# The children of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

#### November 11, 2023

- 1. Children of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon, Kirkman Sarah
- 2. Children of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon, Hawkins family from Caroline to Felix Albert
- 3. Children of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon, Hawkins family from Unicy to Lorinda Jane
- 4. Children of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon, George NJ

### <u>Children of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Cannon Hawkins</u> Grandchildren of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

- 1. Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee, b. 3/14/1817, Bath County, KY, or IN (all her census records state IN); m. Roswell Emmons Durkee, 9/8/1831, Marion County, MO; d. 3/2/1880, Canton, Lewis, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 2. Madison Cannon Hawkins, b. 7/19/1818, Bath County, KY; m. Phebe Elizabeth Rees, 5/7/1843, Lewis County, MO; d. 4/15/1872, Lewis County, MO; buried in Forest Grove Cemetery, Canton, Lewis, MO.
- 3. Felix Albert Hawkins, b. 7/15/1820, Bath County, KY; m. Sarah Elizabeth Blessing, 7/20/1849, Lewis County, MO; d. 3/24/1900, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, MO; buried in Williamstown Cemetery, Williamstown, Lewis, MO.
- 4. Unicy Ann Hawkins Bayne, b. 6/16/1822, Bath County, KY; m. John Henry Bayne, 10/25/1838, Lewis County, MO; d. 12/28/1902, Lewis County, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 5. Mary Larue Hawkins, b. 2/22/1824, Bath County, KY; d. 5/17/1840; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 6. Nancy Adoline Hawkins, b. 10/11/1826, Bath County, KY; d. 3/7/1884, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 7. John Wesley Hawkins, b. 5/15/1828, Bath County, KY; m. Mary Ann Coryell, 9/20/1853, Lewis County, MO; d. 1/18/1892, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO; buried in Forest Grove Cemetery, Canton, Lewis, MO.
- 8. Lorinda Jane Hawkins Bourne, b. 6/19/1830, Lewis County, MO; m. Marcus D. Bourne, 2/22/1850, Lewis County, MO; d. 11/12/1887, Lewis County, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 9. Roswell Gregory Hawkins, b. 3/2/1832, Lewis County, MO; m. Rhoda Cathryn Howe, 9/11/1855, La Belle, Lewis, MO; 11/23/1898, Craig County, OK; buried in White Oak Cemetery, White Oak, Craig, OK.

- Milton Henry Hawkins, b. 10/4/1834, Lewis County, MO; m. Ellenora Devilbliss, 10/18/1870, Lewis County, MO; d. 10/28/1912, Saint Louis, St. Louis, MO; buried in Forest Grove Cemetery, Canton, Lewis, MO.
- 11. Irene Foree Hawkins Long, b. 6/1/1837, Lewis County, MO; m. John L. Long, 5/3/1853, Lewis County, MO; d. 1/23/1916, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.

The carliest known reference to the ancestors of Cregory Farmer Markine, the first Markine to cettle in Lowin County, Microuri, is a letter from Unicy Ann Bayno to Fella Albert Harrine dated December 10, 1893 and stating that, "I told you of Mrs. New or Hom. Isaac Markine daughter. She gave no the address of Samuel Harrine of Eath County, Mentucky. I told him to go to the old burying ground and see what he could find. He wrote back that our Great-Grandfather was born May 11, 1733 and died June 18, 1810. Elizabeth Markine was born April 21, 1739 and died October 18, 1805."

In the letter. It would be very interesting to know his name, birth-place, year he came to Kontucky, and his residence before moving to Kentucky, and Elizabeth maiden name, date and place of marriage, and names of all their children.

We know that the Great-Grandfather and Elizabeth Hawkins had at least two children, Thomas Hawkins and John Hawkins. Thomas was probably born sometime between 1753 and 1770. John had six sons, the oldest of which moved to Hendrix County, Indiana.

Thomas Hawkins, Grogory's Father, was among the

carly plonocra in Kentucky and probably migrated through the Cumberland Gap from either Virginia or North Carolina. Themas Hawkins married Mary Hargis and had at least two children, Marvey and Gregory Farmer Hawkins. Again, we do not know the middle names of Themas, his birthdate or birthplace, date of death or names of all his children.

In Kontucky, just twenty years after Daniel Boone first explored Kentucky and fifteen years after the first extlement was established at Harrodoburg, Kentucky. Gregory Farmer Hawkins married Sarah Cannon January 5, 1815 in Kentucky. Sarah Cannon, who was born in Kentucky, February 4, 1794 was the daughter of Newbold and Unicy Cannon, who was formerly Unicy Bounds.

It would appear that in either 1828 or 1829 Gregory F. Hawking together with his wife, six or seven children and father-in-law came to Missouri.

A land entry dated March 13, 1829 convoyed title to the East one-half (E½), Northeast Quarter (NE½), Section Thirty-Three (33), Township Sixty-One (61), Range Six (6) 'now in Lewis County, Missouri to Gregory F. Hawkins.

A 1834 land ontry shows that Gragory F. Hawkins and his sen Madison C. Mawkins were the exacts of a part of Section Twenty-Nine (29), Termohip Sixty-two (62)
Range Six (6) in Canton Township.

18 would soom that he arrived in Miscouri before 1829. Surely he did not bring his family to Missouri in the coldect part of Winter.

An interesting question is the member fransportation from Kentucky to Missouri. One method, of course, was by covered wagen across Illinois which was the method used by Abraham Lincoln in 1830. The other method would be by beat down the Chie River and then up the Mississippi. The second method seems more logical since Canton, Missouri is on the Mississippi. The early history of Lewis County, Missouri reports that a Judge William Hagood in 1830 went from Regersville, Tennessee to Hamibal, Missouri by flatboat and atcamer, the trip taking from March 3 to April 17.

The first white man to settle in what is now Lewis County, Missouri was a frenchman named Le Sour who built a cabin at the cite of La Grange, Missouri around 1816. John Bezarth moved from Kentucky in the

Spring of 1819 and farmed below La Grango. From 1819 on a few settlers drifted in each year until 1829 when there was big ruch. An old record states that John G. Nunn and family in October 1829 crossed the South Fabus River a little Northwest of Maywood, Missouri where they came upon a recently abandoned encampment of Sac Indians. Mr. Nunn stated when he came to Missouri there were the Bozarths, Chauncy Durkes, Gregg McDaniels, Thomas Threikeld, James Thomas, John S. Marlow all at La Grange and Edward White, Col. John Bullock, William Bowen, Robert Jones, and Fraziers above La Grange. At or near Canton were Capt. William Pritchard, Robert Sinclair, Elisa Sinclair, Robert M. Easton, Jacob Myer and Gregory F. Hawkins.

The history of Lewis County, Missourl reports that in 1830 there were 72 taxable inhabitants living in Canton Township which was composed of what is now a part of Marion County and all of Lewis County and Clark County.

Gregory F. Hawkins was one of the two justices of peace present at the first court session held June 5,

Milton H. Hawkins, a pioneer merchant of Canton, died of pneumonia at the home of his daughter in St. Louis, where he had lived the past five years, Dec 28, aged 78. He was married to Elenore Devilbess Sublett in 1871. Four children survive: Miss Cora Hawkins, Mrs. E. F. Nelson, Milton H. Hawkins, Jr., all of St. Louis and Mrs. Arthur Roberts of LaGrange.

1833 at the house of John Bozarth bolow La Grange,
Missourl. In the election of August, 1834 for
Justice of peace Gregory Hawkins received 161 votes

to win the election.

The following were children of Grogory and

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Sarah Hawkins:
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   Caroline Jorus Hawains B. 3-14-1817
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      (married Roswell E. Durkee 9-8-1831)
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    (married Marcas, Bourne 2-14-1850)
      Roswell Gregory Hawkins B. 3-2-1832 [married Rhoda Catherine Howe 9-11-1855]
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      Milton Henry Hawkins B. 10-11-1834
      (married Elien Devilby's 10-18-1870)(1871?)
      Irene Force Hawkins B. 6-1-1837 D. 1-26 (married John L. Long 5-13-1853) July 24, 1883
Felix Albert Hawkins B. 7-15-1820 D. 1900 (married Sarah Elizabeth Blessing 7-20-1849)
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Nothing further is known by the author about Caroline

Madison Cannon Hawkins did not have any children. He adopted a daughter. Anna E. Schofield. The persons named in the will of Phebe Hawkins were her niece. Mary E. Shanks, grand-niece, Mary E. Shanks, and Anna E. Schofield.

Unicy Ann Hawkins had at least three children - John Madison Bayne, born June 13, 1858, Sarah or Sallie Hawkins Bayne, born May 5, 1362 and died in 1958, and Sue L. Bayne, who married John Shanks.

Mary Larue Hawkins was sixteen years old at her death.

Nancy Adoline Hawkins apparently never married.

Milton H. Hawkins was appointed her Guardian when he was more than fifty years of age.

John Wesley Hawkins had seven children - Mollie
Lee Hawkins, Galveston, Texas John J. Hawkins, who
died before April h. 1879, leaving a widow Effic May,
Elizabeth Cason, Amy, wife of N. Y. Cameronn of Saline
County, Missouri, Sallie, wife of T. H. Findly, Butler
County, Kansas, Carrie A., wife of W. S. Perrin, and



Cornella, wife of R. B. Preston, Pueblo, Colorado.

Lorinda Jane Hawkins had at least two children, Madison Bourne, July 1853, and Martha Ann Bourne.
April 10, 1866.

Roswell Gregory Hawkins had five children who died in infancy and Emma Mae who married Orville

Thompson and had three children - Boswell Thompson,

Elma, who married Frank Leslie and lives at Canton,

Missouri, Anna B., who married John Leslie and lives at

Canton, Missouri, - Matt Hawkins, and Charles Hawkins.

Milton Henry Hawkins had the following children:
Hebbard, who may have been a step-son; Cora B. Hawkins
who died October 15, 1953; Ella C. Nelson. St. Louis,
Missouri; Jessie D. Robert, Canton Missouri, and
Milton H. Hawkins, Jr. whose daughter is Marion L.
Hawkins 7432 Rupert Avenue Richmond Heights Missouri,
and whose widow is Lorene Hawkins, 19 51st Street, Gulfport, Mississippi, and whose son is Milton H. Hawkins,
Jr. or Ill, Gulfport, Mississippi.

X Irene Force Long had three children - Eugene Long

who married Icy Rouse and who did not have any children,



One Saddle Horse	\$60.00
One Mare	90.00
Two milk Cows and calf	40.00
Fourteen head sheep	21.00
Seven hogs	28.00
Wagon and Buggy	Nil
Three Negroes Martin	1100.00
Thomas Amanda	900.00

Madison C. Hawkins and Milton H. Hawkins were active in the early affairs of Canton.M. C. Hawkins was the first cashier of the Canton Savings Bank in 11-24-1366. The Bank of Lewis County was chartered May 1844. M. H. Hawkins was elected to the Board of Directors in 1887.

Madison C. Hawkins attended the Lexington Kentucky Medical College in 1842 and 1843 and entered into the practice of medicine. Later in 1353 and 1854 he attended the Cincinnati Ohio Law School and then practiced law. At one time he was president of the Board of Trustees of Christian University which is now Culver Stockton.

John W. Hawkins graduated from the American Medical College at Cincinnati in 1854 and then practiced

Milton H. Long who married Lutur Hardin and had constant of children Howard Long, who has a son Charles Long; and Rosewell Long who had three children. Neva Bridges of Decastur, Illinois, Leta Mae Long Alt. Pueblo, Colorado, and May Alice Long.

Gregory Farmer Hawkins died December 15, 1859, at Canton, Missouri. The burial place of Gregory Farmer Hawkins and his wife is at the Waconda Church about 2½ miles west of Canton, Missouri. This church was organized in 1831 or 1842, with Newbold Cannon being one of the founders. Here at this old church yard are the graves of descendants of Gregory Farmer Hawkins including two infant children of Milton H. Hawkins, five infant children of Roswell Gregory Hawkins. Mary Larue Hawkins, John H. Bayne and his wife Unicy Ann Hawkins. Sarah Hawkins Bayne, who died in 1958, Eugene Long and his wife, and Milton Long. The tombstone of Sarah Hawkins does not state the date of her death.

The estate of Gregory Farmer Hawkins shows that at his death he was the owner of the following property:

NW2, Sec. 32, TS 62, R6 - 160 acres

Block No. 16 in the Town of Tully

modicine at Canton. He was Past Master of Comton Lodge No. 100.

Milton H. Hawkins continued the pioneer tradition of his Father. After raising stock for a few years he went to Montana and mined in 1865 and 1866 and then went into the merchandising business. In 1875 and 1876 he was in California before retiring to Lewis County. Missouri.

Felix A. Hawkins manufactured bricks at Canton with his Uncle Harvey Hawkins. Later he purchased a 200 acre farm West of Williamstown, Missouri.

On July 20, 1814, Felix Albert Hawkins married Sarah Elizabeth Blessing who was the daughter of David and Nancy (Tarte:) Blessing. Her parents had moved from Virginia as early as 1844.

The following children were forn to Felix and Sarah Hawkins:

Roswell Henry Hawkins

James Harvey Hawkins

Francis Marion Hawkins

(Catherine Pool)

Perry M. Hawkins

William L. Hawkins

Milton G. Hawkins

(Lena Francis)

Jacob B. Hawkins

B. 9-27-1850

B. 6-28-1852

B. 2-18-1857

B. 12-20-1860

B. 10-10-1362

B. 12-23-1866

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Susan Irene Hawkins (Jasper Clifton) Edward Monroe Hawkins John Wesley Hawkins (Minnie Pool) B. 12-18-1864

B. 6-7-1872

The places where the above persons worked and died is an indication of the Westward Migration of America in that time. Roswell worked in the mines in Cripple Creek, Colorado and Globe, Arizona. Susan Irene Homesteaded around Boyero, Colorado. Harvey was around Clearwater, Idaho. Edward lived at one tim at Stites. Idaho, Gunnison, Colorado, and settledat Brementon, Washington, at the time of his death. Perry and William worked in the mines at Globe, Arizona. Three of the children remained in Missouri - Marion at Downing, Missouri, Milton as a blacksmith at Deer Ridge, Missouri and John as a farmer near Deer Ridge, Missouri.

Roswell Henry Hawkins married Eva Emery and had at least two children - Albert and Florence- who married Mills and lived in California.

Harvey Hawkins married an Emery and had four children - Addie who married Oscar Francis and after his death married Ernie Stinger and lived in Ft. Madison.

lowa. Bess who married Clarence Blessing and lived at Deer Ridge, Missouri Minnie Bell who married Albert Duvall and another child.

Frances Marion Hawkins married Catherine Pool and had five children - Ida. Jasper who lives in California, Ernest who lives in Kirksville, Missouri, Jessie, and Earl, deceased, who lived at Downing, Missouri.

Perry M. Hawkins married unknown and had two children, Madison who married Hattie Cooper and lives in California, and Glenn who lives at Quincy, Illinois.

William L. Hawkins was a bachelor and lived at Seattle, Washington.

Milton G. Hawkins married Lena Francis and had five children - William of Pampa Texas. Thomas of Edina. Missouri. Victor of Hollywood, California. Fay Werdner of LaBelle Missouri, and Virgil of LeHarpe, Illinois.

Edward Monroe Hawkins married Music Shoptough and had six children - Grace Irene of Seattle, Washington, Ina Mae of Seattle, Washington, Loy of Bremerton, Washington, Sadie, deceased, Anita, and Wayne of Pueblo, Colorado.

Jacob B. Hawkins was a bachelor who lived at Walla Walla, Washington.

Susan Irene Hawkins married Jasper Clifton and had three children - Perry. Ella Mae of Hugo, Colorado and Ludie of Hugo, Colorado.

John Wesley Hawkins married Minnic Pool and had three children - Emert Cecil who married Maud Dare and after her death he married Betty Wright Nielson and had one child, Elmer Cecil, Della who married Milton Cooper and had one child Madaline, and Opal who married Halcene Musgrave and had one child who died in infancy.

The only descendants of Gregory F. Hawkins, known to the author who are living in Lewis County, Missouri, today are Opal Musgrave, one of three children of John Wesley Hawkins and Minnie Pool, the other two children being Della Cooper, deceased, and Emert Cecil Hawkins, deceased, Faye Weidner daughter of Milton G. Hawkins Elma Leslie and Anna B. Leslie grandchildren of Roswell Gregory Hawkins.

### http://genealinks.com/records/records079.htm

I purchased a CD of 'Lewis County, Mo, History of 1887." In it are the following land entries:

Twp 61, Range 6 Sec. 3 John Crooks 1835 (page 156)

Twp 62, Range 6 Sec. 7 Thomas L. Bickner, 1836

Twp 62, Range 6, Sec. 17 NJ Cannon, 1833

Joseph Welker (possible husband of Margaret Beckner)

Twp 62, Range 6, Sec. 18 Jesse McPherson, 1833; Andrew Bickner, 1834

Twp 62, Range 6, Sec. 29 Gregory F. Hawkins, Madison C. Hawkins, 1834

Note: there is quite a bit of overlap between the Beckner and Cannon families, due to two of the Beckner children marrying Cannon children, and the families immigrating to Missouri together, etc. Make sure to read the Cannon notebooks, also.

<u>Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee</u>
<u>Daughter of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins</u>
<u>Granddaughter of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon</u>





Roswell Emmons Durkee stone, Wyaconda Baptist Church Cem., Lewis County, MO

Roswell Emmons and Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee stones, Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO

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Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee marr. cert

All of Caroline's census records state she was born in Indiana.

**1833 Union Twp., First Election, Lewis County, MO** Roswell Durkee

#### 1840 census, Lewis County, MO

Roswell Durkee

- 2 free white males 5 9 *(Camillus, Albert)*
- 1 free white male 30 39 (Roswell)
- 1 fre white female 20 29 (Caroline)
- 3 persons employed in agriculture
- 2 free white persons under 20
- 2 free white persons 20 49
- 4 total free white persons
- 4 total persons, white, free, colored, slave

### 1850 census, Dist. 48, Lewis County, MO

Roswell Durkee, 42, farmer, real estate \$1680, b. in MO Caroline J. Durkee, 33, b. in IA (VA?)
Albert, 15, b. in MO, attended school
Lucian, 9, b. in MO, attended school
John, 2, b. in MO

1850 Slave Schedule, Dist. 48, Lewis County, MO, page 15

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### 1860 census, Dickerson Twp., Lewis County, MO

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### Civil War

Two of Caroline's sons – Lucien and Albert – joined the Confederate side. Lucien fought in MO, and Albert in TX.

