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Waters, Rock; and Herman Hamel, Valle.

## OLD SETTLER'S ASSN.

Back in September of 1891 a group of Jefferson County residents held a reunion at Bethlehem Church. W.H.H. Thomas was president and R. W. McMullin served as secretary. The second reunion was held at Hillsboro in September of 1892, and the third one in Herculaneum, Sept 1, 1894. The fourth reunion was held at Plattin, Sept. 6, 1895.

According to the 1895 minutes "after all had partaken of a sumptuous picnic dinner, the committee almost too full for utterance," got their heads together and made some recommendations to the group as a whole.

1. That this association shall be known as the Old Settler's Association of Jefferson County Missouri. 2. That anyone having attained the age of 50 years and having lived in Jefferson County for the past 20 years may become a member by giving their name, age, and time of residence in this county. 3. The object of this association shall be for the purpose of meeting annually to form new acquaintances and strengthen old friendships.

4. Officers shall be a president, vice-president, secretary (who shall also serve as treasurer in case any funds accrue,) and an executive committee composed of one member from each township in the county. The first set of officers were: President: John T. McMullin,

## Old Settler's Reunion

Meeting of the Executive Committee, in  
DeSoto, Mo.

July 10, 1896.

Committee met at J.L. Farley's office.  
Present: J.D. Hearst, Sumner Jewett, L.K.  
Waters, Herman Hamel. Absent, John. T.  
Byrd, R.W. McMullin and B. Sullens. There  
were also present, John. T. McMullin,  
president, and T.S. Byrd, secretary.

After considering the impropriety of holding the reunion on the second day of the Jefferson Co. Fair, as had been recommended at the last annual picnic held at Plattin, a motion placed by H. Hamel and seconded by J.D. Hearst that our next annual reunion be held on the DeSoto Fairgrounds Sept. 26, 1896, was unanimously adopted. H. Hamel and T.S. Byrd were elected committee on arrangements.

Mr. Hamel guaranteed the use of the Fairgrounds, without charge to the O.S.A., and in return for which, Mr. Waters moved that the Fair Association be allowed the rents accruing from the refreshment booths, etc. This motion was adopted. Mr. Hamel having charge of that matter for the Fair Association fits in very nicely for his service on this committee.

The committee then headed a program, which is to be completed by Mr. Hamel and the secretary.

A motion by Mr. Waters as follows was then proposed and carried:- Any games of moral character can be arranged with Mrs. Hamel and Byrd on the grounds or by arranging previously with them.

A suggestion that any one having in his possession any old relics of any description, please bring along to the anniversary on Sept. 26th.

The Executive Committee instructed the secretary that he emphasize in the notices to the county press, the fact that the picnic dinner was to be a free basket dinner.

It being necessary to have a little funds to defray incidental expenses, each member of the executive committee present donated twenty-five cents, making a total of one dollar placed to the credit of the Association.

The Sec'y was instructed to secure a record book in which a minute of all meetings should be kept.

There being no further business to transact, the committee adjourned to meet again at the Jeff. Co. Fairgrounds, Sept. 26, 1896.

J.T. McMullin, chairman T.S. Byrd, secretary.

### INTRODUCING CHARLOTTE

Charlotte Maness has contributed greatly to our Jefferson County history by going through the microfilms of old Jefferson County news-papers and entering items of historical and genealogical interest on her computer. The result is 13 notebooks of information, all indexed which are in the De Soto Public Library collection. This amounts to hours and hours of work. We asked Charlotte to tell us something about herself and so she did.

"By profession I am a surgical technician at St. Anthony's Hospital in Denver, CO, and have been there for 26 years. I grew up listening to my father telling me that he was the 'only one in the family.' When his mother died I came into possession of a huge box of

pictures. Some of them were of MANESS', in Elk Creek, Texas County, MO. One picture in particular was a school picture with seven Maness children in it, including William Riley Maness, my grandfather. That started my trek in the ROOT cellar so to speak. I tracked down those Maness' and found I still had living cousins in Elk Creek. One thing led to another and I eventually ended up in Jefferson County.

What started me on my newspaper project? I originally started looking for a death notice of some kind for my esteemed G-G-grandfather Elijah Maness Jr., who with his father and two of his father's brothers, Ephraim and Elisha Maness/Manis settled in Jefferson County around 1833-35. I have never found a death notice for the 'old man,' and doubt that I ever will because he was a pauper. I did find notice where Elijah's son William Riley Maness (not my grandfather) had been granted \$10.00 to purchase burial clothes for a pauper. What would be more fitting than for a son to bury his father?

