

OTTERVILLE

(Mrs. Pauline C. Ross)

Mrs. Maggie Lemki left last week for a visit with her sister at Kansas City, Kan.

S. I. Laws spent Sunday with his wife, who is a patient at the Christian church hospital in Kansas City and reports that she is recovering from the operation which she underwent a week ago.

Miss Mildred Bente, English teacher in the Otterville high school, will go to Sedalia Friday night to give several readings in the lyceum number, which will also be participated in by a male quartette from Sedalia.

W. D. Ross conducted a closing-out sale of live stock and farming implements, etc., for A. A. Porter, 6 miles south of Syracuse Saturday. Mr. Porter has traded his farm for a farm in Texas county and he and his family will leave for there in a few days.

Mrs. S. L. Smith, Mrs. J. C. Miller, Mrs. W. G. Strelt and David Schilb and Elmer Klein, are among those on the sick list this week.

D. B. Mayfield, Sr., and daughter, Miss Virginia, were down from Sedalia last week visiting D. B. Jr., who was ill, at his room in the Otterville hotel.

Mrs. H. D. Case is critically ill at her home west of town and hope of her recovery has been despaired of.

DE W. H. HOWARD, ONE OF THE COMM-

munity's oldest and most highly respected citizens, was 87 years old, March 19. The doctor is hale and hearty. He is a Civil War veteran having served in the Confederate army the entire term of the war, and has for several years been commander of the Geo. B. Harper camp of U. C. V.

The news of the death of Carl B. Hummel, of Okmulgee, Okla., which occurred at the home of his parents,