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Roswell Emmons Durkee, estate, 7.23.1867, p. 15

### 1870 census, Canton, Lewis, MO

Caroline J. Durkee, 23, keeps house, real estate \$700, b. in IN Sarah S., 14, at school, b. in MO

Caroline d. 3/2/1880, in Canton, and was buried with her husband.

## Died

Near Sunny Side, Feb. 25th, infant son of Katie and Henry Koltiff. Aged 12 days.

"So fades the lovely blooming flower, Frail, smiling solace of an hour; So soon our transient comforts fly, And pleasure only blooms to die."

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In Canton, March 2nd, Caroline J., Widow of Roswell B. Durkee, aged 62 years, 11 months, and 17 days.

The deceased was the daughter of Gregory F. Hawkins, and was born in Kentucky, but came with her father's family to this county in 1830, where she continued to reside until her death. She joined the church in childhood, was identified with the M. R. Church, South, from 1844, and was ever esteemed as a faithful and devoted member. During her last illness she suffered much, but bere it all with Christian fortitude and resignation.

Her funeral took place yesterday, the services being conducted by Rev. Jas. Penn, after which her remains were interred at Wyaconda cometery where her father, mother, husband, brother and one child were previously baried, all in hope of a glorious resurrection.

Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee, obit, TheCantonPress, 3.5.1880

We noticed upon the street the other day Albert Durkee, who has been absent from home for the past twenty years, in Kansas, Colorado and Arkansas. He reached home on the 21st ult., in time to see his mother, Mrs. C. J. Durkee, before her death.

Albert Durkee, Caroline Jerue Hawkins Durkee, TheCantonPress, 3.5.1880

# <u>Children of Caroline Larue Hawkins Durkee</u> <u>Grandchildren of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins</u> Great Grandchildren of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

- Camillus Henry Durkee, b. 12/24/1832, Lewis County, MO; m. Sarah Pauline Sutton; d. 3/9/1918, Canton, Lewis, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 2. Albert Gregory Durkee, b. 1833, MO; m. Mary; d. 1906; buried in Snider Cemetery, Chelsea, Rogers, OK.
- 3. Lucien Bolivar Durkee, b. 1/9/1842, MO; m. Lucy H. Baker, 4/7/1867, Lewis County, MO; d. 6/10/1918, Norman, Cleveland, OK; buried in IOOF Cemetery, Norman, Cleveland, OK.
- 4. John Harvey Durkee, b. 9/10/1848, MO; d. 11/3/1860; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemetery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.
- 5. Sarah Lois Durkee Bywater, b. 7/4/1856, Canton, Lewis, MO; m. Edward G. Bywater; d. 6/10/1889, Lewis County, MO; buried in Wyaconda Baptist Church Cemtery, Canton Twp., Lewis County, MO.

Lucien Bolivar Durkee, son of Caroline Lerue Hawkins Durkee:

## **IUARY 8, 1889.**

### A Reminiscence of the War.

Lewis County Journal: Within the last week or two, Messrs. L. B. Durkee, of Williamstown, and H. G. Million, of this place, went in company to Shelbina, Shelby county. On their way back they stopped at Shelbyville over night, and here Mr. Durkee met and recognized Mr. James Gentry, a gentleman whom he had parted from under very trying circumstances over twenty-five years ago. The circumstances of their separation are about as follows: During the war they were taken prisoners by Federals (both being rebels) and were being guarded, with a number of others, at Macon City. this State. Unfortunately, their names appeared on the list of ten Southern men that were ordered to be shot at that place. These ten, with many others, were confined in one large room in the second story of a brick building, whether erected as a jail building or not, we did not learn. It was a case of "life and death," and several days prior to the execution Mr. Durkee begun the venturesome task of escape. By means of an old piece of iron bar he succeeded in prying the brick out of the wall, thereby making a hole in the wall large enough to admit the passage of a man's body. This hole was cempleted to the outer layer of brick, which was left unmoiested until the night he had fixed for flight, the operations inside being carefully concealed by some means or other during the day time. On the night set for the escape, Mr. Durkee, after finishing the hole in the wall, with Mr. Gentry hurriedly awoke six of the doomed men. One, however, who had hemorrhage of the lungs, decided not to go. He said that he would not live long

go. He said that he would not live long any way, and that if he attempted to go he might be a burden to them and possibly the means of their recapture. As they dropped to the ground they discovered but a short distance away a lot of cows that had congregated on the commons, and they ran in among them, which frightened and put them to flight. As they ran they heard one of the guards shout, but whether at them or the cattle, they never knew; they ran for some distance in among the cattle, but lost no time, and were soon clear of the city and the guards. Thus five of the condemned men escaped. They became separated in their flight that night. Mr. Durkee afterward joined Price and went South. Mr. Gentry went into Iowa and then to Chicago, and finally drifted to Shelbyville. These two men had never seen each other from the eventful night of their escape at Macon City, until they met by chance in Shelbyville a few days ago. One may imagine their joy at meeting. They talked till a late hour in the night, telling over their experience during their separation. Mr. Million says that once or twice, after they had retired, Mr. Durkee came near getting up to join his companion in former trials and talk over old times all night.

Lucien Bolivar Durkee, ThePalmyraSpectator, 2.8.1889

# Oldest Citizen of Lewis County Dies

Camillus Durkee a pioneer resident of the county died at the home of his daughter Mrs. F. F. Chappell at Canton on Thurfday, aged 85 yeaes.

Mr. Durkee was once a promi ment farmer at Bunker Hill but after the death of his wife about twenty years ago, he lived with his daughter Mrs. Miller near, Williamstown until about a year ago, as his health failed, he has made his home with Mrs. Chappell.

He was a man held in high esteem by all who knew him and was a faithful member of the Christain church.

Services were held at the Chappell home conducted by the pastor
of the Christain church Rev. Peters
assisted by the Methodist pastor
Rev. Smith. A large crowd was in
attendance and interment was in
the Wyaconda cemetery by the side
of his wife.

Camillus Henry Durkee, obit, LewisCountyJournal, 3.15.1918

-Mrs. Sallie Durkee, wife of Camillus Durkee, died at their home two miles west of Bunker Hill, Monday, January 3rd, of neuralgia of the heart. The deceased was an excellent lady, being universally respected by those that knew her. The remains were buried at Wyaconda church on the following day, after a brief funeral discourse by Elder John Shanks,

Sarah Pauline Sutton Durkee, obit, LewisCountyJournal, 1.14.1898

### MARRIED.

#### DURKEE-BOYD

At the residence of the officiating minister. Eider J. G. Etheridge, at Hall. O F. on Fuesday, Dec 24, 1901, Mr. Pearl R. Durkee and Miss Ida F. Boyd, both of Denver. The groom is a son of ex-County Treasurer L. B. Durkee, and one of the best and most reliable young men in the county, and has secured a good wife; one of the most popular and handsome foung ladies of the beighborhood. The Transcript extends its heartiest congratulations.

Pearle Robert Durkee marr., Norman Transcript, 12.26.1901

# NEW FIRM

M. C. HAWKINS having purchased the interest of L. B. Durkee, in the Dry Goods firm of Hawkins & Durkee, the business will be continued at the same stand, by

## M. C. HAWKINS & BRO.,

Who will be happy to have all their friends call and see their stock of goods before purchasing elsewhere

They will keep on hand a complete stock, and sell

### AT THE LOWEST PRICES

All persons indebted to the firm, are earnestly requested, and expected to come forward and pay up their accounts immediately.

The accounts of Hawkins & Durkee are to be adjusted by the new firm.

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M. C. HAWKINS,
M. H. HAWKINS.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, Lucien B Durkee, TheCantonPress, 8.13.1868

### OKLAHOMA'S DELEGATION

### To the Annual Reunion of United Confederate Veterans.

Guthrie, May 22.—A large delegation from Oklahoma and Indian Territory will attend the annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans at Richmond, Va., May 30 to June 5.

Miss Ethel Gun, a former Missouri girl, has been selected as sponsor for the Oklahoma division of the U. C. V. She is a daughter of Col. P. W. Gun, of Sayre.

Miss Bessie Brewer, of Muskogee, daughter of Rev. T. F. Brewer, president of the Spaulding Female College, has been named as sponsor for the Indian Territory division. At the same time that Miss Brewer received notice of her appointment as sponsor, her father received his commission as chaplain general for the Indian Territory division.

Dr. John Threadgill, of Oklahoma City, is now major general commanding the Oklahoma division, U. C. V., having been appointed to that position by Lieutenant General W. L. Cabell, of Dallas, Texas, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of General S. J. Wilkins, January 6. General Threadgill, although a Confederate veteran, is a republican, and prominent in political affairs in Oklahoma.

The members of General Threadgill's staff are: William M. Cross, Oklahoma City, adjutant general and chief of staff; B. F. Phillips, Asher, assistant chief of staff; L. B. Durkee, Denver, chief quartermaster; B. D. Sparks, judge advocate

Lucien Bolivar Durkee, Muskogee, OK, NewStateTribune, 5.23.1907

### Death of Mr. Durkee

Again is the Transcript-Enterprise called upon to chronicle the demise of one of Norman's old and most highly esteemed citizens, Ex-County Treasurer L. B. Durkee passing away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank J. McGinley, 430 East Tonkawa, at 7:30 p. m. Monday, June 10, 1918. His age was 76 years and 5 months. He leaves a wife and three children, Pearl and John Durkee and Mrs. F. J. McGinley, and hosts of warm friends to mourn his departure. To the widow and children go out the earnest sympathies of the community.

The funeral services will be held at the Christian Church at 3:30 p. m., Wednesday, June 12, 1918, conducted by Rev. D. A. Wickizer, with Masonic services at I. O. O. F. cemetery. Funeral Director Jackson has charge of the arrangements.

Mr. Durkee was a native of Missouri, but came from old Kentucky stock, his parents moving to Missouri at an early period in state's history. He served with distinction in the Confederate army and at the opening of Oklahoma came to Cleveland county, where he has since reside, enjoying the respect and confidence of all who knew him. He was county treasurer at one time and held other public positions, always with honor, ability and credit. During the last few years of his life he has been in delicate health, largely the result of a fall he received some years ago, from which he never fully recovered. He was a real Southern gentleman, a devoted husband and father, and Norman and Oklahoma has lost a good citizen.

—Farmers: Feterita is the surest catch crop for grain in Oklahoma. We have seed that will grow for sale. —The O. K. Wagon Yard. 11-1d2w

Lucien Bolivar Durkee, obit, Norman, OK, The Daily Transcript, 6.11.1918

# Married.

At the residence of the bride's mother, in Canton, Thursday evening, January 8th, by Rev. J. W. Barrett, Mr. Edward G. Bywater, of Centerville, Iowa, and Miss Lois S. Durkee, of the former place.

Sarah Lois Durkee Bywater, marr, TheCantonPress, 1.16.1880

### Died

Near Williamstown, Saturday, June 10th, Mrs. Sarah Lois, wife of B. G. Bywater, aged 25 years, 11 months and 6 days.

The deceased was the daughter of the late Roswell B. and Caroline J. Durkee, amiable, affectionate and devoted, she united some 8 years ago with the M. B. Church, south, and had since maintained a consistent christian character, and though summoned suddenly from this world of sorrow and care, we humbly trust she has gained a home of joy on on high. Her remains were interred on Sunday in the cemetery at Wyaconda church where her parents, grand parents and relatives lie buried awaiting a glorious resurrection.

Sarah Lois Durkee Bywater, obit, TheCantonPress, 6.16.1882

# Madison Cannon Hawkins Son of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

There is so much about Madison Cannon (MC) Hawkins online. He was seemingly a conspirator for the South during the war. Was accused by his neighbors of sending food to the south. A tenant of his accused him of calling her a 'Black Republican bitch.' He was a learned man, also. Lots more to learn about him. He didn't have children, but adopted a young girl.

At Canton, and at sundry country schoolhouses, other secession meetings were held about the same time. Allied to the South by the ties of birthright, kinship, long association, and, as they considered, by a common interest in the preservation of their slave property, hundreds of people hastened to identify themselves with the Southern cause. Many, too, a great many, who had no personal interest in slavery, owning no slaves, fell in, and for a time the tide was all one way—a tide that flowed into the turbulent sea of secession and war; a tide springing from the fountains of passion and prejudice, and swollen by currents of misrepresentation and malevolence, which bore down before it all but the strongest and stoutest hearted.

A month later the Union men began to move. Away from the river, the Unionists, or "submissionists" were few and generally very quiet. In Canton M. C. Hawkins, H. M. Woodyard, William Ellis, James Ellison and others were the leaders of a considerable number of uncompromising anti-Secessionists. They were aided in La Grange by Charlton H. Howe, the editor of the *American*, by John M. Cashman, John T. Howland, and others. But in the country there were no leaders, and but few of the rank and file.

1887 History of Lewis County, MO, p. 72, Madison Cannon Hawkins Civil War

Madison Cannon Hawkins did not have any children.

He adopted a daughter. Anna E. Schofield. The persons

named in the will of Phebe Hawkins were her niece. Mary

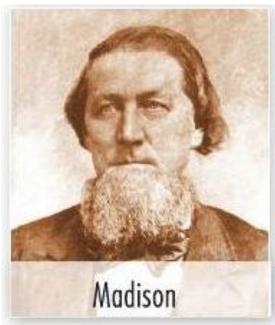
E. Shanks, grand-niece, Mary E. Shanks, and Anna E.

Schofield.

Madison C. Hawkins and Milton H. Hawkins were active in the early affairs of Canton. M. C. Hawkins was the first cashier of the Canton Savings Bank in 11-24-1866. The Bank of Lewis County was chartered May 1844. M. H. Hawkins was elected to the Board of Directors in 1887.

Madison C. Hawkins attended the Lexington Kentucky
Medical College in 1842 and 1843 and entered into the
practice of medicine. Later in 1353 and 1854 he attended
the Cincinnati Ohio Law School and then practiced law.
At one time he was president of the Board of Trustees
of Christian University which is now Culver Stockton.



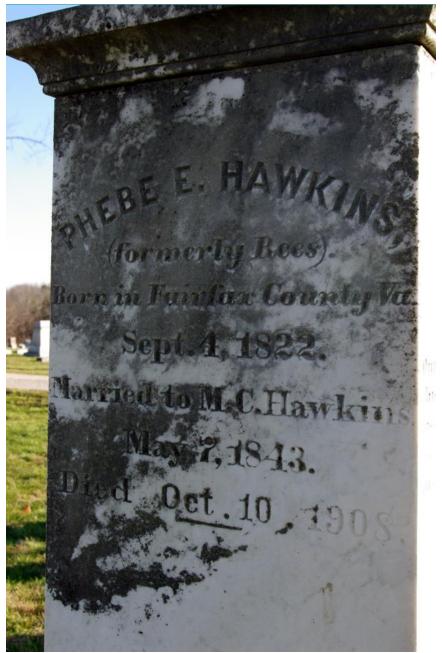


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Madison Cannon Hawkins stone, Forest Grove Cemetery, Canton, Lewis, MO



Phebe Elizabeth Rees Hawkins stone, Forest Grove Cemetery, Canton, Lewis, MO.

From http://www.mygenealogyhound.com/missouri-biographies/mo-lewis-county-biographies/madison-c-hawkins-genealogy-lewis-county-missouri.html#

Below is a family biography included in the book, The History of Lewis County, Missouri published by Goodspeed Publishing Company in 1887. These biographies are valuable for genealogy research in discovering missing ancestors or filling in the details of a family tree. Family biographies often include far more information than can be found in a census record or obituary. Details will vary with each biography but will often include the date and place of birth, parent names including mothers' maiden name, name of wife including maiden name, her parents'

names, name of children (including spouses if married), former places of residence, occupation details, military service, church and social organization affiliations, and more. There are often ancestry details included that cannot be found in any other type of genealogical record.

Dr. Madison C. Hawkins was born in Bath County, Ky., July 19, 1818. At the age of twelve years he removed with his parents, Gregory and Sarah Hawkins, to Missouri, and settled near the town of Tully, in what is now Lewis County. Pioneer life afforded but little opportunity of developing the fondness for books, early evinced by the young subject of this sketch; his school education was accordingly limited to the curriculum of the log schoolhouse, from which he graduated at the end of a few midwinter terms. Circumstances, rather than any decided taste in that direction, led him to pursue the study of medicine under old Doctor Alfred Frazier, an early practitioner of Lewis County, who lived some seven miles south of La Grange. After attending the Lexington (Kentucky) Medical College during the years 1842 and 1843, he returned to his home in Lewis County.

where, within the few years of his practice here, he easily pushed his way to the front ranks in his chosen profession In 1843 he was married to Miss Phebe E. Rees, in whom he found throughout the course of his subsequent life a helpmeet possessing in an eminent degree all those qualities of mind, graces of the womanly character, that stand as a tower of strength to further the husband's most cherished enterprises. Their union bore no issue, but an adopted daughter, now Mrs. F. L. Schofield, whom they reared and educated, shares with her, who still survives, the cherished memories of husband and foster-father. In 1847 Dr. Hawkins removed to Camden County, where he engaged in the practice of his profession some four years, during which time he also represented that county in the General Assembly of the State. In 1858 he returned to Lewis County, determined to abandon the profession; it afforded inadequate scope for his aggressive and enterprising spirit. At once launching important mercantile and manufacturing enterprises, he also commenced and pursued with great delight the study of the law. After a preparation of several years he attended the Cincinnati (Ohio) Law School, in 1853 and 1854, and, returning, practiced at the bar of Northeast Missouri with success and distinction, till within a few years of his Having accumulated a competency, he retired from the practice and from active business, about 1870, but not to devote his remaining years to aimless leisure. About this period new problems were engaging the scientific world, which, if solved after the formula then fast gaining popularity, must needs demand some important changes in the current interpretation of the Bible. Dr. Hawkins, profoundly believing that the Holy Bible and the book of Nature were but the handwriting of a single author, determined to dedicate the years that remained to him to labor on the side of those who maintained that science was indeed the handmaid of the religion of God, and between whom there was and could be no conflict. Here he pursued his studies with great zeal and devotion. His writings upon the subject were on the main fragmentary, a number of which were collected and published for private circulation after his death. Unfortunately, however, several of his most important and able papers were lost. While thus engaged he collected, at his own private expense, a museum of natural history for the college at Canton. He was a Democrat in politics, but aside from making a race for Congress at a time when there was no hope for electing a Democrat, the Drake constitution being in force, he never sought political preferment. He was a prominent Freemason, very active in church, in Sunday-school and educational matters, being president of the board of trustees of Christian

University, and of the board of education of the town of Canton, for a number of years. Public-spirited, far-sighted and courageous, he led in enterprises, public and private, and perhaps did more than any other one man in promoting local interests and building up his town. A prominent characteristic was his interest in a sympathy for young men, ever ready to aid with his counsel as with his purse; he placed many on the high road to a successful career, who must otherwise have utterly failed. The leading literary society in the university bears his name. He died April 15, 1872.

