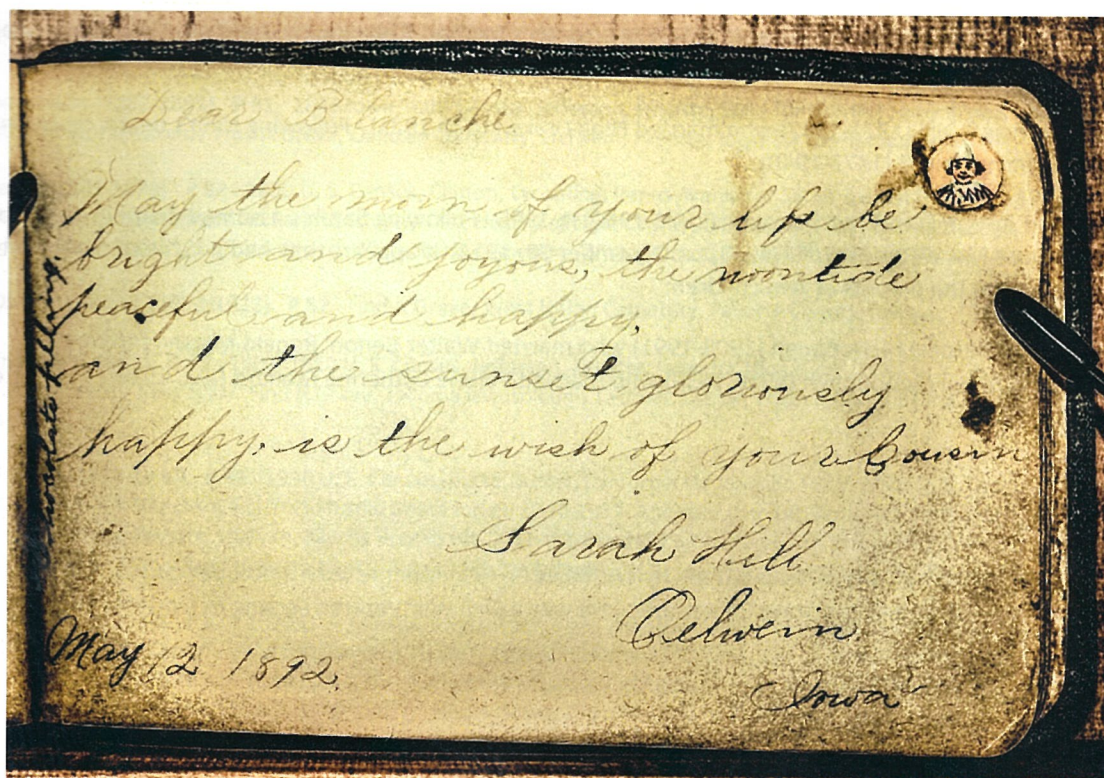




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Dear Blanche
 May the morn of your life be
 bright and joyous, the noontide
 peaceful and happy,
 and the sunset gloriously
 happy, is the wish of your Cousin
 Sarah Hill
 Oelwein
 Iowa

May 12 1892.

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Sarah Hill was born on March 21, 1876 in Ogle County, Illinois. When she died is not known but sometime between June 1910 and 1920 because there are no records about her after the census of 1910. Her son Miland was born June 14, 1910 and she may have died as a result of complications from that birth. She was the daughter of Jared Hill (1836-1904)⁷² and Rebecca Sechler (1836-1877). Sarah Hill signed the album as a cousin to Blanche. Her Mother, Rebecca Sechler and Blanche's mother Sarah Sechler (1847-1923) were sisters, daughters of Abraham

⁷² In 1881 following Rebecca's death in 1877, Jared Hill married Harriet Ann Allen (1852-1895) in Illinois.

Sechler (1789-1875) and Sarah Bower (1801-1878). Sarah's mother, Rebecca, died just over a year after Sarah was born. She had one sibling as follows:

- Francis S. Hill (1871-1942) who married Nina Drake (1870-1921). Following Nina's death, he married Blanche Follett (1877-1940).⁷³

She married Joseph Francis McDonough (1872-1940) in 1905. Following Sarah's assumed death in 1910, Joseph married Louise Mary Weiser (1877-1943) on December 28, 1914. It appears they had no children. However, Sarah and Joseph were the parents of two children:

- Sarah Bernice McDonough (1908-1991) who married Walter Benoni Ronald Marsh (1903-1996)
- Miland Hill McDonough (1910-1950) who married Valerie Catherine Menard (abt. 1913-?? but after 1952)

Additional information about Sarah Hill's father. Her father listed his occupation as a farmer and was one of the early farmers in the State Center area. He was a Civil War Veteran serving as a private in Illinois Co H, 92 Regiment

⁷³ Both Francis & Blanche indicated on their Iowa marriage license that this was a second marriage. Blanche's first husband was Oliver Wendell Branch (1876-1922). Following her first husband's death in 1922, she married Francis S. Hill on December 29, 1923 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa.