One thing led to another and now several years later I am still working on my newspaper. The De Soto Public Library has my 'latest' book on file. My greatest hope is that I have been of some help to my 'friends' there in Missouri. In Denver I am very involved in the Colorado marriage index. We are indexing marriages by bride from 1939-1959. A project that takes a lot of time and patience, but is also very rewarding. I am also involved in the USGenWeb census project and am indexing the 1850 census for Jefferson County, which will eventually be in the De Soto Library." (CManess@Lescom.org)

### INTERNET INFO

Patty Frazer is the new County Coordinator for the Jefferson County MOGen Web Project. ([www.rootsweb.com/~mojeffer/index.html](http://www.rootsweb.com/~mojeffer/index.html)). Available on this site will be cemetery records and Charlotte Maness' newspaper items.

## NEELY PAUPER CEMETERY

Dave Halleman

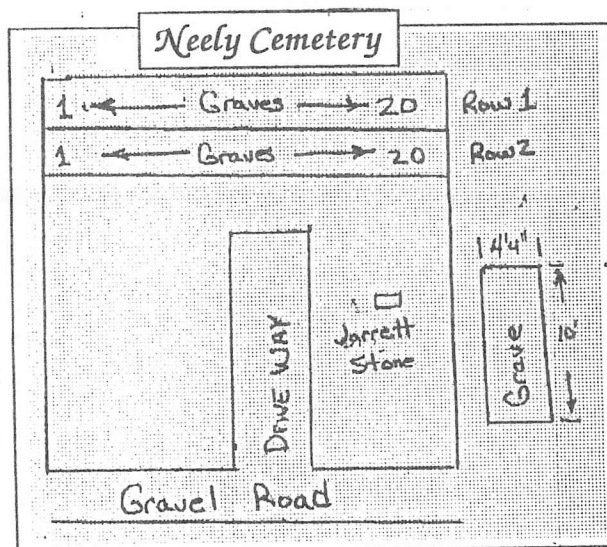
This cemetery is located in the east half of the northwest quarter of Township 40, Range 4, Section 30. Go west on Hgy. Y from De Soto to the intersection of Tin House Road, make a left "south" onto a gravel road directly across from Tin House. Continue down the gravel for about a half mile. The cemetery is on the right (west) side of the road. It is a field one acre in size along the gravel lane.

This tract was owned in 1876 by R. L. Blackmer who had 120 acres and a building on it. In 1898 it was owned by Fritz Glass who had 80 acres and a building on the site. According to a Post Dispatch article by Benjamin Israel, Ralph Krodinger states the property was deeded to the county by the Neely family before his first term of

office in 1971. Krodinger said the Neely family was from St. Louis. "They had buried some of their ancestors there, but they had no use for it so they gave it to us." At this time I do not know where paupers were buried before 1982, but I intend to research this and report on the results.

I obtained the names of those buried there from the County Commission Office at the Courthouse. The list is included in this newsletter. There is also a section in the Hillsboro Cemetery that the County used for pauper graves. That list is also included. Many of these people simply outlived all of their relatives. There was no one left living to bury them. In the case of Carol Mills, when the family learned of her death, they reclaimed the body to give it a proper burial.

Row/Grave	Name	Date of burial
R1 G1	SMITH, Margie L.	3 December 1985
R1 G2	MARLER, Charlie	23 December 1985
R1 G3	BECKSHIRE, Thodis	22 September 1986
R1 G4	ORGILL, Margaret	28 November 1986
R1 G5	LANDEMANN, George	29 July 1987
R1 G6	BARBER, Paul	30 November 1987
R1 G7	LOHMAN, Chester	4 January 1988
R1 G8	NASSER, Robert	10 March 1988
R1 G9		
R1 G10		
R1 G11		
R1 G12	NEJDL, Milo	15 November 1993
R1 G13	RICE, Mary	5 April 1994
R1 G14	ROACH, Robert	26 May 1994
R1 G15	ARNDT, Alvin	20 September 1994 (1)
R1 G16	STEVENS, Charlotte	8 December 1994
R1 G17	TAYLOR, John	19 May 1995
R1 G18		
R1 G19		
R1 G20	TAYLOR, Lucille	18 December 1995
R2 G1		
R2 G2	MEREN, Arthur	26 August 1988
R2 G3	DECKER, Lena	20 December 1988
R2 G4 *	TURNBO, Kenneth	15 November 1991
R2 G5	THOMAS, Donald	15 November 1990
R2 G6	FOUTCH, Cora	30 July 1991
R2 G7	FINNEY, Anna	18 November 1991
R2 G8	KLEEKAMP, Louella	23 December 1991
R2 G9 **	DWYER, James	24 December 1992
R2 G10	WALSH, Luke	26 April 1993
R2 G11	OWENS, Albert W.	15 July 1993
R2 G12		
R2 G13	LOESCH, John	4 June 1996
R2 G14	NAEVE, Robert	19 November 1996
R2 G15	HOGAN, Pearl	27 June 1997
R2 G16 ***	BLACKMORE, Lonnie (F)	12 November 1998
R2 G17		
R2 G18		
R2 G19		
R2 G20		