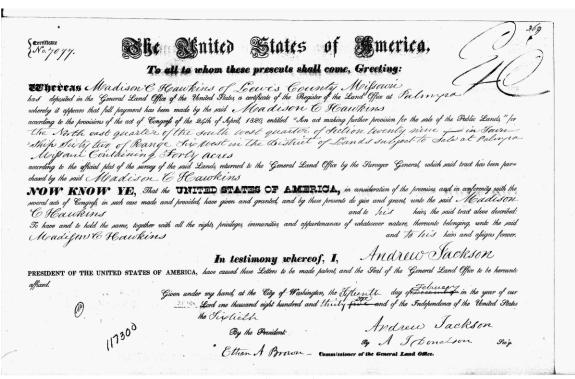
Points I want to highlight from the 1887 bio:

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This family biography is one of 293 biographies included in the Lewis County, Missouri portion of the book, The History of Lewis, Clark, Knox and Scotland Counties, Missouri published in 1887. For the complete description, click here: Lewis County, Missouri History, Genealogy, and Maps

### **Land Patent**



Madison Cannon Hawkins land patent, NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 29, Twp. 62 R 6W, Lewis County, MO

### **Marriage to Phebe Elizabeth Rees**

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Madison Cannon Hawkins, marr cert

# REPRESENTATIVES.

Adair, James C. Goode, dem.
Andrew, I. N. Jones, dem.
Atchison, Thomas M. Aull, dem.
Audrain, A. B. Tinsley, dem.
Barry, A. S. Harbin, dem.
Bates, John McHenry, dem.
Benton, D. C. Ballou, dem.
Boone, Wm. F. Switzler, \*
Buchanan, Jno. Bretz, dem.
Caldwell, C. J. Hughes, dem.
Callaway, W. H. Bailey, \*
Camden, M. C. Hawkins, dem.
Cape Girardeau, J. M. Johnson, dem.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, Glasgow, MO, Weekly Times, 10.19.1848

### 1850 census, District 48, Lewis County, MO Town of Canton

Madison C. Hawkins, 32, merchant, real estate \$3,000, b. in KY Phebe E. Hawkins, 27, b. in VA

### The 1860s and the Civil War

### 1860 census, Canton, Lewis, MO

M.C. Hawkins, 40, lawyer, real estate \$20,000, personal property \$12,000, b. in KY Elizabeth P. Hawkins, 36, b. in VA Noel Bland, 26, b. in MO, idiotic Sallie Ivy, 18, b. in MO, attended school

# RELIGEOUS MEETING.

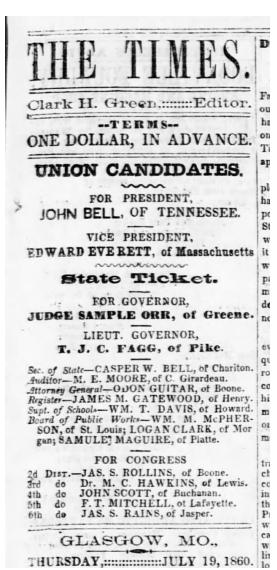
Elders Jacob Creath and D. Pat, Henderson have just closed a protracted meeting at Middle-Grove, in this county. The meeting was intensely interesting, and 55 persons received into the Christian Church. Among the number was the Rev. Peter Doran, a graduate of the University of Nshville, and also a graduate of the Princeton Theological Seminary, New Jersey. He was a Presbyterian Minister of the Old School, and came as such highly recomended to that intellegent and respectable denomination.

Elder D. Pat Henderson, President of the Board of Trustees of Christian University, in conjunction with Elder Creath and Dr. M. C. Hawkins, also made a most signal triumph during the meeting for Christian University, obtaining Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Dollars in aid of the endowment of that central splendid institution. Old Monroe has made a splended start, and the friends of education every where will now rally to the support of institution. Other this counties have done nobly in this work, and Monroe will not be out done. On their present tour between 8 and \$10,000 have been subscribed.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, StJosephGazette, 8.16.1854

1954,

Aug. 3,



### POLITICAL SPEAKING.

Dr. M. C. HAWKINS, Union candidate for Congress, will address the people of the Third District, at the following times and places.— Speaking to commence at I o'clock P. M.

The Hon. John B. CLARK is invited to meet the

same appointments.	
Utica	Friday, July 20th.
Chillicothe	Saturday, July 21st.
Linneus,	Monday, July 23d.
Trenton,	Tuesday, July 24th.
Princeton,'	Wednesd'y, July 25th
Milan,	Thursday, July 26th.
Unionville,	
Kirksville,	Saturday, July 28th.
	Monday, July 30th.
	Tuesday, July 31st.
	Wednesd'y, Aug. 1st.
	Thursday, Aug. 2d.
Waterloo,	
Alexandria,	Saturday, Aug. 4.

All papers in the district are requested to publish these appointments.

Madison Cannon Hawkins speech, Glasgow, MO, WeeklyTimes, 7.19.1860

# Dr. M. C. Hawkins, Union Candi-

This gentleman addressed a large audience at Fayette, last Saturday, and a respectable number of our citizens, in this place on Monday. Mr. Burckhart has withdrawn, and is actively at work, not only for Dr. Mawkins, but the whole Union Ticket, and the Doctor is in the field, filling his appointments, as published in this paper.

Dr. Hawkins is a well informed gentleman, a plersant speaker, rather on the enthusiastic order, has been raised in Missouri, and is thoroughly posted on all the issues of the day, National and State. The interests of Missouri, or this District, would be safe in his hands, and he would consider it his first duty to give proper attention to the real wants and interests of his constituents, and let parties, and national conventions, and platform making, be attended to by those who are as much devoted to that business as the gentleman who now holds a seat in Congress, from this District.

Our limited space will not admit of our giving even a synopsis of his entire speeches; indeed, his quotations from democratic authority to prove the rottenness of the democratic party, would, alone, consume all our space, hence we not only omit his chaste exordium, his eloquent peroration, but many of his arguments and positions, inserting only what follows, as embracing, in our judgement the points that will most interest our readers.

FELLOW CITIZENS: We find our country dis- a tracted by contending factions-sectional in their P character and dangerous to our liberties, for I conceive nothing could be more dangerous to our 1 institutions and the perpetuity of our government for than the election of a sectional candidate to the Presidency. The present Presidential canvass is will result in the triumph of a sectional Republi- Je can candidate, unless the conservative element so which constitutes a respectable part of the old at line Whigs, Democrats, Americans, and Union a loving men of all parties unite together to beat T back the tide of republican sentiment that threat- n ens to overthrow our institutions. We firmly believe that every patriot in the land would readily enough sanction this proposition and engage in the contest; the only difficulty is in agreeing about the means best calculated to accomplish that object .-That forbearance and mutual concession is neces- | tl sary, I have no doubt. Then let us adopt the st motto "Principles, not Men." We certainly can unite upon principle and leave minor differences to of opinion to be adjusted afterwards.

We are here to propose a platform embodying all that was of any value in the old line Whig, of American on Democratic parties: one upon which have can all unite and go forth to battle with an unbroken front, in defence of the Union and the Constitution. It is necessary that we should enquire into the present political condition of our country in order to define our own position.

There was at one time a great national demoeratic party; where is it now? its history is writ- th ten. Squatter Sovereignty has sealed its doom .-The entering wedge of dissolution was driven by Stephen A. Douglas, in the Kansas Nebraska Bill pa as understood and interpreted by himself. Hear if him: "No matter what the decision of the Supreme P Court may be on that abstract question," (whether slavery may or may not go into a Territory under C the constitution,) "the people have the lawful means a to INTRODUCE OF EXCLUDE IT AS THEY PLEASE." 1 When can this be done? Hear his answer to Lincoln in his canvass in Hlinois: "I answer, emphat- ca ically, as I have done one hundred times from ev. n erg stump in Illinois, that in my opinion the people of a territory can, by lawful means exclude so slavery from their hmits prior to the formation of W a State Constitution, for the reason that slavery st cannot exist for a day or an hour, any where, un- pi less supported by local, police regulations "

Having expressed his determination to stand upon no platform that had not his peculiar views engrafted on it, we are not surprised at the protest of the southern democrats, who believe, and had ever taught the doctrine of equal rights and privileges in the Territories of the United States, to all of the citizens of the several States of the Union to move into the Territories and carry with them whatever species of property they might possess, enjoy it there unmolested by any legislation whatever, until State sovereignty should settle the question.

This doctrine is set at naught; trampled under foot, derided and scoffed at. They were virtually denied the right of citizenship, debarred from entering the territory with their property for the reason that slavery did not exist there. They saw the principle of the Wilmot Proviso now applied as a Constitutional fact to all Territories of the United States, for it only sought to forever prohibit slavery in the Territories, and Douglas says that it does not exist there, and if it should be established there, the people could abolish it, thus transfering the agitation contimplated by the Buffalo platform (of Fred Douglas) from Congress to the Territories.

No man who regards the equality of the States and equal rights, immunities and privileges to other citizens, could feel otherwise than that he was disgraced, dishonored and denied equality of benefits to be enjoyed in the republic, by such doc-trines. We find that Douglas, in his speeches, is endeavoring to raise a sectional issue by arraying the prejudices of the north against the south by alledgeing that thirty-four of the United States Senators were disunionists and wanted a slave

code for the Territories.

We will dismiss the Douglas party by saying that nearly all the Senate of the United States and President Buchanan, concur in denouncing his doctrine as Wilmot Proviso and Buffalo platform doctrine. I have thus far given you democratic authority. The southern wing of this party has adopted a platform that would be acceptable to the south, but the tyranny of party drill keeps the Dougles wing tied down by their leading strings, and an awful chasm separates them; there is about as much affinity between their doctrines as exists between cii and water or fire and ice. Principles are as opposite as the poles-and yet you see the poor office holders and expectants pleading for party union for the sake of public plunder.

We have said that we have a platform good enough and broad enough for all conservative men, and the statesman and scholar, Bell and Everett are standing upon it. There are those who affect to not understand it. I hold the Constitution carries with you its protection of personal liberty, the right of property into all of the Territories, States and Provinces of America, and the high seas and isles of the ocean, wherever the flag of our country floats. That you cannot be divested of that right except by your own consent, or process of law. That the Constitution confers the right of emigration, and occupancy to every class of citizens with whatever property they may possess, into all the Territories of the Union, without unjust discrimination.

This right is inalienable while citizenship exists, until State sovereignty is established. Then it follows that the general government cannot itself change or impair that right, for every Representative in Congress swears to support the Constitution, and it he should seek by Congressional Interference to destroy that right, he would be morally guilty of perjury. Neither can the Teritorial Legislature, by untriendly legislation or otherwise, during their Territorial existence, de-

stroy the rights of private property.

They are the creatures of the general government, and surely it will not be contended that the thing created has more power than the creator; that the general government has confered a power that it did not possess itself; that the stream never rises above the fountain needs no demonstration. Aside from this, the Constitution is the great charter of our liberties and rights, and does not authorize legislation detructive of those rights. International Law and Reciprocity Treaties estabhished under it, protect our citizens where ever civilization exists. The naval and military force of government would be called into requisition to enforce a single right of property or person, any where in christendom.

The Enforcement of the Laws will fully protect us in the enjoyment of all these rights whereever the jurisdiction of our government extends It means the enforcement of the fugitive slave law in the north-rendition of your property and restitution for its detention. In the south it means the suppression of the African Slave Trade, airest of filibustering expeditions, &c., and a faithful adherence to the decision of the Supreme Court as the final arbiter, in case of goubt or difficulty: thus you can conceive of no right that you now enjoy that is not guaranteed to you by our platsorm. You have no grievances to redress that the Enforcement of the Law will not afford you. Then if there is anything of value in any of your platforms it is included in ours-if there is any thing objectionable in yours it is not in ours .-Why not, then, stand side by side with us upon

it. We have as standard bearers as wise and discriminating statesmen as there is now hving—Bell has great administrative capacity, unbounded patriotism, unflinching nerve, and maturity and experience; he has stood by the side of Clay, Webster and Crittenden, without suffering by the comparison. Slight errors there may have been marked against him, but when he came upon the platform he now stands upon, and squares his future by it, we have no hesitation in trusting him.

Edward Everett's name is a household word, and with it is associated all that we regard as chaste in Literat re, all that is noble in a statesman—that is renowned in scholarship; ranking with Cicero and Demosthenes, as an orator, with Howard in benevolence, and denominated as the high priest of the Union, having shed the lustrous rays of knowledge over the halls of one of the first Universities of the world, he consents to adorn the second highest position his countrymen could assign him—that of Vice President of the United States.

You have nothing to sacrifice by sustaining such a ticket, and as a patriot, if you love your country better than party ties, let us entreat you to come up to the rescue. We are engaged in an unholy warfare with sectional parties, and are the only party that can contend successfully upon principle, against the dogma of Republicanism, made respectable and honored by Stephen A. Douglas and his followers, "That Slavery is Local and Freedom National." Remember that we affirm it, and hold ourselves to the proof, that Stephen A. Douglas and those who endorse him by voting for him, are standing upon a freesoil, intervention platform, assisting in Seward's irre-

pressible conflict.

But the Democratic party is powerless for good, divided as they are they cannot carry a single southern State, except, perhaps, South Carolina and Mississippi. Take our own State as an example and we find Buchanan received about 10,000 more votes than Fillmore, and that he received 10,000 Republican votes that will now be cast for Luncoln, leaving a close contest between them; out again divide his vote by Douglas and Breckieridge and Bell carries this State by 25,000 majority. The same calculation gives every other southern State to them. The Democracy cannot afford by their division to lose 15,000 votes in any State and carry it, except South Carolina.—Then the fragments of the Democratic party is not in this contest. Then come up to our help and fight the battles of our country.

Fellow-citizens: I have now in urging upon you our platform and interpretation, expressed my own sentiments, and intend to stand by them until fanaticism, and the intervention Douglas dogma, that freedom is National and slavery is Local, shall find an unhallowed tomb.

In my opposition to Gen. Clark, I do not seek to do him injustice. But the position he assumes in his speeches, and the doctrines and admissions contained in his card, enable me with some degree of certainty, to see where he is drifting-where his political influence tends. First, he supports Douglas upon his dogma that slavery is local: that is as far as he goes; (he does not even say freedom is national) with a full knowledge that every southern senator and nine out of fifteen of every southern delegate in Charleston Convention, holds his platform and principles as freesoil:that Buchanan has said with the Supreme Court, I hold that neither Congress nor the Territorial legislature has any power to establish, impair, or abolish slavery id the Territories. Then if the Territorial Legislature should exercise the power to intervene, this would be a mere transfer of the Wilmot Proviso and Buffalo platform from Congress to the Territories, to the destruction of all property in slaves. [See Mo. Rep. July 14th, 1860 1

This is what we declared everywhere in the canvass of 1856, to be the doctrine of the Cincinnatti platform; that squatter sovereignty was the northern face to it, and as it was Janus faced the south only saw the other side. We do not know which side Gen. Clark stands upon, but as he supports the northern advocates, his political proclivitles and moral influence place him in the awful category of supporting this view, or stultifying himself by denying his platform: take either horn of the diemma and if he escapes Charibdyshe is fast on Scylla.

But hear his own exposition. See his card dated Washington City, May 23d, 1800, in which he quotes with approbation Senator Green, who says that Missouri was not divided, except by the defection of her delegates. Defection, I suppose means rotten. This then, applied to Austin A. King and others who were supporting Douglas.—Senator Green also said, if the Missouri delegates departed from their duty.

What was that platform adopted at Jefferson City? That Congress has no power to abolish slavery in a Territory. 2d, That the Territorial Legislature had no power to abolish slavery therein, nor to prohibit the introduction therein, nor any power to exclude slavery therefrom by unfriendly legislation whatever.

When Gen. Clark penned that card and published it, I presume he did not expect to perform the marvelous feat of ground and lofty tumbling, that the Raddolph Citrzen ascribes to him.— Where is he? On an intervention platform, by the side of John Cochrane, the supporter of the Buffalo platform; by the side of Dean Richmond, who says that slavery is morally wrong, a curse to our country, and condemned by the Bible.-Side by side with 46 freesoil delegates who nominated Douglas. I take that back: there was no nomination made, democrats being judges themselves; then what motive can influence his action to take the freesoil chute? Why throw the whole moral influence of his political position with which his constituents here honored him, against them? Why betray, by his support, the interest of our State into the balance of northern agitators against us? It the General can reconcile it to his own conscience to thus barter away his seif-respectthe respect of his life long friends, for an office-I have no right of complaint; but it is my duty and privilege to point out the dangers that menace us, particularly when those dangers are rising up amongst and receiving the sanction of good men, but who, I fear, are disposed to be led by supposed party ties into the vortex of Abolitionism.

My views have ever been the same upon the subject of legislation in the Territories that was decided, as I believe, by the Supreme Court, that of non-intervention by Congress or Territorial Legislature. Some good Whigs have held otherwise, but they are nearly all reconciled to the doctrine and stand firmly by it. Fellow-citizens, when you cast your vote for Douglas or his advocates and supporters, remember your vote may affect for weal or woe the destiny of your country .-Then let me entreat you again to abandon a heresy that is tending to our injury. Political parties are in a state of revolution-you can form new alliances without any inconsistency or dread of censure -then come up to the help of the Union Partythe only national, conservative party of our country: support our State ticket and assist in carrying our banner aloft over sectional strife, party discord, and to victory.

