Curtis, they came west and settled near Pentz. Soon after coming here, Mrs. Curtis again began teaching and taught about twenty years in the schools about Pentz. Following her retirement from teaching she devoted her spare time to religious and temperance work. She was an untiring worker in the Good Templar lodge and also in the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Her entire life was devoted to the uplifting of man-kind. No matter how much a person had sinned, or who he was, she had always a kind and cheery word for him. Her presence here will be greatly missed. For the last few years Mrs. Curtis has been very feeble and confined to her bed the greater part of her time. During the week previous to her death, she had been complaining of pains about the heart and Saturday evening, July 29 she quietly passed away at the age of seventy-three years.

She leaves to mourn her loss the husband, J. G. Curtis, a sister Mrs. Potter of Paradise, and several nieces and nephews.

Following the services at the house the deceased was buried in the Paradise cemetery Monday, where a host of loving friends followed the remains.

The Rev. Mr. Ives and Mrs. J. Benton officiated. A choir consisting of the Rev. Joseph Benton and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heckart and Mr. William Heckart sang. Mr. William Heckart and the Rev. Benton read the Good Templar's service at the grave. The beautiful floral pieces laid upon the coffin showed the esteem in which the good woman was held.

Mrs J.G. Curtis

Maiden Name

Lucy Augusta Beale

**In Dec 1886 wrote an article
"An Episode of Chub Gulch"
published in the Overland
Monthly, Signed as
L.A.B. Curtis**

Clark, Edwin Hiram

Buried at Frenchtown
Occupation: Carpenter

8-18-1911

Oroville  Mercury

OROVILLE, CAL., FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1911.

FRIENDS WILL BURY EDWIN CLARK ON SUNDAY

County Infirmary yesterday, will be buried at Yankee Hill next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Today the many friends of Clark took charge of the body and it was arranged to have the services held at the home of E. F. Hodapp, at Yankee Hill. The interment will take place in the cemetery at that place. A. V. Reynolds has charge of the funeral.

Born Oct 1834 in Hartford, Connecticut
Arrived in Concow in early 1880s

COMMUNITY MOURNS PIONEER AND FRIEND

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF THE LATE EDWIN CLARK, OF YANKEE HILL.

The following sketch of the life of Edwin Clark, the pioneer who recently died here, and was interred at Yankee Hill, has been prepared and is forwarded to the Register from Yankee Hill:

Edwin Clark came to California when but a youth, residing long at San Francisco, working at his trade of carpenter, and attending night schools to finish his education.

He was also in those days a member of sporting clubs, and was an enthusiast of wing shooting, fishing, and hunting kennels.

Forty years ago, his health falling, he came to the mountain region about Yankee Hill, Butte County. He loved the woods and streams, and dwelt peacefully near them. His walks and ways were those of honesty and sobriety. He was never married.

The late Gardner Williams, one time superintendent of the Cherokee mines and later with John Hays Hammond in Africa, was his warm friend. He enjoyed the society of young people, and sought to encourage the boys about him. He discouraged in them vulgarity and profanity. Though not a professor of any religion, he read his mother's Bible and respected the Sabbath day.

CLARK, Edwin
Oroville Daily Register
8-24-1911

Readers of Oroville papers will recall that some months ago Mr. Clark located, through the Hartford Times, relatives he had not heard from in fifty years or more. Soon after this he returned to the scenes of his boyhood days, enjoyed reunion with an only brother and numerous other relatives in New York, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut, with all of which he was greatly pleased, except the intense cold of the Eastern winter. Leaving here in robust health, he returned to California, the sun-kissed land of his adoption, a wreck of his former self. For a time he rallied, but again becoming ill he went to Oroville for medical treatment. He died there, aged about 84 years.

The body was brought here, at his request, to be placed beside his old-time friend, Mr. Hodapp. The burial was just as he would have had it—plain and simple, surrounded by friends, notably among whom there was not an old man, all present being scarcely half his age,—who listened intently to words of holy inspiration uttered by one of them. Tenderly he was laid away to his last, long rest, August 20, 1911.

He died not rich in worldly wealth, but leaves that which is infinitely of more worth—an untarnished character, the memory of an exponent of right living.

MASSACRE BY DEER CREEKS RECALLED BY RESIDENT

CHARLES HICKOK TELLS OF THE
DEATH OF TWO BROTHERS
AND SISTER.

DEAD BODIES FOUND

CHILDREN PICKING BERRIES
ABOVE CHICO, SHOT DOWN
WITH ARROWS.

The atrocious crimes and murders committed by the Mill Creek or Deer Creek tribe of Indians can perhaps be no better recalled than by Charles Hickok, of this city, who remembers every incident surrounding the massacre of two sisters and one brother, on June 25, 1862, while he was still a small boy, when a blood-thirsty band of the Mill Creeks swept down Rock Creek Canyon, killing stock, burning cabins, and injuring the whites in every way possible, until they reached the Keefer ridge. There they lay in wait for a teamster, who was hauling for Keefer, and shot him to death beside his team.

Thirsting for more blood, they dropped down into Rock Creek Canyon and slipped toward the valley where a number of settlers lived. Unfortunately, three of the Hickok children were gathering blackberries along the creek side, some distance above their home, which was on the place now known as the Burch ranch. The oldest of the three, Ida, was a graceful girl of 16, the second, Minnie, a girl of 14, and the third a boy Frank, some years younger.

The two girls were shot to death with arrows, and their bodies left in the bushes beside the stream, while the little boy was dragged away into the hills.

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Family Fed Murderers.

The same Indians, supposed to have committed the crime, stopped at the Hickok ranch the night before and asked for food. The members of the family little feared them, and gave them food and provisions to last for several days. During the evening the Indians played with the children whom the next day they murdered in cold blood.

The Indians knew that these murders could not go long unnoticed, as there was considerable travel up and down the Keefer road. In fact, the bodies of the murdered girls were found late in the afternoon of the day on which they were killed, and then indeed were the whites aroused to the danger that so constantly hovered over their homes.

Whites Take Revenge.

Many parties were raised and hurried into the hills. In fact, the feeling against the Indians was so bitter that it was proposed to make a general clean-up, even of the friendly Indians, of which there were camps at Bidwell's, at Keefer's, and at the Phillips place on Pine Creek; but Mr. Hickok, the bereaved father, forbade this being done on his behalf, and, of course, at such a time his wishes were respected.

Boy Burned to Death.

Within the week following the murder of the children, a party was formed to go to the rescue of little Frank Hickok. The party was composed of the father of the murdered children, F. S. Hickok; Hi Good, one of the most noted Indian fighters in early days in Northern California; Sandy Young, the head vaquero for the Bidwell ranch; "Bob" Anderson, and "Bully." For the last member of the party no other name was ever learned, his history being a hidden chapter. "Bully" was one of the bravest and most daring of the entire party of Indian fighters.

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The party traced the Indians northward, past Deer Creek, Dry Creek, Mill Creek, and finally overhauled them at the head of Antelope Creek east of Red Bluff. They found the charred and mangled remains of the captive boy where his body had been burned by pitch splinters that had been stuck in his flesh and set afire.

About ten of the Indians were killed before the party gave up the chase and returned home.

Indians Approached Oroville

Still the Mill Creeks would not desist from their massacres, and later in the same year came down to Dry Creek, to the Pentz country.

Three Lewis children, a girl and two boys, were on their road home from school. They had reached a brook, and the oldest boy was stooping over to drink, when the hidden Indians shot him through the head, killing him instantly. The girl and younger boy, the latter a little fellow just starting to school, were seized and hustled into the hills. The little boy soon became leg-weary, and his brains were dashed out against a rock. The girl was hurried forward until night came on.

The party was then well up on a hillside above a stream. For some reason, a portion of the Indians pushed forward and left the captive in charge of one of their number as guard. This guard seemed especially anxious to be permitted to follow his fellows. He placed the girl upon a large rock, motioned for her to remain there, and

then set out a short distance in the direction taken by the other Indians.