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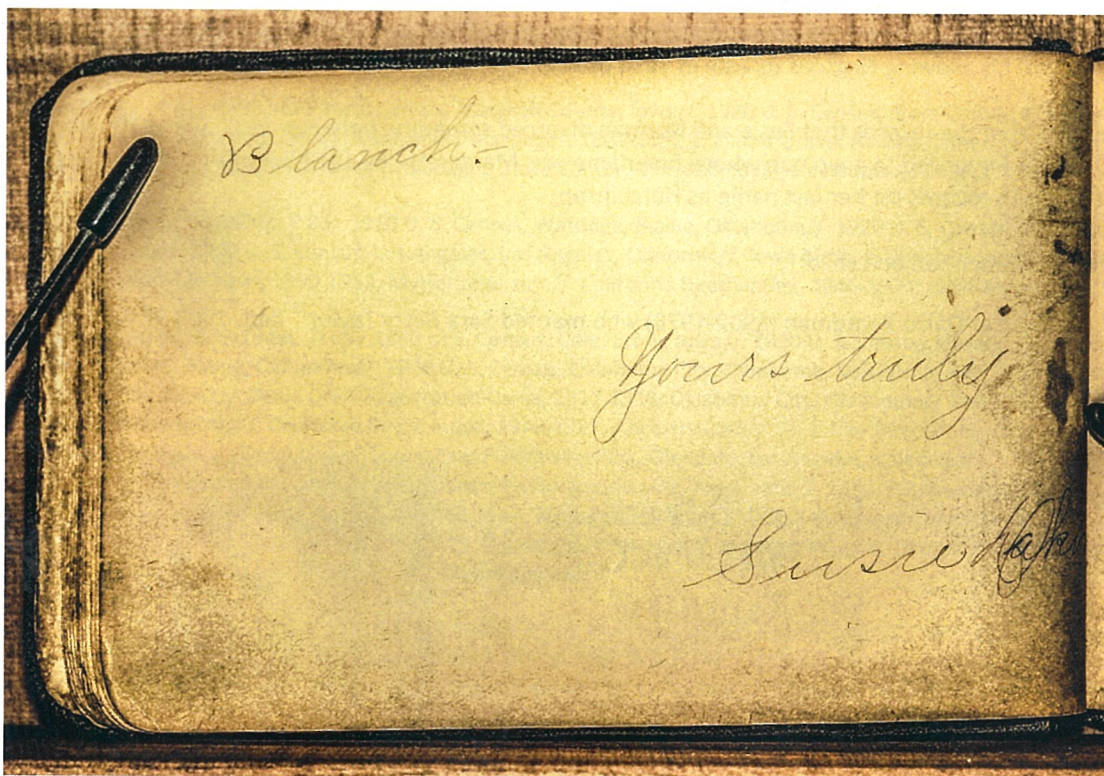
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Blanch.

Yours Truly

Susie Dakin

Susan E Dakin "Susie" was born on September 25, 1879 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa and died on December 27, 1967 in Los Angeles County, California. She was the daughter of Americus Martin Dakin* "Mack" (1851-1923) and Mary Cary* (1854-1923). She had four siblings and two of which, Frederick and Bert, died in infancy:

- William G. Dakin* (1871-1911) who married Grace May Van Orsdel (1877-1949)
- Frederick G. Dakin (abt.1872-1873)
- Bert Dakin (1874-1874)
- Olive Ann Dakin (1875-1958) who married Frank Ball (1867-1936)

Susie married Homer Norman Boardman (1878-1945) on November 1, 1900 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa. Homer was a lawyer a graduate of the University of Iowa Law School on June 6, 1900. They moved from State Center to Oklahoma in about 1910 where he worked as an attorney with his father for the Boardman Land Company in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

In 1912 Homer was appointed by Attorney General Harlan F Stone as United States Attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma.⁷⁴ His appointment was short-lived because he allowed Negroes to vote in the November election of 1912 in the state of Oklahoma. His appointment came near the end of Republican President William Howard Taft's term of office. The new Democratic administration of Woodrow Wilson's removed Homer from

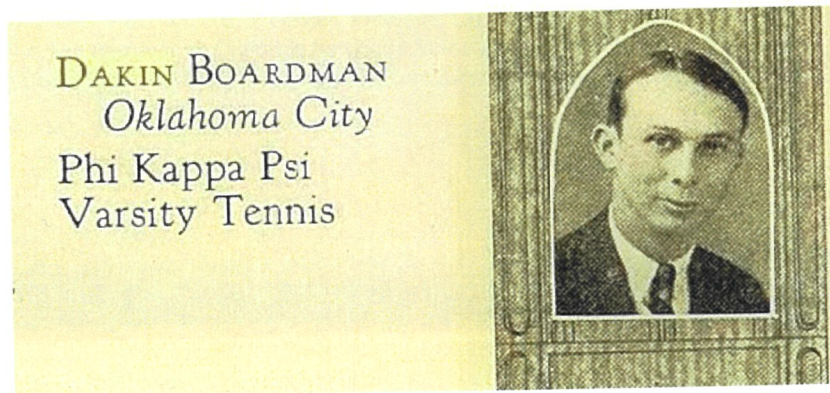
⁷⁴ In 1941 Harlan F. Stone became Chief Justice of the Supreme Court by appointment of President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

office in 1913. With a new administration, and a change in political parties he was likely going to be replaced anyway, but his allowing Negroes to vote in 1912 provided a convenient pretext to remove him from office.⁷⁵

It appears from the records that Susie and Norman divorced sometime between 1927 and 1930. Norman by the 1930 census is married to a woman whose first name was Margaret. By 1953 Susan's residence was in California and her death records list her last name as Hutchinson

Susan and Homer had one child:

- Homer Dakin Boardman (1902-1976) who married Sara Betty Taylor⁷⁶ (abt. 1905-?? but after 1940)



Homer Dakin Boardman, 1925, University of Oklahoma Yearbook, Norman, Oklahoma, Oklahoma⁷⁷

Additional information about Susan E Dakin's father, Americas Martin Dakin "Mack". Her father was a farmer in the State Center area and on the 1895 Iowa State census he noted "Methodist" as his religion

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

⁷⁵ *Sequoyah County Democrat* newspaper, Sallisaw, Sequoyah, Oklahoma, October 24, 1931, P 11, MyHeritage.com.

⁷⁶ Prior to her marriage to Homer Dakin Boardman, Sara Betty Taylor was married to Raymond A McCune (1903-1973) and it appears that between 1930 and 1933 Sara Betty and Raymond were divorced.

⁷⁷ Image found at Ancestry.com Public member Trees, Twisted Branches, Sisson-Muncy-Doble-Snyder Tree// U. S. School Yearbooks, 1880-2012, Ancestry.com.