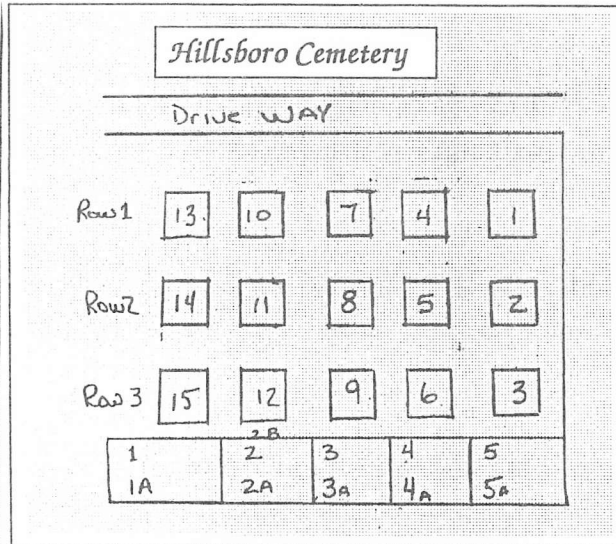


\*R2 G4 After Carol Mills' body was removed Kenneth Turnbo was buried here as listed on the map.

\*\*Dwyer on list. Map says Dyer or Oyer. List is probably correct as it is from the County Commissioner's Office.

Only monument found says JARRETT. Beneath that is Thomas M. 1890-1961 and Annie M. 1898. Dietrich Funeral Home Records say Thomas was born 5 Sept. 1890, died 11 June, 1961. 70 yrs. 9 mo. 6 days. His parents were Richard and Mary Ann (Moden) Jarrett.

**PAUPER BURIALS IN HILLSBORO CEMETERY**



Row/Grave	Name	Date of Burial
R1 G1	Vannort, Irene	1982
R1 G1-A*	Dobbs Baby	
R1 G4	Jones, Walter	15 Oct. 1982
R1 G7**	Unknown	27 Jly 1982
R1 G10***	Grider, Julia	1 Sept 1984
R1 G13	Presson, Anthony	25 June '85
R2 G2	Bakker, Edward	1982
R2 G2A	*Thekart	
R2 G2B	*Kertz	
R2 G5	Stanley, George	23 Dec 1982
R2 G8	Weist, Marie A.	22 Sept 1983
R2 G14	Clasemann, Fred	12 Jly 1985
R3 G6	Lowman, Jessie	1983
R3 G9	Cook, Marie	26 June 1984
R3 G12	Nolan, Patrick	5 Mar 1984
R3 G15	Green, Lucille	20 Aug 1985

\*It appears from records that more than one person is buried in these graves.

\*\* If my memory serves me correct, I believe this was a body found in the Mississippi River.

\*\*\* Map shows burial date of Sept. 7.

**OUR READERS WRITE**

I would like to make an additional clarification of one of the gravestones in the Stafford Cemetery mentioned in the issue of February 1999.

I was out there 2-3 years ago and I know that the broken stone (grave marker) is indeed that of the wife of William Miller Hearst. Her name was Mary "Polly" Blair Hearst.

Also the question marks on the Longs are James A. and Isabelle Hearst Long. She was the daughter of William and Mary above.

Shala Shore Huff

**REMINDER**

Your yearly dues of \$10.00 includes the cost of the newsletter. If you have not paid your 1999 dues yet, send your check for \$10.00 to Betty Olson, 712 South Main Street, De Soto, MO.

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Here lies one Wood enclosed in wood,  
One wood within another.  
The outer wood is very good,  
We cannot praise the other.

Written on a tombstone in Winslow Maine  
(From "The Last Laugh" Gail Peterson, c1968)

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**OLD SETTLERS LIST  
JEFFERSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