The moment his back was turned, the plucky little girl slid down from the rock, but her keeper was stealthily watching her. He ran back to her, seized her and shook her, and, drawing his knife, made motions as though about to cut her throat. She cowered and slunk away as if in abject fear, and, thinking that he had her completely intimidated, he placed her once more upon the rock and moved away. However, the girl's wit had not deserted her. The Indian had no sooner moved away than she slipped down from the rock and darted into a little ravine that creased the hillside. The darkness favored her. She made her way to the bottom of the canyon, discovered which way the water was flowing, and, in spite of the anxious search of the whole party of Indians, escaped and made her way to the valley.

REAVIS, William A.
Oroville Mercury
9-13-1911

WILLIAM REAVIS DEAD AT ALTURAS

Word was received in this city last night that William A. Reavis had died at Alturas, Modoc county. Reavis was the second son of the late E. M. Reavis, one time owner of the Phelan ranch at Chico. He had a wide acquaintance throughout Butte county, especially in Chico and Oroville. The deceased was 48 years of age and leaves a wife and daughter in Oakland besides two brothers James J. and E. M. Reavis Jr., of San Francisco. Reavis was here last January and visited many friends.

REAVIS, William A.

Chico Record

9-16-1911

**W. A. REAVIS DEAD
AT GRANTS PASS,
OREGON**

**Scion of Once Wealthy Local
Family Will Be Buried in
San Francisco**

Dispatch from Grants Pass, Oregon, to a San Francisco morning newspaper was the notice received by friends in this city of the death at Grants Pass recently of W. A. Reavis, son of D. M. Reavis, formerly owner of what is now the Phelan ranch near this city.

In the days of the youth of W. A. Reavis, his father's holdings were famed all over the state, for the quality of stock the big ranch produced, and the family was extremely wealthy.

Gradually the spending proclivities of the Reavises caused the ranch to be mortgaged to its full value, and it was sold to meet outstanding debts. The family drifted to different parts of the State, and two brothers of the late W. A. Reavis, David Reavis and J. J. Reavis, are now on the San Francisco police force.

JONES, Thomas R.
Oroville Daily Register
9-20-1911

THOMAS JONES, AGED 83, DIES AT CHEROKEE

Thomas R. Jones, 83 years old, and one of the most prominent residents of Cherokee, died at 3 o'clock yesterday morning at the family home, after a long illness. Mr. Jones came to California from Wales almost sixty years ago, and had lived for the last fifty years in Cherokee. He was a cattle-raiser and rancher, and it was by his careful husbanding of his money that he amassed a comfortable fortune.

Present at his bedside when death came were his five sons, all well-known stockmen. They are Frederick Thomas, of Grass Valley, Oregon; Richard Henry, Elias Harris, Josiah Llewellyn and David Daniel Jones, all of Cherokee. His wife died some time ago.

The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the Odd Fellows' Hall in Cherokee, and burial will be in the cemetery at that place. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker G. B. Merrill.

POWELL, Mrs. Hellen (Ellen) "Sumimi"

Chico Record

9-26-1911

**Last of Mrs. Bidwell's
Mission School
Pupils Dead**

Funeral services, intensely impressive in their simplicity, were held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the little chapel of the Indian Village, over the remains of Mrs. Hellen Powell, Mrs. Bidwell officiating. Death had claimed Mrs. Powell Sunday evening after a long illness, during which nothing that might be done to save her life or afford her comfort was left undone.

Mrs. Powell was reared by Mrs. Keefer, and in 1875 was a pupil in the mission school established by Mrs. Bidwell. She was the last of the Indians who attended that school. For a number of years she resided at the Indian village, was a communicant of the Presbyterian church, and, according to Mrs. Bidwell, who knew her so intimately, she was possessed of a most charming character. Her Indian name was Sumimi.

Death certificate has name as Ellen Powell
Burial in Mechoopda Indian Cemetery, Chico

FATALITY TOOK PLACE ON MOUNTAIN GRADE

W. S. McINTYRE DIES FROM IN-
JURIES RECEIVED IN
RUNAWAY.

BRAKES FAIL TO WORK

ACCIDENT ON ROAD NEAR YAN-
KEE HILL HAS SERIOUS
ENDING.

Failure to obey the warning that he had given to another resulted in the death of W. S. McIntyre, a well-known Yankee Hill resident, when the team he was driving ran away and threw him from the wagon-seat, beneath the wheels of the heavily loaded wagon. As the result of the wagon passing over his body, Mr. McIntyre's skull was badly fractured, and his collar-bone broken. Death did not occur instantly, but three hours after the accident, at 11 o'clock Saturday night, the injured man breathed his last.

Mr. McIntyre, who was a blacksmith by occupation and had resided in this section of the State for a number of years, had been in the employ of Mrs. Wells, of Yankee Hill. Friday he drove to Durham with a load of produce, and was accompanied by Mrs. Wells. Upon their return the wagon was loaded with flour and grain for the store kept by Mrs. Wells at Yankee Hill.

McINTYRE, W. S.
Daily Register
10-2-1911

After reaching the top of the grade near the West Branch bridge a few miles from Cherokee, Mr. McIntyre warned Mrs. Wells that the wagon was not safe for her to ride in because of the fact that the brakes were out of order and there was danger of a runaway. Mrs. Wells obeyed his entreaty that she walk to the foot of the hill. When the brakes failed to hold back the load the horses broke into a run and Mr. McIntyre fell from the wagon-seat and directly in the path of the wheels.

Mrs. Wells, who witnessed the accident, returned to Cherokee for assistance. The injured man was removed to Yankee Hill and Doctor Kusel hurriedly summoned from Oroville. The injuries proved fatal, however, before the physician's arrival.

The deceased was about 56 years of age. He was a native of Illinois. His only known relatives reside in Stockton, where the remains have been ordered taken for interment. Gilman B. Merrill is in charge of the remains.

The wagon left the grade and leaped nearly half-way across a stream of water running near the road. The team and a dog had not been found yesterday afternoon when Deputy Coroner Merrill returned here.

HEAD CRUSHED IN RUNAWAY-- DRIVER DIES

OROVILLE, Oct. 2.—Failure to obey the warning that he had given to another resulted in the death of W. S. McIntyre, a well-known Yankee Hill resident, when the team he was driving ran away and threw him from the wagon seat, beneath the wheels of the heavily loaded wagon. As the result of the wagon passing over his body, Mr. McIntyre's skull was badly fractured, and his collar bone broken. Death did not occur instantly, but three hours after the accident, at 11 o'clock Saturday night, the injured man breathed his last.

Mr. McIntyre, who was a blacksmith by occupation and had resided in this section of the State for a number of years, had been in the employ of Mrs. Wells of Yankee Hill. Friday he drove to Durham with a load of produce. On the return trip, he was accompanied by Mrs. Wells.

After reaching the top of the grade near the West Branch bridge, a few miles from Cherokee, McIntyre warned Mrs. Wells, that as the brakes were unsafe, she had better walk down the hill. Half-way down the hill the horses broke into a run, owing to the brakes not holding the wheels, and McIntyre was thrown into the road ahead of the heavily loaded team which passed over him.

Deceased was 56 years of age, and had relatives in Stockton, where the remains will be sent for interment.

McINTYRE, W. S.
Chico Record
10-3-1911

LOCKERMAN, William Jackson

Oroville Register

10-3-1911

PENTZ RANCHER IS CALLED BY DEATH

WILLIAM JACKSON LOCKERMAN
SUCCUMBED AFTER EX-
TENDED ILLNESS.

PENTZ, October 2.—William Jackson Lockerman, a resident of this section for the past fifteen years and of the State fifty-seven years, died here at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night, following an extended illness.

Mr. Lockerman was engaged in the farming and stockraising business at his ranch here.

A wife and five children are left to mourn his loss. The children are Lawrence L. Lockerman, a Southern Pacific conductor at Roseville; Mrs. Eunice Irwin, of San Francisco; Miss Myrtle Lockerman, of Oakland; Mrs. Aleta Childers, of Pentz. A brother, Thomas Lockerman, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Frost, both of Chico, also survive Mr. Lockerman.

