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## *Abbreviations*

b—born  
m—married  
d—died  
aet—at the time  
ca—came  
pr.—prior  
cr.—created  
dau.—daughter or daughters  
O—owned  
A—acres  
desc.—descended  
bap.—baptized  
twsp.—township  
wf.—wife  
:—another generation

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## INTO THE HERE AND NOW

*Out of the East, through the misty past  
Came man, with many of his kind;  
Bringing lust and greed and love and trust  
To blaze the way, a home to find.  
He excelled, and You are what you are.*

This book is dedicated  
with love and affection  
to the memory  
of little  
EDITH LENORE TROUT





## FOREWORD

THIS BOOK is composed of three parts actually; history, as background for these families; biography as found, and genealogy of various lines as revealed by a long search and much assistance.

The fundamental reason for most, if not all of these immigrants making the rather awesome journey from Europe to a new, wild country, was religious rather than economic or political. There were exceptions.

But once here, property rights became important and precious. The irrepressible conflict conceived by the very nature of the ordeal of every man wanting and needing ground in a virgin land for his home, made the establishment of detailed records most necessary. These men were a dedicated lot who would not be subservient. They had self-respect and dignity to run the gamut of becoming a self-governing people. A man observed in unscrupulous behavior of any kind was in immediate disfavor and branded as an undesirable citizen of the colony.

Slowly and painfully a new nation was brought into being by these men of deep convictions and devout beliefs. By their deeds they autographed their names across this vast land as if they were embroidered on a silken coverlet spread across a great bed. The achievement of each man added to the glory of the accomplishment. Little by little the pattern was formed—a new land adorned by the physical, moral and spiritual struggles.

Modest homes were built and maintained; marriages consummated, children born—and the country grew. Religion and culture were maintained at a high and acceptable level. Educational facilities were established immediately. Psychologically, the citizenry became strong.

We remind the reader at the beginning of this manuscript of the early peoples of Western Europe, how they lived and developed and formed their governments; of the explorers, many in number, who touched Western shores. Then comes mention of certain families who came to the newly discovered land and settled here with their families and who lent their time, talents, abilities and names to their new homeland.

This record began in my search for an ancestor who fought or aided in the Revolutionary War. I soon learned that some of them were Quakers and the search became quite extended. However, while looking for a specific kind of record, many other records were found which seemed so interesting that they have been included. And it is my hope that my relatives and friends will appreciate these added details.

The lines of descent given here are of my own family and related lines by a common locale or common experience or inter-marriage. Many names are omitted from the families for obvious reasons; first, that I found no record of them; second, a question of time was involved; and third, I had found two Revolutionary ancestors. My search had been rewarded!

The publication of this manuscript will give to posterity a story of their ancestors and some details of their lives which may not have previously been known. Many of the families have been prominent in the settlement and growth of America. Their names, imposing in Colonial times, are well known today. Their attainments glow in the history of the United States of America. The author, of modest means and talents, is, as may be imagined, highly gratified, if, surprised, to find some of the great in the background of her family.

British records as well as American were used for the early details. Many hundreds of hours have been given to this work. Here it is!

## *Chapter I*

### EUROPEAN ROOTS

**R**OMAN EMPEROR CLAUDIUS subdued the Britons in 43 A. D. and the occupation of 300 years began. Because most of the people whose names appear in this report came from the British Isles, Normany and Switzerland, these notes concerning the early inhabitants are given.

Caledonia, or Scotland, to the north of the Forth and Clyde was frequently invaded but never subdued by the Romans. The inhabitants were the Celtic-speaking Picts, who were also found in the southwestern area. In the southeast the population was composed of Britons. At the end of the fifth century the Scots, a Celtic tribe from the north of Ireland, became settlers and by the 8th century the Saxons and Scandinavians had gained considerable power. But the Scots gained in rule, despite the new element and in 843, Kenneth Macalpin became king of the Scots and Picts, with his kingdom known as Alban, covering the area north of the Forth and Clyde. The name Scotland came into existence during the 10th century.

The successors of Kenneth extended their power southward. Under Macbeth, who married the English Princess Margaret, the English language gained ground. His reign of eighteen years was one of peace and prosperity.

The Saxons were a Germanic people who first appear after the beginning of the Christian Era. The earliest mention of the Saxons is by Ptolemy in the second century A. D. at which time they appear to have dwelt in what is now Schleswig. In the 3rd and 4th centuries, they pressed southward into the region of the Weser, where they encountered the Chauci and Angrivarii, who were subdued and absorbed.

In the 2nd half of the 4th century, we find them breaking into the Roman dominions. By the close of the 6th century all northwest Germany as far east as the Elbe had come to be the land of the Saxons. They invaded Britain perhaps as early as the 3rd century; in the 5th century they occupied the coasts of Normandy.

In the 5th and 6th centuries a part of the Saxons passed over into Britain where the Jutes had already established themselves and where they were joined by the Angles. At the beginning of the 7th century the Anglo-Saxon conquest of Britain was in a great measure completed.

Gallia or Gaul was the Roman name for France. Caesar completed its conquest in 50 B. C. At this time it was occupied by three branches of the Celtic race—the Aquitani, the Celtae, and the Belgae, and was one of the most important portions of the Empire. With the decline of the Roman power in the 5th century it fell under the power of the Visigoths, Bergundians and Franks. In 486 A.D. Clovis put an end to the Roman dominion.

Native legends say Ireland was first inhabited by various tribes of which the most important were Nemedians, Formorians, Firbolgs and Tuathe De Danann who eventually were subdued by Milesians or Scots. Although Ireland is mentioned under various names by Greek and Roman writers centuries before Christ, there is little authentic information about its inhabitants before the 4th century after Christ when, as Scoti, they harried the Roman province of Britain. These expeditions were extended to the coast of Gaul until the time of Lavgaire MacNeill, about 430, in whose reign St. Patrick attempted the conversion of the natives. With St. Patrick, the authentic life of Ireland may be said to have begun.

The Church of Ireland was a branch of the Celtic Church, which comprehended those of Galatia, in Asia Minor, of Gaul, and of the original Celtic inhabitants of Great Britain and Ireland. This church resisted from the first, attempts to break its connection with Rome and impose upon it the accompanying changes in the religious revolt in England. The church property was still held by the churches. The Catholics were put under serious disabilities, not being allowed to teach school or act as guardians. Priests were obliged to remain in their own parishes, and were excluded from public affairs. Tithes were exacted from Catholics for the support of the established church. Disabilities were not removed until 1829. Tithes were commuted in 1838.

More than three-fifths of the Episcopalians were in the province of Ulster, now comprised in North Ireland, the greater part of the remainder were in Leinster. Scots who settled in the North of Ireland were generally Presbyterians. More recently Methodism made rapid advances. But even in Ulster the Catholic church outnumbered any of the others. The extreme northeast counties have a larger non-Catholic than Catholic population.

The Picts, previously mentioned, were an ancient people of the Stone Age (Long Barrow period) inhabiting the whole of Great Britain. They were of rather low stature (5 feet, 5 inches) and were of dark complexion. The succeeding Teutonic invasions supplanted or incorporated them in the primitive period of the English nation. The name (Picts) originated from the

custom of staining or tattooing the skin. It is pretty generally agreed that the southern Welsh, the Firbolgs of western Ireland and perhaps the short dark remnants in Scotland represent survival of the Picts.

The Picts are first mentioned along with the Caledonians in connection with the campaigns of Chlorus in Britain in 296 and 306. So troublesome were the Picts that the Romans built huge walls to keep them out of the conquered provinces. At first the Saxons kept clear of the Picts but as the former pushed farther north they encountered hordes of them and were defeated by them in 685. For a long time afterward a border warfare was carried on with varying results. Gradually the Picts were converted to Christianity and their King, Angus MacFergus (731-761) ruled over the whole of Scotland. Soon thereafter the race disappeared as an entity.

The Celtic Church was the earliest Christian Church in Great Britain and Ireland. It is not definitely known when Christianity was introduced but Roman history puts it in the 2nd century as the result of a request from King Lucius of Eleutherius, Bishop of Rome from 177 to 193; others connect it with the persecutions at Lyons, which drove Christians across the English Channel. These fugitives carried with them the Eastern form of Christianity which the Lyons church had.

In the 3rd century, Christianity existed in Britain and in the 4th, bishops from the country signed consiliar rolls. In the 5th century the British Province of Britain was essentially Christian. In the 6th century the Saxons drove the Celts into the mountains of Wales and there four Bishoprics existed.

Augustine was sent to England by Gregory I in 596, and so the Roman form of Christianity first found lodgment on British soil. In 603 a conference was held by Augustine with some Celtic Bishops, but his haughty bearing alienated them. Gradually, however, the Roman form encroached upon the Celtic and in 777 the last station in South Wales had conformed to Rome. The Celtic Church farther north, however, though declining, did not conform to Rome until 1172.

In Ireland, Christianity existed before the coming of St. Patrick to its shores but he was the means of winning the greater part of the island to the Christian faith. The Scottish church was strengthened by Irish monks, who came with St. Columba about 563, and carried on missionary operations from Iona as a center. In 664 the Celtic church in Northumbria conformed to the Roman model and its separate history ended as was the case in Scotland after 1153. In Ireland, the merging of the Celtic and Roman rite was completed in the same year and henceforth

England, Scotland and Ireland were Christian without variant rites and ceremonies.

The Celtic designation applied to ethnic groups constituting the predominant element in central and western Europe before the rise of the Roman power and the influx of the Germanic tribes. They spoke a language known as Celtic or Keltic. They occupied, in antiquity, a very wide territory. Radiating from central Europe, which is their earliest ascertainable seat, they spread far to the west, south and southeast. The date of their settlement in Gaul is doubtful being variously estimated from 1200 to 700 B. C. They invaded Italy in the 4th century B. C. and in the 3rd century made their way into Greece and Asia Minor. The height of their power was probably about 400 B. C. They had begun to feel the pressure of the Germanic tribes to the north and east of them and in the centuries that followed, the Romans subjugated a large part of Celtic territory. In the British Isles, they continued for centuries to maintain their independence.

Beyond these few facts our knowledge of the history of the Celtic-speaking peoples is obscure. The Celtic tongues flourished before the beginning of written history and contributed in important measure to the character and vigor of the Aryan tongues as the vernacular of several of the most distinctive and diverse of the vigorous peoples of central and western Europe, up to a time well within the historical period. They give a stamp to early and even modern literature written in English. Some of them survive as oral rather than written languages, but all of them are gradually disappearing.

My dear relatives, after reading the foregoing on our background—what Nationality are you?

## *Chapter II*

### EARLY AMERICA Events and People

OUR COUNTRY was formed on the basis of Religion and Freedom. And these notes are slanted in that direction. In those days principle stood high above financial gain. During the years many skirmishes and maneuverings took place which we have forgotten in the present-day rush of living. To remember them once again may remind us of the sacrifices made in behalf of this beautiful land which we call home and which was so dearly bought.

For instance, the visit of Lief Ericsson and his Norsemen to Vinland, land of grape vines, variously identified as Labrador, the North East coast and Martha's Vinyard, in the year 1000.

Let us remember too, the Magna Carta, 1215, the great charter of England, signed by King John at Runnymede at the insistence of 2,000 English Barons who refused to fight on foreign soil and demanded end of illegal levies by the king. The Charter guaranteed privileges of nobility, Church free from secular interference, right of freemen to legal protection. Freemen were privileged class; (this will be mentioned in this manuscript several times); common people were villein farmers, practically serfs. But 400 years later Edward Coke and Puritans demanded protection for the common people under the rights of freemen. Also invoked Clause 39, out of which trial by jury developed. It reads: "No freeman shall be taken or imprisoned or dispossessed or outlawed or banished, or in any way destroyed, nor will we go upon him, nor send upon him, except by legal judgment of his peers or by the law of the land."

And in 1382, John Wycliffe, Oxford forerunner of Reformation (1320-1394) directed translation of Vulgate Bible into English vernacular. He supported a bill in Parliament declaring it sinful for clergy to hold property. By elevating the Scriptures above Church authority, he anticipated Lutheran doctrine by 150 years.

It would seem that the discoveror of America, Christopher Columbus, deserves special mention. Christopher, the usual English form, adopted from the Latinized form, Colombo was later known as Christobel Colon in Spain, after he entered the service of the Spanish Queen Isabella. He was born in 1451 and died in 1506. His father, Domenico Colombo was a weaver in

Genoa, Italy. Christopher followed his father's trade for a time and in 1472 was still a weaver in Savona. In 1476 he embarked in one of several Genoese merchantmen for England. These vessels were attacked at St. Vincent Aug. 13, 1476 and Columbus took refuge in Lisbon. Later he continued his trip to England and sailed up into the Northern Seas. In 1477-78 he was in commerce in Lisbon, where he married Felipa Moniz Perestrello. In 1480, and probably at Lisbon, was born Diego Columbus, oldest son, and only child by his marriage. After his marriage, his mother-in-law gave Columbus certain papers of Perestrello, which made him decide to devote himself to maritime discovery.

From 1482 to 1484 Columbus is supposed to have made several voyages to the coast of Guinea, and he claims to have measured the length of a degree at the equator; and during the same period he made to Joao II of Portugal the same proposal which he later made to the Spanish rulers. His proposal was rejected. Angered, Columbus, widowed by now, fled to Spain with his young son. He left his son with two monks, Peroz and Marchena at LaRabida, who encouraged him in his plan. He then went to Seville and saw the two dukes of Medina, Sidonia and Celi and lived awhile with the latter. He was granted an audience in April or May by the sovereigns and later appeared before a royal commission who were to examine his pretensions. Many were the hardships of this man both before and after the discovery of America. And the new land was not even named for Columbus, but for another who claimed to have discovered it earlier.

Christopher Columbus had an older brother, Bartolomeo 1437-1514 who was born in Genoa, Italy, also. He joined his brother at Lisbon 1480 and was sent by him to seek help from Henry VII, of England and from Charles VIII of France. In 1494 he sailed for America and arrived in time to render assistance to his brother, who was hard pressed both by Spaniards and Indians. He became afterward Governor of Espanola 1495 and founded the town of San Domingo. His services were afterward recognized by the crown, which gave him Mona, near Espanola. He was noted as a cartographer.

Diego Columbus 1468-1515?, youngest brother of Christopher was probably born in Genoa, and upon news of the discovery, came to Spain. He accompanied Christopher on his second voyage and late in 1494 was at the head of a commission intrusted with the government of Espanola in the absence of the Admiral. In 1496 he went to Spain to defend his brother against charges submitted by some of the members of the colony. He re-



turned to the colony, but fell into disgrace and was sent in chains to Spain in 1500. Later it is thought he entered the church.

Diego Columbus 1480-1526, eldest son of Christopher spent the year of his father's quest at the Convent of Rahiba. After the discovery he became page to the Spanish Crown Prince, 1494, remaining at court until after the death of his father. He was made Admiral of the Indies 1509, and Governor of Hispaniola, but the title of Viceroy and his share in the revenues from the New World were withheld. He endeavored to force his claim by taking possession of the office, but his authority was not recognized in New Spain and so he returned to Europe in 1523 and spent the remaining years of his life in seeking restitution from the court.

Ferdinand 1488-1539, a younger son of Christopher, became page to Queen Isabella in 1498; took part in the last voyage of his father; travelled over Europe; collected a valuable library of over 20,000 volumes; wrote a history of the Indies and a biography of his father which became the basis of all later accounts of the great navigator. Both of these works have been lost.

However, in 1492, Christopher Columbus, the Genoese navigator, after years of effort in Spain, secured the support of Queen Isabella for a westward voyage. He left Palos Aug. 3 with the Santa Maria, 100 T. and 52 men; the Pinta, 50 T. and 18 men; and the Nina, 40 T. and 18 men. On Oct. 12 at 2 a.m. Rodrigo de Triana on the Pinta discovered land. Columbus landed on Guanahani, Bahamas, called it San Salvador. Discovered Cuba and Hispaniola (Haiti or San Domingo); built first fort, La Navidad, there. He was made Admiral of the Ocean Sea.

In 1497 John Cabot, Venetian, employed by the English, reached Canada. His son, Sebastian, joined in the second voyage, 1498. The English claim to Canada was based on the discoveries of these men. It appears probable almost simultaneously with Cabot's landing on the American continent, Pinzon, accompanied by Vespucci discovered Central America. Amerigo Vespucci, Italian born Spanish navigator, asserted he reached the American mainland (New World) the year before Columbus. Martin Waldseemuller of St. Die in a book, 1507, asked that this land be called America "because Americus discovered it".

Also in 1498 Vasco de Gama, Portuguese navigator, reached India, the goal of many of these men. In 1513, Juan Ponce de Leon, veteran of one Columbus voyage, searching for Bimini, found and named Florida. He died in Cuba 1521.

And Martin Luther, Augustinian monk, preaching faith over works, attacked abuse of papal indulgencies by posting 95 theses (propositions) on Wittenburg church door, Oct. 31, 1517. Diet of Worms, under Charles V in Jan. 1521, ordered recantation. Luther, backed by German princes, refused; put Scriptures above papal authority. Defended his stand in Rome. Translated Greek New Testament into German in 1522. Became head of German Evangelical movement, broke with Rome, married. Augsburg Confession, basic Lutheran Creed, presented to Diet there by Melanchthon 1530.

In 1499 Ojeda and Vespucci coasted the northern shores of the southern continent, naming Venezuela "the Little Venice". Pinzon, early in 1500 reached Brazil, entered the mouth of the Amazon and crossed the equator. Cabral came in 1500, tried to follow the route of Vasco da Gama to the East Indies and established Portuguese claim to a part of America. Cuba was not circumnavigated until 1508 by Ocampo. In 1520 by the way of the Strait discovered by Fernao Magelhaes, commonly known as Magellan, the way was found. He was killed on one of the Philippine Islands in 1521.

But Juan Sebastian del Cano in command of the Vittoria, continued successfully and reached Seville in Sept. 1522, by the way of Cape of Good Hope, having circumnavigated the globe for the first time.

When Drake discovered California, he named it New Albion, (which was the ancient name for the Highlands of Scotland) for England. He continued west and made the first circumnavigation for the English in 1580.

Searching for the lost colony, Gosnold, in 1602, came in the Concord. He died in 1607. Pring came in 1603; Champlain and Weymouth in 1605 and in 1609, Henry Hudson. Champlain settled in Quebec in 1608, after which traders and Missionaries pushed toward the inland. In 1607 a Church of England Colony was attempted at Sagadahoc, now Popham Beach on the east coast of Maine.

English Roman Catholics began a settlement at Baltimore in 1634. Immigration flourished and the Mass. Bay Colony was able to spare a large body of settlers, who disagreed with the majority over minor matters of doctrine, and made settlement along the Connecticut River. A year later, some who differed from the Boston Elders, settled the Providence Plantations. The Southern colonies grew more slowly. St. Augustine and Chamita, New Mexico, settled 1598 are the oldest European towns in the United States. Santa Fe, N. M. was founded in 1605.

Wm. Tyndale, in 1526, produced in Cologne, the first

printed version of the New Testament in English, which was suppressed in England and he was executed for heresy Oct. 6, 1536 at Vilvorde, near Brussels, Belgium. Miles Coverdale published the first complete Bible in English in 1535; also worked on the first authorized Bible, "The Great Bible", completed in 1539, as did Lancelot Andrews. Other editions: Whittingham's New Testament, with Calvin's instruction, 1557; Geneva Bible, 1560; Bishop's Bible, 1568.

Because 1200 Huguenots were hanged at Amboise, Catherine de Medici, regent of France for her son Charles IX, by edict of Jan. 1562, granted Huguenots right to worship outside walled towns. The revocation of edict by Louis XIV, Oct. 22, 1685, led to large Huguenot immigration to England and to America.

Sir Francis Drake claimed the west coast (Calif.) for Queen Elizabeth in 1579. He left a metal plate, found in Marin Co. 1936.

In 1582, the first Catholic New Testament was translated into English and issued at Reims; old Testament translated at Douay, 1609.

Virginia Dare, first white child, born on Roanoke, Isl., N. C. Aug. 18, 1587, 7 days after Sir Walter Raleigh's second expedition with 117 persons landed. (First 1585, returned to Eng. 1586). By 1590 all trace of the settlement had vanished except for a rock inscribed Croatoan. Sir Walter Raleigh was convicted in 1603 of conspiring to remove James I and was beheaded Oct. 29, 1618.

Capt. John Smith and 105 cavaliers in three ships started first permanent English Settlement at Jamestown, Va. May 13, 1607.

The first white man in New England, Capt. Bartholomew Gosnold landed near New Bedford, Mass. May 15, 1602, (English explorer ca in the Concord; d 1607; interested in colonizing Va.)

Henry Hudson, English Explorer, of Northwest Passage, employed by Dutch East India Co. sailed the sloop, Half Moon into N. Y. Harbor Sept. 1609 and up river nearby to Albany. In 1610 an English ship Discovery, 55 T, explored Hudson Bay. On return 1611, Hudson was put into an open boat with 8 others by mutinous sailors and lost. In 1605 Spaniards settled Santa Fe and built presidio.

In 1611 the King James, authorized version of English Bible was published; ordered by James I in 1604, it reconciled earlier versions and became basic Protestant Bible.

The Thirty Years War opened in Bohemia in 1618, between Catholic and Protestant armies; ending in 1648 with Peace

of Westphalia. Alcase, given to France; Holland and Switzerland receiving their Independence.

Two things of note happened in 1619. The House of Burgesses, first representative legislature, established the principle of self-government for the Royal Colony; and the first negro slaves were brought by Dutch to Jamestown in Aug.

In 1620, the Plymouth Pilgrims, separatists from the Church of England, some living in Leyden, Holland since 1609, left Plymouth, Eng. Sept. 16, in Mayflower, 101 passengers, 48 crew. Original destination, Virginia, but they reached Cape Cod, Nov. 9/19, explored the coast and landed Dec. 11/21 (Dec. 11 old style calendar) at Plymouth, so named for Plymouth Co. on map made 1614 by Capt. John Smith. Mayflower Compact signed on shipboard, endorsed the will of the majority. Started the first common house Dec. 25. Half of colony perished during hard winter. Gov. Bradford's comment "They knew they were Pilgrims" (on religious journey) later led them to be called Pilgrims as distinct from Puritans of Mass. Bay Colony (1630).

The Dutch landed 8 men from the ship New Netherland, on Manhattan, who proceeded to Albany in May 1624. Peter Minuit bought Manhattan from Indians May 6, for trinkets worth \$24. In 1638 he landed 2 ship loads of Swedes and Finns at sight of Wilmington, Del.

Harvard College was founded Oct. 28, 1636.

In 1664, King Charles II ordered Col. Nichols and 300 men to seize New Netherland (Manhattan and environs) from the Dutch; granted the territory to his brother James, Duke of York. Petrus Stuyvesant, Dutch Director General, yielded peacefully; province of New Netherland and city of New Amsterdam became New York. The Dutch recaptured both Aug. 9, 1673; ceded all by treaty to Britain, Nov. 10, 1674.

Nathaniel Bacon in 1676, led the planters of Jamestown, oppressed by high taxes against Gov. Berkeley and burned the town. Bacon died suddenly and 23 followers were executed.

A bloody Indian war in New England ended Aug. 12, when King Philip, Wampanog chief and many Narraganset Indians were killed, in 1676. The French and Indian War started 1754, after French occupied uncompleted British post, called it Ft. Duquesne (site of Pittsburg). Col. George Washington with Va. troops clashed with French at Great Meadows, dug in at Ft. Necessity; capitulated and withdrew July 3, 1754. Boston's 3000 provincial troops took Nova Scotia French forts, June 16, 1755. French and Indians ambushed Gen. Wm. Braddock's expedition 10 mi. from Ft. Duquesne (now Braddock, Pa.) July 9; Washington helped retreat; Braddock fatally wounded, 714 killed.

Gen. Sir Wm. Johnston defeated French and Indians under Baron Dieksau at Lake George, Sept. 18. British moved Acadian French out of Canada in Nov. Britain formally declared war May 18, 1756. Surrendered Ft. Wm. Henry (Lake George) to Montcalm; Indians massacred many unarmed British, Jan. 1, 1757. Montcalm at Ft. Ticonderoga, repulsed 17,000 British, July 8. French gave up Louisburg, Ft. Frontenac, Ft. Duquesne, 1758; Niagara, Ticonderoga, Crown Point, 1759. British captured Quebec Sept. 18, 1759, in battles in which Montcalm and Gen. James Wolfe (Br.) died. Peace signed Feb. 10, 1763; (hence "Seven Years War"). French lost Canada and American Midwest.