JOINED	NAME	AGE	CAME FROM	YRS RESIDENT	DIED	
1912	JAMES ACKERSON	91	MO			
1910	FRED J. AHRENS	65	GERMANY	25		
1910	MRS. FRED AHRENS	55	ILLINOIS	25		
1898	FLORENCE ARNOLD	64		53	BY 1905	
1898	SERVIA ARNOLD	63		53	BY 1905	
1901	L. D. ASHCRAFT	56	KENTUCKY	27		
1901	MS. L.D. ASHCRAFT	55	MO	55		
1910	G. A. AUERSWALD	54	NEW YORK	30		
1901	MISS CLARA BAGE	61	MO	61		
1895	HENRY BAILEY	72	MO	72	DANBY	BY 1904
1897	J. M. BAILEY	76	MO	76	FESTUS	ABT 1905
1904	MRS. J.M. BAILEY	73	VIRGINIA	66		
1899	FRANK BALDWIN	73	MO	73	1903	
1896	G. M. BARR	65	PENN.	28	DE SOTO	1904
1898	EMANUEL BECK	67		59	2/3/1905	
1898	E. BERGMAYER	50	GERMANY	46	BY 1905	
1898	SEBASTIAN BERNNER	51		22	BY 1905	
1899	B. C. BERRY	54		54	BY 1905	
1899	MRS. B. C BERRY	53	IRELAND	32	1922	
1898	MRS. MARY BEYERSDORF	60		34	BY 1905	
1898	FRED BEYERSDORF	82	GERMANY	33	6/1/1902	
1899	F. H. BLACKMAN	66	MO	20	MOVED-1905	
1899	MS. F.H. BLACKMAN	63	MO	20		
1899	J. S. BLACKWELL	59	IRELAND	59	VICTORIA	
1902	MICHAEL BOEMLER	64	GERMANY	47		
1898	DANIEL BONACRE	71	GERMANY	50	BY 1905	
1896	L. DOW BOWEN	59	KENTUCKY	41	DE SOTO	BY 1905
1895	WM. G. BOYCE	50	MO	35	McCORMIC	
1903	W. D. BOYD	52	MO	52		
1903	MRS. W.D. BOYD	51	MO	51		
1897	R. T.BRADY	51	NEW YORK	45	FESTUS	1901
1895	GEO. BRECKENRIDGE	60	MO	52	DE SOTO	
1895	MRS. GEO. BRECKENRIDGE	56	MO	56	DE SOTO	
1896	MRS. M.E. BRICKEY	50	ILL.	41	DE SOTO	1905
1896	DR. F.A. BRICKEY	65	MO	51	DE SOTO	1905
1904	AUGUST BRINKMAN	61	GERMANY	28	BY 1905	
1899	MRS. M. E. BROWN	57	MO	50		
1900	JOHN BROWN	57	AUSTRALIA	2M	MOVED-1905	
1896	D. W. BRYANT	65	MO	65	PEVELY	ABT 1905
1896	JOHN T. BURGESS	52	MO	52	DE SOTO	4/10/1899
1899	ELIJAH BURGESS	63	MO	63		
1899	MS.ELIJAH BURGESS	58	MO	58		
1898	ADAM BUSCH	52		50		
1898	JOHN BUSCH	54		50		BY 1905
1895	JOHN T. BYRD	68	MO	68	PLATTIN	4/20/1897
1896	G. W. BYRD	53	MO	53	DE SOTO	



JOINED	NAME	AGE	CAME FROM	YRS. RESIDENT	DIED	
1897	THOS. CALDWELL	52	ENGLAND	37	HEMATITE	
1896	J. C. CAPE	72	MO	51	DE SOTO	10/13/1903
1901	MS. M. J. CAPE	63	MO	40		
1897	T. A. CHARLES	61	MO	31	PEVELY	BEFOR-1904
1897	MRS. T.A. CHARLES	69	MO	69	PEVELY	
1899	D. L. CLEMENS	70	IRELAND	29	1905	
1899	MS. D. L. CLEMENS	64	MO	64	BY 1905	
1895	MRS. P.H. COLE	70	MO	70	DE SOTO	BY 1906
1911	REV. D.W. CROW	70	N.C.	25		
1908	J. H. CRULL					
1895	MRS. P. CUNNINGHAM	67	MO	21	FESTUS	
1897	JOHN DAVIS	53	MO	34	HEMATITE	
1897	MRS. JOHN DAVIS	50	MO	50	HEMATITE	1900
1898	C. E. DELF	60	GERMANY	30		
1897	SARAH C. DENO	51	MO	51	DE SOTO	
1897	MISS SUE DEWITT	55	MO	55	FESTUS	
1895	E. F. DONNELL	63	MO	63	HEMATITE	
1896	JAS. N. DONNELL	59	MO	59	JARVIS	
1912	THOMAS J. DONNELL	73	MO			
1911	MRS. TOM DONNELL	63	MO			
1901	J. B. DOVER	75	MO	75	VICTORIA	SEPT 1904
1908	JOHN DRISSELL					
1898	THEODORE EHRICHS	54	GERMANY	27		BY 1905
1897	DR. G.W.N ELDERS	55	MO	32	HEMATITE	
1896	L. J. FARLEY, SR.	68	TENN	42	DE SOTO	1903
1899	SULLIVAN FRAZIER	78	MO	73	1/3/1905	
1899	MRS. A. FERRELL	64	MO	64		
1899	MRS. OLIVE FITCH	55	MO	31		
1903	WM. FLEMING	54	MO	54		
1903	MRS. W.M.FLEMING	52		36		
1898	GEORGE FLINS	64		38	BY 1905	
1897	MARY FOSTER	70	INDIANA	57	DE SOTO	
1899	MS .E. COON FRISSELL	55	MO	55		1907
1899	MRS. W. FRISSELL	81	MASS	81		
1895	CHRIS FUNK	65	GERMANY	34	DANBY	BY 1910
1897	MRS. A.B. GAMACHE	65	MO	65	DE SOTO	ABT 1905
1911	JAMES A. GAMACHE	56	MO	56		
1911	MRS. JAS. GAMACHE	56	MO	56		
1895	JOHN GAMEL	58	MO	48	FESTUS	
1900	W. A. GAMEL	54	MO	54		
1901	SARAH E. GERBER	50	MO	50		
1897	LOUIS D. GERBER, SR.	68	SWITZ.	30	HEMATITE	BY 1905
1896	JOHN GOWAN	62	INDIANA	37	DE SOTO	1905
1901	RESSON GOWAN	58	INDIANA	47		SEPT 1902
1904	CATHARINE GOWAN	58	MO	58		1905
1898	M. W. GREENE	68		45		BY 1905
1895	JOE GRIFFIN	60	MO	37	RUSHTOWER	1904
1898	FRANZ GRIMM	80	GERMANY	49		10/1/1904
1895	T. W. GUY	64	OHIO	30	KIMMSWICK	LEFT 1902
1898	PHILIP HAEFNER	53		41		
1904	LOUIS HALTER	60	MO	50		BY 1905