The funeral will be held in Paradise at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment will be in the Paradise cemetery.

Mr. Lockerman was a member of the Durham lodge of Odd Fellows, and of the Modern Woodmen of America of Durham.

STEWARD, Joseph Ireland
Chico Record
10-7-1911

FORMER CHICO

MAN IS DEAD

News has been received by friends in this city of the death in Redlands, of Joseph I. Steward, one-time resident of Chico. He had been a resident of California for many years, and was seventy-three years of age. He is survived by a widow, two sons and a daughter. Steward at one time conducted the Union hotel.

MIGHELS, Phillip Verrill
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SHOTGUN WOUND RESULTS FATAALLY

PHILIP VERRILL MIGHELS PASSES Brilliant Young Author Succumbs as Result of Accidently Self- Inflicted Wound

Hal Migheels received a telegram from Winnemucca last evening telling him to come at once as his brother, Phillip Verrill Migheels, who was recently shot while hunting quail had taken a change for the worse.

The telegram was brief and did not state particulars but it is presumed that unlooked-for complications have set in and that the wounded man is in a serious condition. A letter was received from Winnemucca yesterday morning stating that Phil was getting along nicely and the word received last night was a surprise and caused a great deal of anxiety among the relatives of the sick man.

This morning Hal Migheels and mother, Mrs. Davis, fearing the worst, left here on the motor, hoping to make train connections and reach Winnemucca some time this afternoon. Shortly after their departure

a telegram was received announcing that Phil Migheels had died some time during the night. They were intercepted at Franktown and apprised of the sad intelligence and proceeded to Reno where they will await the remains which will arrive there some time tonight, being brought to this city where the funeral will in all probability be held.

The entire circumstances surrounding the fatal accident and the death of Phillip Verrill Migheels are sad in the extreme. He had gone to the eastern part of the state to witness a cattle round-up in order to become perfectly familiar with the conditions to better enable him to portray the scenes in a novel which he was writing depicting the scenes of western life. While having a few moments of leisure time at his disposal he went quail shooting. He wounded a bird and in a moment of anxiety and excitement in endeavoring to capture it while it was fluttering to escape, he struck it with the stock of the gun

MIGHELIS, Phillip Verrill
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which was exploded and which at the time seriously, and later proved fatal, wounded him. He was taken to the hospital at Winnemucca and has since received the most careful care and attention.

Up to last evening reports from his bedside were most encouraging and the attending physicians announced that he was getting along nicely and was out of danger. Unlooked-for complications set in, with the result that he rapidly grew worse and passed away almost at the time that he was considered out of all possible danger.

Phillip Verrill Mighels was born and reared to manhood in this city, was about 42 years of age and the second son of a family of four children. His mother, Mrs. Sam Davis, of this city, his wife, who was with him at the time of his death, two brothers and a sister, are immediate relatives left to mourn.

Hal Mighels of this city, Roy, now in California, Mrs. Bessie Lewis of San Diego, are his brothers and sister. Mrs. Ray Crowell and Miss Ethel Davis of this city, Robert Davis of New York, and Will Davis of Stockton, are half-sisters and half-brothers.

The summary passing of this young man is most shocking, not alone to his immediate relatives and friends, but as he was on the road almost to fame, having won a reputation as an author and writer of great merit, not a few of his literary productions having gained a national reputation as works of great excellence.

The many friends of the family sympathize with them in their bereavement over the loss of one who was honored, trusted and beloved.

Word received late this afternoon is to the effect that the remains will arrive in this city tomorrow morning. The funeral arrangements and announcement will be made later.

FERSON, Mrs. Horace D.
Sunshine Valley News
10-13-1911

Pioneer Resident Of Durham Dead

News of the death of Mrs. H. D. Ferson, at Oakland, was conveyed in a telegram received by friends at Durham, Monday, where the pioneer woman resided for many years. At one time her husband, the late H. D. Ferson, owned an extensive ranch near Durham, which he later sold to Major A. F. Jones of Oroville, and then departed for Oakland where he lived until his death.

Mrs. Ferson was one of the best known women in that section of the county, and many of her friends are residents of Chico. A daughter, Mrs. R. Fuller, resides in Red Bluff. Mrs. Jennie Keys of Chico, is a granddaughter. The funeral was held at Oakland, Wednesday.

MOAK, William Henry
Oroville Daily Register
10-31-1911

OROVILLE LAD DIES OF PINE NUT SWALLOWED FULLY A MONTH AGO

(Special to the Register.)

CHICO, October 30.—The five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moak, of Oroville, choked to death to-day before a doctor could be called. The boy swallowed a pine nut about a month ago in Oroville, and the nut stuck in his throat. Several times since he has been seized with coughing spells, but they were not regarded

as serious. To-day he was suddenly seized, and choked to death before the eyes of his parents. Dr. N. T. Enloe was called, but before he arrived the little boy had passed away.

The father and mother and the dead boy were visiting with relatives in Chapmantown, and were making preparations to return to their Oroville home, when the boy died.

BENJAMIN, Alfred A.
The Chico Enterprise
11-6-1911

Death of A. A. Benjamin.—Alfred A. Benjamin, a well known rancher of the Cherokee section, died suddenly Saturday night following a stroke of apoplexy. The deceased was an uncle of Wendell Miller of Chico. Surviving him are two sisters—Mrs. Julia A. Miller of Chico and Mrs. J. Chambers of Durham. The funeral was held this morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the deceased's sister in Durham.

PARK, Walter Archibald
Chico Record
12-19-1911

PNEUMONIA CAUSED DEATH OF WELL KNOWN RANCHER

Walter Archibald Park, for thirty-five years a resident of Butte county, died suddenly at 3:30 o'clock Sunday morning in a local hospital. Death was due directly to pneumonia, although the deceased had been suffering for some time with dropsy.

Mr. Park was seventy-two years old, and was a native of Vermont. He had been a rancher near Nelson for some time. He leaves seven children as follows: Mrs. G. B. Glass of Manteca, Mrs. W. M. McNamara of Oakland, Mrs. P. L. Wisdom of Marysville, Mrs. D. E. Jewert and W. R. Park of Manteca and F. H. Park and L. H. Park of Butte county.

Funeral services are to be at 10 o'clock this morning at the Fetters & Williams chapel on Second street. Burial will be in the Durham cemetery.

KNECHT, George
Oroville Daily Register
12-19-1911

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

George Knecht, husband of Louisa A. Knecht, father of Karl and Mary Knecht, brother of Mrs. Kate Thunen of Oroville and Mrs. Mary Walsh of Oakland, died in Sacramento on Friday, December 15th. Deceased was a native of Ohio, 52 years, 8 months and 13 days of age. He formerly resided in Oroville. The body will arrive in Woodland Sunday at 11 o'clock and be taken to Krellenberg's undertaking parlors, from whence it will be conveyed at 1 o'clock to the German church, where services will be held.—Woodland Democrat.

MEDANICH, George Oroville Daily Register

1-1-1912

DEATH OF ANOTHER PIONEER OF COUNTY

GEORGE MEDANICH, OF CHERO-
KEE, HEARS FINAL
CALL.

The funeral of the late George Medanich, who died at his home in Cherokee yesterday, will take place from his late residence to-morrow (Tuesday), at 1 o'clock p. m. The funeral will be under the auspices of Table Mountain Lodge, Number 124, F. and A. M., escorted by Cherokee Lodge, Number 92, I. O. O. F. Reynolds, and Hamilton will be in charge of the funeral.

Mr. Medanich was one of the pioneers of Butte County, and during his active days followed mining as an occupation. He had resided at Cherokee for many years. He was prominent in fraternal circles, and took great interest in the work of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges, of both of which he was a member at Cherokee. He had been unwell for many weeks, and his end came not unexpected, because of the advanced age which he had reached, being 70 years, 8 months and 12 days old.

Mr. Medanich leaves to mourn his death his wife and one daughter, Mrs. D. A. Edlin, of Cherokee.