Great Britain, after acquiring Canada from France in 1763, tightened up Colonial administration in North America. The Thirteen Colonies, used to self-government, resented duties on commerce and objected to paying for troops now quartered on them. The Sugar Act, 1764, placed duties on lumber, food-stuffs, molasses and rum. The Stamp Act 1764, required revenue stamps to help defray cost of royal troops.

The Colonists formed Sons of Liberty groups and rejected British goods. Nine colonies led by New York and Mass. at Stamp Act Congress in N. Y., Oct. 25, 1765, adopted Declaration of Rights, opposing taxation without representation in Parliament and trial without jury by Admiralty Courts.

In the Virginia House of Burgesses, Patrick Henry warned King George III of consequences with "If this be treason, make the most of it". Parliament repealed Stamp Act. Mar. 17, 1766.

Townshend Acts 1767, levied taxes on glass, painters' lead, paper and tea imports. In 1770 all duties except tax on tea were repealed, but principle of right to tax was maintained. British troops fired into a mob, Mar. 5, 1770, killed 3, wounded 8, called Boston Massacre. Tea ships of East India Co. were turned back at Boston, New York and Philadelphia, May 1773. Cargo ship was burned at Annapolis, Oct. 14. The cargo was thrown overboard at Boston Tea Party Dec. 16. Parliament ordered the port closed until tea was paid for, sent 4 regiments to Boston, suppressed town meetings and elective representation, in Mass.

Samuel Adams, Boston, began uniting Patriot leaders by Committees of Correspondence. Virginia called for first Continental Congress, Philadelphia, Sept. 5 to Oct. 26, 1774. On Mar. 23, 1775, Patrick Henry addressed the Revolutionary Convention, Richmond, Va. with famous speech: "Give me liberty or give me death!"

Then the battles of 1775; Paul Revere and Wm. Dawes and the lanterns in the steeple of the Old North Church, the

night of Apr. 18, when they aroused Sam Adams and John Hancock and the countryside at Lexington to tell them that 700 British were on the way to Concord to destroy arms. At Lexington Apr. 19, the Minutemen lost 8 killed, 10 wounded. On return from Concord the harrassed British lost 273.

Col. Ethan Allen (joined by Col. Benedict Arnold) captured Ft. Ticonderoga May 10 as well as Crown Point; Breed's Hill; Battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, and British had 1000 casualties under Gen. Howe. Gen. George Washington was named Commander-in-chief July 3. Maj. Gen. Richard Montgomery led troops against Canada via New York. Col. Arnold marched via Maine Wilderness; captured Montreal Nov. 13; attacked Quebec Dec. 30-31; Montgomery was killed. The Colonials returned to New York state June 1776.

Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence was adopted at Charlotte, N. C. May 20. Virginia voted for Independence May 15. In Continental Congress, June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee (Va.) moved that "these united colonies are and of right ought to be free and independent states". Resolution was adopted July 2. The Declaration of Independence was adopted July 4. Many battles were fought both north and south and when siege of Cornwallis began Oct. 6, the British had 6,000 troops; the Americans, 8,846; the French, 7,800. Cornwallis surrendered Oct. 19, 1781.

American Independence was recognized by the British Mar. 1782 with a preliminary agreement signed in Paris Nov. 30; treaty, Sept. 3, 1783; ratified by Congress Jan. 14, 1784. Washington ordered army disbanded Nov. 3, 1783. The British evacuated New York Nov. 25, 1783. Washington bade farewell to his officers at Fraunce's Tavern, N. Y. Dec. 4; resigned Dec. 23 and returned to Mt. Vernon, Va.

### EARLY AMERICA Military and Naval Leaders War of Independence

Born	Died	
1737	1789	Lt. Col. Ethan Allen; Green Mtn. Boys; captured Ft. Ticonderoga
1741	1801	Col. Benedict Arnold; fine soldier, later charged with treason
1745	1803	John Barry (N)
1749	1833	Abraham Buford
1752	1818	George Rogers Clark
1739	1812	Brig. Gen. George Clinton; 1st Gov. N. Y. 18 yrs.; Vice Pres. U.S.
1728	1806	Maj. Gen. Horatio Gates
1742	1786	Major Gen. Nathaniel Greene
1757	1804	Alexander Hamilton, Aide-de-camp to Gen. Washington, later lawyer.

Born	Died	
1737	1814	Brig. Gen. Wm. Heath, later State Sen. and mbr. Convention.
1728	1777	Brig. Gen. Nicholas Herkimer
1718	1802	Esek Hopkins; Commander of Navy
1747	1792	John Paul Jones (N)
1750	1806	Maj. Gen. Henry R. Knox, rec'd Surrender of N. Y., Sec. of War.
1731	1782	*Charles Lee b Cheshire, Eng. Became Maj. Gen.
1756	1818	Henry Lee, Light Horse Harry, mbr. Cont. Cong., Gov. Va. father Rob't E. Lee.
1732	1794	Richard Henry Lee, signed Declaration of Independence
1733	1810	**Maj. Gen. Benjamin Lincoln, at siege of Yorktown
1732	1795	Lt. Col. Francis Marion, mbr. State Constitutional Convention, 1790
1737	1775	Maj. Gen. Richard Montgomery (killed at Quebec) b Co. Dublin, Ireland
1736	1802	Col. Daniel Morgan, Welsh desc., b N. J., Va. Reg.
1730	1805	Maj. Gen. Wm. Moultrie—Gov. S. C. (1785-87; 1792-94)
1739	1817	Brig. Gen. Andrew Pickens, b Bucks Co. Pa. S. C. Hs. of Rep., U. S. Hs. of Rep.
1745	1829	Adj. Gen. Timothy Pickering, b Salem, Mass. Held important posts
1718	1790	Maj. Gen. Israel Putnam b Danvers, Mass.
1733	1804	Maj. Gen. Phillip Schuyler, b Albany, N.Y.; one of 4 Mjr. Generals
1728	1822	Brig. Gen. John Stark, held commands, Boston, Canada, Newport
1736	1818	Arthur St. Clair
1726	1783	Alexander Stirling
1740	1795	John Sullivan, b Berwick, Me., held several commands; U. S. Dist. judge
1734	1832	Thomas Sumpter, b Hanover Co. Va. Fought Indian wars, in Rev. 1780.
1727	1800	***Artemas Ward
1740	1775	Joseph Warren. b Roxbury, Mass., killed at Bunker Hill.
1745	1796	Maj. Gen. Anthony Wayne
1732	1799	Gen. George Washington, Commander-in-chief

\* Charles Lee, born in England was a British soldier first and was with Braddock. Left Eng. service, settled in N. Y. Then joined the Colonial Service and ranked next to Washington; was captured by British 1776, Washington secured his release as an ordinary prisoner. Charge of treason was brought. Fought a duel with Laurens; insolent letter to Congress completed his downfall and he retired to his estate in the Shanandoah Valley.

\*\* Lincoln was born at Hingham, Mass.; was at Yorktown, where he was deputed to receive the sword of Cornwallis. He was Sec. of War 1781-84. In 1786-87 he commanded the Mass. forces engaged in the suppression of Shays' Rebellion and in 1788-89 was Lt. Gov. of the State.

\*\*\* No information has been found concerning this man. However, Nathaniel Ward, Colonial minister, b Haverhill, Suffolk, Eng. (1578-1652) emigrated to the Mass. Bay Colony in 1634. In 1641 compiled the "Body of Liberties" which was adopted by the Gen. Courts. Returned to England and wrote under the pen-name of Theodore de la Guard, The Simple Cobbler of Agawam in America, in 1647. And this: Charles Farrar Browne, Am. humorist, reporter for Cleveland Plain Dealer, later began a series of Artemus Ward's

Sayings, intentionally atrocious in spelling, but with humor which gained him notoriety. He became known as Artemus Ward.

### ***Foreign Officers in Revolution***

Born	Died	
1723	1788	Francois DeGrasse (N)
1721	1780	Johann DeKalb
1746	1817	Thaddeus Kosciuszko
1751	1834	Marquis de La Fayette
1748	1779	Casimir Pulaski
1725	1807	Jean de Rochambeau
1730	1794	F. W. Von Steuben

### ***Officers of War of 1812***

1774	1833	Wm. Bainbridge (N)
1775	1828	Jacob J. Brown
1772	1840	Isaac Chauncey (N)
1786	1836	David Crockett
1751	1829	Henry Dearborn
1779	1820	Stephen Decatur (N)
1773	1841	Wm. Henry Harrison
1793	1863	Sam Houston
1773	1843	Isaac Hull (N)
1753	1825	William Hull
1767	1845	Andrew Jackson
1781	1813	James Lawrence (N)
1785	1819	Oliver H. Perry (N)
1779	1813	Zebulon M. Pike
1773	1838	John Rogers (N)
1764	1839	S. Van Rensselaer
1757	1825	James Wilkinson



### Chapter III



#### Flora

THOSE who love history and biography take delight in research into the family lines from which they have descended. To various members of the Flora family goes the credit for much of this history. A great deal of the credit is awarded to the Rev. J. Cephas Flora, of Trotwood, Ohio, who is the author of the book on the Flory-Flora family, which is a very satisfactory work on these lines. Credit also goes to W. Q. Bunderman of Harrisburg, Pa.; to the Rev. Marshall Wingfield of Memphis, Tenn., a historian of Franklin County; to Mr. Blair Jones of Pell City, Ala., who is primarily interested in the Jacob Naff family, his wife having been Catherine Flora, a sister of the immigrant Jacob Flora, of Franklin County. Also to the Rev. C. S. Ikenberry of Daleville, Va., who wrote the history of the Ikenberry family; to Mr. J. E. Jamison, of Roanoke, Va. and to others. My notes on the Flora family, contained herein, are for the most part, of the older generations. I leave to the other historians the privilege and the labor of completing the various lines down to the present.

Information indicates that this family has furnished no less than 200 ministers and perhaps more; at least 10 missionaries, 5 or 6 college presidents, a number of doctors, lawyers, teachers and prominent educators. The family has now spread across the nation from coast to coast and add to the Church and cultural life of the communities wherein they reside.

The earliest mention of any Flora I have been able to find is Joachim de Flora who died 1202, founder and abbot of the Monastery del Floris in Calabria, who had a great influence during the Reformation. He was celebrated as interpreter of the Apocalypse; and as a mystic and prophet. His principal works were the *Concordia Utriusque Testamenti* and a commentary on the Revelation. Under the name of the "Eternal Gospel" the influence of his ideas is traceable in every country of Christendom.

The Rev. J. Cephas Flora says: "Although the Flora fam-

ily has generally been considered German, I am strongly of the opinion that earlier they were French. The pioneer, Joseph, was listed as a Huguenot. This name was applied to French Lutherans by a monk in the course of one of his sermons because it was customary for the French Protestants to congregate around the palace of King Hugo in the evening. The various spellings, such as Fluery, Flury, Fleuri, used interchangeably in the earlier records, confirm this French origin. Some of the noted French carrying the name were Claude Fleury 1640-1723, an ecclesiastical historian and Andre Fleury 1655-1743, French cardinal and statesman. The massacre of St. Bartholomew, which took place in France on Aug. 24, 1572, resulted in the murder of fifty thousand Protestants and the beginning of the Huguenot's migration into Germany and the surrounding states. Tradition also records that as a result of this persecution some of the Fleury's also migrated into northern Italy and Switzerland." (This author believes it to be possible the Floras originated in Italy in the first place and spread into France and the other countries. In discussing the Flora family with an Italian war bride recently, she said that many people of that name are in Italy still.)

In 1618 the Thirty Years War began in Bohemia between the Catholics and the Protestants and may have been a definite influence in the migration of many to the new world, where they hoped to have Religious freedom and live in peace.

According to the authority, Strassburger, in Vol. I, Capt. David Reid's passenger list "A" of Pennsylvania German Pioneers for the ship "Hope" which sailed from Rotterdam—last from Cowes, contained the following: Joseph J. Flure 51, Joseph J. Flure 19, John F. Flure 15, Maria Flure 21 and Hanley Fluri 17. The three males took the oath of allegiance at Philadelphia courthouse, Aug. 28, 1733. They settled in Rapho Township in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. The mother, Mary, and a son, Jacob, likely about 6 years of age, and Catherine, whose baptismal certificate was dated Sept. 8, 1733 were not listed. This makes it clear that Catherine was born on board the ship. This Jacob, son of the immigrant Joseph, is our Jacob Flora, Sr., the Pioneer of Franklin County, Virginia.

The journey to America was divided into three stages. The first part down the Rhine to Rotterdam, slow and time consuming, the second, from Rotterdam to some English port, usually Cowes, on the Isle of Wight, where ships were provisioned and clearance papers obtained. The third was crossing the Atlantic, where many times storms were encountered and many deaths occurred, especially among young children and newly born infants. All immigrants from Germany and Switzerland were supposed to be supplied with two papers—one a pass-

port from the town mayor certifying to the good character of the immigrant family and a recommendation from the pastor of the church to which they belonged.

All male passengers above 16 were marched to the Philadelphia court house on arrival and required to sign an oath of allegiance to the British Crown, then were brought back to the ship. Those who had money or could borrow it were released. Others were "sold" to someone who could use their services and were to work out their indebtedness, which sometimes took years. When they were finally released, they were "Freemen" and were on their own. Many men of good family were so anxious to flee the persecution of their homeland that they were willing to take the risk. Passage cost from \$27 to \$90 per person.

Crossing the ocean in a "sail ship" in those days was a real hardship. Letters, written by persons who made the journey, indicate the stamina and determination of these people to make life better for themselves and their children.

From a letter written by Jacob Mittleberger, who crossed in 1750, we quote: "Many people whimper, sigh and cry most piteously for their homes; most of them get homesick. Many hundred people necessarily die and perish in such misery, and must be cast into the sea, which drives their relatives or those who persuaded them to undertake the journey, to such despair that it is almost impossible to pacify or console them. In a word the sighing and crying and lamenting on board the ship continues day and night, so as to cause the hearts of the most hardened to bleed when they hear it."

Our ancestor Joseph J. Flory arrived at Philadelphia on Aug. 28, 1733, with his family, passengers on the ship "Hope" and settled in Rapho Twsp., Lancaster County, Pa. His descendants now reach into many thousands and have spread from coast to coast. The immigrants encountered many hardships, but all found themselves in the same circumstances and could help and sympathize with each other. From the ship's listing, we give his children:

- 2a Mary Flory b 1712. No other information on this daughter.
- 2b Joseph J. Flory, Jr. b 1714, d 1785. Father of many of the Florys in Pennsylvania and Maryland. He left a will.
- 2c Hanley Flory, 1716. No other information.
- 2d John F. Flory 1718-1781. Father of Lancaster Co. Florys. Left a will.
- 2e Jacob Flora b about 1725, father of the Franklin Co., Va. Floras.
- 2f Barbara Flora b 1732. No other information on this daughter.
- 2g Catherine Flora, b 1733, d about 1821.
- 2h Abraham Flory 1735-1827; to Franklin Co. first, then to Ohio.

Catherine Flora m Jacob Naff. He and his brother-in-law seem to have migrated to Franklin Co., Va. together. The Floras and Naffs frequently intermarried down through the years. A genealogy is being prepared on this branch of the family by Mr. Blair Jones, of Pell City, Alabama. He is a descendant of Catherine.

Joseph, the father of this family was 51 years of age when he arrived in America and settled in Pennsylvania. His son, Jacob, born around 1725 was my ancestor and was, I believe, the ancestor of most of the Virginia Floras. He grew to manhood in Penna. and received such education as was common to his time. He was possessed of a pioneering spirit and went down into Maryland. In the Recorder's Office in Frederick, Md. in deed book K.P. pg. 1237, we find that Jacob Flora purchased a farm containing 100 A on Cabbage Run, May 14, 1767. The purchase price was 60 pounds. The records show that he bought and sold other real estate. His last recorded transaction was on May 25, 1783 when he sold his farm to Christopher Harter. He seemed to have been there about fifteen years. He made a very definite contribution to the early development of this prosperous agricultural community.

Then in the land records in Bedford County, Virginia, we find Jacob Flora listed as owning 150 A of land in 1782. In the deeds of Franklin Co., Va. we find recorded the purchase of 150 A of land from Laughlin McGrady, May 6, 1786. This was located on Magodee Creek not far from Boones Mill, Va. and was likely the same tract as the one listed above, as Franklin Co. was not organized until 1786 and previous to that time was in Bedford County. Jacob Flora did not make a will and since his name does not appear on the tax list after 1795, it is reasonable to assume that he died in 1795 or 1796. He appears on the personal tax list from 1786 to 1795. All evidences indicate that he had at least five children, four boys and one girl. We do not know whom he married. He was baptized into the Brethren Church on May 1, 1748, in the Conestoga congregation in Lancaster County, Pa. His sister, Barbara was baptised on Apr. 14, 1754. Elder Michael Frantz was the presiding elder of the church during these years.

Joseph J. Flory 1682-1741, immigrant father from Palatinate, Germany.

2e Jacob Flora 1727-1796, his fifth child.

3a Jacob Flora Jr. 1760-1838, was probably born not later than 1760 in Maryland where they lived before coming to Franklin County, Va. His name appears on the personal tax list from 1786 to 1810. His father deeded a tract of land on Magodee Cr., July 29, 1795. Jacob,

Jr., deeded this same tract to Samuel Flora Apr. 7, 1800. A number of Samuel's descendants still live in this locality. Jacob, Jr. moved to Ohio, probably Stark County and died there about 1840. He had five children. We have the name only of his second child, Jacob III. Jacob Flora III, m Elizabeth Peters before his father's family left Virginia. In 1834 he and his wife and children moved to Cass Co., Indiana, and in 1839 moved to Miami County, Ind., living on a farm joining the present farm of his son, Noah. With the assistance of his two sons, Eli and Noah, he cleared the land he had received from the government. His wife died in 1860 and his death occurred in 1864. They had five children.

- 5a Eli Flora d in 1864 leaving a widow and son, Richland County, Indiana.
  - 5b Noah b 1819 in Va. was about twenty years of age when he came to Indiana. He helped with the clearing and pioneering to make a new home. He m 1842, Anna Foutz, dau. of Michael Foutz, an early settler in the county. She d 1873 leaving nine children. Eight were living in 1874. They were: Rosanna Levi, David, Elizabeth, Merrit, Ares, Jacob and Sarah E. In 1874 Noah m 2nd Elizabeth Flora, widow of his cousin, Daniel Flora. Her maiden name was Swisher, from Preble Co., Ohio. She and Daniel had seven children. Living, Amos, Isabelle, Cinderella, John W., and Howard. Deceased Cordelia A. and Alice E.
- 5c, d, and e. No known record of these children.  
 Joseph J. Flory 1682-1741, Immigrant father.  
 2e Jacob Flora 1727-1796, Immigrant son.  
 3b Joseph Flora, Sr. 1761-1841.

The Joseph Flora family includes the Floras in the north-western part of Franklin County, Virginia, around Antioch Church. Indications are that he was married several years before coming to Franklin Co. He was a large and successful land owner on Bucks Run and Blackwater River. Deeds indicate that he owned more than a thousand acres. His home farm remains in the family at the present time. His wife's name was Susannah but her maiden name is not known. She was born 1762 and died 1850.

The Will of Joseph Flora, Sr., dated Dec. 19, 1840, provides for his wife, Susannah; leaves the home to his son Joseph, Jr., with a stipulation for the care of his mother; other lands jointly owned by him, Isaac Naff and John Flora were willed to Joseph, Jr.; the remaining part of the estate going to John Flora, Jacob Flora, Jonathan Flora, Joseph, Mary Peters, Nancy Fisher, Elizabeth Brubaker and Catherine Obenchain. Witnesses: Moses Greer, John Flora and Daniel Flora. (Will bk. No. 5, pages 254, 255, Rockymount, Va.)

- 4a John Flora 1780-1854, son of Joseph; m Susannah Ikenberry 1808. His will written July 11, 1854, provides for son Jacob J. Flora to have a 186 A. tract of land, another 8 and three quarter A. tract and still another tract of 53 A., the latter had been willed to him

by his father. Son Samuel was to get one sixth part, son Isaac, one sixth part; also Abraham, Jacob, sons, and daughters, Fannie Peters and Sallie Bowman were to receive one-sixth parts. Sons, Isaac, Abraham and Jacob were to be Executors, without bond. Witnesses: Moses Greer and John A. Smith. (Will bk. No. 4, Rocky-mount, Virginia.)

- 5a Fannie Flora 1813-1895 m 1836 Aaron Peters 1815-1884. They lived in Franklin County until after his death when she went to Fairview, Mo. to live with her children.
- 5b Samuel Flora 1815-1877 m 1849 Eliza Ann Boitneitt 1830-1897, Boone Mill, Va.
- 6a William Flora 1850-1827; m Teasy Teel, sister of Ben Teel, Jeff Teel, Mrs. Tazewell Kinsey, Mrs. George James, Mrs. Anna, Jamison. He was killed by a falling tree at Wirtz, Va. She later m Elder Benj. D. Flora.
- 6b Mary Catherine Flora 1852 m Owen Montgomery.
- 6c John Flora 1853-1858.
- 6d Eva Flora 1854-1859 (twin)
- 6e George Flora 1854-1937. m 1881 Sarah Gish 1864-1939, Flora, Ind.
- 6g Bettie Flora 1862-1943; m Henry Flora, son of George and Susan Naff Flora b 1858, d 1923, Boone Mill, Va.
- 6h Samuel H. Flora b 1860; m 1883 Sarah L. Barnhart; d 1945. In Feb. 1885, they moved to Ottawa, Kansas where they lived for 51 years.
- 7a Norman Flora b Virginia 1884; m 1913 Lizzie Delp, Quinter, Kans.
- 8a Norma 1914; m 1937 Harold Tomlinson. He d of burns 1939.
- 8b Dorothy Fern Flora b 1916; m 1936 Leland Reinecker. Banker.
- 8c D. Allen Flora 1918; m 1944 Pauline Mitchell in England. Served in World War II over 3 years.
- 8d Samuel Edward Flora 1919; m 1942 Bernadine Ebbert.
- 8e Rosa Marie Flora 1920. Office worker.
- 8f Emma Sue Flora 1922;; m 1943 Robert Arthur De Marten. He served in World War II.
- 8g Lowell Rusell Flora 1924. Served in World War II.
- 8h Sara Lee Flora 1926; m 1944 Roderick Bentley. Farmer.
- 8i Sylvus Dean Flora 1928. Pastor at Carleton, Nebraska.
- 8j Angelina Mae Flora 1928.
- 7b Purina Flora 1885; m 1908 Frank R. Smith 1886-1927. Minister.
- 7c Joseph Harrison Flora 1889; m 1914 Marie E. Flora. Quinter, Kans.
- 7d Magdalene Elizabeth Flora 1887; m 1907 Jesse D. Shoemaker. She d 1910.
- 7e Monrovia Ethel 1891; m 1914 Sidney Vaun. Deceased. Overbrook, Kansas.
- 7f Cora Susan Flora 1895; m 1919 Crawford Brubaker. Minister and teacher, LaVerne, California.
- 6i Martha Flora 1864; m Charles E. Chumney. Moved to White Hall, Michigan.
- 6j Lydia Flora 1865; m J. L. Jamison. Moved to Quinter, Kans.
- 6k Lucy Flora 1866. Did not marry. Moved to Quinter, Kans., years ago.
- 6l David Flora 1870-1946. Never married. Lived in North Dak. and Minnesota.
- 6m Miranda Flora 1872; m Wesley Amos. Vinton, Virginia.
- 5c Isaac Flora 1718-1876; m Elizabeth Flora (dau. of Jacob Flora, Sr.) Lived near the Bethlehem Church, near Boone Mill, Va. Farmer.

- 6a Joel H. Flora 1873-1907; m Mary Snider of Botetourt County. They always lived in the first home they established near Antioch Church. Trustee and deacon of his church. Farmer. Boone Mill, Va.
- 7a Elizabeth Belle Flora 1861-1943; m Benjamin F. Flora, son of Abraham Flora, 1852-1911. They spent their entire life in the home where they began housekeeping. He served as Trustee of Daleville College and Deacon of Antioch for a number of years. Farmer, Boone Mill, Va.
- 8a Joel Cephas Flora 1879; m 1911 Elizabeth Garver of Montgomery County, Ohio, b 1880, dau. of D. C. and Mary Eby Garver. A. B. degree Juniata College. Taught school for 11 years, full time pastor 11 years, and Elder of the Brethren Church. Dayton, Ohio. Now lives Trotwood, Ohio.
- 9a Mary Elizabeth 1915, m 1939 Ivan L. Eikenberry 1913. Both hold A. B. degrees from Manchester College. He also has his M. A. from Wittenburg College, Ohio. They have served at the Brethren Mission Station in Nigeria, Africa from 1945. He is Director of Education for his Church in this field, Garkida, Nigeria, West Africa. They have three children; Melody Ann 1942; Joel Leon 1946; Terril Stephen 1950.