Madison Cannon Hawkins speech, Glasgow, MO, WeeklyTimes, 7.19.1860

This ad is on the same page of the paper:

# NEGROES! NEGROES!! I have a negro woman and two children for sale. The woman is about 22, the oldest child, a boy, 6; the other a girl. All stout and likely. Any one wishing to purchase, I will sell them seperate or altogether. For further particulars, call or write to me. H. M. GREENE, july12-4w Huntsville, Mo.

### AUGUST 2. 1860

### POLITICS IN LIVINGSTON COUNTY

Correspondence of the Times

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CHILLICOTHE, Mo., July 23d. 1868.

CLARK H. GREEN, E-q: On Saturday last, 21st inst., Dr. M. C. Hawkins, Union candidate for Congress, addressed quite a large and respectable portion of our citizens, on the political topics of the day.

His speech was able and convincing, and made a decidedly favorable impression.

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After a few appropriate remarks, by way of introduction, he referred to the present distracted condition of the country. Lincoln headed a great sectional party in the North, which threatens imminent danger to the institutions of the South and to the vital interests of the Union. How are these dark waves of sectional aggression to be met and beaten back? How is the dire calamity of the election of a Black Republican President to be averted? These are the great-the vital questions of the day. The great democratic party, hitherto successful in may a well contested field, is split into hostile fragments and utterly powerless for good. If divided upon principle as he believed they were, they never could unite. The Douglas and Breckinridge wings were as wide apart as the poles, and their differences wholly irreconciliable.

Dr. H. descanted at some length upon the fatal and dangerous tendencies of the doctrine of Squatter Sovereignty. He condemned it as being little it any better than outright Black Republicanism itself, and warned his countrymen to beware of a dogma so utterly subversive of the fundamental principles of our glorious Constitution.

Dr. H. remarked that in view of the present distracted state of the democratio party, there was a party upon whose platform conservative and union-loving men every where might unite without the sacrifice of a single principle. It was the Constitutional Union party. Its platform was the "Constitution, the Union and the Enforcement of the Laws," and this platform faithfully carried out, would meet the wants and protect the interests of every section of our wide-spread confederacy. It was the same platform on which Washington, Jefferson and Medison had gone into the n Presidential chair, and they sanctioned by such illustrious examples, and hallowed by ss time, surely it was all sufficient to meet the exigencies of the present hour.

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time, surely it was all sufficient to meet the exigencies of the present hour.

Dr. H. was sorry that his competitor Gen. Clark, was not with him. The General knew of and approved his appointments, but he was not here. Where was he? Dr. H. remarked that he had understood the General was over in Sullivan county, endeavoring to make fair weather with the Breckinridge wing who, in mass meeting a short time ago, had repudiated the General and read him out of the party. Gen. Clark was more difficult still to find politically! He had made speeches on two different occasions here recently, and Dr. H. called on any friend of the General who heard these speeches to tell where he stood? He paused for a reply, and not one opened his mouth -They did not know and therefore could not

But I have not time to enlarge further upon the points of a speech which enchained the attention of the audience for near two hours.

When Dr. H. sat down loud calls were made for Mr. Woolfolk, Douglasite, who of the responded or attempted to respond to Dr. H. His speech was full of glaring inconsistencies. Woolfolk charged that John tion. Bell was unsound on the nigger.

Dr. H. in a short reply. completely demolished the positions of our young triend. He inquired how did Bell and Douglas stand on the Compromise Measures of 1850? With whom did Douglas vote? With such abolitionists as Seward, Hale, Hamlin, and others, while John Bell stood side by side to fin with Clay, Crittenden, Case, and others of the soundest and best men of the country.

At night, Dr. H. was serenaded by the ett, fa Chillicothe Brass Band, and responded in a very neat and appropriate address.

Livingston county is all right, and don't be surprised to hear that the Union ticket is triumphant here in August. DELTA.

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### LETTER FROM DR. M. C. HAWKINS.

Messrs. Hubbell, Peery, Denny, Col-

GENTLEMEN:—In response to you I avail myself of the privilege afforded by the kindness of the press, of communicating such reflections as present themselves to my min I as deserving some consideration from the voters of this district. Having identified ourselves together by political action, the fraternal feelings existing between us will be a sufficient apology for obtruding our views upon the public, at this time.

I could experience no higher gratification from success, than the assurances I received at the polls of the estimation the voters of this county placed upon our views, having carried it over a party vote by about four hundred majority, and the district over a thousand. That success has not crowned our efforts may be a source of mortification to others, but the establishment of principles that lie at the foundation of our civil institutions, are dearer to us, in my judgment, than temperary success, acquired by a resort to double dealing and chicanery. Ask those who are opposed to us what principle has received the endorsement of the people by the recent election. Some will say "popular sover- ] eignty," others will bitterly deny it. Some one has been cheated out of their suffrages; let them hold the guilty to a fearful account. We have contended firmly for the doctrine of non-intervention by Congress or the Territorial Legislature upon the subject of slavery, as tending to unjust discrimination between the citizens of the several States, affirming the doctrine of the equality of the States and equal rights to be enjoyed by the citizens thereof and exclusive privileges by none, the protection of persons and preparty underlike Constitution, where-

and property under the Constitution, whereever the flag of our country floats, regulated by reciprocity treaties, comity of nations and International law, and strict adherence to the decision of the Supreme Court, as a final adjustment of all questions of litigation that may be presented for its adjudication. Has the converse of each one of these propositions been established by the recent election? No positive idea of public policy having been affirmed by our opponents might lead us to such a conclusion. Without affirmative principles there is no cohesive element that can long bind together a great body of men, not excepting "the cohesive power of public plunder." There can be no future then for factions and parties influenced by a guerrilla spirit. The four political parties of to-day, that are contesting before the bar of public opinion their respective merits will be merged into but two after the close of the present canvass. The political history of the world does not afford an example of mere than two positive elements of public pelicy existing in any country for any considerable time. The union of parties in New York is the result of this principle. It is contrary to the genius and philosophy of our institutions, and the absorbing interest taken by our country now in the settlement of questions of public policy, for it to be otherwise. That there will be but two parties, and that one of these parties must be the "Constitutional Union Party," is inevitable from the following facts; that it is the only national party in existence that is conservative; that it is pledged to abide by the decision of the Supreme Court; that all the sacred guarantees of the Constitution for the protection of personal liberty and private property, should be enforced by law-the enforcement of the Laws as they exist in the North, for the protection and restoration of property, and in the South for the rights of humanity.

We do not assume that this, our party, is in possession of all the patriotism there is in the country, but we do affirm that our cardinal principles are eminently patriotic, and that all these who love their country well enough to forsake scetional parties for the sake of principles that are as dear to them as civil liberty itself, will unite with us in adding stone after stone upon the Temple of Liberty, until its colossal height shall be visible to the old world, and point to its shrine the pilgrim worshipers, and its inestimable worth impell the North and the South, the East and the West to claim it as their common patrimony, and in its guardianship, each to vie with the other in vigilance, thus securing Union upon fraternal feelings that are too dear to be severed.

name they shall assume is a matter of in-

That politicians will fuse with these whose affinities are greatest in the present and coming revolution, is unquestionably true. But we deprecate any attempts of this kind during the pending struggle. Let every Union-leving, conservative man rally around the Constitution, and support Bell and Everett, men who support measures that are necessary to the perpetuity of our republican form of government. What if our whole State ticket is defeated? Remember the Spartan band at Thermopylæ, and Washington at Valley Forge, and then prepare for sacrifice if need be. But this will not be, for our principles, in some form or other; must triumph over all opposition. If our flag shall ever trail low in the dust, the spirit of him who led the tottering footsteps of our infantile republic along the pathway of empire, will spatch it up and carry it aloft over geographical parties based upon sectional issues, and victory will perch upon our banners. Be courageous, be firm, never waver or falter-you are engaged in a hand to hand conflict with those factions and geographical parties now. You are contending for the rights of your countrymen and for your own heners, for your self-respect; as equals in a common country. Respectfully yours,

M. C. HAWKINS. Canten, Mo., August 22d, 1860.

Opposed to us will be those who regard the constitution, with all of its sacred reminiscences, as an unhely thing—those who are willing to trample under foot the decision of the Supreme Court—those who deny the equality of the States, and the rights of the citizens thereof, to an equal participation in the settlement and occupancy of the common territories of our country. What

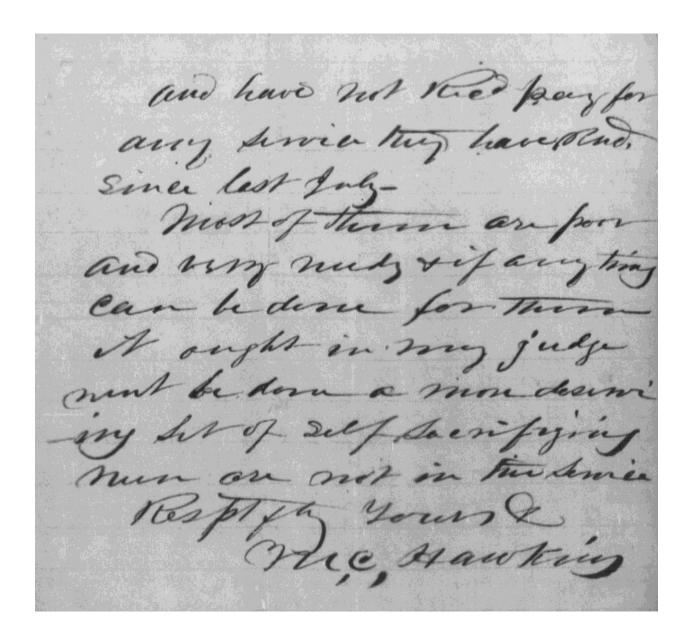
Madison Cannon Hawkins speech, Glasgow, MO, WeeklyTimes, 9.13.1860

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Evidence that may be mechan in order to Enoble theo brown pay for their services. Vol. mill be furnished and as of my and I well try and Service these orter on, by northing for them hethout for or neward I will be Thankfull to go to impose any duty whon our that will brought them it would make glad many Sorrowfull heart for them to Know that they would be paid at no distant day! They new organized under a call porn Saux Freemont and down good since during from the mo men near Who was over This part of the Stali most of these men on tell



There are some interesting files concerning Madison Cannon Hawkins (MC Hawkins). April 15, 1862, MC Hawkins swears under oath at the Office of the Provost Marshall General, Palmyra, MO, that he is a loyal citizen to the United States of America. He does this so that he can receive monies owed him. August, 1862, he is charged by a neighbor, A.M. Granger, with being a secessionist of deceitful character, and that he should not receive a permit to ship wheat, wheat which MC Hawkins says he purchased lawfully but apparently bought from a secessionist and is planning to use for the Confederate cause. He is not issued the permit to ship the wheat.

August, 1864, Sophia Blair (Blain?) states that MC Hawkins threatened her, told her to immediately leave his house (I presume she is renting a house he owns), and called her a black republican bitch. When she threatens to tell her husband, who is in the war, MC says that he would as soon shoot a union man as a rattlesnake.

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Office of the Provo. Marshall

Palmyra, MO

MC Hawkins being duly sworn says that he has two executions against Noah Grant amounting? to 250\$ and that they are liens upon several? signers seized as contraband by the military authorities at Canton and that he is now and has ever been loyal to the United States government and that he has suits in favor of another loyal citizen for about 500\$ which ought to be sustained against said signers – and said signers being now held by the military orders ??? the parties from obtaining their just demands and this affidavit is needed for their release April 15<sup>th</sup>, 1862.

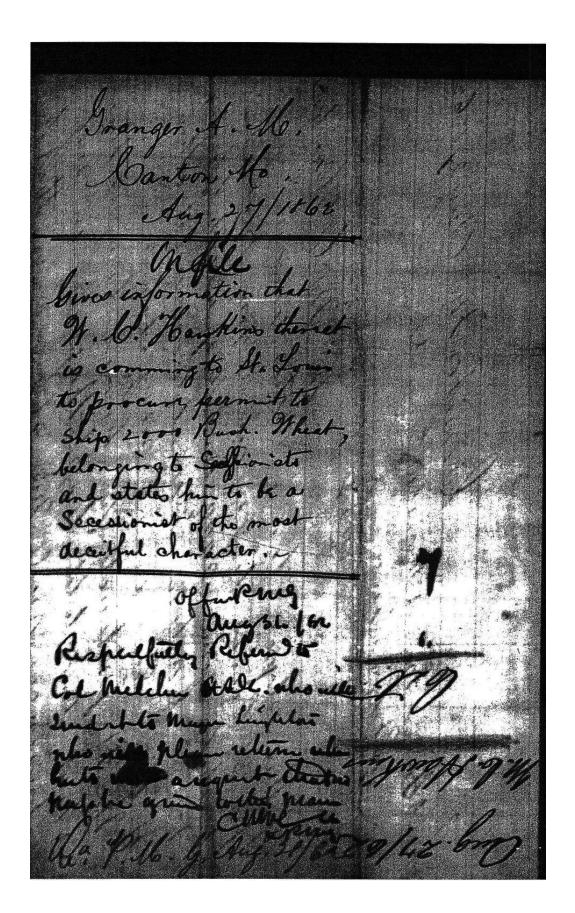
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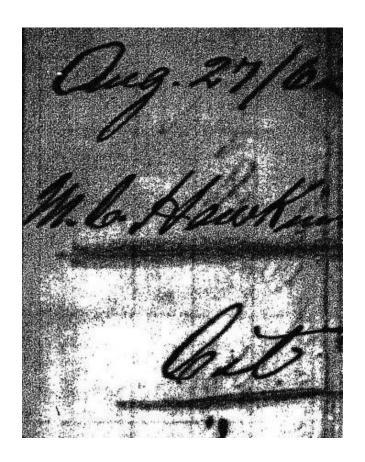
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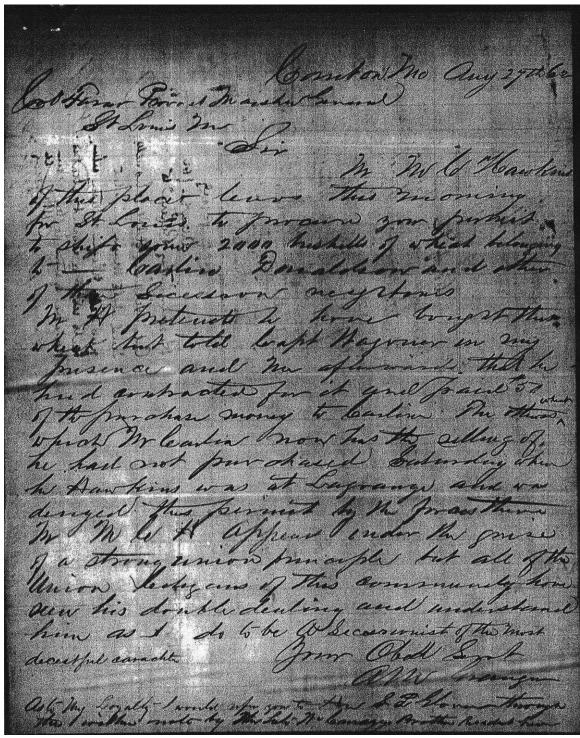
My judgment is that (and there is no further text).

4/28/08 there is a Noah Grant on the 1860 census, Lewis, MO

Aug. 27, 1862







Madison Cannon Hawkins, Union Provost Marshals File Of Paper Relating To Individual Civilians.8.27.1862

Capt ??? Provost Marshall, General

St. Louis, MO

Sir, Mr. MC Hawkins of this place leaves this morning for St. Louis to procure your permit to ship some 2000 bushells of wheat belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Carlin Donaldson and other of their secession neighbors. Mr. H pretends to have bought this wheat but told Capt. Wagner in my presence and Mr. afterwards that he had contracted for it and paid \$50 of the purchase money to Carlin. The others wheat which Mr. Carlin now has the selling of he had not purchased Saturday when Mr. Hawkins was at Lagrange and was denyed this permit by the forces there. Mr. M.C.H. appears under the guise of a strong union principle but all of the union Citizans of this community have seen his double dealing and understand him as a I do to be a secessionist of the most deceitful carachter.

Your obedient servant

A.M. Granger

As to my loyalty I would refer you to the Hon. S.P. Glover?? through this written note by this Mr. Luther W. Example 2015 another resident here

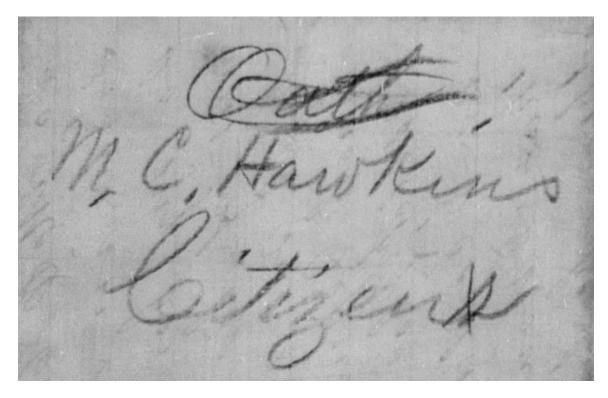
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Canton, NO.	
August 27, 1862	
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Office? PMG (stands for Provost Marshall General)	
August 31, 1862	
Respectfully Referred to Col. Melcher St L? who will send unto Major Leighton who will please return hereto a request that no pass be given to that man.	
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P.M.G. Aug. 31, 1862	

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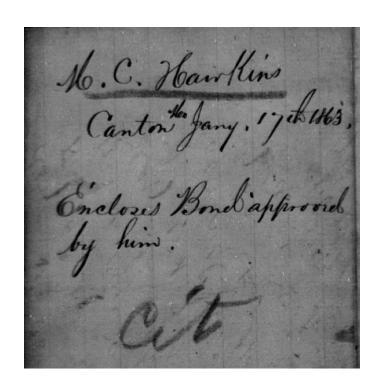
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	CANTON MARKET.
	Corrected Weekly for the Canton Press,
	BY M. C. HAWKINS,
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	Sugar-Brown 13cts. White 16 2-3c per pound.
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	Lard-Shipping order,7a7 1-2cts.
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	Candles-Mould 16 1-2; Star 22 cts.
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Madison Cannon Hawkins, CantonWeeklyPress, 2.18.1863



Madison Cannon Hawkins, CantonWeeklyPress, 10.15.1863

## Aug. 2, 1864, Sophia Blair's statement against Madison

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#### Statement of

Mrs. Sophia Blair on oath states that she lived in a home belonging to MC Hawkins in Canton, MO, and some time in the month of Sept. 1863 he came to my house and told me he wanted me to get out of his house and if I didn't he would kick me out he didn't intend for any black republican bitch to live in his house. I told him that it was impossible for me to leave as I could get no house to go in I told him that I would move in the kitchen and live there, he told me no that there was plenty of houses in town and go and fix one up and go in to it I told him I couldn't find one and if I did I was not able to fix it up if I could and he told me I had to leave and if I didn't he would kick me out. I told him if he didn't mind as how he made his threats that I had a living husband in the army and would report to him and let him know how you are abusing me and calling me a black republican bitch and he would settle with you for it. He said that he was not afeared of my husband nor any other union man that if any of them laid their hands on him he would shoot them that he would as soon shoot a union man as a rattlesnake.