MEDANICH, George
Oroville Daily Register
1-3-1912

CHEROKEE PIONEER LAID IN GRAVE BY FRIENDS

**FUNERAL SERVICES WERE HELD
YESTERDAY OVER REMAINS
OF GEO. MEDANICH.**

The funeral of George Medanich, a well known resident of Cherokee, was held yesterday afternoon at that place. Rev. R. D. Douglass, of this city, officiated at the service, and was assisted by a choir made up of Mrs. Phares and Mrs. Bulard.

At the grave the service was conducted by Table Mountain Lodge of Masons, H. F. Bader presiding.

The funeral was largely attended by friends of the deceased.

The interment was in the Cherokee cemetery. The pall-bearers were John Burleson, Frank Lynch, Sewell Van Gooden, John Duensing, Marion De Long and A. Armbruster.

NAGLE, Patrick
Oroville Mercury
1-4-1912

PIONEER PASSES TO GREAT BEYOND

Patrick Nagle, an old pioneer miner of this county died at the County Infirmary yesterday afternoon. Mr. Nagle was one of the few miners left from the gold rush of early days. The deceased was 91 years old. He was buried at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Cherokee cemetery by Reynolds and Hamilton who were in charge of the funeral.

WILLIAMS, Mrs. Margaret
Oroville Mercury
1-8-1912

AGED RESIDENT OF CHEROKEE DIES

Mrs. Margaret Williams, an aged resident of this county, died this morning at her home, 1009 High street. She had been a resident of Cherokee for 54 years. She is a widow of the late Daniel Williams. Four children survive her, three sons and a daughter. They are David H. Williams of Oroville, Daniel Williams of Cherokee, Thomas K. Williams of Oroville, and Mrs. Mary Cannon of Congress, Arizona. She has several grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held from the residence at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. The interment will be in the Cherokee cemetery at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Reynolds and Hamilton.

LONGLEY, Alexander Preston "Pres"

Oroville Daily Register

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BARD OF BUTTE, AND POET OF PROSPECTORS IS DEAD

**"PRES" LONGLY PASSES AWAY--WAS MEXICAN WAR
VETERAN, INDIAN FIGHTER, ARGONAUT,
MINER AND POET**



ALEXANDER PRESTON LONGLEY
The Bard of Butte and Poet of the Argonauts

LONGLEY, Alexander Preston "Pres"
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Alexander Preston Longley, more familiarly known as "Pres" Longley, the Bard of Butte, died on Saturday afternoon last at the County Infirmary. He will be buried at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the funeral services being held at the undertaking parlors of Reynolds and Hamilton under the auspices of the Women's Relief Corps. It is requested that members of the Relief Corps, Grand Army of the Republic, and the members of Company I, National Guard of California, attend the services.

Belonged to "The Days of Gold."

The death of "The Bard of Butte" marks the passing of one of the most familiar of those pioneer characters of the early history of California. Longley came to Butte County in the early Fifties. He established himself along Butte Creek, and for years Centerville was his headquarters. Wherever miners gathered in "the days of old," there the poems of Pres Longley would be recited. No matter what the public occasion was, it was not complete, unless Pres Longley had written a poem for the occasion.

Was Veteran of Mexican War.

Longley was 88 years old at the time of his death. He was a graduate of the University of Tennessee, in which State he was born, and after his graduation from that institution he enlisted and took part in the Mexican War.

Fought Indians in Arizona.

After serving throughout that war, Longley came to Arizona, where he fought in the various Indian wars that took place in that territory following its cession by Mexico to the United States. His adventurous life left a permanent impress upon his character, and the wanderlust that he acquired upon the plains of Arizona prevented him from ever leading a settled life.

Came Here in 1852.

From Arizona Longley came north to California, attracted here by the discovery of gold. He reached here in 1852. Butte County was then the scene of rich strikes, and Longley came to Oroville to try for his fortune in the rich gravels here. He mined along the Feather River here, and after leaving Oroville went to the mines along the Magalia Ridge. This ridge and Centerville in particular re-

mained his headquarters until sickness and old age compelled him to seek the County Infirmary as his last abiding place.

In his early days Longley was on familiar terms with all the prominent men of the Valley. He was sought out and assisted in the entertainment of many notables who came here.

Qualities of His Poetry.

As a poet Longley possessed the true poetic inspiration, but many of his poems are marred by the fact that they were hastily written and bear too plainly the marks of hastiness in their preparation. He depicted the life of the miners of that time and of the mining communities, not with any idea of writing an immortal poem, but simply to please the miners, who were anything but critical, and to satisfy his own craving to give expression to his thoughts in poetic form.

Despite this fact, however, there are lines and stanzas in all of his poems in which he seems to be truly inspired, and these portions of his poems cannot be excelled even by Joaquin Miller.

"He Followed the Float."

Scattered throughout the various poems of Pres Longley are verses in which reference is clearly made to himself. In one of these poems, "He Followed the Float," is a picture of the prospector such as Longley was himself, ever following on hopeful that the next day or the next week he would strike his fortune. The prospector of the poem finally makes a strike. This fortune, however, never came to Butte's Bard.

Genial and Kindly Man.

"Pres" Longley was a man of genial, kindly disposition. He was improvident, as far as the world's goods were concerned, but made up in a wealth of kindness, of overflowing sympathies, and of enthusiasms for all persons and all things what he lacked in material possessions.

A short time ago a book of his poems was published by the Register. These poems met with a very ready sale. In fact, so popular did they prove that it was the intention to publish a larger and more complete edition, but death cut the project short.

LONGLEY, Alexander Preston "Pres"
Oroville Daily Register
1-30-1912

'BARD OF BUTTE' IS TENDERLY LAID AWAY

With simple ceremony, the remains of the late Alexander Preston Longley, better known as "Pres" Longley, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. A tribute to the deceased was paid in the chapel by Rev. G. M. Richmond, of the First Methodist Episcopal Church. At the grave the Women's Relief Corps conducted the ceremonies. Burial was in the soldiers' plot in the local cemetery. Mrs. Hemstalk rendered a number of selections in the chapel and at the grave.

The pall-bearers were W. H. Hayes, T. J. Frost, C. L. Duhem, Charles Wyckoff, Charles Westcott, Mr. Humphrey.

A large number of beautiful floral pieces testified to the esteem in which the deceased was generally held.

Reynolds and Hamilton were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

HAYNES (LUNT, GIBBARD), Martha B.

San Francisco Chronicle

2-11-1912

HAYNES—In Fruitvale, February 8, Martha B., widow of the late Judge Haynes, formerly of Eureka, and beloved mother of Mrs. Agnes Haynes Gibbard, a native of Maine, aged 80 years, 11 months and 4 days. (Eureka papers please copy.)

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, February 12, at 1 o'clock, from her late residence, 3428 Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery.

ELLIS (MATTHEWS), Mrs. Ethel
Oroville Daily Register
2-13-1912

YOUNG MATRON IS CALLED BY DEATH

**MRS. ETHEL ELLIS PASSES AWAY
AT HOME IN THIS CITY
LAST EVENING.**

Mrs. Ethel Ellis, wife of Garry Ellis, died last evening at her home, at 1706 High Street. Death followed a protracted illness.

Mrs. Ellis was but a little over 31 years of age. She was born in Oroville. In addition to her husband, she leaves two small children, Leslie and Merle, aged 10 and 8 years, respectively; a sister, Mrs. Ernest Walsh, and two brothers, Oliver Josephson, of Yankee Hill, and Charles M. Matthews, of Oroville.

The remains are in charge of Reynolds and Hamilton. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

ELLIS (MATTHEWS), Mrs. Garry (Ethel)

Oroville Daily Register

2-15-1912

MRS. GARRY ELLIS
TENDERLY LAID
AWAY

MANY FLORAL PIECES HEAPED
AT BIER BY FRIENDS OF
DECEASED.