Much information has been omitted on this family but may be found in the book written by J. Cephas Flora—Jacob Flora, Sr. Family of Franklin County Virginia.

- 6b Hannah Flora 1839-1904, dau. of Isaac; m Daniel Bowman 1857-1923. Minister and Elder in the Bethlehem Church.
- 6c Susan Flora 1841; m Owen Peters 1862. She d the following year.
- 6d John Flora 1843. Served and died in the Civil War.
- 6e Jacob Flora 1846-1926; m 1865 Martha Bowman.
- 6f Martha Flora 1848; m Jeremiah Barnhart. Minister and farmer.
- 6g Arena Flora 1851-1901; m 1869 Benjamin Patrick Henry.
- 6h Owen Flora 1852-1946; m Kate Bowman 1854-1949. Deacon. Boone Mill, Va.

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- 5d Abraham Flora 1819-1884; m 1840 Eliabeth Naff 1822-1873, great granddaughter of Jacob Naff, Sr. who married Catherine Flora who was born on the ocean in transit to the American Colonies.
  - 6a Hannah Flora 1841; m Daniel F. Bowman 1840-1928. Lived in Franklin County, Va. until 1886 when he moved to Quinter, Kansas.
  - 6b John N. Flora 1843-1888; m Sara Montgomery 1852-1881. Deacon, Farmer. Buried on his own farm. Boone Mill, Va.
  - 6c Rebecca Flora 1845-1879; m Samuel Boone b 1855. She was buried near Red Hill, Roanoke Co., Va. They had 4 children. He m 2nd Mathilda J. Campbell. They had 16 children. After living in Va. for 35 years, they moved to the State of Washington and are buried near Olympia, Wash.
  - 6d George B. Flora 1848-1928; m 1873 Annie L. Peters 1856-1943. Soon after their marriage they bought a farm near his wife's people and lived there until death. He was a Minister and Elder in the Brick Church of the Brethren. Farmer. Boone Mill, Va.
  - 7a Mollie E. Flora 1875-1944 m 1900 J. H. Leffue. Farmer. Boone Mill, Virginia.
  - 7b Stephen Jairus, Flora 1877. Came to Nebr. when a young man; m Bessie Riggs of Nebr. and lives at Gurley, Nebr. Their son George

- 8a Russell Flora with his wife Genestia Foster Flora have spent six years as missionaries in Liberia, West Africa, planning to continue in this work. They have 4 children. *NOTE: I knew this young man while he was attending the Lutheran College, Midland, at Fremont, Nebr. and held him in the highest esteem.—Editor.*  
The children are: Larry Dale, Charles Stephen, Miriam Adel, Russell Lee.
- 8b Stephen and Bessie have another son, Jairus Dale who married Betty Ruth Garvin, Bachelor and Master's degrees; served as Lt. in World War II. Engaged in Veterans Administration work in Lincoln, Nebraska. Lutheran.
- 8c Clara Anneva Flora m Vernon Earl Lessig. Operate oil and gas plant, Gurley, Nebr.
- 8d Bessie Eulabelle Flora m Kenneth Gerald McRoberts. She teacher. Dalton, Nebr.
- 8e Ruth Josephine Flora m Harold Ahschwede. She teacher. Gurley, Nebraska.
- 8f John Lewis Flora attended Agricultural Col in Lincoln. Assists father.
- 7c John William Flora 1879; m Bessie Irene Conley. Hardware. Wood River, Nebr.
- 7d Nora 1881; m 1901 Henry A. Flora (grandson of Joseph Flora, Jr.) Director of Boone Mill bank. Deceased and buried at Antioch.
- 7e Ada S. Flora 1882 m Creed Easter. Roanoke, Va. Three children: Lilieth, Armour, Ruth.
- 7f Jesse D. Flora 1884; m 1st 1907 Wealthy Peters. Children: Wilda, Novella, Jewell, David, Galen, Berneice, Joyce.
- 7g Thomas A. Flora 1885; m 1922 Martha May Goggin, Merchant, Boone Mill, Va. Children: Tharon Anabelle, Kenneth Van, Andrew Kyle, Boyce Goggin, Martha Janet, Norma Judith, Thomas Gayle.
- 7h Georgiana Flora 1889; m 1912 D. J. Plunkett. Boone Mill, Va. Children: Dorothy, Jairus and Dairus, twins, Virginia, Alvera and Alveda, twins.
- 7i Henry A. 1887; m 1916 Lura Naff, Roanoke, Va.
- 7j Charles Flora 1892; m 1916 Mae Plunkett. Lives on home place, Boone Mill, Va. Children: Arthur, Rachel, Richard, Jean, Rebecca, Helen Joyce, David Samuel.
- 7k Floyd K. Flora 1895; m a girl from Nebraska. Contractor, Los Angeles, Calif. Children: Ralph, deceased, killed by a truck; Alice, Ray, Donald, Ralph.
- 7l Eva Fannie Flora 1899; m Treat A. Newman, deceased 1945. Washington, D.C.
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- 6e Susannah 1850; m Stephen Flora and died soon afterward. Stephen m 2nd Magdalene Barnhart; m 3rd Sallie Abshire. Not much known of this family.
- 6f Benjamin F. Flora given under Isaac Flora Family.
- 6g Elizabeth Flora 1855 m C. W. Montgomery 1853. He was a farmer minister. Also spent much of his time in the jewelry business. He served the Brethren and Christian Churches as a minister. He was the son of Joel Montgomery, and the great grandson of Samuel Montgomery. Samuel m 2nd a Miss Bowman; m 3rd a Miss Ikenberry.
- 6h Malissa Flora 1857, died when about 20 years of age.



- 6i Abraham I. Flora 1859-1893; m Julia Montgomery (daughter of Joel Montgomery) b 1860. They lived on the John Flora estate, where Ed Kinsey now lives. Son: Ernest Flora who received his M.D. degree from Baltimore Medical College in 1913. Served with the Health Dept. and is a general practitioner in Roanoke City. Julia Montgomery Flora m 2nd Frank Flora about 1895, son of William Flora, Boone Mill, Va. Their dau. Zorah 1897 m Ed Kinsey 1920. Lives on the John Flora estate. Children: Alma, Roy, Jane Elizabeth.
- 6j Josiah Flora 1861 m Josephine Weddle of Floyd Co. b 1862. Farmer, Boone Mill.
- 7a Wilsie Flora 1883 m 1909 Josie Hunt. Farmer; Member Civil Service Board; State Board of Religious Education; Sec. Soil Conservation Board; Director and Sec. of Federal Farm Loan Board. Boone Mill, Va. Children: Mildred, Vivian Merle, Phyllis Muriel, Nina Belle.
- 7b Abraham Cline Flora 1885; m 1913 Lula Humbert of Botetourt Co. Va. A.B. from Bridgewater College; M.A. from University of South Carolina; graduate work from University of Va., University of Chicago and George Peabody College. Principal Columbia High School from 1917 to 1928, Superintendent Columbia Schools from 1928 to the present time. Children: Mel Lee and Abraham Cline, Jr.
- 7c Maggie Mae Flora 1887; m 1907 Edward Crumpacker of Alabama. Union Bridge, Maryland. Children: Thelma Lova, Lewis Crumpacker.
- 7d Lola Maude Flora 1889; m 1910 Jerry Via. Roanoke, Va. Children: Virginia, Helen Frances, Christine, Richard.
- 7e Sylvester Plane Flora 1891-1893.
- 7f John E. Flora 1892; m 1914 Essie James 1889. Boone Mill, Va. Issue: James, Everett, Melva.
- 7g Myrtle Elizabeth Flora 1895 m 1920 Willie Trout: Issue: Shirley, Doris, Flora Lee and Mildred Trout.
- 7h Mattie E. Flora 1897; m Emery Norington Smith. City editor *Greenville News*, Greenville, S. C. Presbyterian. Issue: Norington and Frederick.
- 7i Belle Flora 1899-1926; m Buford Peters 1925. Evergreen Cemetery, Roanoke, Va.
- 7j Rosa Ethel 1901; m 1923 Carmie Henry Peters, Boone Mill, Va. Issue: Florence, Meredith and Jean Ann.
- 7k Daniel Price Flora 1904; m Lucy Zirkle. Issue: Rebecca and Lucy both died young. Sue (adopted), Richard.
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- 5e Sallie Flora 1821-1899; m 1821 John Bowman 1821-1903. Boone Mill, Va.
- 6a Susan Bowman 1841-1900; m Abraham Ikenberry, Sr.
- 6b Abraham Bowman 1844-1919 m 1878 Lavina Filburn 1859-1933. Gerard, Ill. Issue: Lydia, Ethel, Adda, Dora.
- 6c Benjamin Bowman 1845-1925; m 1875 Julia Frances Henry 1858-1929. Bent Mountain, Roanoke County, Virginia. Issue: John T., Sallie Virginia, Annie Mary, Nita Maude, Flora Belle.
- 6d Catherine Bowman 1858-1904; m Daniel Jackson, Rockymount, Va. Issue: Cornelia, John, Harden, Walter, Rosa, Ethel, Harry.
- 6e Daniel Bowman 1847-1929; m 1st Emberzetta Harman 1850-1880. Floyd Co. Va. Amanda Catherine, Salena Ellen, Eli Abraham, Jonas

- Elmer, Daniel Bowman m 2nd Nancy Harman 1882 and she d 1884. He then m Frances Weddle 1885. She d 1942. Issue last mg.: Annie Mae, Hattie Velma, Mary Ada, Sally Ray, Julia Malinda, Luther Daniel, Lucy Edna.
- 6f Sarah Frances Bowman 1851-1932; m 1869 A. V. Hylton. They moved from Va. to Kans. then to Oklahoma and finally to Los Angeles. She was buried in the Englewood Cemetery there. Issue: Joseph A., Lillie Susan, Flora B., Laura M., Luther B., Lydia B., G. C., Gertrude.
- 6g Isaac Bowman 1853-1950; m Nancy Peters 1853-1930. Lived near Bethlehem Church and later moved to the Andrew Jackson farm near Antioch. He was a minister and Elder in the Brethren Church. He preached his last sermon on his 90th birthday. Lived to be 97. Several of his family went into the ministry. Issue: Levi, Joseph, Cornelius, Enoch, Elijah, Allie, Dorinda, Noah, Sadie.
- 6h Julia Bowman 1860-1891; m 1882 Louis Edward Brubaker 1860-1939 (grandson of Christopher Brubaker). Minister and Elder in the Antioch Church for a number of years, Rocky Mount, Va. Issue: Ezra Amos, Sarah Elizabeth, Nancy Catherine, John Henry, Julia Ann, Mary Evelyn, James Huston, Robert Christ, Curtis Edward, Isaac William.
- 5d Jacob Flora 1823-1867; m Eve Peters 1825-1886. Moved his family and belongings to Indiana about 1865. His son Joel was about 17 at the time. Issue: David, Isaac B., Joel A., Susannah, Levi W., twin boys died very young, Henry, John Rufus.
- 4b Jacob Flora 1790-1853;; m Hanna Brower 1811. He lived on Buck's Run adjoining his father's farm. He was a succesful farmer, having owned several hundred A of land. His will found in Will Book No. 14, pgs. 348-349, filed in Court Records of Franklin County at Rockymount, Va. Witnesses were John C. Carper, George Naff, Abraham Flora, Michael Saunders, Henry Brubaker. Issue: Daniel, Lydia, Susannah, Elizabeth, Mary, Henry, Jacob, Hannah, Jonathan.
- 5a Daniel Flora 1812-1904; m 1832 Judith Fisher d 1912; Rockymount, Va. Issue: Susan, Mary, Hannah, Benjamin D., Joel B., Lydia.
- 5b Susannah 1816-1886; m 1833 John Brubaker 1811-1887 of Roanoke County. Issue: Samuel, Henry L., Jacob O., Hannah, Sarah, Magdalene A., Daniel R., John Y.
- 5c Elizabeth Flora 1817 m Isaac Flora.
- 5d Lydia Flora 1813-1903; m 1833 Samuel Ikenberry 1811-1889, son of Peter and Elizabeth Landid Ikenberry who were m in 1791 by Randolph Hall. The Samuel Ikenberry's were m by John Bowman. They were charter members of the Brick Church. Issue: Jacob,
- \*John, Benjamin, Henry, Joel W., Hannah, Elizabeth, Daniel.

\*John Ikenberry b Franklin Co. Va. m Susan Boitnoitt 1856. In 1867 he and his family moved to Iowa where they lived until 1871, when they moved by wagon to Dodge County, Nebraska. In 1886 he and his brother Benjamin moved to Grove County, Kansas. Through their influence the name of the Post Office was changed to Quinter in memory of Elder James Quinter. Here he remained for the rest of his life with the exception of a few years spent in southern Nebraska. He d 1910 and his wife d in 1931, Quinter, Kans. Their sister Hannah who had m 1867 Creed T. Heckman moved to Dodge County, Nebr. in 1881 and in 1884 they moved to Kansas, where they remained.

- 5e Mary Flora 1822-1907; m 1839 Jacob Bowman 1810-1876. Jacob was a brother of John Bowman who married Sallie Flora. The father of these men, Daniel, b 1790, was the son of John Bowman b 1765. Jacob lived where his son Daniel lived, west of Bethlehem Church. Mary Flora m 2nd Joseph Boone. Issue: Daniel, Jonathan, Martha, George, Hannah, Katie, Elizabeth, Samuel, Ellen.
- 5f Henry Flora 1825-1863; m Sallie Brubaker (his first cousin). Moved from Va. to Story County, Iowa. Farmer. Issue: Christopher C., Noah, Amos, Elizabeth, Daniel, Jacob.
- 5g Jacob Flora 1827-1916; m 1848 Mary Flora; m 2nd 1853 Elizabeth Barnhart m 3rd Julia Tell Heckman; m 4th Lydia Naff; m 5th Sara Hicks. He gave the ground for the Antioch Church, was Minister and Elder. Issue: 1st Stephen, Louise, Sallie, Fleming, Andrew, Daniel. By 2nd mg.: David, Mary Elizabeth, Ida, Amanda.
- 5h Hanna Flora 1830-1914; m 1828 Andrew Jackson who d 1904. Issue: Their first two children died when young. Others: Daniel, Miranda, Moses, Betty.
- 5i Jonathan 1833-1883; m 1853 Barbara Naff. Moved to Auburn, Ill. about the time of the Civil War. Issue: Lewana, Amanda, Andrew, Mary, Ezra, Isaac, Laura.
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- 4c Jonathan Flora 1793; m Mary Bowman 1798 daughter of Daniel Bowman, Sr. They were married in Va. and most of their children were born there. He moved with his family to Gasper Twp., Preble Co., Ohio in 1831. Joseph and Susannah, his parents, sold him a tract of land containing 202 A. This is an old Flora estate and both of the present owners are descendants of Joseph Flora, Sr. Issue: Hannah, Elizabeth, Susannah, Catherine, Christian, John, Jonathan.
- 4d Joseph Flora 1805; m 1826 Elizabeth Naff. They lived and died on his father's home place. A large land owner. His descendants still live on this land. During the Civil War he went to Roanoke County to visit his two sons who were stationed there, where he contracted smallpox and died a few days later. Rockymount, Va. Issue: John, Mary, Isaac, George, Elizabeth, Daniel, Sarah, Joseph and Riley.
- 4e Mary Flora 1788; m Michael Peters 1782. (Son of Michael Peters, Sr. 1717-1807, maker of flax wheels.) One of the charter members of Bethlehem Church. The farm is still in the ownership of the family, a great granddaughter who m Edgar Flora lives there at the present time. His will, drawn in favor of his wife, children and grandchildren, dated Oct. 30, 1868, is recorded in the Franklin Co. Courthouse in Rockymount, Va. Witnesses: Joel Montgomery, John Bowman, William Bowman. Issue: Christian, Susan, Abraham, Elizabeth, Mary, Joseph, Sallie, Magdalene, Daniel.
- 5c Abraham 1813-1896 m Elizabeth Bowman 1818-1910; lived and died in Nebraska.
- 6b Owen Peters 1840-1921 b Quinter, Kans. m Susannah Flora in 1861, dau. Isaac Flora. She d the next year. In 1865 he m Sarah T. Boone. She d in 1910. They had no children. He was minister at Holmesville, Nebr. for a nuumber of years.
- 6c Susannah Peters 1848-1922 m Monroe Peters 1846-1877; he d in Ill.
- 7e Amos Peters 1874; m 1905 Edith Buck b 1884. Issue: Vivian, Ralph, Howard.
- 4f Nancy Flora m 1819 Joel Fisher. The Fisher home was north of Wirtz, Va. Joel m a second and a third time, having 4 children by

- his second wife and one by the third. Issue: Daniel, Joel, Jr., Nathaniel, Noah, Lydia, David, Peter.
- 4g Elizabeth Flora 1796-1879; m 1817 Christian Brubaker. Dau. of Joseph Flora. Charter members of the Antioch Church, Boone Mill, Va. Issue: Daniel, Joel, Sarah, Catherine, Henry, Elizabeth.
- 4h Catherine Flora m 1819 Samuel Obenchain. She was b Franklin Co., and he b in Botetourt Co. In 1835 they moved to Cleveland Twsp. in Whitley Co. where he took up 160 A. land. He was the first permanent settler in the township. The Obenchains were of German descent. Samuel Henry Obenchain was listed as a passenger on the ship "Fane" Oct. 17, 1749. He d 1757. The early Obenchains lived in Berks and Montgomery counties, Pa. Two or three of the sons migrated south to Botetourt Co. in Va. Issue: Joseph, Riley, George, a daughter on whom we have no inf., Catherine, and another dau. who d young.

### THE SAMUEL FLORA FAMILY

Joseph J. Flory 1682-1741, Immigrant father who came with family to Philadelphia.

- 2e Jacob Flora 1727-1796?
- 3c Samuel Flora b about 1768, likely in Frederick County Maryland, one of the older children of Jacob Flora; m Elizabeth Dillman. Lived on Magodee Creek southeast of Boone Mill. The father of this Samuel is the father of most of the Virginia Floras. This land is still in the possession of descendants of Samuel. His father, Jacob, migrated from Maryland to Bedford County, Virginia and thus came into the environs of Franklin County, when the counties were changed.

In Franklin County Court Records in Will Book No. 6, Pg. 83, is found the will of Samuel Flora:—

In the name of God, I, Samuel Flora of the County of Franklin, and the State of Virginia, being of sound mind and disposing memory, have taken into consideration the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life do hereby dispose of my worldly goods as follows: to-wit:—First—I will that all my just debts be paid. Secondly—I give unto my son John Flora, the tract of land on which he now lives, containing one hundred and seventy acres more or less and said John Flora shall pay unto my son Joal Flora eighty dollars, and to my daughter Hannah Kesler seventy dollars, the sum to be paid in three annual payments, and he shall pay no interest. Thirdly I give my daughter, Elizabeth Flora, the tract of land on which I reside, containing five acres more or less, and also my large stove and copper kettle, iron kettle, tea kettle, two dutch ovens, two iron pots, and I give unto my daughter, Elizabeth, one cow and calf and, if there be any linen or cloth, she shall have all, and Elizabeth shall pay into my daughter, Hannah Kesler, thirty dollars in three

annual payments and she shall pay no interest, and the balance of my property to be equally divided between my four children, John Flora, and Joel Flora, and Hannah Kesler, and Elizabeth Flora; and lastly, I constitute and appoint my son, John Flora, executor of my estate.

Dated Aug. 29, 1843. Witnesses: George Naff, Stephen Kesler

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- 4a John Flora b 1794; m Sarah Fisher, dau. Peter Fisher. He always lived in the community where he was born. Buried in the Flora Cemetery.
  - 5a Daniel Flora b 1821; m 1842 Hannah Barnhart. Lived where Riley Peters later lived. Boone Mill, Va. Issue: Moses, Martha, Elizabeth, Salome, (who m Riley Peters, son of Jonathan Peters), Rebecca, James, Reuben, Frances.
  - 5b Elizabeth Flora m 1841 David Frantz. Following the Civil War they moved to Greenbriar County W. Va. She d and he remarried. These are the children of Elizabeth: John, Sarah, Elizabeth, Susan, Mary, Martha Ann.
  - 5c Hannah Flora 1824; m Samuel Peters. Dau. Sallie Peters m Elias Plunkett.
  - 5d Samuel Flora 1825-1854.
  - 5e Susan 1826; m 1846 James Echols.
  - 5f Reuben 1828; m Elizabeth Wray. Moved to Kentucky.
  - 5g Peter Flora 1830-1893;; m 1851 Jane Stover 1831-1910. Married by Abraham Naff. Lived on the Flora land, where John Leffue now lives.
  - 6a James Edward 1852-1907; m Sallie Mitchell 1854-1932.
  - 6b Margaret Virginia 1855-1938; m 1877 Mankin Teel 1836-1908.
  - 6c John Henry 1857-1937; m Catherine Kinsey 1861-1923.
  - 6d Sarinda 1860-?; m 1886 Franklin Clayborn Peters.
  - 6e Landonia 1863-1927; m 1888 Creed Thomas Saul 1863-1946.
  - 6f Amos 1866-1945; m Elizabeth Leffue 1870-1946.
  - 6g Alonza Banigan 1871-1946; m 1895 Nannie Bratcher Haythe 1874-1945.

### JAMES EDWARD FLORA FAMILY

- 1. James Edward Flora 1852-1907; m Sallie Ann Mitchell 1854-1932
- 2. Ida Florence 1875-1959; m Goliah Waldron 1866-1940; m 1893
  - 3. Violet
  - 3. Dorothea
  - 3. Effie Marie
  - 3. Clara Mae
  - 3. Thomas
  - 3. Edward
  - 3. William
  - 3. Howard
- All four daughters d in early girlhood.
- 2. William F. Flora 1877-1954; m Sallie Sink 1878-1958
  - 3. Goldie
  - 3. Clarence
- 2. Peter C. Flora b 1880; m 1827 Olive Shultz b 1887 (Live in Fremont, Nebraska.)
  - 3. Eva Lou b 1930
  - 3. Sally Ann b 1932

2. Edward G. b 1884 m Lucy Martin (?)
  3. Gordon
  3. Wallace
2. Lewis Flora b 1886; m 1st Effie Mattison, Schuyler, Nebr.
  3. Edgar
  3. Hazel
2. Lewis Flora m 2nd Bertha Washburn Morse
  3. Ramon
  3. Guy
2. Grover Cleveland b 1890; m 1st Maxine—; m 2nd Hazel—Denver, Colo.