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Compliments of Lulu West

Louise May West "Lulu" was born June 23, 1876 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa and died June 29, 1959 in Long Beach, Los Angeles, California. She was the daughter of Benjamin Scroy West* (1840-1901) and Emma Jane Williams* (1853-1931). Her brothers and sisters were:

- Harry S West* (1878-1900)
- Raymond J West* (1881-1952)
- Arthur William West (1883-1952) who married Elda L Hilleman (1888-1980)
- Gertrude Hazel West (1889-1965) who married Guy Hawley Henderson (1885-1947)
- Mabel Grace West (1893-1968) who married Jens Marcellus Jensen (1892-1950)
- Benjamin F West* "Bennie" (1896-1900)

Lulu did not marry but nevertheless her life lead to many occupations besides wife and mother. According to census data that included governess, stenographer, kindergartner teacher, and milliner (hat maker). Although she lived in North Dakota, Illinois and Oklahoma the census for 1900, 1910, 1920, and 1930 show her residence in State Center. In 1904 she left State Center for Oklahoma to be a governess, and again in 1912 to be a kindergartner teacher in Oklahoma City. She may have gone to Oklahoma City because her high school friend Susie Daken (P 85) was living in Oklahoma City and may have helped her gain employment there. She also lived in Chicago because the local paper reported her traveling from Chicago to visit her mother in State Center in 1923. By 1940 she was living in Long Beach, Los Angeles, California where she died in 1959.

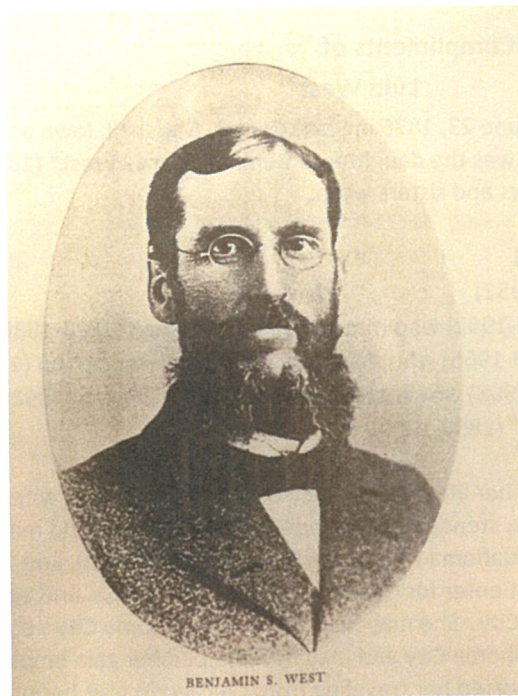
Her brothers Bennie and Harry died in a tragic series of events in 1900. Her brother Harry just twenty years of age and a shorthand student at the Cedar Rapids Business College drowned in the Cedar River in Cedar Rapids, Iowa on July 15, 1900. As reported by the local paper:

"They [Harry and four of his friends] had only been in the water a few minutes when West started boldly out from shore for the island, calling cheerfully for his friends to follow him. He reached a point where the water was about ten feet deep, when he

threw up his hands and sank just as expert swimmers do when trying to touch the bottom. His friends thought this must be what he was trying to do and did not become alarmed until they saw him rise even with the surface and go down again.”⁷⁸

Then two months later on September 11, 1900 her four-year old brother Benjamin “Bennie” died in State Center of a short illness.

Additional information about Lulu West’s father. Her father was a Civil War veteran, serving three years with Company E, 8th. Indiana Volunteers. In 1872 he moved to State Center and began a hardware business which he was involved in until shortly before his death in 1901. His funeral services were conducted in the Presbyterian Church in State Center. The school and all businesses were closed in his honor from 2 to 4 PM the day of his funeral, September 21, 1901. As the local paper noted about him in a front page article: *“A man without ostentation, but with honor and distinction, he quietly filled an important place in State Center,”⁷⁹*



Benjamin Scroy West⁸⁰

⁷⁸ *The Cedar Rapids Evening Gazette* newspaper, Cedar Rapids, Linn, Iowa, July 16, 1900, P 8, MyHeritage.com.

⁷⁹ *State Center Enterprise* newspaper, State Center, Marshall, Iowa, September 26, 1901, P 1

⁸⁰ Image found at *Past & Present of Marshall County, Iowa*, Vol. II, P 968.

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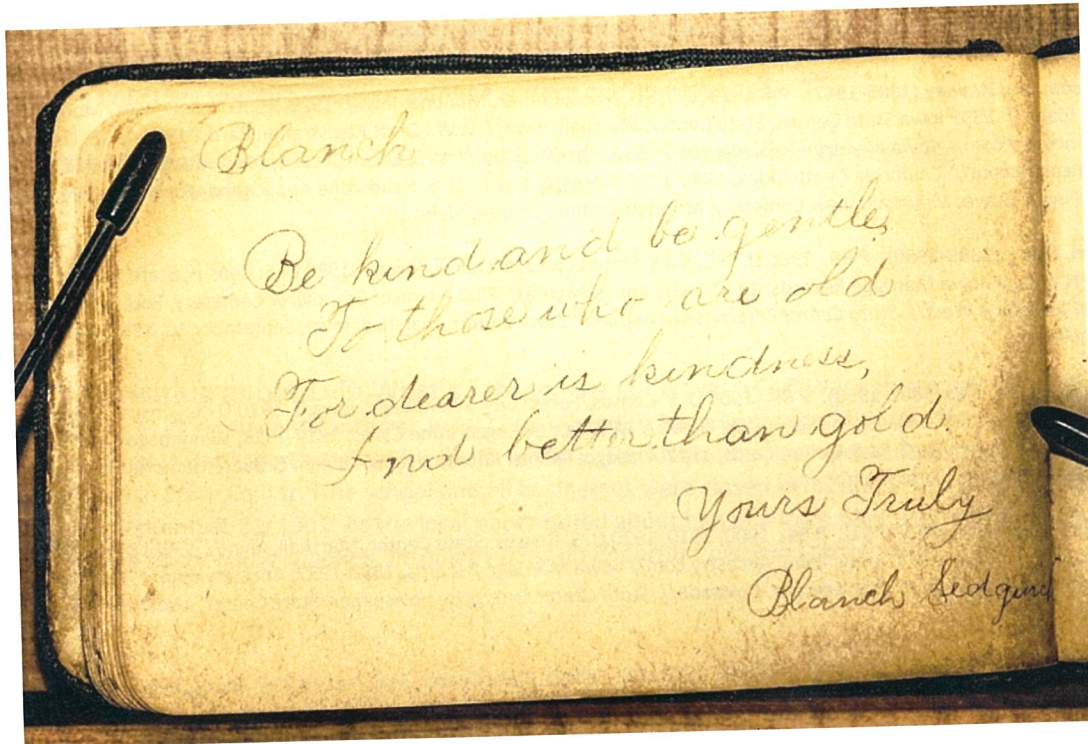
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Blanch,
 Be kind and be gentle,
 To those who are old
 For dearer is kindness,
 And better than gold.
 Yours Truly
 Blanch Sedgwick