The funeral of Mrs. Garry Ellis was held from the late residence, at 1706 High Street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. G. M. Richmond, of the Methodist Church, performed the funeral ceremony, and the choir consisted of Mrs. J. H. Bullard and Mrs. M. E. Phares. Many beautiful floral offerings were made by the friends of the deceased.

The pall-bearers were Lawrence Kitrick, T. C. Lee, J. B. Webber, C. F. Huntington, David Daniels, and Charles Gardella. The interment was made in the Oroville Cemetery.

THOMAS, Mabel Maude
Oroville Daily Register
3-4-1912

**LARGE GATHERING AT
THE FUNERAL OF
YOUNG GIRL**

SCHOOLMATES AND OLDER
FRIENDS IN LARGE NUM-
BERS ATTEND FUNERAL
OF MABEL THOMAS.

With the casket covered with beautiful flowers, which betokened the sorrow that her many friends felt at her untimely demise, the remains of Mabel Maude Thomas were laid in the grave at Cherokee on Tuesday. The funeral services were most pathetic. They were attended by a large number of the schoolmates of the deceased, whose sorrow at the death of Miss Thomas has been most keen. They were also attended by a large number of older friends. At Cherokee, despite the fact that the weather was most inclement, the attendance was again large, friends gathering there who had known the young girl all her life.

The funeral services were held at the family home in Oroville. Rev. R. D. Douglass conducted the services. Mrs. M. E. Phares and Mrs. J. H. Bullard sang several songs in a beautiful manner. Following the service, the cortege was formed and the remains

were taken to the family plot in Cherokee, where they were interred. The pall-bearers were schoolmates of Miss Thomas. They were Donald Baldwin, Casper Bullard, Thomas Curran, William Moutoux, Edward Welsh, and Arthur Wilson.

The floral pieces were very numerous and beautiful. The High School sent a beautiful floral piece, in the form of the school pin, and bearing the letters "O. U. H. S." Pupils of the Grammar School sent a large spray of carnations. The Congregational Sunday-school also sent beautiful flowers. The Freshman class of the High School, of which Miss Thomas was a member, sent a handsome wreath.

The High School was dismissed during the services and the students attended in a body. The Eighth Grade of the Grammar School also attended the services in a body.

THOMAS, Mabel
Oroville Mercury
3-9-1912

GIRL'S FUNERAL WILL BE HELD TUESDAY

Late this afternoon it was announced that the funeral of Miss Mabel Thomas, who passed away last evening will be held from the house at 613 Lincoln street Tuesday morning. The burial will be in the Cherokee cemetery. The funeral is in charge of Reynolds and Hamilton.

PIONEER OF OREGON CITY DIED EARLY YESTERDAY

HENRY CALDWELL WHITE HAD
SPENT 56 YEARS IN
BUTTE COUNTY.

Henry Caldwell White, an aged resident of Oregon City, died at his home at that place Thursday night. Death was due to heart disease, with which he had been afflicted for several years. At the time of his death Mr. White was 79 years, 1 month and 4 days of age.

The deceased was a pioneer settler of California, having come to this country in 1852. He had been a resident of Oregon City for fifty-six years. He was well known and respected throughout the entire country as one of the foremost citizens. The deceased is survived by his wife and a son, H. W. White, of Oregon City, and two brothers, Milton B. White, of South Bend, Indiana, and Jasper White, of Cassapolis, Michigan.

The funeral will be held from the Oregon City school-house at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. The interment will be made in the Oregon City Cemetery. Reynolds and Hamilton are in charge of the funeral.

WHITE, Henry Caldwell
Oroville Daily Register
3-9-1912

McDANEL, Margaret
The Oregon Daily Journal
3-15-1912

M'DANEL—At 584 Flanders street,
March 15, Margaret McDanel, aged 81
years, 4 months. Funeral will take place
from the parlors of the East Side Fu-
neral directors, 414 East Alder street,
Sunday, March 17, 2:30 p. m. Friends
respectfully invited. Interment Lone Fir
cemetery.

McDANEL, Mrs. Margaret Harring
Oroville Daily Register
3-23-1912

**FORMER CHEROKEE
RESIDENT DIES
IN NORTH**

**MRS. MARGARET HARRING Mc-
DANEL KNOWN TO OLDER
RESIDENTS.**

According to letters received in this city, Mrs. Margaret Harring McDanel, a former resident of Butte County, passed away at her home on Flanders Street in Portland, Oregon, on March 15th. Mrs. McDanel was a number of years ago a well known resident of Cherokee, and was well known by the older residents of the eastern section of the county.

The deceased was born in New York in 1830. She came to California by way of the Horn in the early fifties, and in this State met Thomas McDanel, to whom she was later married. With her husband she resided at Cherokee until the death of Mr. McDanel. From Cherokee she removed to Oakland, and in 1906 took up her residence in Portland, Oregon.

One son, Hibbard S. McDanel, who is well known in this city, is left to mourn the loss of Mrs. McDanel.

CHEROKEE GIRL IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

MISS TESSIE VAHEY MEETS WITH
ALMOST INSTANT DEATH
IN OAKLAND.

GREW TO YOUNG WOMANHOOD
IN CHEROKEE AND WAS WELL
KNOWN HERE.

Many of the older residents of Oroville and Cherokee were shocked to learn of the tragic death in Oakland of Miss Tessie Vahey, who grew to young womanhood at Cherokee, where the family was well known. Miss Vahey was killed in an auto accident, her head being crushed against a telegraph pole by the sudden skidding of the car in which she was riding. The following account of the fatal accident is given in one of the San Francisco papers:

"Dashed against a telegraph pole by the sudden skidding of an automobile driven by Clayton Bush, former turfman and now partner in an Oakland jewelry firm, Miss Tessie Vahey, aged 24, daughter of Michel Vahey of 1011B Castro Street, sustained a fracture of the skull early this morning which resulted in her death at the Receiving Hospital within an hour after the accident. The only other occupant of the machine who suffered injury was Miss Margaret Babb, of Eleventh and Brush Streets, who was thrown into the street and received minor bruises.

VAHEY, Tessie
Daily Register
4-12-1912

"It was not until the occupants of the car had picked up Miss Vahey that it was discovered that Miss Vahey had been hurt. The young woman was found lying unconscious in the tonneau, with a deep wound in the side of her forehead. Bush at once drove his car at top speed to the Receiving Hospital, where Miss Vahey was placed on the operating table. All attempts to save her life were unavailing, and she died without regaining consciousness, at 2:15 o'clock.

"The accident occurred at 1:30 o'clock at East Fourteenth Street and Twenty-eighth Avenue, while Bush was taking to their homes the members of a party of young women, who had been spending the evening as the guests of Miss Delia Fusco at 543 Twenty-eighth Street.

"According to Bush, the automobile was being driven at a 'fair clip,' when he turned to one side to pass an electric car. The machine skidded, bumped into the curb and swerved out again. Bush was driving on, when some one in the tonneau called to him that Miss Babb had fallen out. He brought the car to a stop, and H. A. Dunbar, another occupant of the car, jumped out

and ran back to pick up Miss Babb. As he was assisting her back to the car, the other occupants discovered that Miss Vahey was lying unconscious, with blood flowing from a deep cut on the left side of her head.

"Bush was placed under arrest shortly after the accident, but was released this morning after he had given a complete account of the accident to Captain of Detectives W. P. Petersen. The responsibility for the death will be fixed by the Coroner's Jury at an inquest to be held on April 17th."

The funeral of Miss Vahey will be held this morning from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Mary Powers. Following short services at the home, a requiem mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church by Father Dempsey.

ALLDREDGE, Hugh
Oroville Daily Register

4-22-1912

CHICO MAN DEAD.

CHICO, April 21.—Hugh Alldredge, 70 years old, and a pioneer resident of Chico, passed away at 9 o'clock last night at the home of his son, John Alldredge, Ivy Street and Second Avenue, in Chico Vecino.

Mr. Alldredge was born in Tennessee, and during his early residence in Northern California he engaged in mining, later giving his attention to ranching. He retired several years ago.