### FLORA-TEEL

1. Margaret Virginia Flora b 1-9-1855; d 8-7-1938; m 1-11-1877 Mankin Teel (1836-1908)
  2. Virgie Florence b 5-4-1878; m 3-20-1952 George Curtis Flora (1881-1959)
  2. Hatton Wilmouth b 11-2-1880; d 8-30-1960; m Maude Wolfe (1909-1934)
    3. H. Wilmouth (Billy) b 1913, Toledo, Ohio
    3. Margarite Virginia b 1916; m Mike Casey (d 1960), Fort Wayne, Indiana
    4. Pat, Kathy, Coleen, Maurine, (ages 6 to 13 years)
2. Ollie June 12-24-1883 m 7-20-1907 Owen Ikenberry b 1-6-1887
  3. Rolland Teel b 7-16-1910 m 12-24-1932 Ruth Louise Peters b 2-1-1916
    4. John Wayne b 11-11-1933; d 9-3-1934
    4. Robert Gary b 3-11-1937; m 10-29-1960 Pauline Marie Webb b 1941
    4. Geraldine Virginia b 4-12-1939; m Wm. Hamilton b 1936
    5. Teresa Faye b 8-27-1960
  4. Infant b 8-9-1941, died next day
2. Lester Leroy Teel b 9-30-1888; d 1-2-1947; m 1921 Grace Embly b 12-3-1904; Canton, Ohio
  3. Walter Eugene b 5-2-1922; m 6-15-1953 Daphne Hubbard
    4. Barbara Wendy b 11-23-1956
  3. Virginia May b 8-10-1923 m 6-14-1945 Claude Callahan, Detroit
    4. Patricia Kay b 1-6-1947
    4. Pamela Sue b 3-23-1950
    4. Michael Patrick b 9-17-1951
    4. Dennis Leroy b 9-30-1952
  3. John Leroy b 6-13-1925
  3. Robert Edward b 9-7-1926 m Donna Pearson 1-29-1954
    4. Robbert Lester b 12-29-1954
    4. Timothy Thomas b 2-15-1956
    4. Kelly Edward b 7-2-1957
    4. Scott Charles b 5-28-1959
    4. Douglas James b 12-3-1960
  3. Betty Jane b 10-21-1927 m 8-20-1949 Richard Albright
    4. Wm. Douglas b 5-11-1951
    4. James Allen b 6-15-1955
  3. James Roy b 2-16-1929
  3. Eugene Wm. b 11-22-1931 m 11-5-1955 Frances Theodore
    4. Bonnie Jean b 1956

- 3. Evelyn Joyce b 12-29-1933 m Edwin Lightfoot 1956
- 4. Linda Marie b 3-11-1957
- 4. Eugene Allen b 7-18-1958
- 3. Richard Teel b 1939

### JOHN HENRY FLORA

- 1. John Henry b 1856; d 2-23-1937; m Catharine Kinsey (1861-1923) Lived in Ohio
  - 2. Cora Alice d at 1 year
  - 2. Hatton b 1881 at Greenville, Ohio
  - 2. Edna b 1882; d 1931; m 1st Charles Hulbert; 2nd Joe Ryan
    - 3. Charles Hulbert
    - 3. Elsie Hulbert
    - 3. Robert Henry Ryan
    - 3. Joseph Clinton Ryan
    - 3. Wm. Eugene Ryan
    - 3. Isabel Ryan
    - 3. Clifford Ryan
  - 2. Orban Flora 1884-1959 m Carrie Mitchell, Dayton, Ohio
  - 2. Effie Flora 1886-1959; m Ben Hodge b 1878
    - 3. Rachel, Bertha, Elwood, Joseph, Russel, Alfred, James
  - 2. Bessie Flora 1888-1957; m Ott Brubaker
    - 3. Howard, Harold, Alma, Lois.
  - 2. John Flora b 1890 m 1st Maude Grindell
    - 3. Ralph
  - 2. John Flora m 2nd Callie Lapsod
    - 3. Earl, Helen
  - 2. Peter Flora b 1892; m Anna Bailey
    - 3. Willis, Doris
  - 2. Ida Flora 1894 m Eugene Sheppard
    - 3. Eugene, Jack
  - 2. Amos Flora b 12-28-1896 d 1958 m—
    - 3. Rena Ray
  - 2. Dora Flora b 10-3-1898 m Niles Tellinghast
    - 3. Bruce—in U.S. Service
  - 2. Frank Flora b 2-27-1900, killed in auto accident, Springfield, Ohio

### FLORA-PETERS

- 1. Sarinda Flora m 11-7-1877 Franklin Clayborn Peters
  - 2. Araminta m 1904 Albert Moore
    - 3. They had seven children. Cannot find them.
  - 2. Laura m George Boone Showalter 12-24-1903
    - 3. Edwin m 9-24-1925 Lura Dixon
      - 4. Joanne
    - 3. Estelle m 6-30-1927 Claude Vinyard
      - 4. Betty Lou m 2-9-1957 William Carter
  - 2. Allie m 4-18-1910 Youzell Spencer
  - 2. Charles m 8-31-1908 Nancy Dillon
  - 2. Curtis m 1-10-1924 Ruth Patsel
  - 2. Berkley m 1917 Lucy Wallace
    - 3. Berkley, Jr.
  - 2. Fred m Cleo Lively 1917
    - 3. Fred, Jr.
  - 2. Clara m 12-14-1920 Luther Hisey
    - 3. Gordon

*Note:* Joanne, dau. of Edwin, a graduate of William and Mary College in Williamsburg, Va., is working for her Master's at Columbia University and is with the Reuben H. Donnelly Corp. in New York.

Estelle Vinyard has been church organist for 40 years. Her husband, Claud is a Church Trustee and Deacon. Their dau., Betty Lou is Editor of the Church paper and her husband William is president of the Men's Fellowship.

### AMOS FLORA

1. Amos Flora (1866-1945) m 1886 Elizabeth Leffue (1870-1946)
2. Lura Flora (1888-1948) m 1908 John Lane
3. Roy, Galen, Gleneva (Gibson), Richard

### ALONZO (BUD) FLORA

b Franklin Co., Va.

1. Alonzo Banigan Flora 11-9-1871—3-6-1946) m 2-14-1895 Nannie Bratcher Haythe (5-21-1874—4-19-1945); b Caswell Co., Va. Lived at Danville, Va.
2. Charlie Bruce b 11-23-1898 Danville, Va.; m 1st 10-19-1922 Clarice Turner
  3. Doris Yvonne (Davis) 5-17-1924
  3. Charlie Bruce, Jr. 10-8-1926
  3. Nancy Wrenn (Felix)
2. Charlie Bruce m 2nd 4-6-1947 Irene Knaack
  3. Jane Jerene b 9-27-1951
2. Janie Virginia b 11-13-1900; m 12-12-1925 Alfred Hamilton Martin
  3. Alfred Hamilton Martin 11-27-1926
2. Helen Lee b 6-20-1909; m 1st 6-1-1931 Walter Beverly Minke
  3. Sondra Beverly b 9-19-1932
  3. Charlie Lonzo b 9-14-1942 (b Newport News, Va.)
  3. Barbara and Beatrice b 8-31-1945
2. Helen Lee m 2nd 8-26-1947 Virgil Jones

So well remembered is Uncle Bud, a builder who lived and did his work in Danville, Va. He was the youngest of my grandmother's family and brought home his beautiful bride when I was 4 years old. I still remember how "sweet" she smelled and how much I longed to grow up to be like her. Then they lived so far away that I seldom saw them, but the first memory lingers in my mind. Uncle Bud played with me a great deal before he married Aunt Nannie and I have fond memories of that too.

### FLORA-SAUL

1. Landonia Flora 1863-1927; m 1888 Creed Thomas Saul 1863-1946
2. Lillie Mae b 1888; m 1909 Harry Keller
 

Issue: Guy Winfield, Esther, Ethel, Elva Marie, Clyde, Allan.
2. Virginia Golden b 1891; m 1910 Charles Swisher Trout 1890.
 

Issue: Gordon LaVerne, Edith Lenore, Kathryn Roberta Irene.
2. Peter Tazewell 1893; m 1913 Mary Sharp
 

Issue: Dale Robert, Dean Thomas, Lloyd Peter



2. Reuben Cecil Saul 1906; m 1st 1928 Golda Curtis; m 2nd Pearl Riley Issue; Goergia Ann, Marilyn Darlene, Richard Clayton.

(This family is given in complete form under SAUL)

- 5h Josiah, son of John Flora, 1832-1833.  
5i Salome 1834 m Abe Eller from Roanoke County.  
5j George Flora 1835-1861; m Julia Wray.  
4b Joel Flora m Elizabeth Peters 1826. Lived along Dilman Branch. Issue, Samuel, Joel Jr., Jonathan, Benjamin, Polly, Fanny.  
4c Hannah Flora m Jacob Kesler 1812. Married by Wilson Turner. No other information.  
4d Elizabeth Flora never married. She lived with her father in his later years. He willed her the five acre tract on which he lived at the time he made his will.  
3d Elizabeth Flora b about 1774; m Henry Brubaker son of John and Anna Myers Brubaker. Elizabeth Flora was the dau. of Jacob Flora, immigrant son of Joseph J. Flora. Her issue: Christian, Jonathan, Jacob, Joel, Joseph, Peter, Henry, Catherine and Nicholas Brubaker b 1809. Also John a half brother.

*Note:* Henry Brubaker 1806; m Susannah Fisher b 1802, d 1874; m 2nd Elizabeth Ault of Illinois. Nine children by the first marriage and none by the second. He was born near Salem, Va. Migrated to Tenn. in 1838 and in 1870 to Illinois. Then in 1875 he moved to Holmesville, Nebr. He organized a Brethren Church in that locality. In 1886 he moved to Montaigne County, Texas, and assisted in organizing the Church at Ancona. The family then moved to McPherson, Kans. He later moved to Iowa. His son Peter m Delilah Wattenberger in Tenn. and later they came to Gage County, Nebr. Peter was b 1828 and d 1901. His wife was b 1825 and d 1901.

- 3e Abraham Flora 1776-1858 m 1797 Nancy Overholt, 1774-1844, dau. of Abraham and Ansey Overholt, in Franklin Co., Va. Several of the children were born in Va. Then they moved to Preble Co., Ohio about 1810 to 1812. They were among the earliest settlers in Preble Co. His will was drawn in Preble Co. the 27th day of July, 1849. Witnesses: Daniel Ketterman, Daniel Howser, Arthur M. McChristy, Gratis, Ohio.  
4a Henry Flora, 1798-1880, son of Abraham, m Marylis Pagan 1808. Issue: Henry, John, Daniel, Jonas, Jacob, Elizabeth, Susannah, Mary.  
4b John 1802-1875 m Sarah Harter 1808-1878. Issue: Abraham, Polly, David, John H., Nancy, Jonas, Jacob, Rebecca.  
4c Daniel Flora m Mary Morningstar. Lived near Elkton, Ohio, in Preble County. He died at age of 36 with typhoid fever. Issue: Julia Ann, Betsey, Susanna, Mary, who lived to the age of 91 and married John Hood.  
4d Jonas Flora moved from Preble County, Ohio to Carrol County, Indiana, and soon afterward moved to Nebraska. He was married and had the following children: Abraham, Jonas, Henry, George, Catherine Flora Michael, Mary Ann Flora Huffer, Elizabeth Flora Burris, Eliza Flora Thompson, and Julia Ann Flora Ford.

- 4c Jacob Flora 1812-1889; m Mahala Goodwin 1816-1873; m 2nd 1874 Catherine Ikenberry who d 1878; m 3rd Elizabeth Trent 1880. She d 1888. He was a minister of the Brethren Church, elected in 1856, Flora, Indiana. Issue: Willis, Abraham, Lydia, Miles, Sarah, Nancy, Joseph, Lewis, Mary Jane, Elizabeth, Drusilla, Levi.

We find several unconnected lines of the Flora family in various parts of the United States. Because of space, these lines have been omitted from this report. They may be found in the history of the Flory-Flora family written by J. Cephas Flora in 1951. Mr. Flora gave much time and effort in compiling this history and is to be highly commended for the thoroughness of his work.

## FLORA

### Marriages

Arena Flora 1869-1932 m 1890 James Abraham Bowman 1856-1939 (Son of Billy Bowman and grandson of Daniel Bowman) Callaway, Va.

Laura Catherine Flora 1871-1936 m 1st Andrew Jackson in 1885. He d 1890. She lived in Franklin Co. until the 2nd marriage to William Edward Snider in 1899. He d 1915.

Berkley Thomas Flora 1879 m 1902 Rosa Bell Montgomery, dairy and fruit farmer. Antioch Church vicinity, Boone Mill, Va. Children: Ora Mae, Quentin Joel, Albert Charles, Newton B., Mary Elizabeth, Eloise.

John N. Flora 1843-1888 m Sara Montgomery 1852-1881, Boone Mill, Va. Their children:

Amanda 1870 m 1888 Benjamin B. Spangler. Lived Roanoke, Va.

Ida 1872 m J. B. Flora 1874, son of Jacob, grandson of Isaac, Calloway, Va.

Malissa Catherine 1878 m 1896 Owen Thomas Jamison, Quinter, Kansas.

## FISHER

Peter Fisher m Elizabeth Altic 1792.

Sarah Fisher, dau. Peter, m John Flora 1820.

Daniel Fisher 1822-1906 m 1844 Sarah Teel; died 1850.

Joel Fisher, Jr. m 1st Lockie Hodge; m 2nd Nancy Simmonds, Wirtz, Va.

Nathaniel Fisher m Gillie Hodges.

Noah Fisher d in the Civil War.

Lydia Fisher m Charles Reece; lived near Flora, Ind.

David Fisher m Fannie Hodges, Wirtz, Va.

Peter Fisher m Judith Emaline Hall, Wirtz, Va.

## HECKMAN

Lydia Jane Heckman 10-7-1884-6-2-1906 (dau. Creed Heckman) b Lincoln, Nebr.; m 8-2-1905 Thomas E. Abshire.

Anna Elizabeth Heckman b 3-19-1892, b Pomona, Kans. m 9-20-1906 Elijah T. Abshire. Children: Lillie Lee, Roy Joseph, Wilma Fay.

## NAFF

*Note:* Jacob Naff ca from Switzerland in 1775. Went first

to Maryland, then to Virginia. In 1806 m Catherine Flora, sister of Jacob Sr. of Franklin County.

Jacob Naff m Elizabeth Stover, dau. Dr. George Stover, Roanoke, Va.  
Jacob Naff m 2nd—Price.

Children: George m Hannah Bowman 1817

Elizabeth m Abraham Flora, son of John, grandson of Jacob.

Elizabeth m 2nd Joseph Flora 1826, father of Riley Flora.

Catherine m Daniel Bowman 1817.

Jacob m Susannah Webster 1828.

John m Sally Howrey 1827.

Hannah m Abraham Abshire 1827.

Abraham m Hannah Peters 1830.

Mary m Luke Smith 1828.

Rebecca m John Montgomery, May 26, 1831.

Susannah m James Montgomery, Aug. 27, 1835.

Isaac N. m Mary Wysor about 1853.

*Note:* Paul Jordan-Smith b 1885, Wytheville, Va. m Dorothy Wysor of Va. They live in the Brentwood Heights region of Los Angeles, Calif. where he was for many years Literary Editor for the Los Angeles *Times* until his retirement in 1957. He has written extensively and has resumed his work at the University of California where he lectures regularly on the American Historical Novel. His recent book, *The Road I Came*, is a work on his life and times following the Civil War and during the reconstruction of the South.

## *Chapter IV*

### STOVER

MANY STOVERS came to America in the early years of colonization. We find records of them from Maine down to Boston, New York (New Amsterdam), New Jersey and Philadelphia. However, this particular history is concerned with one particular line. Many hours have been given to acquiring and correlating material which has been found.

Tunison came from Holland 1638 and settled at New Amsterdam where he was a Magistrate in Brooklyn 1658-61. He purchased a farm at Flatbusch in 1665; married Phoebe Faelix. Then Cornelius came to Somerville, N. J. on the Raritan River. Was a member of the Colonial Assembly; m 1787 Neeltje Bogart. Cornelius 1690-1775 m Aente—.

Jacob 1688-1741 came about 1710 to Philadelphia. There he took up land, 570 A, in Oley Creek Valley, Oley Twsp. in Bucks County. This was prior to 1715, when Sarah Boone with two brothers, Squire (a given name, not a title) and George arrived from Exeter, Eng. and settled at Philadelphia. Jacob Stover and Sarah Boone, dau. of George Boone III, were m in Christ Church Feb. 18, 1715. They lived there and had their family, and in 1729, Jacob decided to go to the Shenandoah Valley, Virginia, and was granted a large tract of land, 10,000 A if he would bring 100 persons to dwell in the colony. He was the first to consider such a venture. He died there in 1741. They had sons, Jacob, Jr. and Abraham, perhaps others. Abraham was a minor at the time of his father's death.

From Pennsylvania records we find there a Henry and a Daniel Stover who owned land in Philadelphia County in 1734. It is my belief that they were brothers of Jacob, the father of our clan.

The source of much of the Stover information is the Pennsylvania and Virginia Archives. The Jacob Stover family is supposed to have come from Berne, Switzerland. Because of Religious persecution in those days some of the families fled from one country to another so it is hard to determine. But because a town they founded in Virginia was named Strasburgh, it would seem that they may have at one time or another lived there.

In 1714 Sarah Boone and her brothers, George and Squire preceeded their parents to America by three years. George Boone

III was born near Exeter, Eng. in 1666 (this genealogy given elsewhere) and sailed for America in 1717, settling with his 7 sons and 2 daughters in Philadelphia County. His daughter Sarah, who m Jacob Stover was born Feb. 18, 1691/2.

Squire became the father of the famed Daniel Boone and in 1750 moved southward to North Carolina. Daniel was then 16 years old. Sarah and Jacob had a grandson Daniel, who became the ancestor of the 34th President of the United States. Ida Elizabeth Stover, who married David Jacob Eisenhower, b 1862 was the granddaughter of this Daniel.

The first Hans Nicol Eisenhower arrived from Rotterdam on the ship Europa in 1741, the year in which the first Jacob Stover died in Virginia. Nicholas, as he later became known, settled with his sons in what was then known as Bethel Township, Lancaster Co., Pa., now Lebanon. Here in this rugged country, just east of the mid-Pennsylvania mountains, his home was burned by Indians in 1756. A son, Peter Eisenhower had 3 wives and 17 children (sons). The last of these, Frederick, was born when his father was 78 years of age, was the great grandfather of Dwight D. Eisenhower. Actually, Frederick was the second son of Peter to bear that name. The first Frederick was killed years before, serving as a scout at the Battle of Germantown in the Revolution. Two other Eisenhowers also served with the Continental Army.

Frederick at 22 married Barbara Miller, said to be a relative of Gen. Winfield Scott of later war fame. This marriage brought about a change in the religious affiliation among the early members of this family. Barbara Miller was a member of the Church which later became known as the Church of the Brethren. The earlier Eisenhowers were Lutherans.

The Boone's were originally Quakers, but became Baptists after moving southward. So the Stover descendants also descended from the Boone family, although not from Daniel Boone.

Sarah Boone Stover is thought to have died in Penna. prior to her father's death in 1744 as she was not named as one of his survivors.

Jacob Stover left his home in Pa. and migrated southward to the Shenandoah Valley and settled in Orange Co., now called Augusta, about 1729. He was granted leave on June 17, 1730 by the Colonial Council to take up 10,000 A of land on the South Fork of the Shenandoah River (sometimes called Shenandore or Shanando), west side of the Blue Ridge Mountains. On Dec. 15, 1733 patent for 5,000 A was granted by the then Gov. of Va. on condition that he bring 100 settlers to Va.

for the remaining 5,000 A. He was an enterprising man, however, and made several trips to Switzerland in the interests of colonizing this new land. He also made efforts in England to secure immigrants to settle in America. At one time, failing to secure the required number, it is said in desperation he gave names to the stock he was bringing along, to fill the quota.

Jacob Stover was the first settler in this part of the country and was required to live on the land patented for 3 years and also to build a log house at least sixteen by twenty-four feet for his home. One of the grants issued by the Council, June 17, 1730 involved the story of the very first settler in the Valley. \*From the proceedings of the Council on that day, "Whereas Jacob Stover, a native of Switzerland, etc., etc." The petitioner, Jacob Stover showed that he had been in Pa. for about twenty years. These patents issued Dec. 15, 1733 in consideration of Stover's claim concerning the importation of 100 persons. The names given are familiar Lancaster names. The lower patent on the Second Fork of the Shenandoah River began near the mouth of Hawk's Bill Creek. The second or upper tract extended from the mouth of Cub River in present Rockingham to Port Republic, thence up South River to near Wyer's Cave.

*\*History of the Shenandoah Valley—Wm. Cowper.*

Stover had visited the valley in 1729. In the year following that in which Stover presented his petition of 1730, efforts were made by him and others to secure another very large tract of land.

Among papers in the British Office in Philadelphia is the testimony referred to. It reads "Whereas Mr. Jacob Stauber intends to settle beyond the Blew Hills in Virginia which was never tempted yet but if once begun will prove very beneficial —. I hereby certify that the said Mr. Stauber is the fittest and properest Person for to undertake and accomplish the same, having known him this Twenty year in Pensilvania where he made settlements in the remotest parts among Indians.

As witness my hand this 2nd day of Oct. 1731

J. S. Sprogell. Senior."

The project was an ambitious one. Many petitions were filed with the Lord's Commissioners of Trades and Plantations in an endeavor to establish a colony west of the Blue Ridge to be settled by people from "Protestant cantons of Switzerland and other parts of Germany." In these transactions Stover figured as Jacob Stauber and his associates were John Ocks, Ezekiel Harlan and Thomas Gould. John Ocks was probably one of the five sons of John Rudolph Ocks of Berne, Switzerland.

Patent to Jacob Stover 5,000 A in Spotsylvania County Dec. 15, 1733 in St. Mark's Parish on West side of Great Mountains on Shanando River; for importation of 100 persons to dwell in the colony.

Mill Creek was once called Jacob Stover's Mill Creek. (Note: K.C.A. This is near Port Republic as is Bogota.) Ruins of this mill were still visible as late as 1872/3.

Jacob Stover was baptized by the Rev. John Craig of Augusta Stone Church, Presbyterian, on Mar. 14, 1741. He died between that date and Mar. 23, 1741, when his son, Jacob, Jr. qualified as Administrator. When Court was held in Orange in Orange County, he was appointed as administrator with Jacob Castle and Henry Downs, surities.

The Rev. John Craig came from Ulster, Ireland, 1732, with his father William and brother James and settled in Chester County, Pa. and in 1740 came to Augusta County, Va. John Stephenson, earliest settler in Mill Creek Valley bought some of the original 5,000 acre tract granted to Jacob Stover in 1733. Adam Miller also bought land from Stover. Joseph Bloodsworth bought 820 acres and later sold to Adam Miller. In 1738 Christopher Francisco came down from Lancaster Co., Pa. and bought 3800 acres from Stover, including the Strayer farm, known more recently as Bogota. John Landrum's land bordered Stover's. In 1745 Henry Downs of Orange County, patented land in and around Port Republic, apparently within the bounds of Stover's original 5,000 acre grant. Jacob had died in 1741. The original grant really contained 6,600 acres by survey. Stover's grant was confirmed in 1733 which showed he had lived there since 1730.

Litigation—Mar. 1755—Russell vs. Francisco in regard to the original grant.

Aug. 23, 1754—Jacob Stover of Lunenburg and William Russell of Culpeper to John Madison, part of the patent to Jacob Stover, Sr.

Jacob, Jr. according to records had gone to Lunenburg Co. about 1749 as shown by the following records and also later on, as he was mentioned in litigation of his father's estate, as being from Lunenburg Co. The records are lists of tithes for this county, 1748-1783.

\*Wm. Caldwell's List 1749  
Jacob Stover 1 tithe  
Wm. Caldwell's List 1752  
Jacob Stover 1 tithe

Cornwall Parish  
Elijah White's List 1764  
Jeremiah Stover 1 tithe

Bedford County  
Jeremiah Stover 1 tithe 1782

In 1754 Bedford County was formed from Lunenburg and Albemarle, and in 1786 Franklin County was formed from Henry, Patrick and Bedford.

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### ORANGE COUNTY DEEDS—STOVER

Deed Bk. 4, pg. 179

Date, June 25, 1741

Jacob Stover of Orange County sells to Christopher Francisco of the County of Lancaster in Pennsylvania, 3,100 acres of woodland lying in Orange County on the Shenandoe River.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

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Deed Bk. 5, pg. 14

Date, Dec. 18, 1741

Jacob Stover of St. Mark's Parish, Orange County, sells to Matthew Elser, a tract of land lying in Orange County, containing 200 A lying on the North side of Shenandore River.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

Witnesses:

James Corton

Joseph Stover

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Deed Bk. 6, pg. 55

Date, Aug. 26, 1741

Jacob Stover of the Parish of St. Mark, county of Orange, sells to Henry Dowley of same parish and County, 150 A lying on the South side of the South branch of Shenando River in said County of Orange, about one half mile below the Plantation whereon Jacob Stover now dwelleth.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

*\*Sunlight on the South Side by Landon C. Bell.*

Deed Book 19, Page 345

Aug. 13, 1773

Daniel Stover of Augusta County to William Crow, land formerly granted to Samuel Harrison and conveyed to Stover by Harrison.

(Signed) Daniel Stoffer

Witnesses:

Daniel Smith

Joseph Smith

John Henton

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Chalkley I, Page 523

Patent to Jacob Stover 5000 A in Spottsylvania Dec. 15, 1773; in St. Mark's Parish on west side of Great Mountains on Shanando River. For importation of 100 persons to dwell in the colony.

(Millers, Mires, Sowders, Hains, Funks were names of the families imported.)



Land Entry, Book I

Nov. 2, 1748

Abraham Stover 200 A on Cub Run adjoining Samuel Scott, Stover's 5,000 A; 60 A on Great Island in Shanando River.