Blanche M. Sedgwick* was born July 6, 1878 in Marshall County, Iowa and died on February 15, 1971 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa at the age of 93. She was the daughter of William Harrison Sedgwick* (1840-1928) and Evelena Welbon* (1846-1918). Her father was a farmer in the State Center area. She had one sister, Alzade, who died at an early age due to Tuberculosis:

- Alzade Sedgwick* (1889-1920) who married Emil Harrison Manson (1889-1978).

After graduating from State Center High School in 1897, Blanche attended Cornell College⁸¹ and graduated as a teacher. She probably selected Cornell College because from its beginnings in 1853 Cornell College accepted women into all degree programs. Secondly, Cornell College was in Mount Vernon, Linn, Iowa located 93 miles east of State Center on today's highways. After receiving her degree, she taught school for a few years and then went back to school and trained as a secretary/stenographer. After graduation, she worked in a law firm in Des Moines Iowa when an incident occurred where she took over the courtroom. The presiding Judge Zell G. Roe was late getting to the courtroom as reported by the local paper:

"The hour set for appearance had arrived and there was grumbling of suspension. Then it was Miss Blanche Sedgwick, the justice's bookkeeper, with a pleasant smile assumed the dignity of the

⁸¹ Cornell College is a private liberal arts college founded in 1853 in Mount Vernon, Linn, Iowa (Wikipedia.org).

court. She took the place of the judge and with a brave voice called out the titles of the cases and marked down the default. In one case a motion was presented and she was about to hear the arguments, the lawyers seemingly imposing every confidence in her, when the real judge arrived and relieved the modern Portia of her duties.”⁸²

Blanche worked in this law firm in Des Moines, Iowa until her sister, Alzade, became ill. She returned to State Center about 1918 to care for her sister and her aging father. After Alzade passed away in 1920, Blanche took on the additional responsibility of raising her son Harrison Sedgwick Manson (1917-1991).

Blanche was an active member of the State Center community. She was a member of served as an officer in the Cleo Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, the Philanthropic Education Sisterhood,⁸³ the Daughters of the American Revolution, the State Center Women’s Club, and the Methodist Social Circle.

She also was an active participant in Republican politics in State Center, serving as a committee women for the local organization.

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

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⁸³ Philanthropic Education Organization was founded on January 21, 1869 as a seven-member sorority at Iowa Wesleyan College in Mount Pleasant, Iowa. The purpose of the organization is to provide educational opportunities for female students worldwide, and the organization is still active (Wikipedia.org).

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Blanche,
 May thy life be long and happy,
 And thy joy forever last,
 And a home in heaven await
 thee.
 When thy days on earth are
 past.
 Your friend,
 Amelia.

In reviewing census data there were two Amelia's listed in Marshall County, Iowa born about 1877, the birth year of my grandmother: Amelia Frohwein, born 1876 in State Center and Amelia Leifheit born 1875 in Marshall County Iowa. Both could have signed the album and from the records it is impossible to determine which Amelia signed the album. But it is clear that it was either Amelia Frohwein or Amelia Leifheit. So the following will include research about both.

Amelia M. Frohwein* was born on October 24, 1876 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa and died August 13, 1950 in State Center, Iowa. She was a daughter of August Ludwig Frohwein* "Louis" (1828-1910) and Johanna Garbelmann* (1832-1917). Her brothers and sisters were:

- Male Child Frohwein (abt. 1855)
- George Frohwein* (1859-1948) who married Dora Funke* (1865-1944)
- Mary Frohwein* (1861-1944) who married Henry Nolte* (1858-1918)
- Emma Frohwein* (1863-1941) who married Aaron Nolte* (1856-1941)
- Henry Frohwein* (1866-1943) who married Caroline Dorothy Schuler* "Minnie" (1868-1952)

- Johanna Caroline Frohwein* (1868-1955) who married William Carl Saxauer* (1862-1941)
- Minnie Frohwein* (1871-1959) who married Ora Albert Merrill* "Bert" (1872-1956)
- Charles Frohwein* (1873-1908) who married Lottie Merill (1877-1911)

Her father, Ludwig, was a grocer in State Center for over twenty years (1872-1893), and a founding member of the Lutheran Church in French Grove, Iowa. Amelia was a trimmer in her sister Minnie's millinery store in State Center. The 1925 Iowa Census reported her earnings of \$400 from the business. She did not marry and lived for thirty-three years with her sister Minnie and her husband, Bert Merrill, in State Center.

Amelia Catherine Leifheit "*Millie*" was born on September 25, 1875 in Marshall County, Iowa and died November 5, 1966 in Madelia, Watonwan, Minnesota. She was the daughter of William Heinrich Leifheit* (1848-1929) and Mary Bader* (1857-1928). Her father and mother were born in Germany and her father was a farmer in the State Center area for about 25 years. Her sisters were:

- Mamie Edna Leifheit "*Emma*" (1876-1954) who married Amos Rufas Garis (1872-1957)
- Julia Leifheit* (1878-1905) who married Max Milton Patton (1871-1919)
- Alma Leifheit* (1884-1930) who married Rudolph H Jahnz (1881-1910)

She married Louis H Schaper* (1870-1934)⁸⁴ on December 11, 1926 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa. She was a nurse and began her training in Minnesota in about 1900 and practiced there until about 1955. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church. It does not appear from the records that she and Louis had any children.