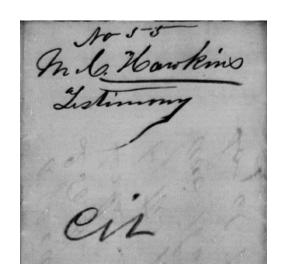
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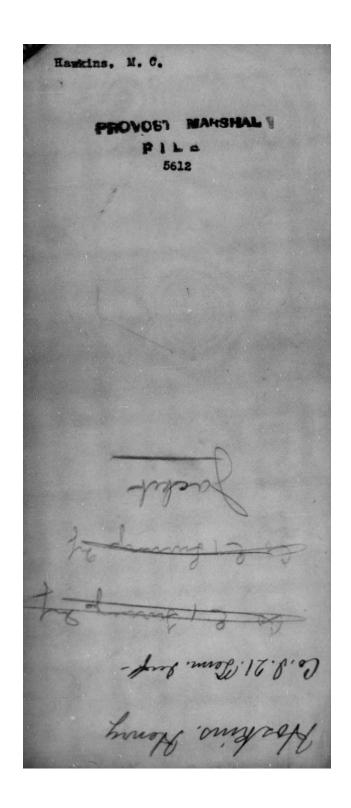
Witness Thomas Jeffries.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1864.

Henry J. Lewis

Capt. Sgt. 69<sup>th</sup> Regt. EMM





#### IRS Tax Assessments in 1862-1865

Madison had several entries – row owning a horse, being an estate dealer, being an attoryey, casket broker?, horse dealer, wholesale dealer, retail dealer, for owning a piano, etc.

#### MASS MEETING.

In pursuance of the above call, a meeting will be held at Monticello, on Monday next, October 25th, to select suitable persons to represent Lewis county in the above named Mass Convention.

The time for holding a Mass Convention of the people in the city of St. Louis on the 25th inst., is rapidly approaching, and we are called upon by every consideration of interest to ourselves and country, to unite in the proposed movement and send delegates of our best men to the Convention, without respect to past association. We edsire the hearty co-operation of every one who is opposed to the disintegration of the Union and the doctrine of State annihilation and Territorial vassalage.

We desire the co-operation of every one who would protect civil and religious liberty from the outrages of the petty tyrants whom the waves of revolution have thrown into places of public trust.

We desire the co-operation of every who would preserve the heritage of a free Constitution and perpetuate the principles of Republican liberty for the white men of the country, against the dogmas of Negro suffrage and political equality.

We desire the co-operation of every one who is in favor of the restoration of peace and good order throughout the country, the maintenance of the Union, and the restoration policy of the President, Andrew Johnson.

We call upon those who remember with pleasure, the chivalric services of the heroes of their fatherland, to imitate their example in the country of their adoption, and assist in redeeming the State from the hands of tyrants and despots who disgrace it.

We call upon soldier und civilian to come again to the rescus of their country, deter mining that this country was made by white men, for white men and should be ruled by white men. Let the 26th of October inaugurate a new era in our history.

M. C. HAWKINS,
J. M. CASHMAN,
J. W. BARRETT,
WM. ODOR,
WM. ELLIS,
H. DAVIS,
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Madison Cannon Hawkins, TheCantonPress, 10.19.1865

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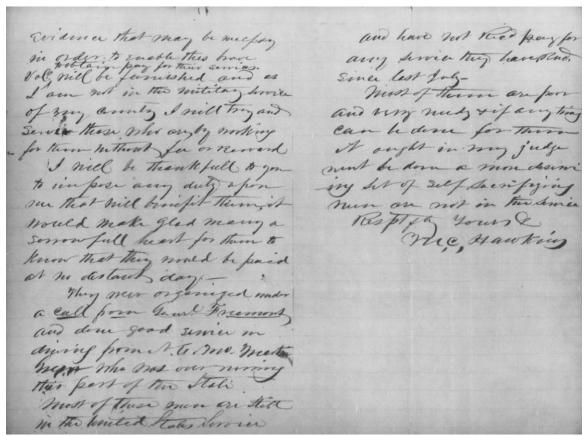
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Madison Cannon Hawkins, appeal for pay for vol. soldiers.1

At a meeting of the steckholders of the Mississippi and Missouri River Air Line Railroad Company, held at the office of the President on the 15th instant, the following persons were elected Directors for the ensuing year: H. Davis, M. C. Mawkins, C. H. Bland, G. W. Patee, Z. T. Knight and G. W. Forrest, of Canton, A. C. Waltman, LaGrange, Lewis county; H. S. Osborn and John Tillson, of Quinery, Ille.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, TheLincolnCountyHerald, 7.2.1868



Madison Cannon Hawkins, Lucien B Durkee, TheCantonPress, 8.13.1868

The Canton (Mo.) Savings Bank has changed hands. Messrs. M. C. Hawkins and F. G. Fisk, have sold their interest to Messrs. N. Wolflin and J. T. Lewis, by whom it will hereafter be conducted.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, Warrenton, MO, Banner, 3/16/1869

#### 1870 census, Canton, Lewis, MO

Madison Hawkins, 51, professor in Christian University, real estate \$20,000, personal property \$20,000, b. in KY

Pheba E. Hawkins, 47, keeps house, b. in VA John High, 17, clerk in store, b. in MO, attended school Annie High, 18, at home, b. in MO, attended school Noah Bland, 37, b. in MO, insane

Annie High is called their foster daughter; she married Frank Lee Schofield 11/14, 1872, a prominent businessman in Canton. He had attended the Christian University where Madison taught, becoming an attorney after graduation.

#### Death of Dr. M. C. Hawkins.

It is with deep sorrow that we announce that Madison C. Hawkins, of Congestion of the Brain, departed this life at his residence in this place, April 15th, in the fifty-third year of his age.

In making record of this we but give expression to the general sentiment, when we present it as an irreparable loss to the community in which he lived and the extended circle of influence where the deceased was recognized and appreciated.

Mr. Hawkins migrated to this county from Kentucky in 1830, studied medicine and practiced with Dr. Frazier, and in 1840 removed to Laclede county, where he was elected to the Legislature in 1842; two years later he returned to Canton and soon after, turned his attention to the law and became a successful and distinguished attorney, and has since made this his residence until cut down by fell disease in the very prime of manhood and at the zenith of his usefulness. Possessing great versatility of talent, he seemed prepared to grapple with every subject that attrracted his attention, and whether in medicine, law, politics, science or theology, he seemed equally at home and ever ready to d give his views with frankness and candor. In his business relations he was eminently success ful, and yet, was ever ready to lend a helping hand to others, multitudes of whom will remember with lasting gratitude his many acts of kindness and words of encouragement. As a counselor he commanded in an extraor kindness and words or encouragement.

As a counselor he commanded in an extraordinary degree, the confidence of the people,
because his opinions were correct and his
convictions honest and sincere. Refusing
proffered worldly honors and the emoluments
and blandishments of office, he preferred to
move in an humbler sphere of usefulness,
and to enjoy the honors that come from God.
As a distinguished citizen, a kind friend, a
noble man, a true Mason and a devoted
Christian, the people will revere his memory,
while they sympathize with the bereaved widow and sorrowing friends in their untimely
loss.

The long cortege that followed his remains on yesterday to their final resting place, attested the esteem in which he was held by the public at large, and the impressive Masonic ceremonies at the grave never seemed more appropriate than when thus commemorating departed worth.

Peace to his ashes.

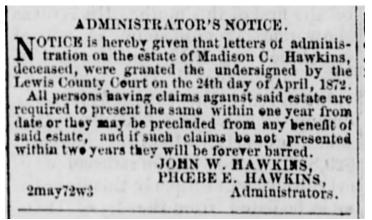
Honor to his memory!

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord; for they rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Madison Cannon Hawkins, obit, TheCantonPress, 4.18.1872

### Death of M. C. Hawkins.

Madison C. Hawkins, a well known citizen of Lewis county, died at Canton, in that county, on the 15th inst., in the 53d year of his age. He served in the lower house of the legislature in 1840, as a member from Laclede county.



Madison Cannon Hawkins, estate, TheCantonPress, 5.16.1872

There are at least 20 pages of M.C.'s probate records, which I have posted online.

#### 1880 census, Canton, Lewis, MO

Phoeba E. Hawkins, 56, keeping house, b. in VA, father b. in PA, mother b. in VA Lena Dixon, 22, boarder, house keeper, b. in IA, parents b. in OH

#### 1900 census, Canton, Lewis, MO

Phebe Hawkins, 77, b. 9/1822, 0 children b., b. in VA, father b. in PA, mother b. in VA, owns home free

Lillian Ramsey, 26, servant, b. 2/1874, b. in MO, parents b. in MO, housekeeper

Phebe d. in 1908

known by old citizens of Lewis county as, "Aunt Lizzie Hawn kins," passed away Saturday forenoon, October 10, aged per- d r haps 86 years. Although she was one of the wealthiest ladies n of Lewis county she was one of t a. the best loved by all classes of gs people, not putting her name in I y. print to be heralded to the world 1: as a great giver, but obeying the scriptures in "doing her alms in secret," as many can testify. Hawkins Literary Society of Christian Universty was named for her and husband. After a sermon at the residence at 2 p.m. Monday by Elder Lampton, of X Louisiana, her remains were laid to rest by the side of her husband in Forest Grove cemetery, who d preceded her April 15, 1872. Her s. demise leaves just five ladies in r 1- Canton, who were here and as es much as 25 years old when we s came in July 1860. But, oh, the t innumerable throng awaiting us "over there." Jerome B. Mc Cutchan was funeral director. Among those from elsewhere who attended the funeral were her nephew, Dr. Arch Sharp, of Hannibal; her adopted daughter, Mrs. Annie High Schofield, and husband, Hon. F. L. Schofield, and sons and son's wife, of Hannibal, and her brother, John High, and wife, of LaBelle. She leaves many relatives in this county to mourn her departure.

Mrs. Phoebe E. Rees, relict of e Dr. Madison C. Hawkins, better v

Phebe Elizabeth Rees Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 10.16.1908.2

	MISSOURI, County of Lewisss.  On the Grofal County of Lewisss.  To all to whom these Presents shall ComeGreeting:  st Will and Testament of Thele E. Hauthuis
	ounty, Missouri, hath, in due form of law, been exhibited, proved, and recorded, in the office of the Clerk of
the Probate it appears that Jaux	Court of Leeves County Missouri, a copy of which is hereunto annexed; and inasmuch as
	Executor in and by the said Last Will and Testament, to execute the same, and to the end that the
	ntor may be preserved for those who shall appear to have a legal right or interest therein, and that the said
Last Will and Testamen	may be executed according to the request and instruction of the said Testator, we do hereby authorize the said Fraus I. Schoffeld
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	be property and the law charge fucis ; and in general to do and perform all other acts
Frul	hereafter required of here by law.  IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Let Dong Judge and Clerk of the Probabe Court in and for said Courley Sews have hereunto signed my name and affixed the seal of the said Court, at office in Moulesello this 150 day of October 1908
Filed for Record	October 15th 1908, -187 . Clerk of Probable Gourt.

Phebe Elizabeth Rees Hawkins will

Dr. Madison C. Hawkins was born in Bath County, Ky., July 19, 1818. At the age of twelve years he removed with his parents, Gregory and Sarah Hawkins, to Missouri, and settled near the town of Tully, in what is now Lewis County. Pioneer life afforded but little opportunity of developing the fondness for books, early evinced by the young subject of this sketch; his school education was accordingly limited to the curriculum of the log schoolhouse, from which he graduated at the end of a few midwinter terms. Circumstances, rather than any decided taste in that direction, led him to pursue the study of medicine under old Doctor Alfred Frazier, an early practitioner of Lewis County, who lived some seven miles south of La Grange. After attending the Lexington (Kentucky) Medical College during the years 1842 and 1843, he returned to his home in Lewis County,

where, within the few years of his practice here, he easily pushed his way to the front ranks in his chosen profession In 1843 he was married to Miss Phebe E. Rees, in whom he found throughout the course of his subsequent life a helpmeet possessing in an eminent degree all those qualities of mind, graces of the womanly character, that stand as a tower of strength to further the husband's most cherished enterprises. Their union bore no issue, but an adopted daughter, now Mrs. F. L. Schofield, whom they reared and educated, shares with her, who still survives, the cherished memories of husband and foster-father. In 1847 Dr. Hawkins removed to Camden County, where he engaged in the practice of his profession some four years, during which time he also represented that county in the General Assembly of the State. In 1858 he returned to Lewis County, determined to abandon the profession; it afforded inadequate scope for his aggressive and enterprising spirit. At once launching important mercantile and manufacturing enterprises, he also commenced and pursued with great delight the study of the law. After a preparation of several years he attended the Cincinnati (Ohio) Law School, in 1853 and 1854, and, returning, practiced at the bar of Northeast Missouri with success and distinction, till within a few years of his Having accumulated a competency, he retired from the practice and from active business, about 1870, but not to devote his remaining years to aimless leisure. About this period new problems were engaging the scientific world, which, if solved after the formula then fast gaining popularity, must needs demand some important changes in the current interpretation of Dr. Hawkins, profoundly believing that the Holy Bible and the book of Nature were but the handwriting of a single author, determined to dedicate the years that remained to him to labor on the side of those who maintained that science was indeed the handmaid of the religion of God, and between whom there was and could be no conflict. Here he pursued his studies with great zeal and devotion. His writings upon the subject were on the main fragmentary, a number of which were collected and published for private circulation after his death. Unfortunately, however, several of his most important and able papers were lost. While thus engaged he collected, at his own private expense, a museum of natural history for the college at Canton. He was a Democrat in politics, but aside from making a race for Congress at a time when there was no hope for electing a Democrat, the Drake constitution being in force, he never sought political preferment. He was a prominent Freemason, very active in church, in Sunday-school and educational matters, being president of the board of trustees of Christian

University, and of the board of education of the town of Canton, for a number of years. Public-spirited, far-sighted and courageous, he led in enterprises, public and private, and perhaps did more than any other one man in promoting local interests and building up his town. A prominent characteristic was his interest in a sympathy for young men, ever ready to aid with his counsel as with his purse; he placed many on the high road to a successful career, who must otherwise have utterly failed. The leading literary society in the university bears his name. He died April 15, 1872.

Madison Cannon Hawkins, Hist of Lewis County, MO 1887 bio.3

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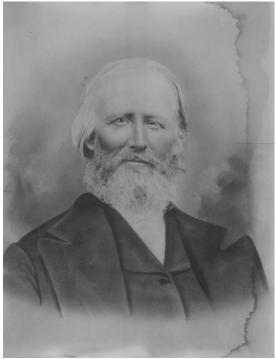
In 1867 a group of undergraduates at Christian University, which was founded in 1853 and whose doors opened in 1855, met in the Christian University Chapel on October 11, 1867; Dr. Madison Hawkins gave the principal address. Thus the founding of the Hawkins Literary Institute took shape with Dr. Hawkins serving as the organization's faculty sponsor. "A prominent characteristic was his interest in a sympathy for young men, ever ready to help with his counsel, as with his purse: He placed many on the high road to a successful career." The founding members were F. W. Bush, O. C. Clay, L. C. Hendren, H. J. McRoberts, George Pratt, and O. M. Spencer. C. W. Barrett was one of the first new men to be initiated. The first president of the 'Hawks', as they quickly became known, was LaCossit Hendren, class of 1870. Born in 1850, Hendren chose to become a farmer and achieved significant success in his occupation and was also educated as an attorney, although he never practiced law. At the time of his death on October 12, 1924, Hendren was the president of the Executive Board of Culver-Stockton College. The purpose of the Hawkins Literary Institute was to "share knowledge through their programs of learning parliamentary procedure and cultivating literary and forensic skill, and establish a better way of life, both educationally and morally".

Dr. Madison C. Hawkins was born in Bath County, Kentucky in 1818. In 1830, he and his parents moved to Tully in Lewis County, Missouri. He was quite a renaissance man. He studied medicine under Dr. Alfred Frazier and attended the Lexington Kentucky Medical College in 1842 and 1843. He moved to Camden County where he practiced his profession for a few years before tiring of it and attending Cincinnati Law School in 1853 and 1854. During this time he was a member of the Missouri General assembly. He then became engaged in business and joined the Freemasons. He was a Democrat who ran for office, but was defeated. He was selected to the Board of Trustees at Christian University and served as its president. He also served on the faculty, first as professor of Commercial and Constitutional Law and then as a professor of Geology and Mineralogy. Dr. Hawkins died on April 15, 1872, leaving a substantial portion of his estate to the Hawkins Literary Institute. In 1917 Christian University changed its name to Culver Stockton College in honor of two generous donors, Mary Culver and Robert Stockton. Two years before that the Hawkins Literary Institute had taken a Greek name, Alpha Delta Theta, which it would remain until May 22, 1926, when they became Missouri Gamma of Theta Kappa Nu.

Madison C. Hawkins, former president of the Board of Trustees at Culver Stockton College and for whom the Hawkins Literary Institute was named. He also served as faculty sponsor of the organization and its members became known as 'Hawks'. The purpose of the organization was to establish a better way of life, both education- ally and morally. He left a substantial portion of his estate to the Hawkins Literary Institute.