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Will Book 3, Page 356

1764

Isaac Stover's Administration. John Bowen Administrator with James Edmondson and Edward Crump as Security.

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Judgments

Sept. 1804

Mary Gilmer vs. Peter Sipe

Deed in Orange Dec. 27, 1736. Peter Bowman to Christian Riddleberger, 400 A on Shenandoah, part of Grant to Jacob Stover and part of the land whereon Jacob now lives. Deed Stover to Peter Bowman. Deed Stover to Francisco 1741. On Cub Run.

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*Note:* By K.C.A. "Mr. Charles Kemper informs me that Stover sold the upper grant to Francisco in 1738 and moved down the river to land which he patented 1738, and settled near the Fairfax line where he died in 1741. In this year he joined the Augusta Stone Church (Presbyterian) as shown by records." "Jacob Stover, Jr. lived for 3 years at 'Bogota' where he built the first home in (now) Rockingham County."

Mill Creek was once called Stover's Mill Creek. This is near Port Republic as is Bogota. (K.C.A.) Daniel Stover owned land on Hawksbill.

Orange County Deed Book

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Dec. 13, 1738

Jacob Stover granted 800 A on Shenando River below Port Republic opposite Great Island. (His brother Abraham owned land on Great Island) K.C.A.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

Deed Bk. 6, pg. 64

Date, Aug. 27, 1741

Jacob Stover of Augusta Parish in Orange County, sells to William Williams 200 acres in Orange County on Mill Creek, being on the branches of the South River and the Shenando River joining a corner to another tract of land containing 5,000 acres granted to Jacob Stover, deceased.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

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Deed Bk. 6, pg. 282

Date, Oct. 1, 1741

Jacob Stover of Orange County sells to Joseph Bloodsworth of said County; 820 acres on the West side of the Blew Ridge Mountains and on the East side of the South Branch of the Shenando River, joining Henry Dowley's line, with all houses, etc.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

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Deed Book 1, pg. 201

Date, Dec. 1735

Jacob Stover of St. Mark's Parish, Orange County, Farmer, sells to Lodowick Stone, Wheelwright, 200 acres lying in said Parish and County.

(Signed) Jacob Stover

The Deeds of Jacob Stover of Orange County sold five tracts of land lying in Orange County signing the name of Jacob Stover. Sometimes his name looks as if it is spelled STOBBER. It is likely a different kind of V as it was written then.

### **CHALKLEY'S NOTES ON AUGUSTA COUNTY**

#### **Court Orders**

March, 1755

Russell vs. Francisco

This had to do with land sold to Francisco in 1738 by Jacob Stover and was part of the original grant of 1733. It contained 3,800 acres.

There are many Stover wills in what was Dunmore County, probably went there and then to Franklin County. They are all related if family names mean anything for they all have names of Christian, Peter and Jacob principally in every generation.

There were Stovers in Botetourt County, Augusta and Franklin Counties. Augusta County was formed from the County of Orange in 1738.

The Revolutionary records from Gwathmey's Virginians in the Revolution, mentions a Jacob Stover in Captain Thomas Buck's Company of the Dunmore Militia.

Jacob Jr.'s son, Peter Stover, who administered on his estate could have been in the Revolution, says my researcher, Mrs. Eva E. Wilkerson of Richmond, Va. and the photostat gives his name along with other Stovers. The List of Alexander Machir's Company is not dated on those pages but the records preceding and those following are dated 1775 and 1776. Capt. Joseph Bowman is shown as leading a List of men living in the Lower District of Dunmore County.

### **ACCOUNTS OF ESTATE OF JACOB STOVER (JR.), FREDERICK CO.**

Court Order Bk. 14, pg. 449

Date Apr. 4, 1769

Upon the motion of Peter Stover who took the usual oaths the Certificate is granted him for obtaining Letters of Administration of the Estate of Jacob Stover, dec'd, and having given Bond and Security as the law directs conditioned for his faithful Administration of the said Decedent's Estate.

Next item on same page.

George Huddle, George Seller, Rynhard Borden and Godfrey

Wilkinson or any three of them to appraise in Current Money the Estate of Jacob Stover, dec'd and return to Court.

Will Book 4, page 463.

Account.

Dr. The Estate of Jacob Stover, dec'd.

*Note:* There are two pages of this account which gives more information than any other record. I have in my possession a photostat of this account.

Account Examined—Returned by Peter Stover, proved by the Court and ordered to be recorded.

Appraisers, George Seller, George Huddle, Rynhard Borden.

Sales Account of Jacob Stover dec'd returned to Court June 1, 1784 and recorded.

James Keith, Clk.

Jacob Stover, Jr. died in 1769. Children named in his will are: Peter, Christian, Magdalene (Mary), and Catherine, Barbara and John who were minors.

*Note:* Daniel Stover had land in Colbrook Dale Twsp., Philadelphia County, Pa., 1734. Henry Stover had 100 A in Frederick Twsp. same year. This writer believes it likely that they were brothers of Jacob Stover, Sr.

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**List of Alexander Machis' Co., in the Strasburg Dist.  
(Copy) I have a photostat of this document.**

Matthias Shultzner  
Charles Beal  
Isaac Bowman  
John Black  
Leonard Cooper  
Michael Keller  
Stephen Beck  
Peter Tryer  
Martin Beard  
Jacob Copenhafer  
Conrad Rash  
Christian Lotz  
Christopher Kister  
Matthias Hite  
Alexander Heits  
George Cooper, Saddler  
Conrad Wickman  
Thomas Walsh  
John Browback  
Christian Beard  
Henry Spore  
John Loughmiller  
Daniel Rorer  
Casper Heapner  
Conrad Newman

Christopher Kistner  
Jonas Lotz  
Christopher Tush, Sen.  
Andrew Trayeler  
Valentine Smith  
Peter Cline  
Christopher Lambert  
Nicholas Pitman  
Martin Sitzter  
Christopher Hemp  
Adam Feltner  
Philip Sea  
Philip Pitman  
Philip Smith  
William Dogherty  
Michael Teezle  
George Huddle  
Leonard Balthus  
Jacob Helver  
David Huddle  
Bernard Siver  
Martin Roler  
Christian Cryble  
Abraham Cryble  
Jonas Cryble

Christopher Tush, Jun.  
 Jacob Huddle  
 Jacob Siver  
 Robert Draper  
 Jacob Stickley  
 Francis Piles  
 Michael Righer  
 Stephen Dedawick  
 Peter Snyreman  
 Sebastian Teezle  
 Andrew Yeager  
 Abraham Funkhouser  
 David Funkhouser  
 Peter Black  
 Peter Stover  
 Jacob Stover  
 John Stover  
 Christian Stover, Sen.  
 Joseph Stover  
 Simon Harr  
 Christian Waller  
 Christian Miller  
 Samuel Miller  
 David Miller  
 Joseph Cashwyler  
 Jacob Cashwyler  
 Shrader Crawford  
 Jarvis Dogherty  
 John Stritzler  
 Michael Baker  
 Brice Hannah  
 Martin Thomas  
 Christian Bowman  
 Rudolph Lawn  
 Frederick Stoner  
 Joseph Airs  
 Peter Snapp  
 Christian Anderich

Daniel Shaffer  
 John Cowman  
 Alexander Stutzlegar  
 James Murdock  
 John Funk  
 Philip Sonner  
 Adam Broback  
 John Funkhouser  
 Jacob Funkhouser, Sen.  
 Jacob Funkhouser, Jun.  
 Christian Funkhouser  
 Jeremiah Early, Sen.  
 Jeremiah Early, Jun.  
 Jeremiah Evans  
 Robert Wilson  
 John Teezle  
 Benj. Stickley  
 Philip Cline  
 Jacob Funk  
 Samuel Funk  
 John Waller  
 John Conrad  
 Samuel Colvil  
 Valentine Loughmiller  
 Benj. Shoe  
 Jabez Shoe  
 John Loetzenia  
 John Kisner  
 George Baltis  
 Henry Funk, Jun.  
 George Fickley  
 Joseph Lamb  
 Christian Wise  
 Jacob Lambert  
 Jacob Dillinger  
 Lawrence Snapp  
 Philip Snapp

There are several on this list that never appeared at  
 musters, they pretending to be in communion with the Menon-  
 ites as also the officers committed to be inserted at the begin-  
 ning. Viz.: Philip Huffman, Lieutenant; Lawrence Snapp, Jun.,  
 Ensign. Alex Machis

(Alexander Machis Muster Roll; have a photostat copy.)

## Frederick County Records—Jacob Stover

Condensed account of settlement of Estate of Jacob Stover, Jr. as handled by his eldest son, Peter; the children given are as follows:

Peter (1742) served Am. Rev.

Christian, also in Am. Rev.

Magdalene (Mary)

Catherine (minor 1769), Alexander Hite, guardian; m Reuben

Boehm

Barbara (minor 1769), Alexander Hite, guardian; m David Piper

John, minor also; Jacob Stickley, guardian; served Am. Rev.

The will of Peter Stover, written 1795, recorded 1799 mentions these children:

His wife Frances—called Franney

Joseph, to care for his mother; m Elizabeth; rec'd annuities, lots, rents.

Jacob rec'd 170 A land; m Margaret Towell

John rec'd 673 A; m Barbara—

Christian—odd lots in Strasburgh

Elizabeth Hoffman (desc.)

Ann Stickley m David Stickley

Catherine m—Kershender 1st;—Shroubb, 2nd; had son Jacob Kershender.

Regina m Philip Spangler. (Personal estate willed to daughters.)

The will of Christian Jr. in 1818 mentions the following children:

Nimrod

Jacob, minor; guardian, Isaac Bowman.

Lydia, minor; m Abner Long

Fanny, minor, guardian, Isaac Funk; m Andrew Hoffman.

The will of Jacob 1816 mentioned children:

John

Catherine

Joseph

Betsey

Fanny

The will of Joseph mentions brothers and sisters:

Jacob

Catherine

John

Ann

Christian

Regina

The will of John 1820, settlement 1824 (\$90,000) mentions these children:

John m. Barbara—

Fanny, invalid, Jacob Ott, trustee.

Joseph, desc., m Elizabeth; their children were Philip and Marilla  
Will Book 5, page 306. Date. 1779.

Peter Stover's Account of Estate of Jacob Stover Dec'd

To paid Alexander Hite, Guardian of Catherine Stover  
now the wife of Reubin Boehm as per Receipt..... 47.10

To paid Alexander Hite, Guardian of Barbara Stover  
now wife of David Piper..... 47.10

To paid Jacob Stickley, Guardian of John Stover..... 40.

To paid Stickley a further sum..... 3.8.3

To paid Magdaline or Mary Stover a further sum..... 2.13.

1788. To paid Christian Stover heir-at-law to said  
Jacob Stover dec'd the amount of Judgment obtained  
against me in Shenandoah County Court as per Judgment..... 98.13

Feb. 5, 1791. To paid Christian Stover Admrs. of Elizabeth  
Stover now dec'd the award of an arbitration  
as per bought and receipts..... 48. 18. 8

Peter Stover Admrs.

Will Book 5, page 307

July 21, 1791.

Isaac Hite Jun. & Thomas Buck have examined the Account Current of Jacob Stover dec'd as rendered into Court by Peter Stover, approved and ordered to be recorded.

## SHENANDOAH COUNTY

### WILL OF PETER STOVER. 1795

Will Book E, page 309 Date Aug. 8, 1795. ABSTRACT

Joseph Stover, son, shall provide and care for Franney, wife of Peter according to Contract made the day preceding the writing of this Will during her natural life.

After her decease the Estate left by her to be divided equally among four daughters and their heirs.

Item: I devise to my son, Jacob Stover all that Plantation or tract of land to which I have made him a Deed the day preceding this writing. Land containing 170 acres.

Item: I devise to my son, John Stover all the two tracts or Plantations on the Narrow Passage containing about 673 acres for which I made him a Deed the day before this.

Item: I devise to my son, Christian Stover all the three 5 acre out Lotts of land number, One, Two and Three and about 18 half acre Lotts, five out of the same are conveyed and sold, Numbers 82, 83, 85 and 98. All said Lotts are lying in the bounds of the Town of Strawsburgs in Shenandoah County.

My son, Christian to have the Lotts of land aforesaid with the annuities, Begining at the corner of Abraham Creabel on the Street corner to the old schoolhouse Lott, thence with Creabel's line down to the River and along the River to the bottom Lott & thence up the line and along the alley called Long Alley to corner of Lott Number 85 Samuel Spea-

kers Lott at the Street called Queen Street to the old school-house first mentioned. All Lotts not already excepting burying ground I give to my son Christian Stover.

Item: Son, Joseph to have all the remainder of out Lotts and in Lotts with benefits, annuities, rents &C coming out of Lotts sold to the town of Strasburgh and all the remainder of the land which was not given to son, Christian, having made him a Deed preceding this writing.

Item: I devise all my personal Estate, Bonds, Notes, Bills and Accounts plus otherwise to be equally divided among my four daughters, share & share alike, Namely, Elizabeth Hoffman, deceased, her children to have her share, to my daughter, Ann Stickley, Catharine Shroubb and Regina Spangler and their heirs.

My son, Joseph Stover and Philip Spangler, to be joint Executors of this my Will & Testament allowing to each of them Five Pounds for their trouble.

Peter Stover

Witnesses,  
Alexander Hite  
Thomas Norvell Jun.

Will recorded, Sept. 10, 1799.

Page 387.

Inventory Of Estate of Peter Stover late of Shenandoah County dec'd appraised by Alexander Hite, Jacob Funk and Martin Zea the 10th day of Sept. 1799.

This Inventory covers five and one half pages.

**SHENANDOAH COUNTY.**  
**ACCOUNT OF ESTATE OF CHRISTIAN STOVER**  
**JUN, DEC'D.**

Will Book K, page 366.

Date, Jan. 12, 1818

Mentions payment for making chests for Lydia Stover, Fanny Stover, Nimrod Stover.

Cash received for education of Nimrod Stover \$150 as authorized by Will.

Also payment to Isaac Bowman, guardian for Jacob Stover in full of a legacy left him by the Dec'd's Account \$40.00.

Isaac Funk Executor. Account recorded, Jan. 12, 1818.

Will Book L, page 61.

Date, 1819.

Account of Lydia Stover, orphan of Christian Stover Jun. dec'd with Isaac Funk, guardian.

Her part of her father's Estate,.....\$1832.83

Abner Long & Lydia Long, late Lydia Stover, acknowledged the receipt of the above sum stated. Apr. 9, 1819.

Abner Long

Lydia Long

Will Book L, page 272.

Fanny Stover (ward) in account with Isaac Funk her guardian. Her part of the Estate of her deceased father, Christian Stover Jun. dec'd.....	\$1832.83
By Interest on same,.....	\$ 117.67
Total .....	\$1950.50

Andrew Hoffman intermarried with Fanny Stover.

Andrew Hoffman and Fanny Hoffman acknowledged the receipt of the above sum stated. Dec. 11, 1820.

Recorded.

### **SHENANDOAH COUNTY WILL OF JACOB STOVER. ABSTRACT.**

Deed Book K, page 209.

Date, Jan. 6, 1816.

Item: My just debts to be paid as soon as possible after my decease.

Item: My two sons, John and Joseph to have the care of my invalid daughter, Frances.

Item: I leave to my sons, John and Joseph Stover all the land that I am possessed of at my decease. Also my black man, Peter and my black woman, Roda and their three children, Charles, William and Arch, also my wagon and five of the choice horses and farm plows Etc.

They to take care of daughter, Frances during her life and to my other daughters \$500, \$250 within four years and \$250 within ten years after my death.

Item: To my daughter, Catherine Stover one hundred Dollars over and above the other Money.

Item: To each of my single daughters a bed and furniture and Walnut Chest to be given them at the Appraisement and considered as a part of their Legacy.

Daughter, Betsey to have black girl Nanny. Balance of Estate to be sold and money divided between daughters Catherine and Betsey.

Son, John Stover, and David Stickley Executors.

Witnesses,  
Samuel Gardner  
Joseph Stover  
Jonas.....  
Jacob.....

Jacob Stover (Seal)

Will recorded Jan. 13, 1817.



**SHENANDOAH COUNTY.  
'WILL OF JOSEPH STOVER. ABSTRACT.**

Will Book L, page 161.

Date, June 27, 1788.

First, All just debts to be paid.

Item: It is my Will and desire that all the lands I possess at the time of my decease to be sold to highest bidder as soon as possible after my decease and also all the goods and Chattels that I hold in my possession at my decease shall be sold to highest bidder as soon as possible and Money arising from sale be equally divided among my brothers, Viz; Jacob Stover, John Stover and Christian Stover and to Jacob Kershender, my sister Catherine's son, also unto my sisters, Ann Stickley and Regina Stover.

Note. This Will has been erased so that no further statements are legible as of Executor &C.

Signed, Joseph Stover (Seal)

Witnesses,  
Samuel Mills  
Peter Snapp  
Jacob Conrad

At a Court held in Shenandoah County Dec. 13, 1819 A Writing purporting to be the Last Will & Testament of Joseph Stover dec'd was presented in Court by George T. Hupp who intermarried with Catharine Spangler who was a daughter of Regina Spengler, sister of Joseph Stover dec'd and having heard some testimony and some opposition thereto by Elizabeth Stover, widow and relict of the deceased.

On Motion of said Elizabeth Stover this subject is continued till next Court.

Whereupon the Court doth appoint Nathaniel Spangler to collect and possess the Estate of the said deceased until the contest about said Will is determined or Administration granted according to and by consent of the contending parties. It is agreed that the Curator or Appointee do dispose of the fattening hogs and the Cattle to be sold in the usual terms of selling such property should he think it advisable. Thereupon, the said Nathaniel Spangler entered into Bond according to law.

Test, Clerk

**SHENANDOAH COUNTY.  
WILL OF JOHN STOVER. ABSTRACT.**

Will Book L, page 280.

Date, Dec. 12, 1820

Bequeathes to wife, Barbara during widowhood the

Plantation on which I now live containing 673 acres with the Mills & Distillery and all appurtenances belonging. Also the third part of Estate of my brother Joseph dec'd which I may be entitled to, being one sixth of his Estate.

Wife, Barbara to have use of all my Cattle, Hogs and Sheep, Farming tools, household and kitchen furniture, China Pewter &C.

My daughter, Fanny to be well taken care of, also my grandchildren, Philip Stover and Marilla Stover, children of my deceased son, Joseph Stover and his widow, Elizabeth Stover.

I appoint Jacob Ott Trustee in Trust for my daughter, Fanny. After my wife's decease and should my daughter, Fanny die without issue, then the two grandchildren to have the entire Estate.

Friend, Jacob Ott to be guardian of my two grandchildren and Executor of my Will.

John Stover (Seal)

Witnesses,  
Philip Williams  
David Stickley  
John Stover

At a Court held for Shenandoah County the 12th of February, 1824. The Will of John Stover was produced to the Court and proved by the oaths of the Witnesses. Jacob Ott entered into Bond for the sum of \$90,000 with Anthony Spangler, Joseph Spangler, John Effinger and six others as his security.

He was granted certificate for probate according to law.

### STOVER FIRST CENSUS UNITED STATES— HEADS OF FAMILIES

Frederick County—1782	No list for Shenandoah County
Jacob Stover—4 whites	1784
Shenandoah County—1783	Shenandoah County—1785
Peter Stover—8 whites	Albert Stover
David Stover—4 whites	Daniel Stover
Ulric Stover—7 whites	Christian (son of Peter)—6 whites
Rockingham County—1784	Peter Stover—7 whites
Daniel Stover—6 whites	Christian Stover—1 white
	Jacob Stover—9 whites

### AUGUSTA COUNTY RECORDS

The daughter of Jacob Stover, Barbara, married John Lionberger or Lewenberger. Page 409.

In 1756 John Lewenberger sold land on Hawksbill to Christian Grones. Deed in Frederick County Deed Book, 7, pg. 17. Mentioned in Augusta County records, page 116.

Daniel Stover owned land on Hawksbill.

Dec. 13, 1738. Jacob Stover granted 800 A. on Shenando River below Port Republic, opposite the Great Island. Abraham Stover owned land on Great Island (200 A.) K. C. A.

Much of the information furnished on these counties was sent me by Katherine C. Anderson of Staunton, Virginia, Researcher.

Note: Shenandoah was at first called Dunmore County. It was cut off from Frederick County 1772 and in 1778 was changed to Shenandoah.

The Peter Stover, father to Jacob, Christian and Joseph, was a son of Jacob Jr. There are several wills recorded in Shenandoah County for Peter and his sons. Peter died in 1799.

#### FRANKLIN COUNTY CENSUS RECORDS

1810	Stover, Henry	age 52	born Va.
Obadiah Stover	Ann	age 51	born Va.
2 males; 1 female	Jacob	age 21	born Va.
	Sarah	age 21	born Va.
1820	Jane	age 19	born Va.
Obadiah Stover	Mary	age 17	born Va.
5 males; 3 females	Aley Ann	age 15	born Va.
1830	Stover, Abraham	age 47	born Va.
Henry Stover	Matilda	age 36	born Va.
3 males; 4 females	Harrison	age 47	born Va.
1840	Elizabeth	age 7	born Va.
Henry Stover	Adison	age 4	born Va.
3 males; 7 females	Aley	age 2	born Va.
1840			
Abraham Stover			
1 male; 1 female			
1850 pg. 99 #834			

#### SHENANDOAH COUNTY

From 1790 Tax Lists—Census

1783	Peter Stover	8 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Jacob	8 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	John	6 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Samuel	10 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Ulrick	7 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	David	10 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
1785	Christian (son of Peter)	6 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Peter	7 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Christian	1 white in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Jacob	9 whites in family	List of Alexander Hite
	Albrick (Ulrick)	8 whites in family	List of Michael Speagle

David	6 whites in family	List of Michael Speagle
Daniel	8 whites in family	List of Michael Speagle
John	3 whites in family	List of John Anderson

#### ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

1784

Daniel	6 whites in family	List of Fothergill
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#### BEDFORD COUNTY

1782

Jeremiah	1 white in family
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#### BOTETOURT COUNTY

1784

Jeremiah	1 white in family
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#### STOVER DATA

Sylvester Stover ca from Eng. to Mass. 1649; d York, Me. 1688. Had a grant of land at Cape Neddick; m Elizabeth Norton

Henry, Marshal of York, m 1653 Margaret—

Isaac b 1697 m 1st Mary Stover b 1702

Dependence m Mary, dau. Dea. Rowland Young and wife, Susanna Matthews

Isaac 1745-1823 at Penobscot, Me.; m Martha Stover, sometimes called Polly

Jeremiah 1770-1824, Blue Hill, Me.; m Abigail Devereaux 1770-1854

John Manchester d 1705; m Margaret Wood

Cornelius ca to Somerville, N. J. on the Raritan River. Was a member of the Colonial Assembly 1703; m 1687 Neeltje Bogart

Jacob b 1692 ca Philadelphia, Pa.; m Sarah Boone of Eng. 1715

Cornelius 1690-1775 m Aente—

Tunison ca Holland 1638, settled at New Amsterdam; Magistrate Brooklyn 1658-61; purchased farm at Flatbusch 1665; m Phoebe Faelix

Phillip d 1777; m Deborah—

John m 1719 Phebe Gray

John 1749-1812 m 1772 Sarah Bailey 1754-1820; pvt. Am. Rev.

Wm. Manton b 1720 m 1742 Barbara Cook

Christian m 1757 Barbara Overholzer 1737-1823; pvt. Am. Rev.

Henry ca Alsace, Germ. to Philadelphia on the St. Andrew, 1749; m Barbara Hockman same year.

Jacob 1757-1844 m 2nd Catherine Stauffer; Pvt. Am. Rev.

Mathias m Anna Clemens; Pvt. Am. Rev.: Christian: Christian

Henry 1786-1872 m Barbara Stout

Wm. 1766-1817 m Anna Clark

Anna m Phillip K. Fretz

John 1792-1827 m Catherine H. Melcher 1793-1827. Children: John, Nathaniel, George.

Henry 1741-1798 m Anna Kline (Anna Wampler will) Franklin Co., Va.