He was a character upon the streets of Chico for years and always intensely interested in the political situation. Once he ran for the office of Sheriff on the Socialist ticket, but was defeated by his Republican opponent.

TUHEY, Bridget Frances
Oroville Daily Register
4-23-1912

**INFANT DAUGHTER OF
MR. AND MRS. TUHEY DIES**

**Child Passes Away as the Result of
Attack of Whooping-cough.**

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tuhey died last evening at the home of her parents, as the result of an attack of whooping-cough. The child was but a month and a half old. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

TUHEY, Bridget Frances
Oroville Daily Register
4-24-1912

The funeral services over the remains of the late little Bridget Frances Tuhey, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tuhey, will be held from the family residence at 124 Ward Street, this afternoon, Rev. Thomas Dermody officiating. Reynolds and Hamilton have charge of the obsequies.

BADER, Mattis (Mathias)

Chico Record

5-7-1912

DEATH SUMMONS

MAGALIA PIONEER

Death brought to an end the earthly career of one of Northern California's most illustrious citizens Sunday when Mattis Bader, aged 82 years, died in a local hospital. He had been in feeble health for a long time and his old age hastened the end. Bader was one of the first white men to invade Northern California. He came west from New York City in 1852 and was one of the founders of Dogtown, now known as Magalia. Here he lived for more than sixty years. During the early years he profited by successful mining and amassed a considerable fortune at one time. Later reverses came, but Bader again began the search for gold and was successful. Although an eccentric character he was loved and respected by all who knew him and he numbered his acquaintances by the hundreds.

Bader built and conducted the first hotel on Magalia ridge. He was born in Prussia and came to the United States when quite young.

The deceased was unmarried. He leaves a number of nephews and nieces, among them the following: Charles W. Bader of Magalia, Henry F. Bader, manager of a mercantile store at Stirling City; Mrs. George B. Mowry, wife of a prominent Butte county property owner, Mrs. E. Heinrich and Mrs. Herman Weaver, all of San Francisco.

Funeral services are to be conducted by a minister of Paradise at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home in Magalia and burial will be in the cemetery on Magalia ridge.

RABE, Henry William Herman
The Oroville Mercury
5-8-1912

HAZELBUSCH RANCHER PASSES BEYOND

Henry Rabe, a well known rancher of the Hazlebusch section, suffered a hemorrhage several days ago. Physicians were summoned to his bedside but at an early hour yesterday morning Mr. Rabe passed to the great beyond. He was very well known in this city.

The deceased was 41 years of age, and a native of this state. A wife and two small children survive him.

The funeral will be held from the residence near Hazlebusch tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Reynolds and Hamilton are in charge of the services.

RABE, Henry William Herman
The Oroville Mercury
5-9-1912

RABE FUNERAL IS ATTENDED BY FARMERS

FINAL RITES TAKE PLACE TO-
DAY AT UNDERTAKING
PARLORS IN CITY

Quite a number of persons from Biggs attended the funeral of Henry Rabe, which took place from the parlors of Reynolds and Hamilton this morning. The services were conducted by Reverend Douglass and during them several selections were rendered by Mrs. Phares and Mrs. Bullard.

The interment was made in the Oroville cemetery. The pallbearers were Henry Hazlebusch, B. LeRoux, J. Beckman, Fred Winnemann, William Thebach and D. Schlichting.

BURCHARD, Daniel Webster

The San Francisco Call

5-18-1912

DEATHS

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BURCHARD—In Oakland, May 16, 1912, at the family residence, 642 Fifty-third street, Daniel W., beloved husband of Nellie G. Burchard, father of Mildred M., Mary J. and Ernest B. Burchard and Mrs. Ethel M. Fickel of San Francisco, and brother of Mrs. Mary M. Twombly of Oakland, a native of Missouri, aged 54 years 2 months and 10 days.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

BURCHARD, Daniel Webster

The San Francisco Call

5-19-1912

**D. W. Burchard, Well
Known Lawyer, Who
Died on Thursday**



**Attorney Was Long Known in
Law Circles Here and in
Other Bay Cities**

Note: Practiced law in Covelo

Daniel W. Burchard, a well known attorney of this city, died Thursday, May 16, at his late residence, 644 Fifty-third street, Oakland, after a short illness. He was well known in San Jose and Santa Clara county, where he served as district attorney for six years. He opened offices in this city in 1900, where he continued to practice until his health failed in 1909. He was the son of the late Rev. John L. Burchard, a well known Methodist minister of this state, and a brother of the late Dr. L. S. Burchard, a prominent physician of Oakland. The deceased leaves a widow, Nellie G. Burchard; three daughters, M. Mildred and Mary J. Burchard, and Mrs. Ethel M. Fichel, one son, Ernest B.; a grandson, John D.; and a sister, Mrs. Mary M. Twombly of Oakland.

Funeral services will be held Monday, May 20, from the Shattuck Avenue Methodist church, Shattuck avenue and Sixty-fifth street, Oakland, at 2:30 p. m.

Interment will be private, at Mountain View cemetery.



COVERT, Henry
Oroville Daily Register
5-20-1912

BRIEF ILLNESS ENDS LIFE OF PIONEER HENRY COVERT

WELL KNOWN CITIZEN PASSED
AWAY YESTERDAY FOLLOW-
ING ATTACK OF PNEU-
MONIA.

Following an attack of pneumonia, which had its inception when the deceased fell upon the street several days ago, Henry Covert passed away at the family home, on Robinson Street, yesterday. Following the fall, he was carried into the Oroville Hospital, and from there was removed to his home.

The deceased was one of the oldest residents of this city, and was well known, especially to the older residents. He is survived by four daughters and a son, all residents of this city. Four grandchildren and one great-grandchild are also left to mourn the loss of the departed. The children are Mrs. Thomas Kelley, Mrs. B. R. Cole, Misses Nancy and Emma Covert, and William Covert.

Mr. Covert was born in Indiana, and was aged 77 years and 15 days. Over forty years ago he moved to this State, and had since resided here.

The funeral will be conducted from the family residence, at 1607 Robinson Street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the family plot in the Oroville Cemetery, with Reynolds and Hamilton in charge of the arrangements.

Chinaman "Levi"
The Chico Enterprise
6-11-1912

CORONER INVESTIGATES DEATH

A Chinaman, known among his countrymen and people with whom he worked as "Levi," died suddenly last night in Ramsey Bar, where he had been employed as cook at the camp there. Fearing that there was something unusual about his death, Coroner Wallace left this morning for Stirling City, to which point the remains had been taken. The Chinaman had been ill for some months, according to his countrymen, and died of natural causes. His remains will be brought to this city for interment.

WARE, Henry

Chico Record

7-9-1912

CUCUMBERS SLAY MAN FEARED BY INDIANS

Henry Ware, for fifty-five years a resident of Butte county, died at his home on Eighth street shortly after noon yesterday. Death was caused by stomach trouble, the man having eaten cucumbers and sardines the night before. He was weak at the time from asthma of long standing. He was always fond of green vegetables and had eaten cucumbers on numerous occasions and it is not known why they should have proved fatal in this case. Dr. P. F. Bullington was called to attend the sick man but it was too late to save his life.

Ware is survived by a son, four daughters and eight grandchildren, besides four brothers and a sister. The daughters are Mrs. Etta Melne, Mrs. Emma Melne, Mrs. Minnie Melne and Mrs. Mary Hurst. The last-named lives in Alameda and the other three in Chico. The son, Albert Ware, also resides here. The brothers of the deceased are William Ware of Susanville, Edward Ware of Butt Valley, and Mrs. E. White of Nelson and Mrs. J. C. Corey of Paradise are sisters.

The deceased was born in Indiana sixty-four years ago and came here when only nine years of age. His parents settled at Mineral Slide, near Magalla and mined for gold there. Henry Ware afterward lived at Nelson and then in Magalla. He owned a ranch at Paradise. His principal occupation during life was mining.

Ware was an aggressive, fearless man and had many thrilling events during his career. More than forty years ago he was in Queens Valley, Nevada. The small party of whites was eating supper when they were attacked by Indians. After the battle, fifty Indians were found dead, and only two white men were hurt. Ware joined the California volunteers and was engaged in many other Indian engagements.