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

⁸⁴ Louis married his first wife, Anna B Larson (1877-1911), in 1897. Anna B. Larson died in 1911 and after her death he married Amelia Leifheit.

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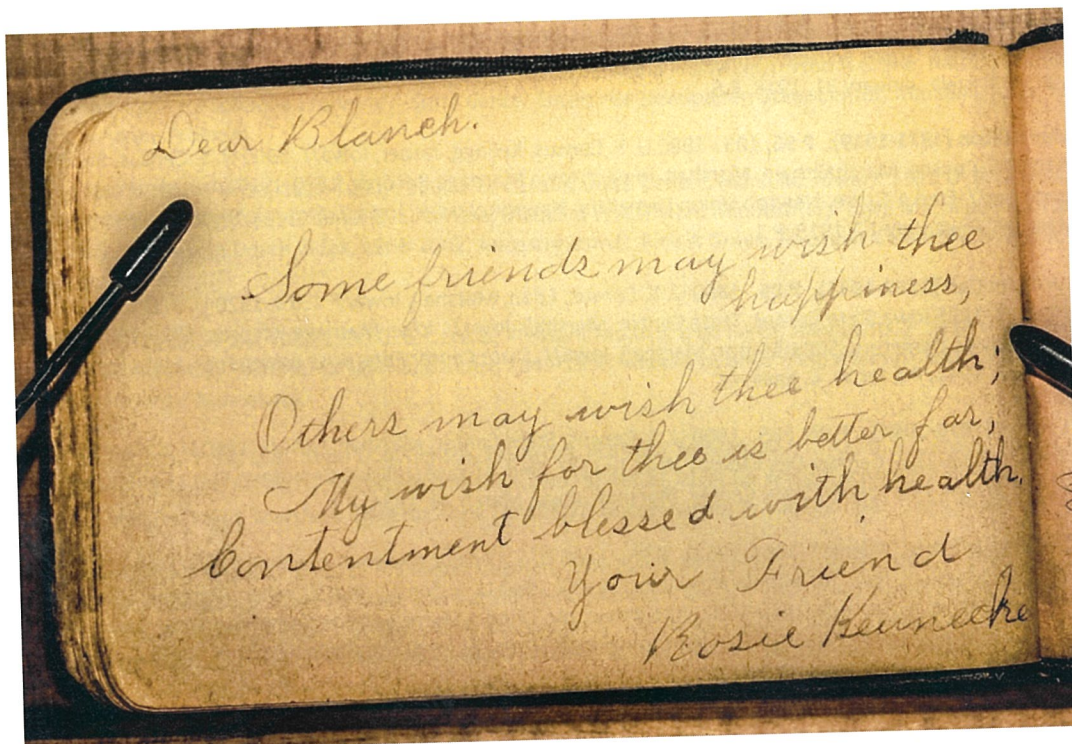
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Dear Blanch.

**Some friends may wish thee
happiness,**

Others may wish thee health;

My wish for thee is better far,

Contentment blessed with health.

Your Friend

Rosie Keunecke

Rosalie Keunecke was born on March 20, 1875 in State Center, Iowa and died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on April 29, 1958 of congestive heart failure. She was the daughter of Henry Keunecke* (1846-1908) and Pauline Kicherer* (1857-1919). Her one brother and five sisters were:⁸⁵

- Paulina Keunecke* (1876-1896)
- Henry William Keunecke* (1878-1936) who married Cora Estelle Stouffer* (1874-1956)
- Minnie J Keunecke (1880-1952) who married Charles Adam Risser⁸⁶ (1874-1970)
- Edna Augusta Keunecke* (1882-1953) who married Milton Major Wensel* (1883-1962)
- Lillie Keunecke* (1883-1959) who married Ray Stouffer*⁸⁷ (1872-1936)
- Elsie M. Keunecke* (1885-1964) who married Payne O. Abrams* (1890-1969).

⁸⁵ Spelled "Kennecke" in the 1900 U. S. Census for State Center, Marshall, Iowa.

⁸⁶ Charles Adam Risser married Clara Schlandinski (1878-1911) in about 1901 and following Clara's death in 1911 he married Minnie J Keunecke on July 9, 1913 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa.

⁸⁷ Served as Mayor of State Center, Iowa from 1923 until his death in 1936 (*State Center Enterprise* newspaper, February 6, 1936, P 1).

Rosalie married Eugene Loster (1877-1946) on April 16, 1902. Eugene immigrated to the United States from Germany in 1892 and obtained citizenship in 1916. He worked himself up in the Philadelphia business community by working initially at a baking shop. By 1940 he owned his own grocery store. Rosalie and Eugene had four children:

- Henry Herman Loster (Jan 1903-May 1903)
- Elsie Pauline Loster (1904-1981) who married Hugh Paton⁸⁸ (1888-1975)
- Raymond Eugene Loster (1911-1975) who married Audrey Virginia Dovel (1910-2007)
- Robert Keunecke Loster (1914-1979) who married Jane Evelyn Todd⁸⁹ (abt. 1917-2004)

Rosie and Eugene had some drama with their son Robert in 1934. As related by the local paper on April 26:

A tri-state state police search was underway today for Robert K. Loster, 19-year-old Penn. State college student who disappeared after leaving his home on April 19 to return to school from his Easter vacation.

Detectives believe the youth may have eloped as a girl friend of his has been away from home approximately the same length of time.⁹⁰

The girl friend was Jane Evelyn Todd and yes they did elope to California where they married on May 24, 1934 in Los Angeles County, California. Unfortunately, sometime between 1940 and 1959 Jane Evelyn and Robert were divorced. Following the divorce Jane married Richard Alan Wolf (1930-1983) on December 29, 1959 in Jacksonville, Florida.