#### FRANKLIN COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS

Jacob Stover 1754 m 3-16-1788 Sallie McGhee, Holden McGhee surety  
Obadiah 1788 m 1-12-1809 Massey Standley  
Henry b 1798 m 4-8-1822 Ann Starkey, Jesse Starkey, surety. (He d  
Mar. 1866). Photostat his will.  
John 1800 m 1-29-1829 Catherine Rankin  
Abraham 1803 m 5-13-1829 Matilda Kingery, Joel Starkey, surety.  
Jane 1831 m 3-27-1851 Peter Flora, son of John, dau. of Henry  
Thomas W. 1830 m Mary J. Baley 9-9-1853 (son of Catherine)  
Jacob b 1829 m Catherine Fisher 12-6-1856 (son of Henry). He d  
6-1-1904

#### AUGUSTA COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS

Jacob m Margaret Towell 8-26-1800  
Elizabeth Stover m 12-17-1804 John Shelley  
Eliabeth D. Stover m 1-5-1805

#### BEDFORD COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS

Anna Stover m 7-2-1821 Hugh L. Coffey (George, her father)  
Sally Stover m 10-9-1826 John Perfator (Margaret her mother)

#### PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Jacob Stover m 3-15-1715 Sarah Boone of England.  
Jacob Jr. m Ruth— (Early Virginia records)

#### AUGUSTA COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS

Daniel 1750-1826, son of Abraham, b Augusta County m —  
Daniel 1781-1865, m 3-30-1803 Mary Hannah  
Simon 1822-1873, m 12-31-1848 Eliabeth Ida Link  
Ida Elizabeth Stover 5-1-1862 m 9-23-1885 David J. Eisenhower. She  
d 9-11-1946.  
Dwight David Eisenhower 10-14-1890 m 7-1-1916 Mamie Geneva  
Doud 11-14-1896.  
Maj. John Sheldon Doud Eisenhower m Barbara Jean Thompson  
Issue: Dwight David II, Barbara Ann, Susan, Mary Jean.

*Note:* To better biographers than myself I leave the task  
of outlining the achievements of Dwight David Eisenhower,  
President of the United States of America. Personally, I consider  
him one of our greatest Presidents.

Abraham born after 1720 was a minor at his father's death in 1741.  
He owned land in the Shenandoah Valley and went southward eventually  
to Franklin County. He had sons:

Daniel, Augusta County  
Jeremiah, Botetourt County  
Henry, Franklin County

Henry went south and settled in Franklin County, Va., where he  
d in 1798, where his will is recorded, a photostat of which was furnished  
by the County Clerk. He m Anna Kline and had the following issue:

John  
Jacob  
Christian  
Henry  
Mary  
Magdalene

Jacob 1764-1844 m 1788 Sallie McGhee. He lived his entire life in Franklin County. Many of his heirs are still there but many, too, have scattered, principally to the middle west. Sons mentioned were

Obadiah (?)

John

Henry

Abraham

Henry 1798-1866 m 1822 Ann Starkey. This family was also in Franklin County. Their issue is as follows:

Jacob

Sarah

Jane

Mary

Aley Ann

Jane Stover 1831 m 1851 Peter Flora, son of John Flora. This portion of the family is given under Flora.

#### MARRIAGE BOND RECORDED IN BOOK NO. 1 PAGE 94

Know all men by these presents that we, Jacob Stover and Holden McGhee are held and firmly bound unto Edmond Randolph Esqr. Governor or Chief Magistrate of the State of Virginia in the sum of fifty pounds to the which payment well and truly made to the said Edmond Randolph in his possession we bind ourselves and each of us and our heirs—jointly and severally—these presents—Sealed with our Seal and dated the 6th day of March 1788. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas there is a marriage shortly intended to be had and solemnized between the above bound Jacob Stover and Sally McGhee. Now if there shall be no Lawful cause to obstruct this said marriage then the above obligation to be void or to remain in force.

Witness:

Sam Head

Holden McGhee (Seal)

Jacob Stover (Seal)

(The above is a copy of a photostat)

Will Book No. 1

Jan. 11, 1798

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1798

#### HENRY STOVER WILL

In the Name of God, Amen. I, Henry Stover, of Franklin County, am sick and weak in body, Though of perfect Mind and Memory, thanks be given unto God for his Mercies. Calling to mind the Mortality of Man and that it is Appointed for all Men Once to Die, I do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament. First of all, and principally, I recommend my Soul in the Hands of Allmighty God, who gave it; and my Body to the Earth to be buried in a Christian Manner. Touching these Worldly Things wherewith it had pleased God to Bless me in this Life, I disposed them off in Mannor Following. First, I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife, Anna, Peaceable Possession in the House wherein I now live, During her Lifetime;

also one Cow, her Choice among my other cattle; her own bed, also Ten Bushels of good Wheat, and one hundred and fifty pounds of Merchantable Porck and Ten pound Hackled Flax, and one gallon of Whiskey, and Fire Wood brought to her door during her lifetime out of my Estate Yearly. (Also the above mentioned cow to be found for her in pasture and in other food yearly). Item: I give to my son, John all my lands which I possess and all my other movable Stocks to him and his heirs forever (provided allways and particular in this Case) that he shall pay all my just debts in one year's time after my Decease, and as my two sons, Christian and Henry are not capable to provide for themselves, he shall find for them Sufficient House-room and clothing and the other Necessaries as long as they live, and they shall help him to work as long as they are able, and he, my said son John shall pay out of my estate:

To each of my other Dear Children, namely, Jacob, Mary, Magdalena and Christina, twenty Shillings to each within Ten Years after my Decease.

And I appoint my beloved Friends Jacob Kingery and Thomas Payne to be my Lawful Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I hereby overthrow all wills heretofore made by me. Declaring this to be my last will and Testament and no other. Whereunto I have set my hand and seal this Eleventh Day of January 1798.

Signed, sealed and declared  
by me, Henry Stover as his  
last will and Testament in  
the presence of us.  
Michael Teel, Nicholas Teel,  
Priscilla Teel.

Henry Stover (Seal)

Will Book 14  
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Mar. 5, 1866

In the Name of God Amen,

I, Henry Stover of the County of Franklin and State of Virginia being of Sound Mind and disposing Memory and Considering the Uncertainty of this Transitory Life, knowing it is appointed unto Man once to die and having been Blessed with a portion of this World's Goods, I do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament; that is to say, First I give to my beloved wife Anna, in view of the sincere love and affection I have for her, all my Estate, both Real and Personal, during her natural Life. Second, I desire

that my son, Jacob Stover reside on my plantation, known as the Simpkins place, but pay to my wife Anna, such part of the produce made thereon as may be necessary for her support. Thirdly, at the death or demise of my wife Anna, I desire my son Jacob to have the said Simpkins plantation. In consideration of which he is to pay three hundred dollars as follows: Viz., To David Peters, one hundred dollars; to Jonathan Peters, one hundred dollars; and to Peter Flora one hundred dollars. He shall have sufficient time to pay the above but must pay interest thereon from the Death of his Mother. Fourthly, I desire my three daughters, viz.: Sally, Mary and Aly Ann to have at the death of my wife, the plantation on which I now reside and in consideration thereof they must each pay to Joel Starkey, son of my wife the sum of thirtythree dollars and thirty-three cents, which shall bear interest from the death of my wife, but they shall have sufficient time thereon.

Fifthly, I desire my three named daughters, viz; Sally, Mary, Aley Ann, to have between them, share and share alike thereon, the corner cupboard with all the cupboard ware possessed by me, also all the beds and bedding which my wife shall leave at her death, together with all the spinning wheels, Loom and fixtures and clock and folding table. Also one choice side saddle; with the choice horse and cow that my wife may leave at her death. They are to have also one large pot, a dinner pot, one oven and one lid. Sixthly, I desire all the rest of my personal property of every description to be sold and an equal distribution to be made among all my heirs together with Joel Starkey the son of my wife.

Seventhly I do constitute and appoint my Son Jacob to be the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. This 16th day of October 1865.

Signed, sealed and declared  
in the presence of

John H. Lemon  
Stephen Boone

Henry Stover (Seal)

Will Book 28 Page 317

I, Henry B. Stover of the County of Franklin, being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and publish this my last will and testament.

First I direct that all my lawful debts be paid.

Second I give and bequeath to my wife Mary F. Stover all of my property real and personal to do as she pleases with.



Third I appoint my wife Mary F. Stover Executor of this my last will and testament without any security *are any approval.* In witness whereof I have *hereonto* set my hand and fixed my seal this 27 day of Sept. 1894.

Henry B. Stover (Seal)

Witness: Thos. Richardson  
Mark D. Martin

Virginia, In Franklin Circuit Court May 1st, 1925.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Henry B. Stover deceased was produced in Court and it appearing that the two subscribing witnesses to said will Thos. Richardson & Mark D. Martin are both dead, the hand writing of said M. D. Martin and Thos Richardson were proved by the oath of A. L. Crook and M. D. Martins hand writing by oath of J. O. Basham, and same is continued until May 19th, 1925 for further proof.

Teste: T. W. Carper, Clerk

Virginia: In Franklin Circuit Court May 19th, 1925.

The last will and testament of Henry B. Stover deceased which was partially proven on May 1st, 1925 & continued until today, the hand writing of said Thos. Richardson was further proved by the oath of Seth Kesler. And said will is ordered to be recorded.

Teste: T. W. Carper, Clerk

A Copy Teste:  
Edwin Greer  
Clerk

By Bert S. Crowder, D.C.

Perhaps the most notable member of the Stover family in America is Dwight David Eisenhower who, in Nov., 1952, was elected 34th President of the United States. He grew up in a Christian home and was trained by a mother who did not believe in war. However, through circumstances, he became a military man and a great one. History has accorded to him the distinction and achievements of his military career and since this is more or less a family history we will omit that part of his life. British records point to his descent from Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Edward I, who married as her 2nd husband Humphrey VIII de Bohun, 4th Earl of Hereford and 3rd Earl of Essex (1276-1322). They had six sons and four daughters.

An Editorial is given which appeared in the Lincoln Journal, Lincoln, Nebraska, after the Inauguration of Dwight David Eisenhower, 1953.

## MORE OR LESS PERSONAL

*(from the Lincoln Journal)*

The inauguration of Dwight Eisenhower and the President's address were, as he put it, "more than the act of one citizen swearing his oath of service in the presence of his God."

Speaking through the symbolism of the historic ceremony, and in the words of their elected leader, the American people Tuesday testified "in our faith that the future shall belong to the free."

Confessing a people's faith in the spiritual truths that make men free, President Eisenhower sounded a note which for clarity, nobility and strength, marked a bright new page in American History. It was a clear call to national reassertion of belief in the religious laws from which Freedom derives. It was a noble statement of the duties freedom imposes on peoples who would retain it. And it was a message ringing with strength in every word because, as President Eisenhower gave voice to them, what could have been lofty abstractions if spoken by others, assumed the flesh of a man imbued with the sincerity of the Kansas plains and elevated to greatness by a free people's faith in him.

There was in all of the solemnity and high patriotism of Tuesday's solemn hour, no better summation of its real significance or of the true meaning of the American ideal, than President Eisenhower's confident assertion that "... We know that we are not helpless prisoners of history."

This was a re-assertion that Americans, if they gird themselves in the moral strength, that is the American heritage, and which an enemy ideology denies, can have a part in shaping their own destiny and shaping the future of the world.

Dwight Eisenhower's inaugural was, above all, a call to a mobilization of that moral strength. It was a "restatement of the abiding creed of our fathers... our faith in the deathless dignity of man, governed by eternal moral and natural laws"—a faith which "defines our full view of life" and "establishes beyond debate, those gifts of the Creator that are man's inalienable rights, and that make all men equal in his sight."

But what elevated that to one of the mountain peaks in American history was the new president's declaration that "no person, no home, no community can be beyond the reach of this call." Thus he was proclaiming not a new dedication on the part of leadership alone, but a new dedication of a whole people, from the greatest to the least and a dedication necessarily touching all "matters of daily living."

On the meaning of such a truly national rededication, there has been no better statement than President Eisenhower's.

"Patriotism means equipped forces and a prepared citizenry. Moral stamina means more energy and more productivity, on the farm and in the factory. Love of liberty means the guarding of every resource that makes freedom possible—from the sanctity of our families and the wealth of our soil to the genius of our scientist. So each citizen plays an indispensable role. The productivity of our heads, our hands and our hearts is the source of all the strength we can command, for both the enrichment of our lives and the winning of the peace."

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It was an hour of American greatness because it was an hour in which from the new President's "Private Prayer" for the power to discern clearly right from wrong to his closing entreaty to Almighty God, the American people through him acknowledged the true greatness and the power to shape history, is beyond men and only on their interdependence on each other as dependent children of a Provident God.

This was one of America's finest hours, bespeaking finer hours to come, because America reasserted that "In God We Trust."

*This is an editorial taken from the Lincoln State Journal, Lincoln, Nebraska, immediately following the inauguration, and bespeaks Nebraska's pride then, as now, in our kinsman.*

## Chapter V



### de Bohun (Boone)

**T**HE ROMANS gave the name Caledonia to what is present-day Scotland and called the people Caledonians. The Scots, a Celtic race that spoke Gaelic, came from Ireland, then called Scotia.

Julius Caesar subdued the Gauls, native tribes of Gaul (France), 57 to 52 B.C. The Franks, a Teutonic tribe, reached the Somme by 250 A.D. By the fifth century the Merovingian Franks ousted the Romans and later defeated the Huns at Chalons-sur-Marne.

Charlemagne, or Charles the Great 742-814, became king of the Franks 768, with his brother Carloman, who died 771. He ruled France, Germany, parts of Italy, Spain and Austria, enforced Christianity. He was crowned Holy Roman Emperor by Pope Leo III in St. Peters, Rome, Dec. 25, 800 A.D. He was succeeded by his son Louis I, the Pious, 814. At his death 840, Louis left the Empire to his sons, who quarreled and by the peace of Verdun 843, divided the Empire. Charles I, the Bald, ruled the Franks, as Roman Emperor.

Since this report concerns people rather than nations, we will now take up the de Bohun family through the generations as found in Burke's Peerage and other Genealogical Records.

### de BOHUN (BOONE) A Norman Family

Founder of this house, Humphrey de Bohun, surnamed "with the beard" was succeeded by his son, Humphrey II, who at some date between 1087 and 1100 m Maud, dau. of Edward de Saresburie. He served as steward of the Royal household of Stephen and also served Henry I. Humphrey III de Bohun who d 1187, baronial supporter of Henry II, was the third of his name in the family settled in England after the Norman conquest.

Humphrey IV de Bohun, Earl of Hereford and Constable, predeceased his father in 1182, having m Margaret, dau. of

Henry, Earl of Huntington, (son of David, King of Scotland) and widow of Conan-le-Petit, Earl of Brittany and Richmond. He d 1171, leaving Henry (Q.V.), created Earl of Hereford 1199.

Through Henry de Bohun (1176-1220) first Earl of Hereford, Const. of Eng., grandson of Humphrey III de Bohun and Margaret de Milo, eldest dau. of Milo, Earl of Hereford, the honors were carried over to the de Bohun line because no male heir appeared. Also the hereditary right of constable passed to the de Bohun family. Born 1176, on the accession of John, he was created Earl of Hereford by Charter, Apr. 28, 1199. In 1220 he was sent with other nobles to summon his uncle, William the Lion, of Scotland to appear at Lincoln to do homage. In 1215 he had joined the confederate barons who obtained the concession of Magna Charta, and was one of the twenty-five appointed to insure its observance. On John's death, he still adhered to the party of Louis of France and was taken prisoner at the battle of 20 May, 1217. He d on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land June 1, 1220. His wife was Maud, dau. of Geoffrey Fitz-Piers, Earl of Essex, by whom he had a son Humphrey, who succeeded him.

Humphrey V de Bohun, 2nd Earl of Hereford and 1st Earl of Essex in 1220 and at some date after the death of Wm. de Mandeville, his mother's brother, which took place in 1227, was created Earl of Essex. Served as Marshall of the household at the coronation of Queen Eleanor 1236 and at the christening of Prince Edward in 1239 and two more years. Took part in Henry's French Expedition in 1242 and was said to have retired in disgust with other nobles at the King's partiality toward the aliens. He took the cross and went to the Holy Land in 1250. In 1257 was in charge of a portion of the Welsh Marches and was one of the commissioners appointed in accordance with the provisions of Oxford, but by 1263 had gone over to the King's side and was taken prisoner at Lewes 14 May, 1264. He d Sept. 1274 and was buried at Lanthony, Gloucestershire; m 1st, Maud, dau. of Comte d' Eu by whom he had son Humphrey VI, who d before him, and four daughters; m 2nd Maud de Avenbury, by whom he had son John, Lord of Haresfield.

Humphrey VII de Bohun, 3rd Earl of Hereford and 2nd Earl of Essex, b in the middle of the 13th century, d 1298; Const. of England and was the grandson of Humphrey V, second Earl and son of Humphrey who predeceased his father, 27 Aug. 1265, immediately after the Battle of Evesham at which he was made prisoner. Humphrey VII in 1296 was sent as escort to John, young Earl of Holland, lately m to the English Princess, Elizabeth, and now returning to claim his inheritance. The

Princess was in her 14th year and two years later was married to Humphrey de Bohun, the Earl's son. From this time until his death he played a conspicuous part in conjunction with Roger Bigod, 5th Earl of Norfolk, in opposing the measures of Edward I for arbitrary taxation.

Humphrey VII served in the army of occupation in Wales 1286. In 1289 he was found levying private war against the Earl of Gloucester and was pre-emptorily ordered to keep the peace.

Humphrey VIII de Bohun, 4th Earl of Hereford and 3rd Earl of Essex, 1276-1322, Const. of England, in 1301 was one of the Barons who addressed the letter of protest to the Pope from the Parliament of Lincoln. In 1302 he m Elizabeth, dau. of Edward I and widow of John, Earl of Holland, and on the occasion made surrender of all his lands and titles, receiving them back entail. In 1308 he was sent north in the company of the Earl of Gloucester to oppose Robert Bruce. The next year he joined other barons in the letter of remonstrance to the Pope. In 1310 he was one of the 21 ordainers appointed on 20 Mar. to reform the Government and the King's household. The ordinances which they presented were finally accepted Oct. 1311. In the war with Scotland he was taken prisoner. Gloucester was slain. He was the Executor for the wife of Robert Bruce, who had long been captive in England. He was exchanged for her following his imprisonment. He held his office under Edward II but joined the barons in their armed protest against Piers Gaveston, the King's favorite. After Gaveston's death, Hereford (as Humphrey VIII was generally called) was again prominent in the King's service until the rise of new foreign favorites of the king. After several years of opposition, in 1321 he appeared with troops in London in revolt against the Dispensers, who were forthwith banished. In October of that year, Edward took the field in attack upon Bohun and other rebellious lords and Bohun was killed at Boroughbridge, Yorkshire, Mar. 16, 1322. He was buried in the Church of the Friars Preachers, of York.

Bohun and Roger Mortimer, the principal lords on the Welsh border prepared to attack Hugh le Dispenser who held Glamorgan in the autumn of 1320. Early the next year the king issued writs forbidding unlawful assemblies and a parliament was summoned to meet at Westminster on 15th July 1321.

Bohun appeared in London at the head of an armed force and took the lead in denouncing the favorites who were sentenced to forfeiture and exile. But on 2 Oct. the King appeared on the field and with unwonted vigor, attacked his enemies in detail. They were driven north and at the battle of Boroughbridge were totally defeated. Hereford was among the slain.

By his wife, Elizabeth Humphrey VIII had 6 sons and 4 daughters. Succeeded by his 2nd son John, who was dying in 1335, was followed by his brother, Humphrey IX, as the 6th Earl. In 1361 Humphrey X, Earl of Northampton succeeded him, being the son of William de Bohun, another son of the Earl of Hereford.

In 1340 Humphrey IX was present at the naval victory of Sluys on 24th June. In 1342 he was appointed the King's Lieutenant and Capt.-Gen. in Brittany and defeated the French at Morlaix and took La Roche Darrien by assault. On conclusion of a truce for three years, he returned to England and the next year accompanied Henry, Earl of Lancaster into Scotland, marching to the relief of Loughmaben Castle in Dumfriesshire of which he was Governor. He was again in Brittany at the close of the year and in 1345-46; took part in Edward's campaign in the latter year, distinguishing himself in a skirmish on the Seine and being present at the battle of Cressy on 26 Aug.

During the next two years, he continued to serve in France and in 1349 was appointed to a commission to conclude a truce. In 1350 was appointed a warden of the marches toward Scotland and in the next year was appointed to negotiate a peace with that kingdom. In 1352 he was commissioner of an array of troops in Essex and Hereford to oppose the landing of the French. He was again in the north in 1353 and the following years and in 1355, served in the French campaign. In 1356 he was commissioned to treat with David Bruce and in 1357-59 was abroad in Gascony. He d Sept. 1360 and was buried at Walden in Essex. Bohun who was K. G. m Elizabeth, dau. of Bartholomew Badlesmere, and widow of Edmund Mortimer. His son Humphrey X, Earl of Hereford and Essex, united in one person the 3 Earldoms of Hereford, Essex and Northampton.

The 3 Earldoms and broad lands of the Bohuns were divided between 2 co-heiresses. Both m members of the Royal house. The elder, Eleanor, was given in marriage in 1374 to Thomas of Woodstock, 7th son of Edward III; the younger, Mary to Henry, Earl of Derby, son of John of Gaunt and afterward Henry IV in 1380/81. From these two houses sprang the houses of Lancaster and Stafford.

William de Bohun, Earl of Northampton, d 1360; was the 5th son of Humphrey VIII, 4th Earl of Hereford and Elizabeth Plantagenet, dau. of King Edward I. He was a distinguished soldier, b about 1310; was said to have taken part with young Edward III in 1330 in the suppression of Mortimer. In 1337 with the advancement of Edward, Prince of Wales to the

Duchy of Cornwall, William de Bohun was created Earl of Northampton on 16th Mar. and received grants of the castle and manor of Stamford and the Lordship of Grantham, Lincolnshire, and the castles and manors of Fotheringhay, Northamptonshire and Okeham, Rutlandshire, in male tail. In the same year he was appointed to treat with Philip of France on Edward's claim to the French crown.

Sir Frank de Bohun of Midhurst m Sybil, dau. of Wm. de Ferrers, Earl of Derby. His son, Sir John de Bohun, succeeded his father 14th Sept. 1273. He was 26. On 20 Oct he did homage and had livery of the lands in England, both of his father and his mother and 3 Mar. 1273/74 of his mother's lands in Ireland. Sir John de Bohun was of Midhurst, Ford Ruslington, Sussex, Ballymaddon, Co. Kildare. Associated with Edward I at Shrewsbury was by writ of Edward I, directed "Johanni de Bohun de Sussex." He m Joan, only dau. and heir of Bartholomew de la Chapelle, of Waltham, County Lincoln. Was Sgt. of the King's chapel; d 28 Sept. 1284. His widow b 1256, and to whom power in Eng. was ordered to be assigned 6 July 1285, d shortly before 23 Mar. 1327/28.

John de Bohun, son and heir, b 2 June 1275. He was living 6 Apr. 1295 but d s.p. soon after, probably before 1297. His father had demised all his lands in Sussex to Anthony Bek, Bishop of Durham for life and all his lands in Ireland to John de Saumford, afterward archbishop of Dublin, so that the property did not revert to the de Bohun family till after these two prelates died, the latter in 1294 (a bastard without of his body) and the former in 1310/11.

James de Bohun, next brother and heir of Ballymadden aforesaid, b 3 Feb. 1280/81 at Ford and bap. in the Church there. Having proved his age before the King he did homage and had livery of his lands in Ireland 28 Oct. 1302, and 11 Oct. 1304. He m Joan, granddau. and co-heir of Sir Wm. de Brewes of Bramber and Gower (Lord Brewes); d shortly before 30 May 1306. His widow, to whom dower in Ireland was ordered to be assigned 5 June and 25 Nov. 1307. She m soon after 16 Sept. 1310 Sir Richard Filiot, of Gressenhall and Weasenham, Norfolk, who d between 18 Apr. and 23 July the next year, when on the King's service in Scotland. She d between Dec. 1321 and 25 June 1324.

Sir John of Midhurst, son and heir, b and bap. 14 Nov. 1301 at Todham in Easebourne, Sussex. Having proved his age, he did homage and had livery of his lands in Eng. and Ireland 20 May 1323. In July 1346 he, in the retinue of the Earl of Arundel accompanied the King in his French camp, returning



to Eng. 14 May, 1347. Summoned to 3 Councils from Oct. 1359 to Jan. 1365, and to Parliament June 1363 by writs directed "Johanni de Bohun de Midhurst" whereby he may be held to have become LORD BOHUN, but none of his descendants were ever summoned to Parliament in respect to this Barony. He m 1st before 1326 Isabel, perhaps dau. of Sir Henry Trezog of Goring, Sussex. He m 2nd before 6 Nov. 1346 Cicily, only dau. and heir of Sir John Filliol of Kelvedon, Little Oakley and Little Beddow, Essex, by his 2nd wife Marjory. He d 1367 aged 66. His widow who was 22 and more in Oct. 1346 d Aug. 1381.