# Felix Albert Hawkins Son of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Cannon Hawkins Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

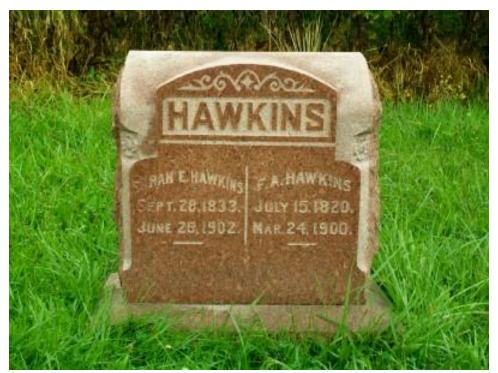
Felix Albert Hawkins, b. 7/15/1820, Bath County, KY; m. Sarah Elizabeth Blessing, 7/20/1849, Lewis County, MO; d. 3/24/1900, Williamstown, Lewis, MO; buried in Williamstown Cemetery, Williamstown, Lewis, MO.



Felix Albert Hawkins



Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins



Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins stone, Williamstown Cemetery, Williamstown, Lewis, MO

Felix A. Hawkins manufactured bricks at Canton with his Uncle Harvey Hawkins. Later he purchased a 200 acre farm West of Williamstown, Missouri.

On July 20, 1844, Felix Albert Hawkins married Sarah Elizabeth Blessing who was the daughter of David and Nancy (Tarte:) Blessing. Her parents had moved from Virginia as early as 1844.

The following children were form to Felix and Sarah Hawkins:

Roswell Henry Hawkins	B. 9-27-1850
James Harvey Hawkins	B. 6-28-1352
Francis Marion Hawkins	В. 2-13-1357
(Catherine Pool)	
Perry M. Hawkins	B. 4-20-1860
William L. Hawkins	B. 10-10-1362:
Milton G. Hawkins	B. 4-28-1866
(Lena Francis)	
Jacob B. Hawkins	B. 2-13-186!
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Susan Irene Hawkins
(Jasper Clifton)
Edward Monroe Hawkins
John Wesley Hawkins
(Minnie Pool)

B. 12-18-1864

B. 6-7-1872

The places where the above persons worked and died is an indication of the Westward Migration of America in that time. Roswell worked in the mines in Cripple Creek, Colorado and Globe, Arizona. Susan Irene Homesteaded around Boyero, Colorado. Harvey was around Clearwater, Idaho. Edward lived at one tim at Stites. Idaho, Gunnison, Colorado, and settledat Brementon, Washington, at the time of his death. Perry and William worked in the mines at Globe, Arizona. Three of the children remained in Missouri - Marion at Downing, Missouri, Milton as a blacksmith at Deer Ridge. Missouri and John as a farmer near Deer Ridge. Missouri.

Roswell Henry Hawkins married Eva Emery and had at least two children - Albert and Florence- who married Mills and lived in California.

Harvey Hawkins married an Emery and had four children - Addie who married Oscar Francis and after his death married Ernie Stinger and lived in Ft. Madison.

Iowa. Bess who married Clarence Blessing and lived at Deer Ridge, Missouri Minnie Bell who married Albert Duvall and another child.

Frances Marion Hawkins married Catherine Pool and had five children - Ida. Jasper who lives in California, Ernest who lives in Kirksville, Missouri, Jessie, and Earl, deceased, who lived at Downing, Missouri.

Perry M. Hawkins married unknown and had two children, Madison who married Hattle Cooper and lives in California, and Glenn who lives at Quincy, Illinois.

William L. Hawkins was a bachelor and lived at Seattle, Washington.

Milton G. Hawkins married Lena Francis and had five children - William of Pampa Texas. Thomas of Edina, Missouri, Victor of Hollywood, California, Fay Werdner of LaBelle Missouri, and Virgil of LeHarpe, Illinois.

Edward Monroe Hawkins married Music Shoptough and had six children - Grace Irene of Seattle, Washington, Ina Mae of Seattle, Washington, Loy of Bremerton, Washington, Sadie, deceased, Anita, and Wayne of Pueblo, Colorado.

### Felix married Sarah Elizabeth Blessing, 7/20/1849.

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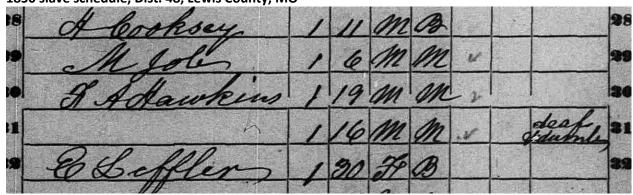
By David Hayner Depty

Felix Albert Hawkins marr. cert

#### 1850 census, District 48, Lewis County, MO

Felix A. Hawkins, 29, brickmaker, real estate \$800, b. in KY Sarah E. Hawkins, 17, b. in VA Christian Bells, 16, laborer, b. in PA Martin Threlkeld, 21, laborer, b. in KY David Smithers, 18, laborer, b. in KY Russel Widner, 20, laborer, b. in KY Wade Wilson, 21, laborer, b. in KY Michael Murphy, 21, laborer, b. in Ireland

1850 slave schedule, Dist. 48, Lewis County, MO



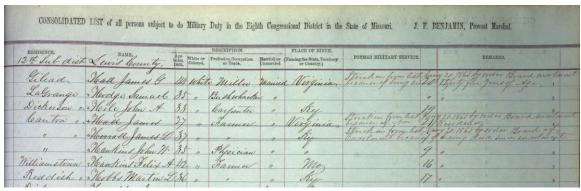
The 1860 census at ancestry.com is illegible. Easier to read at familysearch.

1860 census, Dickerson Twp., Lewis County, MO

KF Hawkins, 40, farmer, real estate \$7,000?, personal property 1984, b. in KY DE Hawkins, 24? b. in VA RK, 9, b. in MO (Roswell H) JH, 7, b. in MO (James H) JS, 5, b. in MO (Susan Irene) Francis M, 3, b. in MO Perry, 1, b. in MO

Felix Albert doesn't have a slave schedule for 1860.

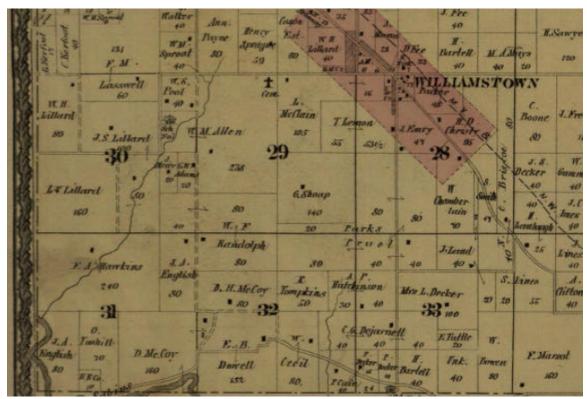
#### 1863 Civil War Reg.



Felix Albert Hawkins Civil War Reg

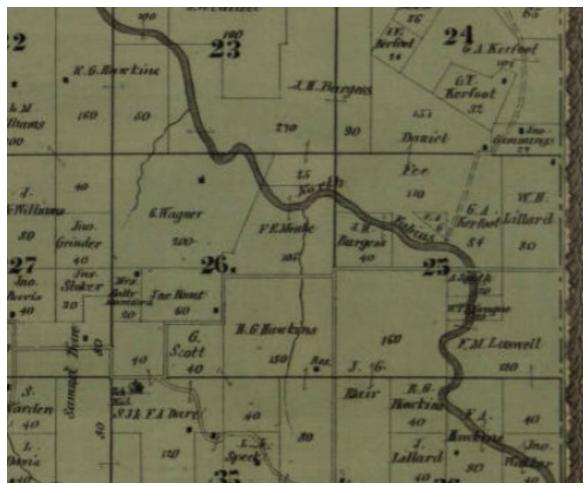
#### 1870 census, Twp., 63, Range 8, Lewis County, MO

F.A. Hawkins, 50, farmer, real estate \$8,000, personal property \$1600, b. in KY Elizabeth Hawkins, 37, keeps house, b. in VA Russell H., 19, works on farm, b. in MO, attended school James H., 18, works on farm, b. in MO, attended school Susan I., 15, at home, b. in MO, attended school Marion, 13, at school, b. in MO, attended school Perry, 11, at school, b. in MO, attended school William, 8, b. in MO, attended school Jacob, 6, b. in MO Milton, 4, b. in MO Edward, 5/12, b. in MO Geo. Shuber, 19, laborer, b. in MO Gabriel Cox, 21, laborer, b. in MO



Felix Albert Hawkins, plat map, Twp. 63, R8W, Lewis County, MO





1878 plat map

#### 1880 census, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, MO

Felix A. Hawkins, 59, farmer, b. in KY, parents b. in KY
Sarah E. Hawkins, 46, keeping house, b. in WVA, parents b. in WVA
Perry M., 21, farm laborer, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA
William L., 18, farm laborer, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA
Jacob B., 16, farm laborer, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA
Milton G., 14, farm laborer, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA
Edward M., 10, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA
John W., 8, b. in MO, father b. in KY, mother b. in WVA

Felix A. Hawkins was born in Bath County, Ky., in 1820. He is the son of G. F. and Sarah (Cannon) Hawkins, both natives of Kentucky. They came to this State, and settled near Canton, where they lived until their death. Our subject followed farming for two years after he began independently, and then began brick-making with his uncle, Harvey Hawkins, and continued for many years, He has been on his present farm for some time. It is a fine estate of about 200 acres, and nicely situated. In 1849 he married Sarah E. Blessing, the daughter of David and Nancy (Tarter) Blessing, both natives of Virginia, who moved to Lewis County, Mo., forty-four years ago. To our subject and wife were born these children: Roswell H., James H., Susan I., Frances M., Perry M., William L., Jacob B., Milton G., an infant unnamed, Edward M. and John W. Our subject is a Democrat in politics, and his estimable wife is a member of the Christian Church.

Felix Albert Hawkins and John Wesley Hawkins bio, Lewis County, MO, 1887 history.3

Please return to Terry Hoffman

LETTER DATED MAY I 1893 TO FELLX A. HAWKING PROM SISTER UNICY A. BAYNE.

Do you remember about 30 years ago the kentucky Hawkins wrote to M. C. Hawkins about a fortune in England due us. He laughed at it. The war The came on and no more was said about it. Now comes the question to me, what was our great grandfathers first name and who did he marry? When did he die, when did he come to America, where did he live before moving to Kentucky. What part of England did he come from? Do you remember Pa saying?

Was it his grandmother or great grandmother lived with them in Kentucky?

Where does the Matson come in? Of course a Matson must have married one of grandpa&s sisters for the Captian Matson was here in the Blackhawk War was Pa's own cousin. Pa went as a guide to the Company because it was full

and he could get no other position.

A lawyer in Illinois is enquiring. Wants to know as far back as we know. Didn't Pa say his great-grandmother was a Matson, a Scotch woman and was torn by a panther, only saved by a little dog. I think in Pa's old Bible in the back part was a record that old Wheat copied from. Had our great grandfathers

name and who he married. What was it?

Then Pa bought the Bible he gave the old one to Lounda or Camillus. She may have kept it. In that case Bywater got it. (Edward G. Bywater) Moberly, Missouri) Don't you remember he wrote my name Unisa while we spell Unicy. He did not copy our great grandfathers name said that was sufficient. When U C made a copy in the large Bible he just wrote what Wheat did.

H. C. Hawkins of Hannibal, Mo. is forwarding me the news as he gets it from other parties. I shall write to Elizabeth How at Pleasant Hill Mo. I suppose she was a Hawkins, and to the lawyer at Julesburg, Illinois just to ask questions. I would like to know how they found out there was a fortune before I bother much about it. Do try to recollect and write to me as fully as you can and soon.

LETTER DATED DECEMBER 10, 11(#-TO TO F. A. HALKING FROM U. A. BAYNES

As to the business spoke of, I had a great deal of news concerning the family. I told you of Mrs. How or Hon. Isaac Hawkins daughter. She gave me the address of Samuel Hawkins of Bath County Kentucky. I told him to go to the old burying ground and see what he could find. He wrote back that our great grandfather was born May II, I733 and died October 1805. Our Elizabeth Hawkins was born April 21, I739 and died October 18, I805. Our father's Uncle John left six sons. All are married and had families but father's Uncle John left six sons. All are married and had families but was ignorant of the eldest son being sole heir. Our father told me the heir moved to Hendrix County, Indianna. The lawyer wrote me his wife's sickness and death had nearly broken him up. He was going to California to stay with a daughter. Has done nothing but write back to send advertisements of the estate and I don't think he had. I can't find one that is willing to put a dollar in it, but I am going to write to an agency in England and see if the estate has ever been claimed at my own expense. That willsettle the matter. If we had only had songe approach to have least at willsettle the matter. If we had only had sense enough to have kept our own records I would not be so annoyed.

50th Wedding Anniversary

-Married, at the residence of the bride's parents in Canton, Mo., July 20th, 1849, Mr. A. F. Hawkins and Miss Elizabeth Blessing. If there had been a newspaper published in Canton at the date here mentioned, the foregoing is possibly the form of a notice that would have appeared in its columns. But if we mistake not, there was no paper published in Canton or in Lewis county, in 1849, and the important event passed by unnoticed except by a few immediate friends of the contracting parties. The marriage took place, however, and the union has proved a most happy one. The bridegroom of fifty years ago said a few days ago to some of nephews who were at his home, the following words which show that contentment reigns in that household: "I can say one thing that you boys can't say; that is, that I married the girl I wanted and have always been glad of it; although we have lived together fifty years," Last Thursday was the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of this worthy couple. About forty-five of their relatives assembled at their home south west of Williamstown, and appropriately celebrated their "Golden Wedding." Among those present were sons, daughters and other relatives in Lewis and Scotland counties, and a son, P. M. Hawkins, from Arizona Territory. It was a bright day and all greatly enjoyed a most happy family reunion. May these worthy citizens live to see many more years of happy companionship.

Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins, 50th wedd ann., LewisCountyJournal, 7.28.1899

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#### A. F. Hawkins Dead.

Albert F. Hawkins died at his home 3 miles southwest of Williamstown, Saturday at 5 am., of the infirmities of age. The interment took place Sunday at Williamstown, the service being confined to a prayer over the grave. Elder John Shanks had been sent for, but could not reach the place N in time.

Mr. Hawkins was born in July. 11 1820, and has been a resident of a Lewis county since 1831, when he P came to the county with his father. In 1857 he located at his present | si residence, where he has resided continuously. Elizabeth Blessing, daughter of Jacob Blessing, became his wife. Ten children survive the father, M. G. Hawkins, and John Hawkins, of Williamstown; Edward Hawkins, who lives in Colorado; Roswell, Williams and Perry Hawkins, residents of Arizona; Jacob and Harvey Hawkins, who live in Montana; Marion Hawkins of Schuyler county and Mrs. Jasper Clifton of near Williamstown. One brother, M. H. Hawkins of Canton, and two sisters Mesdames U. A. Bone of Canton and I. F. Long of San-1 fo tuzza are living.

Felix Albert Hawkins, obit, LewisCountyJournal, 3.30.1900

# Letters of Administration.

	To all Persons to whom t	f Lewisss: these Presents shall comeGreeting:
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liminished in value, if speed	ly care be not taken of the same. To the end, the	herefore, that the said Property may be collected, preserv
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#### 1900 census, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, MO

Sarah E. Hawkins, 67, b. 9/1833, 11 children b., 10 living, b. in VA, parents b. in VA Albert G. Duvall, 24, grandson-in-law, b. 3/1876, m. 2 yrs, b. in IL, father b. in KY, mother b. in IN, farmer

Minnie B. Duvall, 19, granddaughter, b. 9/1880, 1 child b., 1 living, m. 2 yrs, b. in MO, parents b. in MO

Eva O. Duvall, 1, gr granddaughter, b. 10/1898, b. in MO, parents b. in MO

-Roswell Hawkins of Arizona arrived in Williamstown last week to be with his mother who is very sick with little hopes of her recovery. Her son, Marion, of Schuyler county has also been called to her bedside. Mrs. Hawkins is a victim of heart trouble.

Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins, ill, LewisCountyJournal, 5.15.1902

# DIED. HAWKINS: at the home of her daughter, Mrs, Jasper Clifton, of Williamstown, on Thursday, June 26, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth (Blessing) Hawkins, after a lingering illness of several weeks, The remains were interred at Williamstown Friday. Mrs. Hawkins was born in Virginia, September 28, 1833 and removed to Missouri with her parents when 10 years old. She was married to Felix A Haw kins on July 20, 1849. To them were born ten children, nine sons and one daughter, She became a member of the Methodist church when ten years old and thirteen years later united with the Christian church, retaining her memberf ship in the latter church until her death. s She was a faithful and attentive mems ber of the church and a devout chris-- tian. Five sons and one daughter were present at the funeral services. The deceased leaves one living sister,

Sarah Blessings Hawkins, obit, LewisCountyJournal, 7.3.1902

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<u>Children of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins</u>
<u>Grandchildren of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins</u>
Great Grandchildren of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

1. Roswell Henry Hawkins, b. 9/27/1850, Canton, Lewis, MO; m. Evaline Eva Hannah Emery, 4/15/1877, Williamstown, Lewis, MO; d. 6/10/1921, Copper Creek, Pinal, AZ; buried in

- 2. James Harvey Hawkins, b. 6/27/1851, Lewis County, MO; m. 1<sup>st</sup> Phebe A. Emery, 3/21/1875, Lewis County, MO; m. 2<sup>nd</sup> Laura Belle McPherson, Idaho County, ID; d. 3/28/1920, Kamiah, Lewis, ID; buried in Kamiah Cemetery, Kamiah, Lewis, ID.
- 3. Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, b. 12/1854, MO; m. Jasper Clifton, 4/15/1877, Lewis County, MO; d. 9/17/1928, Boyero, Lincoln, CO; buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Hugo, Lincoln, CO.
- Francis Marion Hawkins, b. 2/19/1857, Williamstown, Lewis, MO; m. Emily Cathryn Pool, 2/19/1876, Clark County, MO; d. 1/22/1943, Kirksville, Adair, MO; buried in Downing City Cemetery, Downing, Schuyler, MO.
- 5. Perry Monday Hawkins, b. 4/20/1860, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, MO; m. Maria Ida Spirell, before 1887, prob. CO; divorced 6/2/1891, Eagle County, CO; d. 6/2/1904, Yavapai County, AZ; buried in McCabe Cemetery, McCabe, Yavapai, AZ.
- 6. William L. Hawkins, b. 10/10/1861, Williamstown, Lewis, MO; d. 4/3/1941, Seattle, King, WA; buried in Ivy Green Cemetery, Bremerton, Kitsap, WA.
- 7. John Wesley Hawkins, b. 6/7/1862, Lewis County, MO; m. Minnie Frances Pool, 10/4/1894, Lewis County, MO; d. 3/10/1935, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, MO; buried in La Belle Cemetery, La Belle, Lewis, MO.
- 8. Jacob Blessing Hawkins, 2/18/1864, Lewis County, MO; d. 4/5/1909, Pomeroy, Garfield, WA; buried in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Pomeroy, Garfield, WA.
- 9. Milton Gregory Hawkins, b. 4/29/1866, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, WA; m. Lena River Francis, 7/3/1893, Monticello, Lewis, MO; d. 7/11/1937, Deer Ridge, Lewis, MO; buried in Williamstown Cemetery, Williamstown, Lewis, MO.
- 10. Unnamed Infant Hawkins
- 11. Edward Monroe Hawkins, b. 1/25/1870, Reddish Twp., Lewis County, WA; m. Musa Nora Shoptaugh, 1/25/1891, Clark County, MO; d. 1/23/1955, Bremerton, Kitsap, WA; buried in Ivy Green Cemetery, Bremerton, Kitsap, WA.