The funeral will be held from Engel chapel tomorrow morning and burial will be made in Paradise cemetery.

WELSH, Plummer R.
Oroville Daily Register
9-20-1912

BRAVE FIGHT
OF PIONEER
ENDS IN
DEATH

P. R. WELSH PASSES TO HIS LAST
AFTER PROLONGED
ILLNESS.

CAME HERE IN 1860

INTIMATELY CONNECTED WITH
DEVELOPMENT OF BUTTE
AND PLUMAS COUNTIES.

After a lingering illness, and surrounded by the members of his family, who had expected the end for several days, P. R. Welsh, one of the best known residents of Butte County and a California pioneer, peacefully passed away at his home, on Veatch Street, at an early hour yesterday morning. At the time of his death the deceased was 84 years of age. Mr. Welsh had been for years one of the most prominent residents in this section of Butte County, and he was also widely known in Sutter and Plumas Counties. Although his end had been expected for a number of days, the news of his demise came as a distinct shock to his many friends in this city and vicinity.

Plummer R. Welsh was a native of Bellevue, Maryland, where he was born February 10, 1838. In 1842 he moved with his parents to Ohio, where his father engaged in farming until his death. After the demise of his father his mother took the family to Clark County, Illinois, where she engaged in farming. Mr. Welsh, who was then a young boy, was educated in the schools of Illinois and Iowa.

Began Westward Trek.

In 1855, at the age of 16 years, he left home and went to Iowa, where he toiled in the harvest fields for two seasons, and then settled upon a 160-acre tract of government land, which later became his own. He stayed upon this ranch until 1859, when he departed for Kansas. In 1860 he became a member of an emigrant train and came to California as one of the leaders of the band of pioneers.

Arrival in California.

After arriving in California Mr. Welsh located in Sutter County, where he engaged in farming and stockraising. In 1871 he removed to Plumas County and located at Longville. There he served for a number of years as Postmaster. He later purchased 1,300 acres in what is now Humbug Valley, and later erected a hotel. He at one time was engaged in lumbering in Plumas County.

Lived Here Many Years.

For many years Mr. Welsh had made his home in Oroville and vicinity. Until a few years ago he owned a large ranch on the Feather River, south of this city. Part of this ranch he sold to the dredgers and a portion was retained by him at the time of his death. Besides owning lands south of this city, Mr. Welsh was also the owner of a valuable ranch near Concow. His Humbug holdings were sold several years ago to the Oro Electric Corporation.

Besides his aged widow, Mr. Welsh is survived by a brother, Robert Welsh, of Oregon, who is past 90 years of age, and by six children—John W. Welsh, Columbus Welsh, Webster Welsh, Mrs. M. McAlpine, Mrs. W. A. Ward, and Mrs. Teany Walsh, all of this city. A score or more of grand- and great-grandchildren also survive the deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Welsh had been married for over sixty-three years. Mrs. Welsh has been seriously ill for some time. The devotion of the two has been beautiful to behold. Refusing to be out of each other's sight, they have occupied beds side by side in the same room. Despite their illness, so solicitous has been the regard of one for the other that the least change for the worse in the condition of either would be instantly noted in a similar change in the other.

The funeral will be conducted from the family home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Gilman B. Merrill will be in charge.

FALEGER, Mrs. J. A. (Adelena)

Oroville Daily Register

9-30-1912

OPERATION PROVES FATAL TO CHICO WOMAN

MRS. J. A. FALEGAR WAS NATIVE
OF THOMPSON FLAT AND
WELL KNOWN HERE.

News of the death of Mrs. J. A. Falegar, a sister of Mrs. George Strang, Louis Bottjer and Carl Bottjer, was received in this city yesterday afternoon from Chico. Mrs. Falegar died following a serious operation which was performed in an effort to save her life.

The deceased was 50 years of age, and was well known in Oroville. She was born at Thompson Flat and resided in this vicinity for many years. She had a host of friends in this city and vicinity, who will be pained to learn of her untimely demise.

Besides by her husband, Mrs. Falegar is survived by her aged mother, Mrs. Lucy Bottjer, of this city; two daughters—Mabel, teacher of the Yankee Hill school, and May, of Chico, and two sons—Clarence and Carl, both of this city.

The funeral arrangements have not been announced, but the interment will be in the Chico cemetery.

FALEGER, Mrs. Adelena J.

Chico Record

10-1-1912

FALEGER FUNERAL

TO BE HELD TODAY

DECEASED A NATIVE OF BUTTE,
RESIDENT IN COUNTY
ALL HER LIFE

Mrs. Adelena J. Faleger, wife of A. Faleger, a prominent livestock man of Butte county for the last half century, died at the family home, 402 Butte street, Barber, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, following an operation and an illness extending over a period of three weeks.

The deceased was born at Thomas' Flat, near Oroville, fifty years ago. She had lived in Butte county all her life, except for one year. For the last eight years the family has resided in Chico.

Mrs. Faleger was known to many in Oroville and Chico and had many friends.

The funeral will be held from the parlors of Feters and Williams at 10 o'clock this morning and burial will be in the local cemetery. Rev. W. A. Hunter of the Presbyterian church will officiate at the services.

The deceased is survived by a husband, J. A. Faleger, and four children, Carleton, Clarence, Mae and Mabel Faleger.

CABLE (DITZLER), Mrs. Elizabeth
The Gridley Herald
10-12-1912



AGED RESIDENT ANSWERS THE
SUMMONS OF THE DEATH
ANGEL

After a long and useful life and after more than three-quarters of a century passed amid scenes in east and west Mrs. Elizabeth Ditzler Cable, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Schirmer, of this city, Thursday, Oct. 10.

The funeral will be held today from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Schirmer at 3 o'clock.

Elizabeth Ditzler Cable was born in Greenville, Ohio, Mar. 12, 1836, being past seventy-six years of age at the time of her death. When a child her parents moved to Chicago, then a little town. There she spent her childhood. Later the family moved to Naperville, Ill., where she met and married Andrew Cable.

Shortly after their marriage the young couple started (April 1, 1854) with an emigrant train, for the California goldfields.

There were in the train twelve families and many young men seeking adventure. They had sixty wagons drawn by oxen, taking six months to make the trip.

They met many hardships on the route, and in order to keep peace with the Indians, gave them yokes of oxen until the number in the train was reduced to less than half what they had when they started. Trunks of clothing and other articles were also given.

Mrs. Cable and her husband located in Butte county, where she resided for more than fifty years.

Mrs. Cable was the mother of seven children, of whom six survive her, they being Samuel J. Cable, of Likely, Mrs. J. E. Whisler, of Pentz, Mrs. A. C. Trevey, of Vallejo, Drew E. Cable, of Chico, Mrs. Edward Schirmer, of Gridley, and Miss Esther E. Cable, of Gridley. Her husband and eldest son preceded her to the beyond almost fifteen years ago.

Mrs. Cable had seventeen grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

Since the death of her husband she has made her home almost continuously with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Schirmer, of Gridley.

WILKIE, George
The Oroville Mercury
10-28-1912

DREDGERMAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

**WELL KNOWN LOCAL RESIDENT
SUCCOMBS AT HOME ON
BIRD STREET**

George Wilkie, a well known local resident, died at his home, 904 Bird street, early this morning after a long illness. He was surrounded by the members of his family when the end came. Wilkie was a dredgerman and had resided in Oroville for many years. Beside his wife, Eva Wilkie, he leaves a father, J. B. Wilkie, 11-year-old daughter, Georgia, two brothers, D. F. and J. D. Wilkie, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Lane, all of Oroville.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the family residence and will be privately conducted.