Sir John de Bohun of Midhurst, 1st surviving son and heir by his 2nd wife, b Jan. 6, 1353/4; m 1st Alice who was living 14 Dec. 1419. She was buried in Easeborne Priory; m 2nd before 25 Oct. 1429 Anne, dau. and in her issue heir of John Halsham of West Grinstead and Applesham, Sussex, by his 2nd wife, Maud Mawley. He d 25 Jan. 1432/3 and was buried in Easeborne Priory aged 70. His widow m in 1433, Sir Robert Ros of More End, Northants, keeper of Rockingham Castle, who d 1448. Her dower was assigned 24 Nov. 1449.

Sir Humphrey Bohun of Midhurst, son and heir b 6 May 1418. Sheriff of Essex and Herts 1454/55. He m Margaret, dau. and heir of Sir Wm. Estfield, citizen and mercer, twice mayor of London. She d before 15 Mar. 1445/6. He d between 2 and 6 Nov. 1468, aged 50. Will dated pr. 12 Nov. 1468.

John de Bohun of Midhurst, Esq., son and heir, had license to enter his manors, 22 Nov. 1468, being then of full age. He m before 25 June, 1467, Anne, dau. of Sir Piers Arderne, of Latton, Essex, Chief Baron of the Exchequer by Katherine Sywardby, his wife. He was living 8 Oct. 1488 and d before 26 Apr. 1494. He left to his dau. and heir, Mary, wife of Sir David Owen; and to dau. and heir Ursula, wife of Sir Robert Southwell, who d s.p. among the descendants of the former, viz: the representatives of Henry, son and heir of the said Mary Owen, any Barony, cr. by the writ of 1363 is, according to modern doctrine, in obedience.

Edmund Bohun 1645-1699, chief justice of Carolina was the son of Baxter Bohun and grandson of Edmund Hall, Suffolk. His father d when he was 14. He entered Queens College, Cambridge, as a fellow commoner on 13 June 1663 and left 1666 on account of the plague without a degree. Married Mary Brampton and settled at Whitehall. Was for a time in the Commission of Peace but made himself so unpopular (as his wife told him) by his over loquacity. Was brought up as a dissenter but became an Anglican, hating equally dissent and popery.

His chief work was the Geographical Dictionary, representing the present and ancient names of all the countries, provinces, etc. of the whole world, their distances, longitudes, latitudes with a short historical account of the same by "Edmund Bohun, Esp. 1688. Second editions appeared in 1691 and another in 1693.

George Boone III, came to America, settling at Philadelphia, with his wife Mary, his 7 sons and 2 daughters. His dau. Sarah was the wife of Jacob Stover and they became our ancestors.

*Note:* This family, of Norman origin, followed the Norman conquest to England.

### **de BOHUN HERALDRY**

Founder of the house, Humphrey I of France, surnamed "with the beard."

Humphrey II m 1087, Maud, dau. of Edward de Saresburie.

Humphrey III de Bohun m Margaret de Milo of Gloucester; d 1187.

Humphrey IV de Bohun, Earl of Hereford d 1182; m Margaret, dau. of Earl of Huntington, son of David, King of Scotland.

Henry de Bohun 1176-1220;; 1st Earl of Hereford (created Earl 1199), grandson of Humphrey III. Married Maud, dau. of Geoffrey Fitz-Piers, Earl of Essex.

Humphrey V de Bohun, 2nd Earl of Hereford and 1st Earl of Essex in 1220. Created Earl of Essex after death of his mother's brother. Died 1274. Married 1st Maud, dau. of Comte d'Eu by whom he had son Humphrey VI, who predeceased his father; m 2nd Maud de Avenebury, by whom he had son, John, Lord of Maresfield.

Humphrey VII de Bohun, 3rd Earl of Hereford and 2nd Earl of Essex, grandson of Humphrey V, son of 2nd Earl, who predeceased his father.

Humphrey VIII de Bohun, 4th Earl of Hereford and 3rd Earl of Essex, 1274-1322. Married Elizabeth Plantagenet, dau. of King Edward I and widow of Earl of Holland. They had 6 sons and 4 daughters.

Humphrey IX, 6th Earl of Hereford. He m Elizabeth, dau. of Bartholomew Badlesmere and widow of Edmund Mortimer.

William de Bohun, Earl of Northampton, d 1360, was the 5th son of Humphrey VIII, 4th Earl of Hereford, and Elizabeth Plantagenet, dau. of King Edward I. He was created Earl

of Northampton Mar. 16, 1337, granted castles and manors of Fotheringhay, Northamptonshire and Okeham, Rutlandshire in male tail. Buried at Walden in Essex. Was Knight of the Garter Helped Edward III in suppressing Edmund Mortimer. Was granted castle and manor of Stamford and Lordship of Grant-ham, Lincolnshire. Son, Humphrey X succeeded his father and his uncle, Earl of Hereford, Essex and Northampton.

Humphrey X de Bohun, Earl of Hereford and Essex, united in one person the 3 Earldoms and broad lands Hereford, Essex and Northampton. He was Earl of Northampton, being the son of William de Bohun, another son of the Earl of Hereford.

The broad lands and three Earldoms were divided between 2 co-heiresses. Title of Earl of Hereford became extinct in 1391, but was revived as Dukedom 1397 in the person of Henry Bolingbroke, who m Mary, co-heir. The two girls married members of the Royal House. The elder Eleanor, m 1374, Thomas of Woodstock, 7th son of Edward III; and Mary m Henry, Earl of Derby, son of John of Gaunt and afterward Henry IV in 1380/81. From these two houses sprang the houses of Lancaster and Stafford.

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John de Bohun, son and heir, b 1275; d soon after 1295. Demised all his lands to Church.

James de Bohun, next brother and heir of Ballymadden b at Ford; m Joan, co-heir and dau. of Sir William Brewes and Bramber; d 1306. Widow m Sir Richard Filiot of Gressenhall and Weasenham, Norfolk, who d while in Scotland for the King.

Sir John de Bohun of Midhurst 1301, summoned to Parliament 3 times; m Isabel, dau. Sir Henry Trezog of Goring, Sussex; m 2nd Cicily, dau. and heir of Sir John Filliol of Kelvedon, Sussex, by his 2nd wife, Marjory. Died 1367. His widow d 1381.

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The name de Bohun later became Bohun and then became Anglicized to Boone. By the time George Boone III arrived in Philadelphia in the early 1700's the name had been spelled in that manner for several generations.

The last of the name, which the author found was Edmund Bohun, 1645, son of Baxter Bohun, b Eng.

*\*Henry I (VVJJ-VVCE), b VJER, was the youngest son of William the Conqueror and was born, according to tradition at Selby, Yorkshire. He fought with his brothers and was for a time a landless man. But after the death of his brother, William Rufus, he rode to Winchester, seized the Royal treasure and in the absence of another brother, Robert, who was on his way home from Palestine, was elected King by the Council, through the influence of Earl of Warwick, and crowned at Westminster. He strengthened his position by his marriage with Edith (changed to Matilda), dau. of Malcom Canmore of Scotland. Henry I was called Beauclerc, or Fine Scholar, because of his learning.*

## PLANTAGENET

Plantagenet is the surname of an Angevin house which in 1154 succeeded with Henry II, to the crown of England. Henry was the son of Geoffrey, by Matilda, only dau. of \*Henry I, this house reigning from 1154 until 1485. He was born in France. The name was adopted by Jeoffrey, Count of Anjou, husband of Matilda, from the badge of a sprig of broom (*planta genista*) which he wore in his bonnet. Fourteen kings of this house ruled in Great Britain.

Eleanor of Aquitaine (1122-1204), a queen of France and afterward of Eng. was a granddaughter of Wm. IX, Duke of Aquitaine, and succeeded her father in 1137. She was m to Louis VII of France. She accompanied her husband to the Holy Land in 1147 and a divorce was granted on the pretext of kinship in 1152. Eleanor soon gave her hand and possessions to

Henry Plantagenet, who in 1154 mounted the throne of England as Henry II. In 1170, Eleanor induced Henry to invest their son, Richard, the Lionhearted, with her personal dominions and then aided him in his rebellion against Henry II in 1173. Consequently she was placed in confinement, where she remained until the death of her husband in 1189. As soon as he died, she regained her liberty and reigned as regent until Richard's arrival from France.

Richard I (1157-1199), the Lionhearted, King of England 1189-1199; third son of Henry II and Eleanor his wife, b at Oxford 8 Sept. 1157. When a mere infant it was decided that he should inherit Aquitaine and he was betrothed to Alice or Alicia, youngest dau. of Louis VII of France. Since the eldest son of Henry II d in 1183, Richard succeeded to all the possessions of his father. He had taken the cross in 1187 on the news that Saladin had captured Jerusalem. Philip Augustus, King of France, had done the same, and in 1190 both started on the Third Crusade. Richard, in order to prepare suitably for this Crusade had borrowed and extorted money wherever possible. The Crusade proved a failure almost from the start, due to the lack of harmony between the two kings. Richard disagreed with the French King, refused to marry his sister, and later married Berengaria of Navarre on 12 May, 1191 on the Island of Cyprus, where he halted on his way to Palestine. He showed great valor in the Holy Land, which made the name, Richard the Lionhearted, famous in romance. After Acre had been captured on 12 July 1191, Richard executed 2700 prisoners of war because the payment of ransom had been delayed. He quarreled bitterly with Philip Augustus, who went home. After spending months of indecisive contests against Saladin, he finally made a truce by which Jerusalem was left in the hands of the Sultan.

On 9 Oct. 1192 he set out on the return trip to England. On the way through the dominions of Leopold, Duke of Austria, he was seized by that Prince, who had been insulted by Richard while in the Holy Land and he was handed over to Emperor Henry VI who detained him as a captive. On 13 Mar. 1194 he was again in England. Made war with Philip Augustus once more and was shot with an arrow while beseiging the castle of Chaluz.

During his reign he chose able administrators but taxed England heavily for his expeditions. He was a poet and well versed in the knightly accomplishments of his age. In the succeeding century, he became a hero of many legendary tales.

John (1167-1216) reigned 1199-1216, youngest son of Henry II. When Richard I succeeded to the crown he conferred upon his younger brother Earldoms amounting to nearly one third of the entire kingdom. John, however, tried to seize the crown during Richard's captivity. He was pardoned on the return of Richard and treated with great clemency. At his brother's death, John hastened to obtain support of the Continental barons and then returned to England to be crowned. The claims of Arthur to the crown were supported by the King of France, and in the war which ensued, Arthur was taken prisoner and put to death. As a result the English monarch lost Normandy, Touraine, Maine, Anjou and Poitou.

In 1207 John quarrelled with the Pope concerning the appointment of a new Archbishop of Canterbury, and, as a result, the Kingdom was placed under an interdict in 1208. John in return, confiscated the property of the clergy who obeyed the interdict and banished the bishops. He also compelled William, King of Scotland, who had joined with his enemies, to do him homage (1209); put down the rebellion in Ireland (1210) and subdued Llewellyn, the independent Prince of Wales (1211). John, denounced by the Church and hated by his subjects was compelled in 1213 to make submission to Rome and to hold his kingdom as a fief of the Papacy. The French sent their fleet but were totally defeated in the harbor of Damme. But John was crushed in 1214 by the defeat at Bouvines. The English barons demanded redress of abuses and the issuance of a charter of liberties modeled on that of Henry I. This was rejected and the army of the barons assembled at Stamford and marched to London. They met the King at Runnymede and on 15 June 1215, the great charter, Magna Carta was signed. The Pope annulled the charter and the war broke out again. The barons called over the Dauphin of France; Louis landed near Sandwich 21 May 1216 and gained control over a large part of England.

John attempted to regain this territory but was taken ill and died at Newark Castle. John had five legitimate children; Henry III; Richard, Earl of Cornwall; Joan, Queen of Scotland; Isabella, Empress of the Holy Roman Empire and Eleanor, whose 2nd husband was Simon de Montfort.

Henry III (1207-1272) reigned from 1216 to 1271: was the grandson of Henry II and the eldest son of King John. He succeeded to the throne at the age of 9. His reign was one of the longest and most troubled of English history. In 1227 he declared himself of age to govern and dismissed Hubert de Burgh, who had ruled England well as regent and in 1234 was com-

pelled to dismiss Hubert's rival, Peter des Roches. His misrule and extortion roused all classes and in 1258 the Mad Parliament, as the assembly of the barons and bishops was already called, headed by his brother-in-law, Simon de Montfort, Earl of Leister, forced him to agree to the Provisions of Oxford, whereby he transferred his power temporarily to the barons. Finally Louis of France annulled the Provisions. De Montfort and his party took up arms against the King, defeated him and took him prisoner in 1264. De Montfort's supremacy did not last long. Earl of Gloucester led an overwhelming army against him. Simon was defeated and slain at Evesham in 1265.

When Henry died, his son Edward I, although in Palestine, was at once provisioned king.

Edward I (1239-1307), king from 1272 until 1307, the elder of two sons of Henry III, b at Westminster. He sided with Earl Simon de Montfort and the barons against his father but soon became reconciled with him. His rashness lost the battle of Lewes (1264) and he became a hostage for his father's pledges. He escaped from Hereford Castle by a stratagem, joined the Royalist forces and defeated De Montfort at Evesham.

In 1270 Edward joined the last of the Crusades. Went to Acre and won renown as a knight. In 1272 he had started home and at Capua, Jan 1273, heard of his father's death. He had been proclaimed King, and as things went well in England, he visited the Pope, did homage in Paris for his French provinces and did not return to his kingdom until 1274.

First warfare was with the Welshmen and it ended in the suppression of Welsh Nationalism, with the defeat and death of Lewellyn and the execution of David at Sherwsbury 1284. His ambition was to gain Scotland and during the wars for the possession of this land, Edward carried off the stone of the Cathedral of Scone, on which the Scottish kings had been crowned, and which is now in Westminster Abbey.

By the Statute of Wales in the same year, the principality was annexed to the English Crown. Edward devoted the next year to legislation, then went abroad to mediate in the quarrel between France and Aragon. He had soon to return to quell disturbances in both Wales and England. Finding that his judges had been corrupting justice, he punished them severely, and banished all the Jews, to the number of over 16,000 from the kingdom on the plea of their extortionate usury (1290).

The Magna Carta is a landmark in the reign of Edward. The people compelled him to repeat the confirmation at London in 1300 and again at Lincoln in 1301.

Great progress was made during the reign in the establish-

ment of law and order. It was under Edward that the representation of the Commons of England first became regular.

Eleanor Crosses is the name of crosses said to mark the stages on the funeral journey of Eleanor, wife of Edward I, from Grantham to London, where she was buried in Westminster Abbey. Those which are preserved are at Geddington, Northampton and Waltham.

The children of Edward I, who m Eleanor, dau. of Ferdinand III, king of Castile were:

Henry and Alphonso who d young .

Edward II who m Isabel, dau. of Philip IV of France.

Eleanor m 1st Alphonso; 2nd Henry, Count de Bar

Joan m 1st Gilbert, Earl of Gloucester; 2nd Ralph de Monthermer

Margaret m John, Duke of Brobant

Mary, a nun.

Elizabeth m 1st John, Earl of Holland; m 2nd Humphrey VIII de Bohun, Earl of Hereford and Essex. Issue; 6 sons and 4 daughters.

Edward II (1284-1327) reigned 1307-1327; b Wales. First Prince of Wales 1301; m Isabella of France 1308, dau. of Philip IV and sister of Charles. His reign was plagued by wars, famine and pestilence, the disloyalty of his wife and finally his murder in Berkeley Castle. He had been forced to resign the crown.

Edward III (1312-1377; reigned 1327-1377, b at Windsor. Created Duke of Cornwall in his 7th year. During his minority the country was actually governed by Mortimer and Isabella. Early in 1328 he married Philippa of Hainault. Two years later he executed Mortimer and banished his mother to Castle Rising. He invaded Scotland several times but his principal exploits were in France. He declared war against Philip in 1337 and the Hundred Years' War began. The English were at first unsuccessful and the king found himself at issue with his nobles. At length in 1346, accompanied by his eldest son, the Black Prince, he conquered a great part of Normandy, marched to the gates of Paris and inflicted a crushing defeat on the French at Crecy. In 1349 the Black Death carried off a third of the total population of England and permanently changed relations between laborer and master.

Richard II, son of the Black Prince, who had died in 1376, his father dying the year following, was b Bordeaux 6 Jan. 1367. His elder brother d in 1371 and his father in 1376, so he was placed in the care of his uncle, John of Gaunt. On 21 June 1377 Edward III d and left to the infant king a country devastated by plague and a people oppressed by heavy tax due to the war with France. In 1383 Richard m Anne of Bohemia and in the same year began to seek the downfall of the great



nobles, who controlled Parliament and prevented development of the Royal power. He had war in the next 2 years with France which country was allied to Scotland. Richard fought in Scotland and Edinburgh was burned. Gloucester, Warwick and Arundel were deprived of their power, who with Henry, Earl of Derby, eldest son of John of Gaunt, and Thomas Mowbray, Earl of Nottingham, had accused Richard's adherents in 1388. Hence they are known in history as the "lords appellant". In 1394, Richard went to Ireland and received the submission of the 4 "kings" of Meath, Thomond, Leinster and Connought.

That year the queen died and in 1396 a marriage was concluded between Richard and Isabella, the infant daughter of King Charles VI of France. Richard caused Gloucester to be conveyed to Calais where he died or was murdered. Parliament then met and the Earl of Warwick was banished and the Earl of Arundel beheaded. A misunderstanding having developed between Henry, Duke of Hereford (formerly Earl of Derby) and Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk (formerly Earl of Nottingham), the king, to be rid of both sent the former into exile for 10 years and the latter for life.

On his return from a military expedition in Ireland, Richard found that Bolingbroke (as Hereford was generally known) in his absence landed in England and had placed himself at the head of a formidable army and even the Duke of York had gone over to his side. The army which the king had in Ireland, no sooner than they landed, almost entirely passed over to the invader. Meeting the conqueror at Flint Castle, Richard was carried captive in his train to London. On 30 Sept. 1399, he formally resigned the crown. On the following day the crown was conferred on Bolingbroke (who had assumed the title of Duke of Lancaster and henceforth was known as Henry IV.

By order of the peers Richard was confined secretly in various castles. It is probable that he was murdered about 14 Feb. 1400. His reign is important on account of the development of the Privy Council and the active roll played by Parliament.

This is the last of the Plantagenet Kings.

## Chapter VI



### Andrews

**T**HE SURNAME Andrews is no doubt derived from the baptismal name Andrew, and probably means "the son of Andrew." It is believed to have stemmed from the Latin "Andraeus" when Rome ruled Britain. However, as with all very old families, branches are to be found in all parts of the British Empire and it is impossible to trace them back to common ancestry.

One of the earliest colonists bearing the Andrews family name was Edward Andrews, who came to Maryland in 1654 under the patronage of Cecil Calvert, Lord Baltimore. He settled first in Calvert County and later in Anne Arundel County, where he married Mary, surname unknown. They had 8 children, which probably accounts for the great number of families bearing this name in America today.

Edward was the grandson of Anthony Andrews, born 1530, during the reign of Henry VIII of England, and his arms were granted in 1583. Anthony Andrews' family seat was in Rutland and he married Dorothea Lentea of Northampton. They had several children, but the line traces through Edward, who married 2nd, Jane Newsham, mother of the Edward who came to Maryland.

Other early American colonists named Andrews are also noted in references found. Before the end of the seventeenth century the name was to be found in many of the established colonies.

Today, persons bearing this old distinguished family name are to be found in almost every section of the United States and they are well represented in the arts, sciences and professions, as well as in the world of commerce.

Ref.: Colonial and Revolutionary Lineages in America, Vol. 8, 1941.  
Genealogical Dictionary of First Settlers of New England, Vol. 1,  
by James Savage, 1860.

Lancelot b 25 Sept. 1555 in London, was appointed by Queen Elizabeth, one of her Chaplains in ordinary and Dean of Winchester. He also rose high in favor of King James I and took part in the translation of the King James version of the Bible, being engaged on the first 12 books of the old Testament. He died 1626.

\*William b Hampworth, England, came in the Hector (or James) with the Rev. John Davenport's Company to Boston; Freeman 1635; was a founder with Theophilus Eaton of Quinnepiac (New Haven), Conn. in 1638. He built the first meeting house there in 1644. Died 3 Jan. 1684; m 1st in England, 1639/40 Mary—; m 2nd 1665, Anna Tapp Gibaud (spelled sometimes Gibbard), dau. of Edmund Tapp of Milford, and widow of Wm. Gibaud. He was a carpenter and kept the Inn under the Gen. Court for many years.

Henry who d 1655, an original purchaser at Taunton, Mass. 1637 built the first church there and received in payment, a calf pasture in 1647; was a deputy in 1639, 42, 43, 47, 49; m Mary —.

William 1625-1684 ca Dinwiddie Co. 1635. His father Thomas was descended from the same ancestor as Bishop Lancelot Andrews who helped with the translation of the King James Bible. He m Avis Garnett and ca to Essex County, Va. to 1650 and took up land there on Occupatia Creek.

\*Note: Wm. Goffe 1605-1679 b Eng., Regicide, fled to America in 1660, lay in hiding near New Haven from 1661 to 64, in a cave, and in 1664 he rallied the townspeople during an Indian attack and drove them off. Wm. Andrews concealed him in his home for more than a month, in 1661. He was the son of a rector in Sussex, Eng.; member House of Commons and signed King Charles death warrant; a very severe Puritan.

## ANDREWS

### New England

Hingham b 1535, Devonshire, England

Joseph b Eng. 1563

Thomas b 1587; ca Boston, founded town of Hingham, Mass. 1643

John (1618-1681) m Mary Lilly

John: Joseph: John (1680-1740)

Joseph: Joseph: John: John: Amos: Mark: John 1810

Daniel: Joseph: Joseph: Obadiah 1741

Benjamin: Daniel: Zebulon 1749: Zubah

Abraham; sons, Abraham, Jr., Benjamin, Robert

Thomas (1620-1690) m Ruth ———, Hingham, Mass. Bay Colony

Thomas: John: Mark: William 1749

Mark: Joseph: John: Thomas

Joseph (1656-1732); John, Thomas, William, sons

Elizabeth (9-22-1665—9-10-1743) m Joseph Joy

## THOMAS ANDREWS

Capt. Thomas Andrews of Hingham, Massachusetts Bay Colony, married there and held offices of Const., Selectman, Rep., and Member Council of Safety. He d while on an expedition to Canada under Sir Wm. Phipps. His father founded the town of Hingham, Mass.

## JOY

Only mention is made of Thomas Joy (1645-1697), father of Ensign Joseph Joy (1668-1716), carpenter and farmer of Hingham, Mass.; Thomas m Mary Prince (1649-1716). Joseph was Constable, 1696, 1711; m Elizabeth Andrews, dau. of Thomas and Ruth.

## ANDREWS

Moses (1722-1806) m Lydia Root: Joseph: John: Joseph: Thomas. Nathaniel (1762-1845) m Jerusha Sage: Jedediah: Capt. David: John: David.

William: son Samuel b 1645, Hartford; and dau. Abigail d 1653.

James had son John bap. 9-27-1646; son Thomas bap. Jan. 1648, Hartford.

John (1618-1681) m Mary Lilly; sons, John, Abraham, Benj., Daniel, Joseph. Grandson Joseph, son of his son, John.

John (1618-1681) large land owner at Farmington, Mass.; Freeman 1658; m 1654 Mary Lilly

Son Benjamin inherited father's home at Farmington, m 1st Mary Smith, d 1707

Daniel 1731

Benjamin (1683-1728) m Elizabeth Gridley b 1693

Jonathan (1715-1797), Southington, m 1735 Susannah—.

Richard (1718-1809)

Nehemiah (1722-1800) m 1745 Hannah Borden (1725-1803)

Jonathan (1756-1806) m 1792 Ruth Deming (1756-1830)

Asa (1756-1813) m 1783 Lucy Actley. Served Am. Rev.