Additional Information about Rosalie Keunecke's parents. Henry immigrated from Germany in 1865 and Pauline in 1872. As a result of Henry's Germanic heritage he was Lutheran and many of the funerals for him, his wife, their children and their spouses were held in the Lutheran Church just outside of State Center. Her father owned a hardware store in State Center from 1871-1895, served as a member of the town council from 1896-1902, served as Mayor of State Center from 1904-1906, and served on the school board from 1895 -1907.

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⁸⁸ He married Florence May Krug (1888-1958) on September 2, 1914 in Philadelphia County Pennsylvania and following Florence May's death in 1958, he married Elsie Pauline Loster on April 30, 1960.

⁸⁹ Sometime between 1940 and 1959 Jane Evelyn Todd and Robert K Keunecke divorced. Jane Evelyn married Richard Alan Wolf on December 29, 1959 in Jacksonville, Duvall, Florida.

⁹⁰ *New Castle News* newspaper, New Castle, Lawrence, Pennsylvania, April 26, 1934. P 9.

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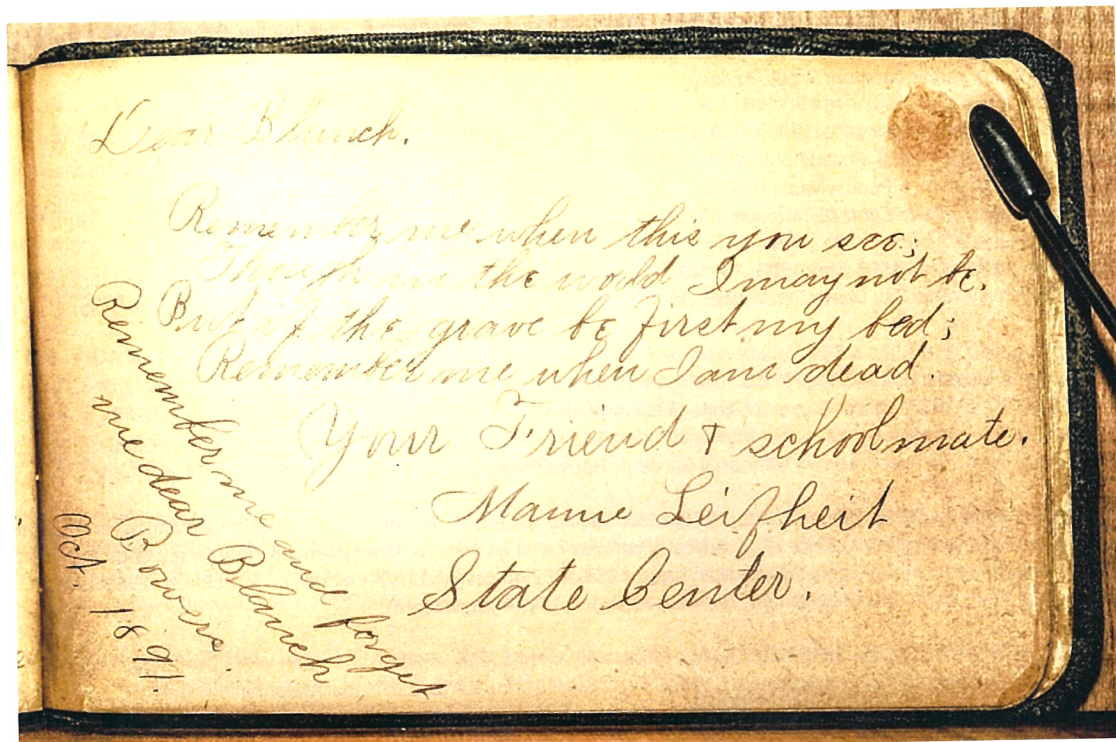
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Dear Blanch.

Remember me when this you see;
 Though in the world I may not be.
 But if the grave be first my bed;
 Remember me when I am dead.
 Your Friend & schoolmate.
 Mamie Leifheit
 State Center.

Diagonal across Lower Left Corner

Remember me and forget
 me dear Blanch
 Bowers.
 Oct. 1891

Mamie Edna Leifheit "Emma" was born in October, 1876 in State Center, Iowa and died on May 27, 1954 in Watonwan County, Minnesota. Mamie's death preceded Blanche's by five years and her saying was fulfilled "...if the grave be first my bed; Remember me when I am dead." She was the daughter of William Heinrich Leifheit* (1848-1929) and Mary Bader* (1857-1928). Her father was born in Germany and was a farmer in the State Center area for about 25 years. Her sisters were:

- Amelia Catherine Leifheit* "*Millie*" (1875-1966) who married Louis H Schaper* (1870-1934)⁹¹
- Julia Leifheit* (1878-1905) who married Max Milton Patton (1871-1919)
- Alma Leifheit* (1884-1930) who married Rudolph H Jahnz (1881-1910)

Mamie married Amos Rufas Garis (1872-1957) on December 11, 1899 in Marshall County, Iowa. Her husband Amos was a building carpenter while they lived in State Center but sometime between 1910 and 1920 they moved to Watonwan County, Minnesota where Amos engaged in farming. They were the parents of four children as follows:

- Theora Garis (1901-1992) who married Roy Jensen (1895-1964)
- Kenneth M Garis (1904-1969) who married Ethel G White (1907-1969)
- Carrie Louise Garis (1906-?? but after 1920)
- Earl W Garis (1910-1993) who married Beatrice Myrtle Dusell (1909-2000)

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

⁹¹ Louis married his first wife, Anna B Larson (1874-1911), in 1897. She died in 1911. After her death, he married Amelia Lefheit on December 11, 1926.