JOINED	NAME	AGE	CAME FROM	YRS RESIDENT	DIED	
1909	W. F. HALTER	51	MO			
1895	GUST HAMEL	64	MO	64	DE SOTO	
1896	HERMAN HAMEL	59	GERMANY	41	DE SOTO	
1897	MS. HERMAN HAMEL	57	GERMANY	54	DE SOTO	BY 1905
1901	MRS. A. HAMMOND	83	KENTUCKY	21	BY 1905	
1896	C.H.R. HANCOCK	62	ENGLAND	20	DE SOTO	
1898	MS. NANCY HARLOW	87		69	10/2/1904	
1897	W. HARMONY	82	PENN.	35	DE SOTO	ABT 1900
1899	J. R. HARRISON	64	MO	64		
1899	MRS. J.R. HARRISON	54	MO	54		
1899	J.W. HAVERSTICK	52	MO	52		
1896	SUSA HAVERSTICK	65	MO	65	DE SOTO	APRIL 1904
1897	P.R HAVERSTICK	55	MO	55	VICTORIA	ACCDNT1902
1899	WM. J. HAVERSTICK	62	IRELAND	62		BY 1905
1901	MS. W.J HAVERSTICK	61	MO	61		
1897	S.R. HAWKINS	55	IRELAND	30	HEMATITE	
1896	J. D. HEARST	69	MO	43	VINELAND	BY 1905
1908	CHARLES HEMME	65	GERMANY	40		
1909	W.E.HOARD	51	MO	48		
1898	M. HOFFARTH	53		24	BY 1905	
1901	MS .RACHEL HOHENTHAL	55	MARYLAND	33		
1896	H. H. HOHENTHOL	58	GERMANY	7	DE SOTO	1909
1899	GEORGE HOHL	55	MO	45		
1897	WM. F. HOLT	63	ENGLAND	30	FESTUS	BY 1905
1897	MS. WM. F HOLT	56	ILLINOIS	30	FESTUS	
1896	JAMES HOPSON	51	INDIANA	29	DE SOTO	1905
1896	MRS. JAS. HOPSON	51	INDIANA	29	DE SOTO	
1896	JOHN HOPSON	65	IND	44	DE SOTO	BY 1905
1902	MRS. JOHN HOPSON	70	KENTUCKY	50		
1912	JOHN HUBELI	50	MO			
1896	NELSON HUNT	60	MO	60	DE SOTO	
1898	MS.SOPHIA HUNT	67	MO	67	ABT 1905	
1898	MS. ELIZ. HUNT	52	MO	52		
1898	RALPH HUNT	59	MO	59		
1895	JAMES IRVINE	95	IRELAND	50	FESTUS	10/19/1899
1895	W. S. JEWETT	68	MO	42	CRYSTAL CITY	BY 1910
1901	MRS. W.S. JEWETT	68	MO	55		BY 1905
1899	W. H. JONES	54	MO	54		
1903	CHAS. KING	50		23		
1896	W. J. KIRK	67	SCOTLAND	53	MAXVILLE	7/24/1905
1896	MRS. W.J. KIRK	65	SCOTLAND	53	MAXVILLE	ABT. 1905
1895	WM. KLEINSCHMIDT	56	GERMANY	35	FLUCOM	
1895	LOUIS KLEINSCHMIDT	53	GERMANY	35	FLUCOM	
1895	MRS. L KLEINSCHMIDT	51	GERMANY	31	FLUCOM	
1898	ZAVIER KOHLER	57	MO	53		
1898	SEBASTIAN KOHLER	52	MO	52	BY 1905	
1898	HENRY KOHR	64	GERMANY	38		
1897	MS. HETTY LAFFOON	79	MO	79	HORINE	8/7/1899
1904	C. L. LANHAM	57	MO	57	MOVED-	1905
1896	J. J. LEAGUE	57	MO	57	KNORPP	