#### **Roswell Henry Hawkins**

Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins
Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins
Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

# LOCAL MINING NOTES

## A Budget of Items From the Globe Mining District

R. H. Hawkins has returned from his mines near Mammoth, upon which he has been doing development work. He owns some very promising claims.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, ArizonaSilverBelt, 1.14.1904

Florence Blade: R. H. Hawkins and brother, who recently bought a mining property, situated in the Copper Creek district, about fifteen miles from Mammoth, are developing the same, and have made a wonderful strike, in a four foot vein. The strike consists of a paystreak yielding copper oxide ore, carrying 531 per cent copper, and 492 ounces silver per ton of ore. Combination ore of this character had not been known in the district previous to this phenomenal strike. We congratulate the boys upon their good fortune and also the other claim owners of the district as this discovery will attract the attention of investors to the Copper Creek district.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, TheOasis, 3.11.1911

In the Hawkins property, 15 miles from Mammoth, Ariz., a recent strike disclosed a pay streak yielding 53 per cent copper and 400 ounces in silver. The vein is 4 feet wide, but the high grade streak is smaller. R. H. Hawkins and brother own it.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, ArizonaDailyStar, 3.18.1911

Copper Creek Geo A. Arnold, inspector; George U. Young and R. H.
Hawkins, judges: Gilbert O. Tew and
Lee Solomon, clerks; Marcus Figueroa,
marshal. Voting place, Young's house:
Maricona, No. 7, J. V. Edwards

Roswell Henry Hawkins, CasaGrandeDispatch, 7.17.1914

#### SAD ACCIDENT.

Copper Creek, Ariz., Feb. 14, 1916. C. W. Mulinex, LaBelle, Mo.

My Dear Sir:—I would like for you to publish the death of my son-inlaw, Standish Mills, for the information of my relatives and friends in Missouri.

He happened to an accident in a mine that we were working—my son, the Albert Mills,, and myself—all three working close together. A rock fell out of the roof or he fell backward and struck the back of his head on a sharp rock, cutting a gash and tracturing the skull at the base of the skull. It happened at half past 10 a.m., and he died at 12:30 p.m. without speaking a word; but he was conscious. He leaves a wife and four children—three girls and one boy. Respectfully yours,

R. H. HAWKINS.

Standish Mills, accident and death, TheLaBelleStar, 2.25.1916

R. H. Hawkins of Copper Creek 's stopping at the Hotel Adams while here looking after business matters.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, ArizonaRepublic, 5.17.1918

News reached this place last week that Roswell Hawkins, the oldest brother of John and Milton Hawkins of near this place was seriously aick at his home in the west with no hopes of recovery.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, illness, Lewis County Mournal, 12.17.1920

e hot weather.

e John Hawkins received word last saturday that his brother, Roswell Hawkins, of Arizona, had passed away, but received no particulars of his death. Roswell was the oldest no of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hawkins;

## , FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1921.

was born and grew to manhood near Williamstown, but for many years his home was in the west. He had passed the age of three score and ten and was seriously sick last winter, but rallied from his illness and wrote to his brother, John, telling of his long and painful illness and of his im provement and stating that his physician was hopeful of his recovery.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 6.24.1921.1

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins received a letter that had been missent, dated June 12, from Mrs. Florence Hawkins Mills, of Copper Creek, Arizona, giving the particulars of her father, Roswell Hawkins' death which she stated that he was conscious until the end and did not suffer acute pain; was willing to pass through the valley of shadows, but regretted to leave his companion and children. She also gave the following data: Roswell H., son of Albert and Elizabeth Hawkins, was born in Canton, Missouri, September 27, 1850; and passed away at Copper Creek. Arizona, June 10, 1921. The decedant was united in marriage to Eva Emery, in Williamstown, Missouri, April 15. 1877, and to this union two children were born-Albert F. and Mrs. Florence Mills, who with his companion. four grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Irene Clifton, and five brothers-Marion, Milton, William, Edward and John, and a host of relatives near this place, where he grew to manhood. mourn his passing. He had lived in Arizona twenty-five years. The writer unites with the many friends sympathy to the bereaved family.

Roswell Henry Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 7.8.1921

## Downey News

DOWNEY, Sept. 6.—Mrs. J. F. Ewell of New Orleans visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Price of North Crawford Street this week.

Mrs. Eva Hawkins and her son Albert have moved into the Carter house on East Third Street,

Eveline Eva Hannah Emmery Hawkins, obit, LongBeachPressSun, 9.7.1924

## Mrs. Eva Hawkins Dies after Long Illness

Mrs. Eva Hawkins was born November 26, 1859 in Williamstown and died August 8, 1925 in Dawney, Calif., age 65 years, 8 months and 12 days. She had lived at Dawney the past two years. She has been a sufferer of cancer tumor for twelve years and made two trips to Mayos but man could do ino more and God called her where there will be no suffering nor pain. She united with the Christian church in Williamstown at the age of eleven years. She has been faithful to her church and to her God and always had a smile and a good word for everybody.

She leaves a daughter, Florence Mills, a son Albert both of Dawney, Calif; four grandchildren, one sister, Nellie Lemmon of Williamstown and one brother Frank Emery of Canton and other relatives to mourn her death.

Eveline Eva Hannah Emery Hawkins, obit, LewisCountyJournal, 8.21.1925

A message reached this place Saturday that Mrs. Eva Emery Hawkins had passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Mills. in California. The decedent had been in poor health for years and had been treated at the Mayo Brothers hospital, in Minnesota, several times. Her last trip was two years ago when she visited relatives and friends and viewed the scenes of her childhood. near Williamstown. She was born and grew to womanhood near Williamstown, the second daughter of the late John and Mary Emery. She was united in marriage to Roswell Hawkins in early womanhood and two children were born to this union-Mrs. Florence Mills and one son, Allen. who survive with four grandchildren.

Eveline Eva Hannah Emery Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 8.21.1925

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M. G. Hawkins and wife received a message that their nephew, Albert Hawkins, had been killed in a mine in the west. He was born and grew to manhood near Williamstown, a son of the late Roswell Hawkins, and grandson of the late Albert Hawkins and wife.

Albert Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 12.11.1931

#### **Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton**

Daughter of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins
Granddaughter of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins
Great Granddaughter of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon



Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton

Susan Irene Hawkins married Jasper Clifton and had three children - Perry, Ella Mae of Hugo, Colorado and Ludie of Hugo, Colorado.

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Mrs. Jasper Clifton and family, accompanied by her brother, William L. Hawkins, will start on the 30th for Washington Territory. We are loth to part with such neighbors, but the kind wishes of their many friends follow them to their new home.

LISTENER.

Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, William L Hawkins, TheLaBelleStar, 7.2.1885

Mrs. Jasper Clifton and family, accompanied by William L. Haw-kins, of Williamstown, departed for Washington Territory.

Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, William L Hawkins, TheLaBelleStar, 7.7.1905

#### IDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1928.

#### SUSAN IRENE CLIFTON.

After a serious, lingering illness, Mrs. Susan Irene Clifton was called ot meet her Savior "Face to Face" on Monday night, September 17, shortly after 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Clifton had been an invalid for some time having suffered a stroke of paralysis from which she never recovered and her condition became so weakened and serious that her life quietly ebbed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Ward, at Boyero, Colorado.

Susan Irene Hawkins was born at Williamstown, Missouri, December 18, 1854. She moved to Colorado with her husband and family to the Boyero vicinity twenty years ago. where she has made a host of friends by her christian life of gentleness and love for her children and neighborly kindness. Her husband preceded her to the Great Beyond nine years ago and she has since made her home with her children, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. R. M. Ramsey, of Kendrick, and P. Z. Clifton, of the Lincoln Mercantile Company store, in Hugo. Her death at the age of 73 years and 9 months leaves the children and grandchildren grief stricken at the loss of their dear one.

Funeral services were conducted at the Jones Mortuary, in Hugo, Wednesday afternoon with Rev. C. L. Martin giving a tribute to "Mother" in his sermon of consolation. Comforting hymns were rendered with Mrs. C. D. Hathaway presiding at the piano.

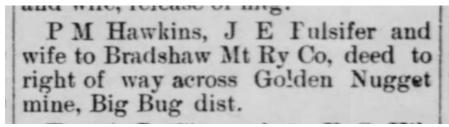
Pallbearers who tenderly bore the body to its final resting place in Evergreen cemetery were Messrs. W. E. Patterson, B. O. Wiley, C. L. Evans, J. A. Walters, C. H. Bowers and Milton Sylvester, all of near Boyero.

A profusion of floral tributes and the presence of old friends spoke mutely of the esteem in which the deceased is held and the deep sympathy which is extended to the bereaved ones in this hour of sorrow.—Hugo (Colo.) Range Leader.

Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 9.28.1928

#### **Perry Monday Hawkins**

Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizaeth Blessings Hawkins
Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins
Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon



Perry M Hawkins, WeeklyJournalMiner, 7.30.1902

Perry M. Hawkins died in a mine accident, 6/2/1904:

## BODIES FOUND

Two of the Victims of the Hackberry Disaster

### HAWKINS AND NASON KING

The Corpse of Kearney, One of the Rescue Party, Is Still Unrecovered, Farther Down in the Depths of the Mine.

Prescott, June 3.—(Special)—Word has just been received here that the bodies of two of the victims of the Hackberry mine accident have been recovered. Those of Perry Hawkins and Mason King wer found on the 259-foot level. The body of the third man has not been discovered.

This distressing accident happened yesterday morning. About 3 o'clock in the morning a fire broke out in the shaft house. Hawkins and King were in the mine and when it was seen that the efforts to put out the fire would be fruitless it was evident that the men were doomed.

Assistance was procured from Mc-Cabe and as soon as the flames were extinguished the work of attempting a rescue of the men was begun.

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A party of three or four started down the shaft. One of them Frank Kearney was on the rope. The rope gave way, probably having been partially burned and he fell down the shaft. At the time he fell he was below the 200 fout level.

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On account of the poisonous gases from the shaft the work of rescue could not be proceeded with immediately. There was no hope that either of the men could be saved for they could not live in the fumes which pre-

vented the descent of the rescuers.

Meanwhile assistance had arrived from McCabe and as the hours went by men gathered from all over the country about the shaft lamenting that they were helpless to do anything for the unfortunate miners. By today the shaft had been cleared somewhat and a rescuing party went into the mine. Hawkins and King must have quickly succumbed to the gases and smoke with which the shaft was filled. The body of Kearney will probably be

found tonight.

This is the accident to which the rumor afloat in Phoenix day-before yesterday related, though it was understood that it was a cave-in. Alma Davis of this city, to whom a telegram had been sent by the mother of King, left yesterday morning for Mayer. King was well known in Phoenix having lived here and at Tempe. Kearney, the man who fell down the shaft, was formerly employed at the Congress mine and had just arrived at the Hackberry.

Perry M Hawkins accident, Prescott, AZ, WeeklyJournalMiner, 6.4.1904

#### BODIES OF MINERS REACHED.

Two Suffocated, and One a Would-Be Rescuer That Perished.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., June 4.—After 40 hours of desperate effort the party of rescuers at work at the Hackberry mine in the Big Butte district came to the bodies of the two imprisoned miners, Mason King and Perry Hawkins. The men were imprisoned by the fire which broke out at the mouth of the mine last Thursday. Both were dead when found, evidently having been suffocated in an effort to reach the surface after the fire broke out. The body of Frank Kearney, one of the rescue party, who was overcome by gas and fell to the bottom of the shaft Thursday afternoon, was also recovered. The fall of 200 feet had evidently killed him instantly. All three of the victims were buried at McCabe today by the miners' union, of which all were members.

Perry M Hawkins, Mine Accident - Idaho Statesman, 6.4.1904

# Shaft House Fire Causes Death of Miners at the Hackberry Mine

TERRIBLE RESULT OF A FIRE AT A MINE IN THE BIG BUG DISTRICT, ARIZONA. MEN WORKING UNDERGROUND ARE UNABLE TO GET OUT. ONE RESCUER FELL TWO HUN. DRED FEET. NO COMMUNICATION FROM BELOW. FLAMES PREVENT RESCUERS FROM DESCENDING INTO THE MINE.

Prescott, Ariz., Friday.-A fire at er, and the fire was extinguished. One the Hackberry mine in the Big Bug man, in his efforts to go down into district has destroyed the hoisting the shaft, fell 200 feet, and is supposed pant and resulted in the probable to be dead. As no communication death of three miners. house was located directly over the are also supposed to be dead. shaft, and when the fire occurred men rescuers have been unable to get into were at work in the mine and were the shaft on account of the deadly completely cut off by the fire. Help fumes, but a hose has been sent down was summoned from McCabe and May- through which air is being forced.

The hoist could be had with the two miners, they

Perry M Hawkins, death, BisbeeDailyReview, 6.4.1904

#### **Funeral of Hackberry Victims**

#### June 4, 1904

The funeral of the three victims of the Hackberry Mine was held at McCabe Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the McCable Miners Union. The bodies of Mason King and Perry Hawkins were taken out of the mine about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon and the body of Frank Kearney who gave his life in an attempt to save the other two, was taken from the bottom of the shaft four hours later.

The latest details of the story are they King and Hawkins when they were notified by theengineer that the shaft house was on fire, climbed to the 250 foot level and getting into the bucket gave the signal to hoist. But the engine was then enveloped in flames and the engineer could not get near it to operate it. They finally got out of the bucket and entered an adjoining stop, where they lay down with their faces to the ground and their arms folded beneath their heads and awaited death by suffocation, their bodies being found in that position.

Frank Kearney after the parting of the rope on which he was descending to the rescue of the other men, fell to the bottom of the shaft and it seems to be the opinion that he was dead before he reached the bottom.

Mr. King was the support of his mother and sister who reside in Yavapai County and on the day of the accident the sister, who was at Mayer, was preparing to accompany Mr. King to Phoenix where he was to be married one day this week to a Miss Davis. Both the mother and sister on hearing that he was in the mine, hastened to the spot and were there when his body was brought to the surface. It is said that he was working that day against his wishes as he had tried to get another man to work in his place but found it impossible to do so.

# MEET DEATH IN MINE DISASTER

## Fatal Fire Occurs at Hackberry Mine.

Two Miners at Work in Mine and
One Man Attempting Their
Rescue Dead.

A horrible acident occurred at the Hackberry mine last Thursday morning, resulting in the destruction of the hoist house and the loss of three lives. The building enclosing the hoist was built directly over the shaft, and at an early hour on Thursday morning the lamp used for lighting it exploded, scattering burning oil through the interior of the building. Before help could be summoned by the only man in the building at the time the flames had made such headway that it was impossible to stop their progress until the building was totally destroyed. The fire also crept down the shaft, burning out the timbers for about ten feet.

Two men were at work on the 400foot level at the time of the accident,
and the hoist engineer attempted to
communicate with them to notify
them of the fire, but could not get
any response. The miners were
named Mason King and Perry Hawkins.

Word was immediately sent to Mc-Cabe for assistance, and a number of miners promptly responded, and came to the relief of their imperiled brothers. Frank Kearney, one of the rescuers, attempted to go down the shaft, but had only gone a short distance until he was overcome by the fumes in the shaft and tumbled headlong down to the bottom of the shaft.

All day Thursday and all night the men worked heroically to clear the All day Thursday and all night the men worked heroically to clear the shaft of the deadly fumes, a gasoline engine and blower being employed for that purpose. On Friday morning another effort was made to descend, but the brave man who volunteered for the purpose was also overcome and brought to the surface unconscious, and recovered from the effects. Still the work of pumping air into the shaft went on, and later a dog was lowered into the shaft and was nearly suffocated by the deadly fumes.

It was not until late Friday night that the shaft was cleared of the fumes so that it could be entered. and when it was accomplished the lifeless forms of Hawkins and King were found in the 250-foot level, where they had climbed in an endeavor to reach a place of safety, but were overcome by the smoke and fumes. The body of Kearney was recovered later from the bottom of the shaft where it had fallen.

All the bodies were taken to Mc-Cabe, where they were buried on Saturday under the auspices of the Miners' union of that place, all of the men being members of that order.

Kearney had been working at Congress, having gone from there to Mc-Cabe only a short time since.

The Hackberry mine is being worked by the Geo. A. Treadwell Mining Company, and Superintendent E. D. Treadwell did everything in his power to hasten the rescue of his imperiled miners.

Perry Hawkins who lost his life in the Hackberry mine disaster, was a brother of R. H. Hawkins of Globe. Deceased was formerly a resident here and had many acquaintances in this section.

Perry M Hawkins, Roswell Henry Hawkins, Arizona Silver Belt, 6.9.1904

After 40 hours of desperate efforts, the party of rescuers at work in the Hackberry mine in Yavapai county, came upon the two bodies of the imprisoned miners, Mason King and Perry Hawkins. The two men were imprisoned by the fire which broke out at the mine. The body of Frank Kennedy, who was killed while assisting in an attempt at rescue, was also recovered.