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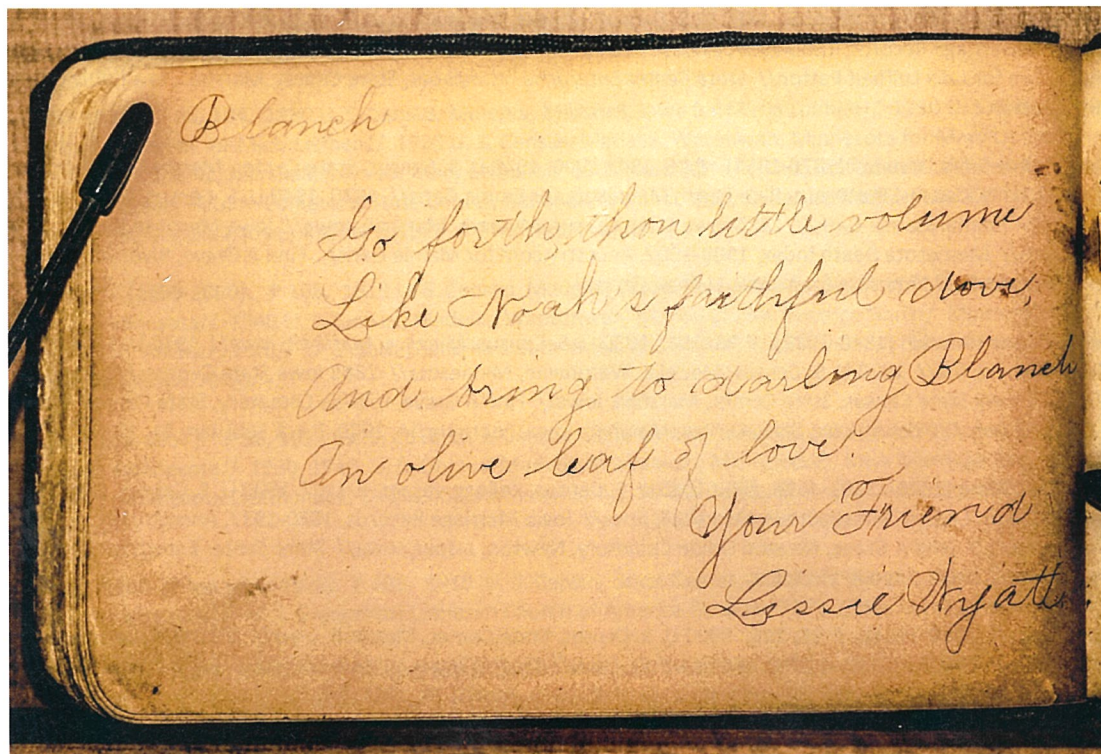
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Go forth, thou little volume
Like Noah's faithful dove,
And bring to darling Blanch
An olive leaf of love.

Your Friend
Lissie Wyatt



Sarah Melissa Wyatt "Lissie" at about Age 6⁹²

⁹² Image found on FamilySearch.org. Image is from a family picture taken about 1884.

Sarah Melissa Wyatt "*Lissie*"⁹³ was born on January 28, 1878 in Washington Township, Marshall, Iowa and died on May 27, 1962 in Roseburg, Douglas, Oregon. She was the daughter of Ezra Reneldo Wyatt* (1835-1915) and Sarah Mariah Whitney*⁹⁴ (1846-1894). Her brothers and sisters were as follows:

- Florence Caroline Wyatt (1867-1955) who married George Washington Atkinson (1866-1927)
- Laura Jane Wyatt (1869-1957) who married Byron Homer Cutler (1862-1943)
- James Rensler Wyatt (1871-1924) who married Clara Ray Lemasters (1873-1945)
- Nellie Grant Wyatt (1872-1960) who married Paul Frederick Tisler (1879-?? but after 1955)
- Calvin Reneldo Wyatt⁹⁵ (1875-1933) who married Lydia Clemons (1878-1945)
- Sallie May Wyatt* (1880-1907) who married Lenn Dunn Kerr* (1877-1907)
- Francis Coleman Wyatt (1882-1964) who married Rebecca Ann Bethard (1889-1973)⁹⁶
- Ethel Idella Wyatt (1887-1966) who married Robert Emerson Brown (1883-1934)

Lizzie taught school prior to her marriage to Arthur James McCormack (1878-1960) on September 18, 1901 in State Center, Marshall, Iowa. Arthur was a dentist. Between 1910 and 1920 they moved from Lincoln, Story, Iowa to Litchfield, Meeker, Minnesota where Arthur started a new dental practice. They were the parents of three children:

- Delos Wyatt McCormack (1902-1990) who married Amanda Bertha Desens (1899-1992)
- Florence Maxine McCormack (1906-1980) who married Kenneth J Kirk (1910-1975)
- James Emerson McCormack (1912-1991) who married Miriam Ruth Monson (1912-1990)

Additional Information about Lissie Wyatt's father, Ezra Renaldo Wyatt. Her father a farmer raised fruit and resided in Marshall County, Iowa for nearly 60 years, serving as Justice of the Peace for State Center, Iowa from 1887 to 1915.

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

⁹³ I believe Lissie Wyatt who signed the album is Sarah Melissa Wyatt (1878-1962). A Melissa Wyatt graduated from State Center High School in 1896 which would be about the year Blanche Bower graduated from high school. Secondly, Sarah Melissa Wyatt was born January 28, 1878 and Blanche Bower was born on February 18, 1877 which would make the two of them at about the same age. Further, Blanche and her family are listed in the 1885 Iowa State Census for State Center, Marshall, Iowa and Sarah Melissa Wyatt and her family are listed in the 1900 U. S. Census, State Center, Marshall, Iowa. Third, there is no reference in census data to a Lissie Wyatt in State Center or the surrounding area. I think "Lissie" may have been a nickname used to distinguish her from her mother who was also named Sarah M Wyatt.

⁹⁴ Following the death of his wife Sarah Mariah Whitney in 1894, he married Betsy Cox* (1845-1918) on March 13, 1904 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa.

⁹⁵ It appears that Calvin Wyatt and Lydia Clemons divorced sometime between 1898 and 1899. Calvin Wyatt married Sylvia Esther Anderson (1878-1963) on June 19, 1903 in San Francisco, San Francisco, California. After her divorce from Calvin, Lydia Clemons married James Lewis Clark (1873-1958) on November 23, 1899 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa. It appears Lydia and James Lewis Clark divorced sometime between 1900 and 1903 and after her divorce from James Clark she married Charles Edward Burns (1875-1948) on September 28, 1903 in Marshalltown, Marshall, Iowa.