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1895	THOS. J. LEE	60	MO	60	HEMATITE	1910
1897	C. F. LEE	65	MO	65	HEMATITE	
1902	J. T. LEE	60	MO	60		BY 1905
1911	PETER LEE	51	MO	51		
1896	HENRY LEPP	53	MO	43	DE SOTO	
1896	JOHN J. LEVALL	64	KENTUCKY	20	DE SOTO	1905
1896	MRS. JOHN LEVALL	55	TENN.	20	DE SOTO	3/3/1905
1895	TOM LYNCH	60	IRELAND	30	PLATTIN	ABOUT 1902
1899	MRS.E.A. Le BAUM	82	MO	80		1903
1897	R. E. MACKBEE	64	MARYLAND	39	HORINE	8/20/1900
1897	MS.R.E.MACKBEE	62	MO	62	HORINE	ABT 1905
1895	R. G. MADISON	57	MO	22	FESTUS	BY 1912
1896	MINERVA MANESS	54	MO	54	DE SOTO	
1901	MRS. MARY MANESS	59	ARKANSAS	41		
1899	G. E. MARSDEN	53	IRELAND	53	VICTORIA	
1896	JAMES MARTIN	58	PENN.	--	HORINE	1901
1898	GEORGE MARTIN	67	MO	43	BY 1904	
1898	JOHN MAYE	56	MO	36		
1897	JAMES L. MEDLEY	51	MO	51	HEMATITE	MOVED-1904
1896	W.M. MEESE	57	N.C.	36	DE SOTO	
1898	JOHN MILLER	68		52		
1904	KARL MILLER	70	GERMANY	49		
1895	H. MOEHLMANN	53	GERMANY	25	DE SOTO	
1898	B. F. MOOREHOUSE	68	MO	32		BY 1905
1897	R.G. MORGAN	55	ILLINOIS	27	HEMATITE	1905
1897	MS. R. G. MORGAN	55	OHIO	27	HEMATITE	
1909	SAMUEL MORRIS	63	CANADA			
1899	JAS. T. MOSS	72	MO	72		
1895	JAMES McCARTY	86	TENN	60	McCORMIC	4/??/1899
1895	JAS. T. McCLAIN	56	MO	56	PLATTIN	
1895	MRS. J.T. McCLAIN	54	MO	54	PLATTIN	BY 1905
1895	W. J. McCONNELL	60	MO	60	KOESTER	1903
895	G. M. McCORMACK	55	MO	55	PLATTIN	BY 1904
1895	HARDY McCORMACK	72	MO	72	McCORMIC	3/9/1903
895	MRS. HARDY McCORMACK	64	MO	64	PLATTIN	7/8/1900
1895	MITCHELL McCORMACK	72	MO	72	McCORMIC	BY 1910
1895	MRS.MITCH McCORMACK	53	MO	53	McCORMIC	
1895	JAS. I.McCORMACK	65	MO	52	McCORMIC	BY 1910
1897	W. S. McCORMACK	60	MO	60	PLATTIN	1905
11895	MRS. W.S. McCORMACK	54	MO	54	PLATTIN	1909
1896	REED McCORMACK	65	MO	65	HEMATITE	10/19/1900
1896	MRS. P. A McCORMACK	53	MO	53	DE SOTO	
11899	O. A. McCORMACK	59	IRELAND	59	VICTORIA	BY 1905
1897	C. E. McCREERY	56	MO	56	DE SOTO	
1908	DAVID McDOWELL					
1903	MARY M. McFARLAND	65	MO	34		
1899	G.W. McFRY	56	MO	56		
1899	WM. McKAY	82	MO	82		1903
1899	MRS. WM. McKAY	55	MO	55		