AGED FATHER DIES DAY AFTER HIS SON'S DEMISE

WILKIE, John Benjamin
The Oroville Mercury
10-29-1912

GRIM REAPER TAKES TWO OF WILKIE FAMILY WITHIN 24 HOURS

The Grim Reaper took another member of the Wilkie family today when John Benjamin Wilkie, aged 84 years, succumbed to the infirmities of old age at his home in this city. The aged man, a resident of Butte county for the past fifty-four years, had been in failing health for eight months. Death relieved his sufferings shortly after 6 o'clock this morning at precisely the same hour his son, George Wilkie, succumbed to an incurable illness yesterday.

John Benjamin Wilkie was a native of Germany, born of sturdy German stock, and came unaccompanied by his relatives, to the United States when a lad in his 'teens. In the early 60's Wilkie mined in the Sierras and he had often recited thrilling tales of adventure incident to the pioneer days which would make his listeners shudder.

The dead man was widely known in Butte and Yuba counties. His illness was of a paralytic nature and he had been unable to leave the house for months. He was out of his mind yesterday and died without knowing that his son had preceded him to the grave.

One sister, Mrs. Mary Lague, who resides in Oro Vista, and two brothers, J. D. and B. F. Wilkie, are the only surviving relatives.

Funeral services are to be conducted at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of the son, B. F. Wilkie, with Father Dermody of the Catholic church in charge. The interment will be in the Oroville cemetery.

Funeral services for the son, George Wilkie, are to be conducted at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the family residence, 904 Bird street. The latter services will be private.

LOTT, Harry C. (Henry) Oroville Daily Register

11-23-1912

FORMER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY IN OAKLAND

NEWS IS RECEIVED OF DEATH
OF HARRY LOTT, FORMERLY
OF CHEROKEE.

A dispatch received yesterday from Oakland by Mrs. F. W. Kroeger conveyed the news of the death of Harry Lott, a former well known resident of Butte County. The deceased was about 65 years of age, and resided here for many years, until he left his old home at Cherokee about ten years ago and located in Oakland, where for a number of years he conducted a successful grocery business. He was employed at Cherokee for years as a book-keeper.

The remains will be brought to this city, and the funeral will be held on Monday, at an hour to be announced later. The remains will be interred in the Cherokee Cemetery, beside those of the wife of the deceased.

The dead man was a brother-in-law of Hank Bader, of Cherokee, and Charles Bader, of Magalia. Five nieces—Mrs. F. W. Kroeger, of Oroville; Mrs. Chester Storey, of Stirling City; Mrs. Heinrich, of San Francisco; Mrs. Mowrey, of San Francisco, and Mrs. Weaver, of San Francisco, also survive the deceased. A daughter, Mrs. Block, of Oakland, is also left as a survivor of the deceased.

LOTT, Henry C.
Oroville Daily Register
11-26-1912

**CHEROKEE FRIENDS
GATHER AT
FUNERAL**

SERVICES HELD YESTERDAY
OVER REMAINS OF THE LATE
HENRY C. LOTT.

The funeral of the late Henry C. Lott took place yesterday afternoon at Cherokee. The services were attended by a large number of the old friends of the deceased.

The funeral services were conducted under the auspices of Table Mountain Lodge, Number 124, F. and A. M. J. M. Park acted as Worshipful Master. The pall-bearers were T. M. James, Daniel Williams, J. F. Lynch, J. G. Jones, Joseph Miller Jr. and J. W. Burleson.

There were a large number of beautiful floral offerings.

The funeral was under the direction of Reynolds and Hamilton.

JONES, John D.
Oroville Daily Register
12-2-1912

RESIDENT OF FIFTIES DIED IN SACRAMENTO

J. D. JONES, PIONEER CHEROKEE
RESIDENT, WILL BE BURIED
THERE TUESDAY.

J. D. Jones, formerly one of the pioneer residents of the Cherokee section, and who is widely known to the older residents in this section of Butte County, has passed away, according to news received from Sacramento yesterday. The deceased came to Cherokee in the early fifties, and mined in that section for many years.

He was a native of Wales, where he was born, March 25, 1833. He is survived by three daughters and one son.

The funeral will be held at Cherokee to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in the Cherokee Cemetery.

JONES, John D.
Oroville Daily Register

12-4-1912

INTERMENT OF PIONEER IS HELD AT CHEROKEE

The funeral services over the remains of the late John D. Jones, who passed away in Sacramento, were held at Cherokee yesterday afternoon, the services being conducted by the Rev. A. H. Shepherd, of the First Methodist Church. A choir composed of Mrs. C. S. Campbell, Miss Maud Darby and Miss Nellie Wilson, rendered several selections, both at the residence and at the grave.

Interment was in the Cherokee Cemetery. The pall-bearers were W. L. Whelan, J. L. Jones, T. N. James, Daniel Williams, Joseph Miller and Charles Campbell.

DEATH CLAIMS ONE OF BUTTE'S OLDEST RESIDENTS

MRS. DURBAN SUCCUMBED YESTERDAY FORENOON AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS.

Mrs. Margaretta Lugg Durban, a resident of Butte County for the past fifty-five years, passed away after a lingering illness at her home, on High Street, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Pneumonia was the cause of the demise of the aged lady.

Mrs. Durban was born in Cornwall, England, on March 4, 1834. She came to the United States at the age of 17. She came to California in 1857, coming via the Isthmus. In the same year she went to Cherokee.

In the early seventies she was married to Charles L. Durban, the wedding being solemnized at Messila Valley. For many years she resided with her husband on the Durban ranch. This ranch was one of the largest and most fertile in the Pentz section, and it was there that the first raisins ever made in the United States were cured by Mr. Durban. This ranch is now a portion of the P. R. Welsh estate, having been sold by Mrs. Durban a number of years ago.

Ten years ago Mrs. Durban removed to this city, and had since continuously resided here.

Mrs. Durban was a charter member of Cherokee Rebekah Lodge, Number 18. For a number of years she was a district deputy of that order.

The funeral will be held from the deceased's late residence, on High Street, at 10 o'clock next Monday morning. The services will be conducted under the auspices of the Rebekahs. Interment will be in the Cherokee cemetery.

The deceased is survived by two daughters by a former marriage. They are Henrietta E. Stewart and Mary E. Stewart.

DURBAN (LUGG), Mrs. Margaretta
Oroville Daily Register
12-14-1912

DURBAN (LUGG), Margareta
Oroville Mercury Register
12-17-1912

MANY PAID TRIBUTE TO PIONEER WOMAN

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR LATE
MRS. DURBAN HELD
YESTERDAY.

A large number of sorrowing friends, who had known the deceased during her long residence of fifty-five years in Butte County, gathered at the Durban residence, on High Street, yesterday forenoon to pay their last respects to the late Mrs. Margareta Lugg Durban.

The funeral service was conducted at 10 o'clock by the Rev. D. E. Holt, of St. John's Episcopal Church. A choir, composed of Mrs. M. E. Phares and Mrs. J. H. Bullard, rendered a number of hymns at the residence and at the graveside.

At the Cherokee cemetery, where the remains were laid at rest, the service was conducted by the Cherokee lodge of Rebekahs, assisted by the Oroville Rebekahs.

There were a large number of floral offerings, that gave mute testimony to the esteem in which the pioneer lady was held.

The following acted as pall-bearers: Charles Thunen, David Williams, T. K. Williams, Fred Faul, W. A. Ward, and M. L. Copeland.

SORENSEN (Campbell), Mrs. Neil (Annie)
Oroville Mercury
12-21-1912

MRS. NEIL SORENSON DIES IN ORO VISTA

Mrs. Neil Sorenson, for many years a resident of this county, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Camp, in Oro Vista last evening. Death was due to the infirmities of old age, following a general breaking down of the system.

The deceased was one of the pioneer residents of Butte county. She first resided in the county near Butte Creek. Later the family moved to a place six miles north of the city, where she resided until recent years. She had resided at the Camp home for several years.

The funeral will be held from the Camp residence in Oro Vista next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Sorenson was a native of Ireland, aged 88 years. She is survived by three daughters—Mrs. A. E. Camp and Mrs. Alex Wilson of Oroville, and Mrs. Shelley Lee of Sundale. A brother—Robert Campbell, a resident of Sundale—is also left to survive.