⁹⁶ Rebecca Bethard married Jack Wellesley Powers (1876-?? but after 1920) on April 24, 1913 in Douglas County, Oregon. Following his death in about 1925, she married Francis C Wyatt in about 1927 in California. Rebecca's marriage to Francis Coleman was her second marriage. She married Jack Wellesley Powers on April 24, 1913 in Douglas County, Oregon. It appears Jack died sometime around 1925 and after his death she married Francis Coleman Wyatt.

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Carrie Mills

Carrie Tryphena Mills* was born in July, 1878 in Illinois and died in May, 1907 at the young age of 28 in Greeley, Weld, Colorado due to obstruction of her bowels. She was the daughter of John Hewit Mills* (1844-1887) and Rachel Alice Nichols* (1856-1934). Her mother and father were married in 1877 in State Center, Iowa by a Friends Society member. So she was probably raised in a Quaker home. She was only nine years old when her father, a railroad engineer, was killed in a train accident. She had only one sibling, a sister as follows:

- Ruth Esther Mills* (1885-1959) who married Lawrence Seymour Knapp* (1879-1954).

She was listed in the 1900 census as a stenographer.

Additional information about Carrie Mills' father, John Hewit Mills. Prior to working for the railroad, her father was a partner with W. J. Nichols in a hardware business in State Center, one of the early hardware businesses in State Center. Although the Quakers opposed the Civil War, her father John served as a private in the Iowa 7th. Infantry Regiment during the Civil War.

*Indicates person buried in Hillside Cemetery, State Center, Marshall, Iowa

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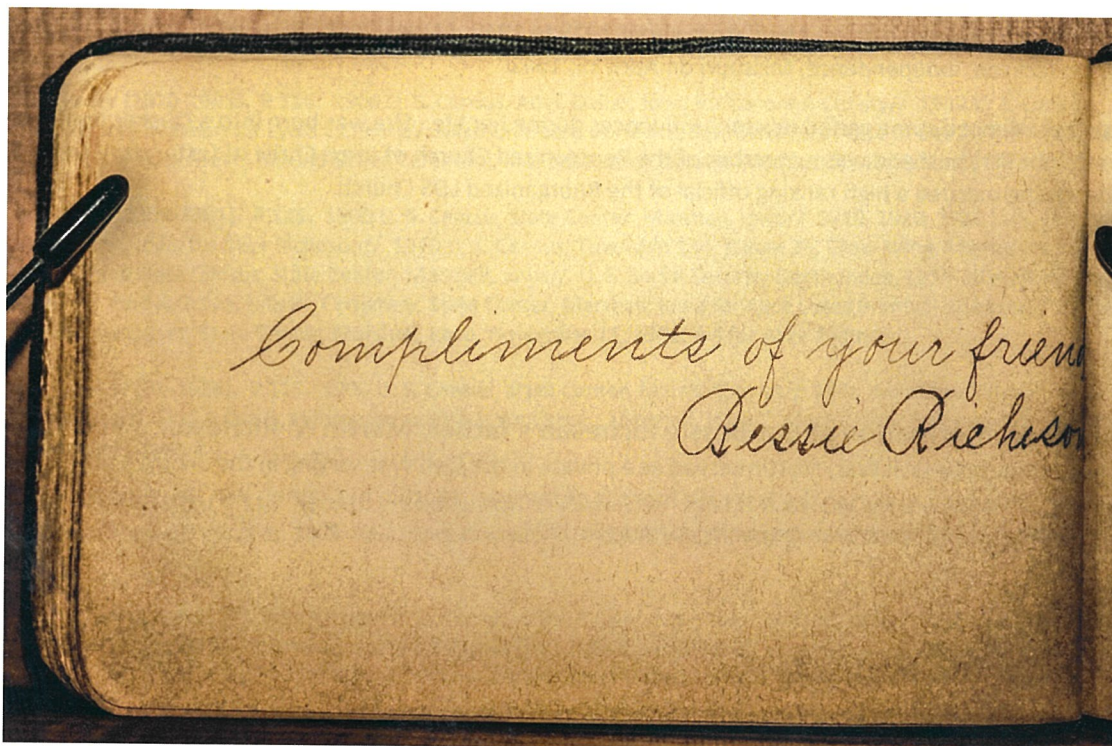
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Bessie Richeson⁹⁷

Bessie Floy Richeson was born on August 4, 1875 in State Center, Marshall. Iowa and died in Los Angeles County, California in September, 1968. She was the daughter of Martin M Richeson (1847-1918) and Elizabeth Hughes "Lizzie" (1849-1923). Her three brothers were:

- Charles Mason Richeson (1873-1952) who married Helen Scott Pratt (1883-1962)
- Claude Henry Richeson* (1876-1934) who married Laura B Woolston* "Lottie" (1878-1944)
- Roland Edward Richeson* (1886-1947) who married Alice Lucas Brimhall* (1886-1981)⁹⁸

Bessie married Garrett Guess Laughlin (1870-1912) on January 1, 1901 in Marshall County, Iowa. He was a farmer in the State Center area.⁹⁹ He died at an early age of 42. Bessie raised two children as a single mother:

- Aleta Laughlin (1901-1988) who married Edward E Spencer (1899-1968)
- Harold Richard Laughlin (1907-1990) who married Ida Helen Peters (1908-1979)¹⁰⁰

⁹⁷ I could not open album wide enough to scan without possible damage to album. However, the "d" on friend and the "n" on Richeson are clearly written in the original.

⁹⁸ Alice was adopted as an infant following the death of her mother, Mary McCauley (1851-1886), by Samuel M Brimhall* (1838-1936) and Lucinda Crum* "Lutie" (1843-1929)

⁹⁹ Her husband's mother was a member of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day-Saints (now known as Community of Christ).

¹⁰⁰ They were married in 1928 but divorced by 1930. After their divorce Ida married Edward James Fliegler (1905-1978), and Harold married Doris Mick (1913-1993) on September 15, 1934 in Union County, South Dakota.

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