JOINED	NAME	AGE	CAME FROM	YRS RESIDENT	DIED
1899	D. F. McKEE	65	IRELAND	65	VICTORIA 8/8/1913
1899	MS .D. F. McKEE	58	IRELAND	58	VICTORIA
1895	JOHN T. McMULLIN	66	MO	66	DE SOTO
1895	SAM W. McMULLIN	64	MO	55	DE SOTO 3/8/1902
1896	R. W. McMULLIN	54	MO	54	HILLSBORO 5/2/1903
1896	ROBT. W. McMULLIN	55	MO	55	DE SOTO
1896	MRS. SAM McMULLIN	59	MO	59	DE SOTO 9/7/1905
1896	MS. N.E. McMULLIN	57	MO	57	DE SOTO
1896	SAM P. McMULLIN	52	MO	52	DE SOTO
1897	SAMUEL E. McMULLIN	60	MO	60	DE SOTO 1905
1901	W. B. McMULLIN	64	MO	64	MOVED-1905
1901	E. J. McMULLIN	51	MO	51	
1901	MISS E.M. McMULLIN	62	MO	62	
1903	MRS. W.B. MCMULLIN	50	MO	50	
1904	J.LINDSEY McMULLIN	67	MO	67	
1904	J. CALVIN McMULLIN	52	MO	52	
1903	M. WHITE McNUTT	52		31	
1903	MRS. JAS. NORTH	59		37	
1903	ELIZABETH NORTHROP	59		36	
1898	MS.MARIA OGDEN	65		31	BY 1905
1896	ELBERT OGLE	63	MO	63	HEMATITE 1/1/1905
1896	MRS. OGLE	63	MO	63	HEMATITE
1898	JOHN OHEIM	53		23	
1912	JOS. T. PAGE	73	MO		
1903	MRS. M.C. PARK	78		44	
1903	D. M. PARK	53		44	
1898	MILTON PARKE	83	MO	45	7/5/1899
1898	PHILIP PARKE	51	MO	45	
1899	HENRIETTA PATTON	62	MO	62	1903
1899	GEO. W. PATTON	53	MO	53	VICTORIA
1899	MRS. N. PINSON	74	MO	70	
1900	MARGARET PINSON	68	MO	68	BY 1905
1896	AMY POPE	70	OHIO	35	HEMATITE
1912	T. M. POLITTE	51	MO		
1902	LOUIS PRATT	61	MO	61	
1902	MS. LOUIS PRATT	61	MO	61	
1895	LOUIS J. RANKIN	84	MO	84	DE SOTO 8/10/1897
1909	FRANCES REED	65	MO		
1898	JACOB REIHARDT	57	GERMANY	30	
1896	W. G. REPPY	54	MO	54	DE SOTO
1902	MRS. W.G. REPPY	50	MO	50	
1897	S.A. REPPY	61	MO	61	DE SOTO 8/30/1922
1897	MRS. S.A. REPPY	55	MO	55	DE SOTO 11/18/1918
1899	ROBERT RICHARDSON	57	MO	57	'BY 1905
1901	MRS. ROBT RICHARDSON	57	MO	57	
1904	SKELT T. RICHARDSON	54	MO	43	BY 1905
1895	SKELT RICHARDSON	75	VIRGINIA	62	KIMMSWICK BY 1910
1898	ELIZABETH RITTER	77	GERMANY	46	BY 1904
1896	MRS. HY. ROBERTS	65	KENTUCKY	51	DE SOTO 1903
1899	MS .KITTIE ROBERTSON	54	IRELAND	54	VICTORIA BY 1905

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1896	GEO. ROBINSON	54	MO	54	DE SOTO	
1897	C. RUPPEL	52	GERMANY	21	VICTORIA	
1912	JENNIE RUPPEL	50	MO			
1895	H. RUTHERFORD	52		45	JARVIS	
1896	CALEB SANDERS	59	MO	45	VICTORIA	
1901	WM. N SCOTT	60	TENN	22		
1898	HENRY SECKMAN	60	GERMANY	27	BY 1905	
1908	HENRY SEEMEL				died by 1905	
1896	R. H. SHUTE	57	MO	57	DE SOTO	
1896	MRS. R.H. SHUTE	55	MO	55	DE SOTO	
1898	G. SIEVERS	51		29		
1898	H. SIMON	53	GERMANY	45		
1897	EPHRAIM SMETZER, SR	71	PENN	39	FESTUS 1904	
1898	N. A. SMITH	57		20		
1900	A. L. STATEN	60	MO	27		
1901	MS. A.L. STATEN	63	MO	40	BY 1905	
1896	REV. GEO. STEELE	51	ENGLAND	29	HILLSBORO	
1904	HARRIET C STEWART	72	MO	72		
1900	LANDON STICKLAND	57	MO	57	BY 1905	
1903	MS.LANDON STICKLAND	52	MO	52		
1904	MRS. N.J. STRATMAN	68	MO	68		
1897	PETER STRICKLAND	65	MO	65	VICTORIA	
1896	GEO. W. SUBLETT	70	VA.	40	DE SOTO	1/12/1901
1896	MRS. GEO SUBLETT	62	MO	50	DE SOTO	ABT 1905
1896	JAMES SWALLOW	74	ENGLAND	29	DE SOTO	
1895	MRS. ELIZ SWEET	73		60	FESTUS	BY 1910
1896	GEO. SWEET	50	MO	50	McCORMIC	
1898	JOHN L. THOMAS	65	MO	53		
1898	MRS. JOHN THOMAS	61	MO	61		
1897	W.H.H. THOMAS(chtr)	58	MO	58	HILLSBORO	1903
1895	D. A. THOMPSON	69	MO	53	PLATTIN	BY 1910
1897	MRS. D.A.THOMPSON	68	MO	68	McCORMICK	BY 1905
1896	ED. THOMPSON	83	ENGLAND	30	DE SOTO	BY 1905
1898	JOSEPH TIEFENBRUN	70	GERMANY	45	1903	
1897	M. V. TILLISON	56	MO	56	HEMATITE	
1897	MRS. M.V. TILLISON	52	MO	52	HEMATITE	
1896	WM. TRIBOLET	53	OHIO	27	DE SOTO	
1910	JOHN J. TRIMBLE	51	OHIO	39		
1910	MRS. JOHN TRIMBLE	50	MO			
1899	JAMES VAUGHN	57	IRELAND	57	VICTORIA	
1899	MS. JAMES VAUGHN	54	IRELAND	54	VICTORIA	
1898	D. B. VEASEY	56	VERMONT	31	MOVED-CALIF	
1903	MRS.ELLA VINEYARD	51	MO	51		
1900	J. ED. WAGGENER	53	MO	53	BY 1905	
1898	JOHN WAGNER	69		35	BY 1905	
1897	GEORGE WALLACE	54	ILLINOIS	26	BELEW-CRK	MOVED 1905
1897	MRS .GEO. WALLACE	52	INDIANA	40	BELEW-CRK	MOVED 1905
1895	F. WALTHERS	77	GERMANY	45	DE SOTO	7/??/1897
1896	W.H. WASHBURN	76	MO	45	VICTORIA	ABT 1906
1898	MRS. FREEMAN WATERS	53		35		7/22/1899
1898	FREEMAN D. WATERS	58	MO	58		

