

Sorry about the delay! This is taken from "Trails West to R W County" by Robert Kay & Lois Rutledge (n.p., 1982)

The S. W. Gen. Genealogical Society may be able to find more info.

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There are three Kendall names in the local phone book - but I do not know if they are related, related to William K.

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Elk's National Convention in Boston. One of his most noteworthy deeds for the city of McCook was the donation to the city of the land for the park that bears his name. He succumbed on Sunday, October 4, 1942 at his home and was buried in the Memorial Park Cemetery on Tuesday, October 6, 1942.

Wife of JOHN E. KELLEY

Mrs. Nora M. (?) Kelley was born in 1869. She was married to John E. Kelley on April 17, 1885 at Phillipsburg, Kansas. As a day-old bride she came to McCook by horse and buggy with her husband. She was the mother of one son. Because of ill health, she had spent most of her time in her home in Estes Park, Colorado among the mountains she loved, for the last couple of years of her life. The Kelleys had maintained a summer home there for many years. She passed away on Monday, December 6, 1943 in Denver, in a sanitarium where she had been receiving treatment. Her remains were returned to McCook and she was buried on Saturday, December 11, 1943 in the Memorial Park Cemetery, beside her husband.

WILLIAM K. KENDALL

was born October 17, 1830 at Ripley, Chautauqua, New York, into a family of seven boys and two girls. His parents moved to Burlington, Bradford, Pennsylvania when he was in his childhood. He enlisted in the One Hundred Fifty-fourth New York Volunteers and served his country for three and a half years, during the Civil War. He was united in marriage to Lucy Louisa Burgess on November 7, 1865 and to this union was born two sons, Hugh W. and Henry B. In 1878 the family moved to Red Willow County and in 1900 they moved to Danbury. On February 29, 1916 he died at Danbury and was buried in the Danbury-Marion Cemetery on March 1, 1916.

Wife of WILLIAM K. KENDALL
LUCY LOUISA BURGESS

was born on December 25, 1840 at Ripley, Chautauqua, New York where she lived with her parents until grown to womanhood. She was married to William Knapp Kendall in New York on November 7, 1865. She was the mother of two children. The family moved to Illinois and remained there for twelve years. In 1879 they came to Red Willow County. Here on February 29, 1916 her husband died. On Tuesday, March 6, 1928, after an illness of only three days, she passed away near Danbury and was buried in the Danbury-Marion Cemetery.

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General of Lucy Ken-
dall whose death was briefly men-
tioned in last week's Sentinel, was
buried last Sunday in the Congrega-
tional Church of Danbur-

been faithful member for

Kendall has been well known
in Willow County and has been
a member of a very interesting
club. Although old in years,
she remained young in spirit.

She was a great reader of papers,
books and magazines, and a great
worker and was able to read, write
and attend to her own business af-
fairs up until a few days before
she passed away.

She had expressed her hopes
many times, that she might be tak-
en away without much sickness or
ever becoming a burden to others,
and in this, her desires were real-
ized.

On Saturday, March 3, she was
taken sick and called the doctor.
On Monday she was taken to the
Creasman home where she was
tenderly cared for by Mrs. Creasman
and on Tuesday, at 6 P. M. she
peacefully passed away in the same
room that had been hers for many
years on the old homestead. Mrs.
Kendall was 87 years old last Christ-
mas Day.

(The following obituary was writ-
ten by Mrs. Kendall, herself.)

"Lucy Louisa Burgess was born
in Ripley, Chautauqua County,
New York, December 25th, 1840,
where she lived with her parents
until grown to womanhood, when
she was married to Wm. K. Kendall
in 1865, when they went to Illinois
and remained twelve years. Two
children were born to them, Hugh
V. and Henry B. In 1879, they
came to Red Willow County, Nebras-

ka, where they lived on their farm
and when old age came they moved
to Danbury, Nebraska, where they
had many dear friends. On Feb-
ruary 29, 1916, Mr. Kendall depart-
ed this life at the age of eighty-five.
He was an old soldier of the Civil
War, serving more than four years."

Mrs. Kendall is survived by a son
Henry Kendall, and his wife of Ber-
keley, California, and a sister Mrs.
Millie Brown of Los Angeles, Calif.

None of the old citizens of Dan-
bury will be missed more than Mrs.
Kendall as she was loved and re-
spected by all, young and old. Owing
to the fact that her son, Henry and
wife had to come from California,
the funeral services was not held
until Sunday.

Services were held at the Con-
gregational Church on Sunday af-
ternoon, conducted by the Rev. F.
Varcoe, and assisted by the Rev.
Swisher of Ashland, Neb.

Being the wife of a veteran of
the Civil War, the American Legion
acted as pallbearers and the ladies
of the Auxiliary took charge of
the flowers which were many and
beautiful. The singing was given
by Mrs. C. S. Messner, Mrs. Ab.
Gregory, Mr. T. S. Roop and George
Thomas, with I. J. Floyd Ervin at
the piano.

The local attendance was large,
and many friends came from a dis-
tance to attend the last sad rites.

The remains were laid to rest
beside those of the husband, within
sight of the old homestead, in the
Danbury Cemetery.

The Sentinel joins with the many
friends in extending sympathy to
the sorrowing relatives.

*This is from an old scrap
book compiled by an A. C.
Gubman. I'm disappointed that Annie's
obit wasn't in it. This is probably
not very useful but its all I have
found yet.*
A. C. Gubman