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CRAWFORD COUNTY VITAL STATISTIC RECORDS.

The purpose of the Index is to consolidate the names of individuals found in the Vital Statistic Records of Crawford County into a single file, thereby providing a researcher with direct reference to the appropriate volume and page.

The Index of Names for the Crawford County Vital Statistics is an integrated double index of the birth and death records for the period 1886 to 1911. The original records are located in the County Clerk's Office, Crawford County Courthouse, Girard, Kansas and consist of eight volumes, A thru H. The chronology for each volume is listed in Table-1: Vital Statistic Volume Chronology.

An example of a typical birth record is presented in Figure-1: Certificate of Birth. Many of the records are complete, but on some the doctors did little more than sign their names.

The index of the birth records provide the full name of the child, date of birth, location of the record, father's first name and mother's full maiden name. The index of the death records provide the full name of the deceased, date of death and location of the record.

Records after July, 1911 were forwarded to what is now called the Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Health and Environment, Topeka, Kansas.

Individual cities and sometimes the township trustees may have kept their own records, perhaps the originals of those forwarded to the state. An original copy of Sheridan Township (Farlington area) birth records, Volume-H, 1921 to 1931 is located in the Crawford County Clerks Office in Girard. It appears to have been left there after the originator stopped keeping his records.

TABLE-1 RECORD VOLUME CHRONOLOGY.

BIRTH RECORD			DEATH RECORDS	
VOL	START	STOP	START	STOP
G	1887	1888	1887	1888
B (Pt-1)	1888	1889	none	
C	1889	1895	1889	1895
D	1894	1901	1894	1901
B (PT-2)	1897	1904	1897	1901
E	1901	1905	none	
A	1904	1908	1904	1908
F	1908	1911	1908	1911
H	1921	1931	none	

Reference a birth record as follows:

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          |----- B = BIRTH RECORD
          |----- VOLUME = E
          |----- PAGE NUMBER
BIRTH DATE -----
Larmer Onota A .... 22 Jan 1906 B-D-.23
-(F) John.....(M) Stevens Kate.....
  |             |
  |----- = FATHER   |----- = MOTHER
  
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Reference a death record as follows:

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Stevens Isaac.....13 Aug 1908 D-A-174
          |             |             |
          |             |             |----- PAGE NUMBER
DEATH DATE -----
          |             |----- VOLUME = A
          |----- D = DEATH RECORD
  
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NOTE: The first letter in the location reference B or D identifies it as a "B" Birth or "D" Death record.

DAN BRUNETTI

CRAWFORD COUNTY CLERK
GIRARD, KANSAS 66743
(316) 724-6115

C E R T I F I C A T E O F B I R T H

STATE OF KANSAS:
:SS
CRAWFORD COUNTY:

I, DAN BRUNETTI, the duly elected and qualified County Clerk of Crawford County, Kansas, do hereby certify that the following birth is recorded in book E, page 119, line 3, said book indexed and being a permanent record in the office of the County Clerk of Crawford County, Kansas, said recording being made as shown by said record:

NAME OF CHILD	<u>Onota Agnes Larmer</u>
SEX	<u>Female</u>
NUMBER OF CHILD THIS MOTHER	<u>1</u>
RACE OR COLOR	<u>White</u>
DATE OF BIRTH	<u>January 22, 1904</u>
PLACE OF BIRTH	<u>Girard, Ks. 66743</u>
NATIONALITY OF FATHER	<u>American</u>
PLACE OF BIRTH	<u>Kansas</u>
AGE OF FATHER	<u>28</u>
NATIONALITY OF MOTHER	<u>American</u>
PLACE OF BIRTH	<u>Virginia</u>
AGE OF MOTHER	<u>17</u>
FULL NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Katie Larmer</u>
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Katie Stearns</u>
RESIDENCE OF MOTHER	<u>Girard, Ks. 66743</u>
FULL NAME OF FATHER	<u>John Larmer</u>
OCCUPATION	<u>Laborer</u>
NAME OF PHYSICIAN	<u>V.T. Boaz</u>
PLACE OF BUSINESS	<u>Girard, Ks.</u>
NUMBER OF REPORT	
DATE OF RETURN	<u>2-9-04</u>

WITNESS my hand and the official seal at Girard, Kansas, this 23rd day of April, 1990.

(Seal)

Paul D. Brunetti
COUNTY CLERK, CRAWFORD COUNTY, KANSAS