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1898	ISRAEL D. WATERS	66		60	
1912	ALBERT WEASE	55	MO		
1912	MS.ALBERT WEASE	50	MO		
.1898	JOHN WENOM	61		44	BY 1905
1904	MARY M. WEYL	57	MO	57	MOVED-1905
1897	ANDY WHITEHEAD	50	MO	50	FESTUS ABT 1905
1904	MARY WHITEHEAD	60	MO	60	
1911	HIRAM WILLIAM	73	MO	73	
1896	W. J. WILLIAMS	73	KENTUCKY	55	DE SOTO 1902
1896	R. B. WILLIAMS	53	MO	53	DE SOTO
1901	MRS. R.B. WILLIAMS	53	MO	53	
1896	MRS. A. J WILLIAMS	64	MO	64	DE SOTO
1897	PETER WILLIAMS	57	MO	57	HEMATITE
1899	N. B. WILLIAMS	51	MO	51	
1899	A. D. WILLIAMS	60	MO	60	
1899	MS. A.D. WILLIAMS	60	MO	60	
1910	AUSTIN WILLIAMS	69	MO		
1896	J. A. WILSON	66	MO	66	DE SOTO 1910
1912	JOSH WILSON	71	MO		
1902	JOHN WINTZ	53	GERMANY	47	
1896	MS.EMILY WITSEL	60	OHIO	37	DE SOTO
1898	MRS. MARY YENGER	68		45	12/22/1900
1895	LOUIS YOUNG	65	GERMANY	42	DE SOTO BY 1910
1901	DELPHIA E. ZELTNER	53	MO	53	
1898	JOSEPH ZIEGELMEYER	67	GERMANY	39	BY 1904
1898	JOHN ZIEGLER	57	GERMANY	21	
1898	GEORGE ZIEGLER	54	GERMANY	45	

## JEFFERSON COUNTY TRIVIA

1. First Settler:
  - a. John Hildebrand
  - b. Thomas Fletcher
  - c. Adam House
2. First owner of Jefferson County Territory:
  - a. United States
  - b. France
  - c. Spain
3. Early settlers were basically:
  - a. English
  - b. Spanish
  - c. French
4. Year of the Louisiana Purchase:
  - a. 1803
  - b. 1801
  - c. 1804
5. Moses Austin laid out this town in 1808:
  - a. Festus
  - b. Kimmswick
  - c. Herculaneum
6. First shot tower west of Pittsburgh was in Herculaneum. Who built it:
  - a. John Maclot
  - b. Moses Austin
  - c. John Pyatt
7. Missouri became a state in:
  - a. 1825
  - b. 1821
  - c. 1819
8. First railroad to cross the county was:
  - a. Frisco
  - b. Mississippi & Bonne Terre
  - c. Iron Mountain
9. The year the county seat was moved from Herculaneum to Hillsboro.
  - a. 1835
  - b. 1830
  - c. 1840
10. Nathaniel B. Tucker was our first Circuit Judge: What did the B stand for?
  - a. Bryan
  - b. Beverly
  - c. Beauregard

ANSWERS:

1-A; 2-C; 3-C,4-A;  
5-C;6-A;7-B; 8-C  
9-A; 10-B

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