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MRS. MARY ADAMS AND BABY - March 1946

Mrs. Mary **Adams** and baby died at the St. Mary's Hospital, March 3. She was the wife of Arthur **Adams** of Glover; Mo. Mrs. **Adams** was born July 7, 1917 and died at the age of 28 years, 8 months and 1 day. Funeral services were held March 11 at Harrisburg, Ark.

JAMES RICHARD BALDWIN – February 1946

James Richard **Baldwin** was born at Poplar Bluff, Missouri, December 13, 1860, and died February 11, 1946 at the age of 85 years, 1 month, and 28 days following a week's illness.

Mr. **Baldwin** came to Ironton at the age of ten and spent the rest of his life here. He was married to Miss Annie Jane **Waldram** December 24, 1902 and five children were born to this union, all of whom are living: Miss Leona of the home, Mrs. Florence **Seitz**, of St. Louis; Mrs. Annie May **Worden**, of St. Louis; Richard Jr. and Raynor of Ironton. He is also survived by his wife, one brother J. L. **Baldwin** of Ironton and one sister, Mrs. Luona **Hamilton** of Chicago, and nine grandchildren.

Mr. **Baldwin** was in business in Ironton for over sixty years. He was first a carpenter here, then operated a hub factory and later, as automobiles became common, started the first garage in Ironton. He later added a machine shop and worked there until recently. His two sons, Richard and Raynor, are still operating the garage and machine shop.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. from Whites' Chapel; the Rev. E. W. **Bartley** in charge and interment was in the Arcadia Memorial Park.

We extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

WM. BLANKS, JR. – May 1946

Wm. **Blanks**, Jr., colored, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. **Blanks** died on Tuesday at a hospital in St. Louis. He was 44 years of age. He had been in ill health for more than three years. He is survived by his wife, Cuzzy **Hanks**, one son, Billy and a daughter, Verna.

The body is being shipped to Ironton today, Friday, and the funeral services will be held from the home of his parents here Saturday. Burial will be in west Ironton.

He was born December 27, 1902.

MISS SARAH BARNES – September 1946

Miss Sarah Almeda **Barnes**, of Pilot Knob, died at her home last Saturday at the age of 56 years, four months and 19 days. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church at Pilot Knob Sunday afternoon with Rev. **Bynum** of Ironton in charge and Rev. Gordon **Thompson** assisting. Burial was in the Pilot Knob Cemetery.

Miss Barnes is survived by her aged mother, Mrs. Ellen **Collins**, three sisters, Mrs. Edith **Martins**, Mrs. Mary **Amelung**, and Mrs. Clara **Thomas** are all of St. Louis and three brothers Ira of Pacific, Missouri, George and Sherman of Ironton.



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