Perry M Hawkins, death, TheCopperEraAndMorenciLeader, 6.16.1904

#### PERISHED IN MINE

#### A Former Citizen of This County Meets a Horrible Death in Arizona.

The following dispatch gives the particulars of a mine horror in which Perry Hawkins was one of the victims:

"MAYER, Arizona, June 3.—Three men lost their lives by suffocation about 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning in a burning shaft at the Hack-qerry mine, about three miles west of Mayer."

The flames broke out in the hoist house at the top of the shaft, and were caused by the explosion of a lamp in the engine room, which quickly consumed the building. As soon as Engineer Underhill discovered that he could not stay the flames he threw cans down the 400 foot shaft to alarm Perry Hawkins and Mason King, who were working on the 400 foot level, of their danger.

They at once took the ladder for the surface, but the distance was too great and they were forced into the 250-foot level from the burning debris which rained into the shaft from

Help was summoned and in a few hours the debris was cleared away. An improvised windlass was erected and all day volunteers tried to descend through the deadly fumes to reach their comrades, but were hauled back more dead than alive.

Frank Kearner became the third victim in his endeavor to rescue the men. He must have continued in the hope that the air would change in the depth and continued till he lost consciousness.

He is in the bottom of the shaft and has not been recovered. It is certain he is dead. The rescuing party found Hawkins and King lying side by side with their faces in their folded arms as peaceful as if asleep and were brought to the surface today. Both are members of the Miners' Union, and were taken to McCube, from where they will be buried tomorrow."

Perry Munday Hawkins was born

ied tomorrow.

Perry Munday Hawkins was born near Williamstown, April 20, 1857; died June 3, 1904, near Mayer, Arizona. Perry grew to manhood in our midst and his congenial disposition made him a universal favorite and when the news of his death in his far off Western home reached here, it cast a wave of sorrow over many hearts. He leaves two sons, Madison and Glen, eight brothers and one sister to mourn. When the loving sister called on us to chronicle the death of her brother, who had been so suddenly called from us while the noonday sun was shining brightest in the meridian of life, we could not but compare this earthly life to the budding and falling of the leaves and the birth and death of flowers. When spring with smiling joy comes bounding over the earth the eve is charmed with the magnificent beauty. She breaths o'er the ice bound rivulets, and its waters flow anew. Frost and snow retreat from her adoring foot-steps, Earth puts on her verdent mantle in token of her coming. The birds breathe forth their sweetest notes of welcome. The things of earth germinate and with joy we behold the birth of flowers and the budding of the leaf. But, alas! in a few short months where is all the beauty? Nature robbed of all her glory bends unwillingly her head like a broken-hearted mother weeping over her cherished dead. We behold our brightest flowers of earth open their rich petals, cast their sweet fragrance on the breeze, and then droop and perish emblematic of the instability of earthly things. We behold the fallen leaves from the tree of life torn from the parent stem by the rude blasts of time, so our mortal frames will perish like the falling leaves, but again will bloom and flourish in a bright eternal sphere. ARTIE McDonald.

Perry M Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 6.17.1904

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Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, William L Hawkins, TheLaBelleStar, 7.2.1885

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Susan Irene Hawkins Clifton, William L Hawkins, TheLaBelleStar, 7.7.1905

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William L Hawkins, death cert

#### **John Wesley Hawkins**

Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins
Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sally Sarah Cannon Hawkins
Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

John W. Hawkins, M. D., was born in Bath County, Ky., May 15, 1828, the son of Gregory F. and Sarah (Cannon) Hawkins. The father came to this State in 1830, and located on a farm near Canton, where he died. Our subject attended select school, and for a time taught in the country. When eighteen he began reading medicine under the late Dr. M. C. Hawkins, his brother, and others. In 1854 he graduated from the American Medical College of Cincinnati. Since then he has been practicing with deserved success at Canton, where he stands high in his profession, and for the last twenty years taught anatomy, physiology and hygiene in Christian University, at Canton, Mo. September 20, 1853, he married Mary A. Coryell, a native of Indiana. Their children are Amy, the wife of N. J. Cameron, of Saline County; Sallie, the wife of J. H. Findly, of Harper County, Kas.; Mary L.; John J., a physician; Carrie A., the wife of W. S. Perrin, of Platte County; Elizabeth and Cornelia W., the latter being the wife of R. B. Preston, of Larned City, Kas. Our subject has been a Democrat since the war, but, before, advocated Whig principles. He has been a member of the County Medical Society for twenty

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years, and is Past Master of Canton Lodge, No. 100. He and his wife and all their children are members of the Christian Church. The Doctor is the oldest male inhabitant of Canton and the township, and is a highly esteemed man.

John Wesley Hawkins married Minnie Pool and had three children - Emert Cecil who married Maud Dare and after her death he married Betty Wright Nielson and had one child, Elmer Cecil, Della who married Milton Cooper and had one child Madaline, and Opal who married Malcene Musgrave and had one child who died in infancy.

## DIED AT HIS HOME NEAR DEER RIDGE

John W. Hawkins After a Lingering Illness Died Sunday, March 10, Aged Sixty-three Years.

John Wesley Hawkins, son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins, was born near Williamstown, Missouri, June 7, 1872, and departed this life March 10, 1935, at the age of sixty-two years, nine months and three days. His entire life was spent in and near the place of his birth.

At the age of about thirty-eight, in a revival meeting held by Rev. John Bricso, he accepted Christ as his Savior, and placed his membership with the Christian church at Williamstown. Since that time he has made an honest endeavor to live the teachings of Christ. While making no public display of his faith, it yet actuated his entire attitude toward life, in the home and in all contacts with his fellow man.

On October 4, 1894, he was united in marriage to Minnie Frances Pool. To this union three children were born; one son and two daughters.

He led an active, busy life, until last June, when his health failed. During the last eight weeks he was confined to his room, but was able to be up each day, and maintained interest in the activities of the home.

He is survived by the bereaved companion, the three children, Cecil, of Monticello, Della Cooper, of Colony; and Opal Musgrave, of this place; two grandchildren, Madaline Cooper and Elmer Cecil Hawkins, four brothers, Marion, of Downing. Missouri; W. L. and E. M., of Bremerton, Washington, and Milton, of this place, besides many nieces, nephews and other relatives. Two nieces, Addie Stinger, of Fort Madison, Iowa, and Minnie Davis, of Keekuk, Iowa, when left motherless, he helped care for in the home and was a second father to them.

Gone from our midst is a faithful husband, father and friend who will be greatly missed.

John Wesley Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 3.22.1935

Addie Stinger was his nephew, daughter of James Harvey and Phoebe A Emery Hawkins. Phoebe died between 1880 and 1896 (the year James Harvey remarried).

## Mrs. Minnie Hawkins Dies in Ft. Madison

Minnie Frances Pool Hawkins, daughter of William and Janie Mc Clain Pool, was born near Williamstown, Mo., June 28, 1876. She passed away April 3, 1959, at Fort Madison, Ia., where she had been taken for medical care. She spent her lifetime in the vicinity of her birth. She was 82.

She was married to John W. Hawkins of the same neighborhood on Oct. 4, 1894. To them were born a son, Cecil, and a daughter, Opal, now Mrs. H. H. Musgrave, who survive, and another daughter. Della, Mrs. M. S. Cooper, who died in 1951. Her husband preceded her in death Mar. 10, 1935, as did a granddaguhter, Phyllis Louise Musgrave in 1942; also a brother, Dr. W. O. Pool of Lindsey, Okla., and a half brother Dr. J. L. Cooter, and five half sisters, Mrs. Emma Roberts, Mrs. Anna Dysort, Mrs. George Gosney, Mrs. Marion Hawkins and Mrs. Mike Mc-Clain.

In early life she became a Christian in the Methodist church at Williamstown. Later, with her family she joined the Christian church there. In 1933 she placed her membership with the Christian church at Lewistown. Her highest interest in life was centered in her home and family.

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Besides her son and daughter, she is survived by two grandchildren, Elmer Hawkins and Madeline Buford, and three great-grandchildren. Also surviving are two brothers. Harry Pool of Kenosha, Wis., and Clarence Pool of Monrovia, Calif., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted in the Christian church at Lewistown Sunday, April 5, by Rev. George H. Pratt. Mrs. Velva Smith and Mrs. Maxine Short sang while Mrs. Faye Gnuse accompanied, Burial was in the LaBelle cemetery under the direction of Coder's funeral home. Pallbearers were Jess Wilson, Glenn Brace, Ralph Nichols, Lawrence Labonte, Stanley Vaughn and Reese Felker.

Relatives from a distance attending the service were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hawkins of Kirksville: Earl Hawkins of Downing: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wadden and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kottenstette of Ft. Madison; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pool of Keokuk, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Mc-Clain of Monroe City; Mr. and Mrs. Plezzie McClain of Canton; Hurley McClain of Williamstown: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hawkins and Mrs. Delbert Hawkins and daughter of Edina; Vaughn Dee Weidner of Kansas City: Mr. and Mrs. George Weidner and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kendrick of La Belle.

Minnie Frances Pool Hawkins, obit, TheLaBelleStar, 4.9.1959

#### **Jacob Blessing Hawkins**

Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins
Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins

#### **Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon**

Jacob B. Hawkins was a bachelor who lived at Walla Walla, Washington.

A Former Lewis Countian Called to His Reward from Washington.

From a Pomeroy, Washington Exchange

One of the most painful tasks which we have been called upon to perform for many a day, is the chronicling of the death of Jacob B. Hawkins, county treasurer, which took place at an early hour, Monday morning at the Williams hospital, in this city, after a brief illness from diabetes. Deceased had been afflicted with this insidious desease for sometime, but had been pursuing a regime of diet and medical his condition far from alarming. About ten days ago a carbunkle neck, which while distressing, did not take him away from the duties of his office until last Thursday afternoon when the pain and discomfort increasing he took to his room in the Revere hotel. | His condition growing worse he was removed to the time the symptoms of his malady began to manifest themselves in serious form. On Sunday he showed signs of utter weariness, His brothers, Edward M., of Stites, Idaho, and William L., of Elk City, were sent for. Monday denly, passed to the great beyond with scarcely a struggle in the presence of no one but the nurse.

The body was held until Wednesday for interment, to await the arrival of the most distant brother, William L., who rode horseback from Elk City over snow in places ten feet deep, to reach the nearest railroad point at Stites. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon in the opera house under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, of which order and many others, the deceased was a worthy member. It was an immense event, people coming from the remotest part of the county to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased. Rev. W. L. McCollough of the Christian church deliver-

DEATH OF JACOB B. HAWKINS, 1844. His father's people came from Kentucky, while his mother's ancestors were Virginians. Two uncles on his father's side, men of eminent attainments and long time residents of Lewis county, were Dr. Madison Hawkins, who died April 15, 1872 and John W. Hawkins, now many years deceased.

The father of deceased, at one time owned a twenty acre-tract near Canton, Missouri, which he afterwards sold to his brother, Madison C., and with the proceeds bought a 400 acre farm, twenty miles out in the country. On this beautiful estate the detreatment which had rendered ceased grew to manhood. In 1886, when 22 years of age, he came to Garfield county, being made its appearance about his preceded by a brother, William L., a few months, and engaged in the varied career of alternating between school teaching during the winter and working on a farm and sometimes sheepshearing, during the summer months.

In 1892 he made the race for county clerk on the people's hospital on Friday, from which party ticket uncessfully, largely owing to his party being greatly in the minority. In 1900 he accepted a position as deputy sherspoke of feeling very tired and iff under J. A. Strain and served in this capacity until 1904 when he run for sheriff. The following spring he was made deputy treasurer under James H. morning he quietly, but sud-Schneckloth and held this position until elected treasurer in the fall of 1908.

Deceased had a singularly kind, genial disposition and a generous nature. He was an ideal citizen of incorruptible integrity; a good neighbor and a true friend. His virtues were not of the showy kind but of those sterling adornments of heart and character which will last long in memory, after his body has gone to dust. "After life's fitful fever he sleeps well" -awaiting that great day when we shall all be contemporaries. If we were to write his epitaph it should be nothing more than "Here lies an honest man, a kind heart and a true friend."

In Five Minutes.

Take your sour stomach-

worthy member. It was an immense event, people coming from the remotest part of the county to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased. Rev. W. L. McCollough of the Christian church delivered the sermon, the Rev. A. A. Doyle reading from the scripture and invoking divine benediction. The large building was packed to the doors with the hushed and reverent throng to whom the deceased had endeared himself by his exemplary life and qualities. The many beautiful floral offerings and the interior arrangement of the building for the solemn occasion, were under the appropriate disposition of Miss Myrtle Poyneer and Mrs. H. D. Povneer.

Allarge funeral procession in which forty conveyances were in line wound its way slowly to the Odd Fellows cemetery. Follows'rip of the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Foresters of America, Woodmen of the World and Order of Eagles, all of which orders deceased was a member, in the aggregate some 150 strong. The floral tributes were conveyed in a vehicle draped in white and drawn by horses wearing white harness.

Deceased is survived by seven brothers and one sister, his father having died in 1900 and his mother in 1902, vis: Roswell H., of Globe, Arizona; James Harvey, of Clearwater, Idaho; Francis M., of Lancaster, Missouri; William L., of Elk City, Idaho; Milton G., of Deer Ridge, Missouri; Edward M., of Stites, Idaho; John W., of Deer Ridge, Missouri; and Susan I. Clifton, of Boyro, Colorado.

The deceased was born near Williamstown, Lewis county, Missouri, February, 13, 1864, and came from a distinguished family, both on his father's and mother's side. His father was Felix A. Hawkins, the son of G. F. and Sarah (Cannon) Hawkins, who was born in 1820. His mothter of David and Nancy (Tarter) Blessing, who moved to Lewis county, Missouri, as early as His wife commands it.

If we were to write his epitaph it should be nothing more than 'Here lies an honest man, a kind | heart and a true friend."

#### In Five Minutes.

Take your sour stomach-or maybe you call it indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or catarrh of stomach; it doesn't matter, take your stomach trouble right with you to your pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and let you eat one 22-grain triangule and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your stomach misery.

The correct name for your trouble is food fermentationfood souring; the digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, ing the hearse came the membergriping in bowels, tenderness in pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs sleeplessness, belching of gas, billiousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness and many other similar symptoms.

> If your appetite is fickle, and nothing tempts you, or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause-fermentation of undigested food.

> Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort and misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapepsin.

#### All the Difference.

He-Before Jones got married er was Sarah E. Blessing, daugh- he use to command a large salary. She-And now? He-Now he only earns it.

Jacob Blessing Hawkins obit, TheLaBelleStar, 4.24.1909

#### Milton Gregory Hawkins

# Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

2022: In 2008 I was in contact with Craig Hawkins; he shared this information and the photo.



Hawkins Bros. Repair Shop

Below, L to R at the Shop - Orville Thompson, Mr. Carlin, Edward Hawkins, Milton G. Hawkins, Glen Hawkins Bob Carlin, Madison Hawkins (Picture in mid 1920s, in Williamstown, Lewis Co., MO. Names supplied by Roswell T. Hawkins)

I got the above from http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~hawkinsdnaproject/tree\_g-1.html

It's a Hawkins surname project

I've been in email communication with Craig Hawkins, and he has shared some Hawkins/Cannon information with me. Notably, he has input from others that the connection with the Cannon/LeMaster bible may be Newbold's mother, Esther. There's thought that she may have been a LeMaster.

## MILTON HAWKINS DIES SUNDAY MORNING

Milton Hawkins, of Deer Ridge, died Sunday morning at his home. His funeral was held Wednesday in the Deer Ridge Methodist church conducted by the Rev. Kirby. Interment was in Williamstown cemetery.

Mr. Hawkins was married to Miss Lena Francis and seven children were born to them. Two died in infancy. He leaves his widow and the following children: William, of Texas, Thomas of Knox City, Mrs. George Weigner, of LaBelle, and Victor and Virgil, of Deer Ridge, and several grandchildren.

Milton Gregory Hawkins, obit, TheCantonPressNews, 7.22.1937

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Milton Gregory Hawkins, of Deer Ridge, Answered Last Call July 11-Burial in Williamstown.

Milton Gregory Hawkins, son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Hawkins, was born near Williams- fixed town April 29, 1866, and departed this life at his home at Deer Ridge, July 11, 1937, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 12 days. He had been in failing health for some months, due to heart trouble.

He was marred to Leina Francis, July 3, 1893, and to this union were born seven children, five of whom, with his companion, survive him, viz: William, of Pampa, Texas; Thomas, of Edina, Missouri; Victor, of Hollywood, California; Mrs. Fay Weidner, of LaBelle, Missouri, and Virgil, of Deer Ridge, Missouri. A son, Edison, and a daughter, Virgie, passed away in infancy. He is also survived by seventeen grandchildren, viz: Billy Junior, Ronald D., Leighton Dale. Joan, Mardell and Mary Ellen Hawkins: Vaughn and Nadine Weidner; Elaine and Carlene Hawkins: h Milton, Billy and Delbert Hawkins; J. V., Doris Marjorie and Franklin Hawkins. th

Mr. Hawkins was of a family of eleven children, nine boys and two led girls, eight of whom, with the father and mother have preceded him in death. Those surviving are: Marion, of Downing, Missouri, and William and Edward, of Bremerton, Washington.

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nt Mr. Hawkins lived his entire life in Lewis county, doing blacksmithing ho at Williamstown until 1901, when he by moved to Deer Ridge, where he followed the same occupation until he and Mrs. Hawkins became the operators of the telephone exchange at nd that place. In early manhood he united with the Liberty Baptist church. After his marriage he and Mrs. Hawe; kins united with the Christian church as, in Williamstown. Of recent years he had not attended church much, still mhe never lost interest in the Bible :0and was a firm believer in its teachings. He was a loving husband and tes father and a kind neighbor and will me be greatly missed by family, neigh-111bors and friends.

Funeral services were held at Deer Ridge, Wednesday, July 14, and burial was at Williamstown. Music was furnished by a choir of friends and cal heighbors, and services were conductary ed by Rev. Kirby.

#### **Unnamed Infant Hawkins**

Son/Daughter of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

#### **Edward Monroe Hawkins**

Son of Felix Albert and Sarah Elizabeth Blessing Hawkins
Grandson of Gregory Farmer and Sarah Sally Cannon Hawkins
Great Grandson of Newbold and Unicy Bounds Cannon

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