Chester (1784-1848) m Hannah Gates

John (1748-1817) enlisted in Capt. Champion's Co., Col. Samuel Wyllis, 3rd Conn. Reg.; m Miriam Matthews; 2nd Surviah Carpenter

Melitus m Mary Smith (1820-1889)

John Smith (1841-1900) m Elizabeth Strasburgh (1841-1900)

## LINES OF DESCENT

John (1618-1681): Benjamin: Daniel: Zebulon: Zubah

Hingham 1535: Joseph: Thomas: Joseph: Thomas: John 1658

John 1618: Joseph: John: John: Amos: Mark: John 1810

Thomas: William: James before 1650: John: Thomas: Mark: John

1817

James before 1650: John: Mark: John: Mark: John

James before 1650: John: Mark: John: Garnett: John

John 1618 Daniel: Joseph: Joseph: Obadiah 1741

Joseph b 1656 in Ireland had sons, John, Joseph, Thomas, William

## JOSEPH ANDREWS

Joseph 1805-1873, the eighth generation of the Thomas Andrews family who settled in Hingham, Mass., son of Ephraim and Lucy Lane Andrews; engraver in Boston. In or about 1827 became a member of the firm of Carter, Andrews & Co. of Lancaster, Mass. Classed among the best American line-engravers and excelled especially in portrait work.

## ANDREWS NOTES

William Andrews was an early settler at Hartford, 1639; had 30 A of land. He was the first school master and received sixteen pounds per year. He taught for several years. Was a juror in March 1644. Had son Samuel b 10-20-1645; dau. Abigail d 1653.

Francis lived at Hartford; sons John and Thomas bap. 1-2-1647.

James had son John bap. 1646 and son Thomas bap. 1647.

John, Sr. d 1681; wife Mary; sons, Benjamin, John, Abraham, Daniel, Joseph, and daughters; Mary Barnes, Hannah Richards, Rachel Buck.

John Jr. m Hannah Gillet 4-23-1702; issue, Elizabeth 1705/6, Abigail 1707/8, Asahel 1711.

Stephen Andrews m Sarah Gillet 3-29-1705; issue, Elisha 7-10-1706; Dinah 8-10-1708; Charles 10-3-1710; Solomon and Elizabeth Mary 1708, d 1712 (?).

Abraham, son of John., settled at Waterbury; m Sarah Porter; issue, Sarah, Abraham, Jr., Mary, Benjamin, Robert, Abraham d 1693.

Joseph, Sr., son of John of Farmington, settled at Wethersfield; d there 1706; m Rebeckah —; issue, Joseph, Jr., Benjamin, William, Cabel aged 15 in 1709, Rebecca 17, Ann 13.

Edward m Mary Adkins, lived East Hartford 1665; d 1673.

Thomas of Middleton d 1690; issue; Thomas, John, Samuel, Hannah, Elizabeth. He was probably the son of Francis; bap. 1-2-1645/7. A Thomas Andrews m Love Knight, dau. of George 11-20-1702.

John and Rachel his wife lived Middleton; issue; Samuel 1706, Mary 1708, Joseph 1710, Benjamin 1712, Rachel 1714, Phebe 1715, Jane 1718, Elizabeth 1720. John, the father, d 12-6-1724.

Thomas of Middleton m Sarah Porter of Haddam 1720; issue, Sarah 1721, Charles, John, Esther, William 1731/2, Rachel 1734.

The name of Andrews was early in Massachusetts. Daniel, Deputy of Salem Village 1689; John of Ipswich 1642; John of Lynn 1650; John of Boston 1656; Joseph of Hingham 1635; Robert of Ipswich, freeman 1635; Richard of Ipswich 1644; Thomas of Hingham 1635; William of Lynn 1634.

Three Williams admitted freemen 1634, 35, 40, one of them in Cambridge 1635, probably the schoolmaster. Thirteen Andrews had graduated from Yale before 1851, and eighteen from Harvard previous to 1848.

Peter Andrews had land in Maxatauny Twsp., Philadelphia Co., Pa. in 1734. Daniel Roberts had land in Oxford Twsp., same county, same year. Andrew Andrews owned 600 A. land and belonged to Virginia Militia No. 9 in Rockingham Co., Va.

Edward C. Lee and Charles Roberts served on the Gen. Board 1792, Philadelphia. Nicholas Prince participated in MM in Philadelphia Sept. 4, 1684.

Thomas in England, descended from the same ancestor as Lancelot Andrews

- 1a William ca Dinwiddie Co., Va. when 23 yrs. of age; m Avis Garnett; 0 960 A act of death.
- 2a James ca Essex Co. before 1650; m Elizabeth Starkey; d 1684
- 3a John 1680-1754; m Hannah or Ann Stockdale; m 2nd Mary Goffe 1698-1757
- 4a John 1712-1771 m Lenoir McKendree
- 5a John 1749; m Edith Strange; d 1778 at Valley Forge
- 6a Wm. Thomas 1770; m Elizabeth Catherine Stevenson; War 1812
- 7a Albert S. 1803; m Catherine Freeling Welcher
- 7b Chesley 1805; m Frances Crumpacker 1831; m 2nd Margaret Mitchell, 1850
- 8a Prince Albert m Belle O'Brien
- 8b Fanny Catherine m 1851 Tazewell Saul
- 8c Ann m a Westerner
- 5b Wm. Lenoir 1751-1839 m 1771 Anne Ballard
- 6b Wm. Ballard 1775-1852; m Betsey Avery
- 7a Albert Lenoir 1810
- 8a Albert Lenoir, Jr. Commodore, USN, 7-30-1860
- 5c Joseph m 1755 Mabel Roberts
- 6c Wm. 1778-1821; m Mary Lee Wilson
- 4b Thomas b 1718; b Joyce Garnett
- 5a William 1758; m Catey Gains July 5, 1794
- 6a William Gains 1796; m Ann Brooks
- 7a Wm. Capers 1824; m Sarah Ann Hightower
- 7b Thomas 1829-1894; m Caroline Hightower
- 7c Mary E. 1831-1893 m Capt. J. W. F. Hightower
- 5b John 1760; m Nancy Good
- 6a James Garnett 1798; ca Georgia; m Annulet Ball
- 7a Garnett 1837; m 1867 Rosalie Champe Bierne
- 8a Garnett 1870; m Elizabeth Lenoir Key
- 8b Champe Seabury 1876; m Henriette Korber
- 8c Andrew Bierne; m Ellen Gray

8d Oliver Burnside 1882; m Stevie Campbell  
 5d David 1762 m 1787 Elizabeth King  
 6a David 1795 m 1820 Elizabeth Brown  
 5e Alexander 1764  
 4c Mark 1725; m probably Ann Motley  
 5a Wiatt 1756-1791  
 5b William 1758  
 5c Garnett 1759; m Charlotte Dobyns  
 5d Jesse 1760  
 5e Thomas 1761; m Tabitha Lee  
 6a William W. 1788; m Elizabeth Price 12-19-1814  
 6b Thomas 1790  
 6c Mark 1792; m Sally Price 8-22-1822  
 5f John 1762; m 1st Jane Hunnicut; 2nd Sarah Butler  
 7a Joseph 1786; m Anna Marie Binford  
 7b Robert 1789  
 7c John 1796; m Patsy Arnold  
 7d Garnett 1798

## ANDREWS

### JOSEPH, THOMAS, WILLIAM

#### Virginia

Joseph Andrews, 1650-1732, son of Wm., went to Essex Co. and had land in Cumberland Co.; m Mabel Roberts. An application was made in regard to the settlement of his estate in Cumberland Co., Va. in 1732. No will or other records in regard to the estate were found.

Thomas and William Andrews purchased land in Cumberland County. They bought 380 A. from Isaac and Susanna Beacham for 150 pounds, current money of Virginia.

Witnesses: Jesse Carter  
               Travers Downman  
               Thomas Carter

The sale was recorded Nov. 28, 1763. On Jan. 18, 1785, Thomas and Wm. of St. Anne's Parish of the County of Essex sold 380 A. of land in Cumberland Co. to Archer Allen and William Daniel, consideration 350 pounds. The deed was signed by Thomas and William, with a Certificate being drawn up for their wives, who found it inconvenient to make the trip to Court.

Witnesses: William Waring

M. Livingston, Gentlemen Justices from Essex Co.  
 Report of the Justices returned to Court Jan. 2, 1792.

Certified copies of deeds and Certificate accompany this report.

Abstract of Thomas Andrews Deed

Deed Book 3 Page 433

Date Deed Written: November 28, 1763

Grantors: Isaac Beacham & Susanna his wife of the County of Cumberland

Grantee: Thomas Andrews of the County of Essex

Consideration: One hundred and fifty pounds Curr't. Money of Virginia.

Description: Three hundred and eighty acres of land in the County of Cumberland among the south branches of the Willis's River bound by James Daniel, William May, etc.

Deed Signed: Isaac Beacham L. S.

her

Susanna + Beacham L. S.

mark

Witnesses: Jesse Carter, Travers Downman and Thos. Carter.  
November 28, 1763 Received of Thos. Andrews the Just sum of  
forty Pounds Curr't. Money of Virginia Witness my hand.

Isaac Beacham

Witnesses: Jesse Carter, Travers Downman and Thos. Carter.

Date Recorded: November 28, 1763.

Deed and Receipt acknowledged by Isaac Beacham and Susanna  
(His wife being first privily examined Relinquished her Right  
of Dower, etc.)

Test. Thompson Swann, Clk.

Teste:

An Abstract:

R. H. Blanton, Clerk.

Abstract of Thomas Andrews Deed

Deed Book 6 Page 328

Date Deed Written: January 18, 1785.

Grantors: Thomas and William Andrews of the Parish of St.  
Anne in the County of Essex.

Grantees: Archer Allen and William Daniel of the County of  
Cumberland.

Consideration: Three hundred and eighty pounds

Description: Three hundred and eighty acres of land in the  
County of Cumberland bound by Archer Allen, Thomas  
Holland, William Daniel, ——— Bradley, Tucker  
Baughn, Billy Holloway, Joshua Doss, Thos. Addams.

Deed signed: Thomas Andrews L. S.

William Andrews L. S.



Witnesses: William Andrews, Robert Smith and Joshua Doss.

Date Recorded: July 25, 1785.

Teste: Miller Woodson, Clk.

Teste:

An Abstract:

R. H. Blanton, Clerk.

Certificate for Andrews Deed

Deed Book 7 Page 179

William Waring & M. Livingston of the County of Essex, Gentlemen Justices appointed to take the acknowledgment of Elizabeth Andrews wife of Thomas and Frances Andrews wife of William to a deed bearing date January 18, 1785 between Thomas Andrews of the County of Caroline and William Andrews of the County of Essex to Archer Allen and William Daniel... it not being convenient for the said wives to travel to court in person.

Witness Miller Woodson Clerk—the 23rd day of June in the 15th year of the Commonwealth.

Tsch'r. Woodson, D. C.

Report of Justices returned to the Court and certified 2nd (?) day of January, 1792.

William Waring

M. Livingston

Teste:

An abstract:

R. H. Blanton, Clerk.

### CAROLINE COUNTY NOTES

We find many family names here of people who figure in this history. For instance, Michael Brown Roberts was Constable of Caroline County in 1770. Joseph MacGhee was too old to work in 1769. John Broaddus was a Captain in Caroline in 1769; Thomas Broaddus, a 2nd Lieut. was advanced to 1st Lieut. Richard Buckner was a staff officer. Molly Broaddus m James Andrews Jan. 30, 1789.

William MacGhee served as a juror from Caroline County from 1732 to 1745; and was a Magistrate of the County 1772; he was a grain planter and soldier.

Then Capt. Roger Quarels was in the 8th Company. We find Mary E. Quarels married Wm. H. Andrews Apr. 16, 1828. William Washington and John Washington served in the Revolution. Robert Broaddus also lived in Caroline, was in business there. Wm. Copeland left his mercantile business there to his brother, Peter, of Scotland. He served as a Magistrate.

Wm. Montgomery and Sons, Merchants, in Scottish Caroline Co. were from Glasgow or Aberdeen. Had ship "Christian,"

—— Stanley, master. of this trans-Atlantic ship 1730-1745. Later on Montgomery and Co. owned the "Beverly" 1760-1775; James Campbell and John Scott, seamen.

Roger Quarels and Peter Copeland were vestrymen at St. Margaret's Parish. Wm. Lee was a Cooper, Anthony and Lucy Lee were shoemakers; Wm. Broaddus was a tailor. Baron de Botetourt (Norborne Berkley) went to Williamsburg to be Royal Governor in residence.

Essex, King and Queen, and King William counties were formed from Caroline.

In 1667 John Meadows and Henry Peters took up 4200 A. land in Caroline Co., newly formed from Rappahannock, up Peumandsend Creek. Elizabeth Hazelwood lost her land around 1700. Wm. Lee had 12 indentured servants. The Baylor, Corbin and Beverly families had most extensive estates. Other families: Lomas, Taylor, Catlett, Taliaferro, Armistead, Sutton, Hoomes, Batterle, Woolfolk, Conway, Buckner, Carr, Thornton. And of course the names mentioned above. Because of the many changes made in the counties in the early days, a little difficulty is experienced in obtaining records.

### DEATHS AND ESTATES

Joseph Andrews 1732—Roger Quarels, Adm.

Daniel Gaines 1745—Oliver Towles, Adm.

Wm. MacGhee—John MacGhee

Daniel Gaines 1749—Wm. Woodford

Chestley Cochran—?

### ANDREWS IN VIRGINIA

William, son of Thomas, ca from Eng. 1635 to Dinwiddie Co. Va. He m Avis Garnett. Had sons James and Joseph, perhaps others. James came before 1650 to Essex County and bought 132¼ A. land on Occupatia Creek. He m \*Elizabeth Starkey. Later 1678, with Nicholas Copeland, he took up a grant of 567 A. land for bringing in 12 persons to locate in the colony. He d in 1684 and his wife administered his estate that year. She later married William Ramsay.

James and Elizabeth had one son, JOHN 1680-1754, b Essex County. John m 1706 Hannah or Ann Stockdale. After her death he sued the estate of her father, Philip, for his wife's share. They had the following children:

Agnes b 1708; m John Sale

Hannah b 1710; m William Cook, who d 1733; one child, Martha John b 1712; m Lenoir McKendree; son John 1749

Thomas b 1718; m Joice Garnett: Mark: John

Mary b 1721; m — Motley: John: Thomas

Mark b 1725; m Ann Motley, dau. Edwin

John 1680-1754 m 2nd Mary Goffe 1698-1757

William Andrews was a planter of Accomac Co. who came to America before 1615. His will of 1654/5 given in "Eastern Shore of Virginia History" lists his wife as Mary, sons, William, John, Robert.

From "Adventures of Purse and Persons, Virginia" 1607-25, pg. 73: Wm. Andrews, (Andros) 1600-54, to Virginia 1617 aboard Treasurer, settled Eastern Shore 1623; wife (1) Susanna; (2) Mary Stringer. Will, Northampton, mentions 4 sons, a married dau. and minor daughters:

1. William II m (1) Elizabeth Traveller; (2) Dorothea Robeins. Member House of Burgesses 1663; 4 dau. and 3 sons, Wm., John, Robert.
2. Robert d 1657
3. Andrew d 1687; m Elizabeth Johnson; 3 sons, John, Andrew, William
4. John d without issue

### MARK ANDREWS

Mark, 1725-1775, youngest son of JOHN (1680-1754) left a will mentioning the following children:

John  
Thomas  
Garnett  
William

Jesse  
Mary Griffin  
Susanna Andrews  
Ann Andrews

Hannah Andrews

Abstract of Mark Andrews Will

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Abstract of Mark Andrews Will

Name: Mark Andrews of the Parish of Littleton and the County of Cumberland.

Date Written: November 9th (?), 1774.

Legatees: son John )

son Thomas )

son Garnett )

son William )

son Wiatt )

The land and plantation I have in Prince Edward County.

The land and plantation whereon I now live.

son Jesse

daughter Mary Griffin

daughter Susanna Andrews

daughter Ann Andrews

daughter Hannah Andrews

Executors: son John Andrews and son William Andrews.

Will signed: Mark Andrews L. S.

Witnesses: James Doss and John Doss.

Date of Probate: July 24, 1775.  
Will proved by both witnesses.  
Certificate granted John Andrews for obtaining probat.  
Security: William Davenport, John Slaughter, Moses  
Arnold, and Bernard Gaines.  
Test Thompson Swann, Clk.  
Teste:  
An Abstract:

R. H. BLANTON, Clerk.

### THOMAS ANDREWS

Thomas, son of Mark, was born 12-12-1863 in Prince Edward County and died in Bedford County 8-18-1853; m Tabitha Lee 1765-1832, dau. of Wm. Lee of Cumberland Co. and had these children:

Rebecca 1784; m Richard Lee 5-24-1819  
Ann 1786; m Moseby Arnold  
William W.; 1788 m 1814 Elizabeth Price; War 1812  
Thomas 1790  
Mark 1792; m Sally Price

Thomas left a will mentioning all his children but Rebecca who had died. However, her children inherited under the will. They were:

John A. Lee  
James Lee  
Francis Lee  
Susan Lee  
Madison Lee

Thomas served in the Revolutionary War with this record, given in detail in General Services Records: He was drafted June 1780 for 5 mo.; served under Capt. Bellew and Gen. Stearns; he substituted for 3 mo. 1780, serving under Gen. Bowman and Capt. Allen. He also substituted for 3 mo. under Gen. Lafayette and Capt. Anderson at Jamestown in 1781.

### COPY OF PHOTOSTAT OF THOMAS ANDREWS' WILL

I, Thomas Andrews of Sound Mind, do make this my last will and testament, my desire is that all my just debts be paid, which are but few, and of small amount. The property both real and personal that I have given my sons and daughters which has and is now in their possession, I give it to them and their heirs forever. Be it further understood I hold three bonds from my son John Andrews for land sold him, five

hundred dollars each. He is to pay them to my Executor as a part of my estate.

I give to my sons, William W. Andrews and Mark Andrews the land whereon I now live consisting of two tracts, to be equally divided between them,—for my son William W. Andrews a corner of land, beginning at a *corner pointers* (?) in William W. Andrews' fence, thence a strait line to a black jack corner and the same course continued to Blackwater road, thence up the road to the joint corner, Creasy Head. (?) Thomas Andrews and Wm. W. Andrews, I give it to them and their heirs forever. The said reserved for William W. Andrews is to be laid off before the division between William W. Andrews and Mark Andrews is made; the balance of my estate, my desire is that it be equally divided among all my children, namely: Ann D. Arnold, Wm. W. Andrews, the children of Rebecca Lee, viz:- John A. Lee, James Lee, Francis Lee, Susan Lee, Madison Lee, Mark Andrews, John Andrews. My desire is that my son, William W. Andrews act as my Executor, this—under my hand and Seal this 31 March 1846.

Witnesses:	Thomas Andrews (Seal)
Garnett Lee	
Tilghman A. Cobb	
James Adams	

#### ANDREWS

At a Court held for Bedford County the 26th day of September, 1853, this writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Thomas Andrews, deceased, having date the 31st day of March 1846 is produced in Court and proved according to law by the Oath of Garnett Lee, Tilghman A. Cobb and James Adams subscribing witnesses thereto and it was ordered that the said writing be accorded as the last Will and Testament of the aid Thomas Andrews deceased. And on the motion of William W. Andrews the Executor in said Will named who made oath and together with Mark Andrews and Stephen Hicks, William W. Andrews and Garnett Lee his securities entered into and acknowledged bond in the penalty of thirty thousand dollars conditioned according to law, certificate was granted him for obtaining a probat of said Will in due form.

Teste—A. A. A.—  
C. B. C.

A copy—teste:

H. P. Scott, Clerk of the  
Circuit Court of Bedford County, Virginia

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## JOHN ANDREWS

John, son of Mark, m 1st Jane Hunnicut 1782; had one dau., Jane. He m 2nd 1786, Sarah Butler. Issue:

Joseph b 1786; m Anna Marie Binford

Robert b 1789

Martha b 1791

Elizabeth b 1793;; m Robert Hunnicut

John b 1795; m 1825 Patsy Arnold

Garnett b 1798; m 10-13-1826 Charlotte Dobyns.

John served in the Revolutionary War, enlisting at 17. He was wounded at Brandywine and was at Yorktown 1779.

## WIATT ANDREWS

Wiatt, son of Mark, died around the age of 54, seemingly without issue. A certified copy of his will was furnished by the Cumberland County Clerk and is here given. He lived in Prince Edward County and had land in Cumberland County. His estate was left to William, son of Garnett Andrews and to William Smith, son of Robert Smith; Garnett Andrews and Robert Smith, Executors, Cumberland Co. Will probated Jan. 24, 1791.

Witnesses:

In the presence of

Baker LeGrand

John Price

John Slaughter

Wiatt Andrews

Will of Wiatt Andrews

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I, Wiatt Andrews of the County of Prince Edward do make and declare this to be my last will and Testament in manner following My land lying in the County of Cumberland which I have empowered Robt. Smith to Sell the money arising thereof I give and bequeath unto William Andrews (son of Garnett) and William Smith (son of Robert) to be equally divided between them—Lastly I appoint Garnett Andrews and Robert Smith my Executors of this my last will and Testament as witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourth day of May one thousand seven hundred and eighty nine.

Wiatt Andrews. L. S.

In the presents of

Baker Legrand

John Price

John Slaughter

At a court held for Cumberland County the 24th Jan'y.  
1791

This last will and Testament of Wiatt Andrews dec'd was exhibited in Court by Robert Smith & Garnett Andrews and proved by Baker Legrand and John Price two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of the said Robert and Garnett who made oath according to law certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form on giving bond and Security whereupon they with William England & Wm. Andrews their security entered into bond according to law.

Teste:

Tsch'r Woodson, D. C.

A Copy—

Teste:

R. H. Blanton, Clerk.

### **SGT. WILLIAM ANDREWS**

William, b 1758 m Catey Gains of Chattanooga, Tenn. July 5, 1794. He had brothers, Alexander and David, perhaps others. His son, William Gains married Ann Brooks.

William Capers 1824-1864; m Sara Ann Hightower  
Thomas 1829-1894; m Caroline Hightower  
Mary E. 1831-1893; m Capt. J. W. F. Hightower

Sgt. William served in the American Revolution and was granted 200A. of land in Brunswick Co. for his service. He served in the Virginia Militia, Col. W. Heath's 7th Va. Reg., in Capt. Mayo Carrington's Co.; was pensioned as an invalid in 1779 and was pensioned in 1785 as Sgt. He d on 5th March, 1821 in Georgia. He was buried at Oglethorpe, where his grave is decorated by the DAR. His first pension brought him \$60 per year and the second \$96 per year. He m Catey Gains.

David b 1760 owned 160 A. land in Brunswick Co., 1782; removed to Wake Co., N. C.; owned land in Stewart Co. Tenn.; m 10-29-1787 Elizabeth King.

David 1793-1843 settled in Giles Co. Tenn. Owned land in Stewart Co.; ca 1810; was beneficiary under wills of Aunts, Ann and Susanna King; m 1820 Elizabeth Brown. Sons: Col. Frank; Cpl. Wm. W.; Capt. James D. Andrews.

### **The following information taken from the Marriage Index of Cumberland County, Virginia.**

Names of Parties: William Andrews and Catey Gains

Date of Marriage Bond: July 5, 1794

Surety on Bond: Wm. Andrews and Larkin Smith.

A Copy—

Teste:

R. H. Blanton, Clerk.

### GARNETT ANDREWS

John 1762-1816 m Nancy Goode, dau. John; went to Ga. with others. Served Am. Rev.

James Garnett 1798-1873 ca Ga., m Annulet Ball

Garnett 1837-1903; m 1867 Rosalie Champe O'Bierne

1. Garnett b 1870 m 1895 Elizabeth Lenoir Key

2. Champe Seabury b 1876 m Henriette Korber

3. Andrew Bierne b 1878 m Ellen Gray

4. Oliver Burnside b 1882 m Stevie Campbell

Garnett, born 5-15-1837; d 5-6-1903; was the descendant of the Am. Rev. soldier, John 1762, who went to Ga. with his brother and other relatives after the war and who married Nancy Goode. His son, James Garnett 1798-1873 was a Judge of one of the Courts of Ga. for 27 years. He married Annulet Ball, granddaughter of Stephen Ball, surgeon of the Am. Rev. War. Garnett, 1837 was the first man in his county to enter the Confederate Service and was made a Lt. in the First Ga. Regulars, serving actively in Va. and N. C.; was twice everely wounded. Lived in Miss. for a time; m Rosalie Champe Bierne of Monroe Co. W. Va. (granddaughter of Col. Andrew O' Bierne who came to this country 1793 from Ireland); was a member of Congress; lived in Chattanooga, Tenn. where he enjoyed a fine law practice; served as Mayor of Chattanooga for two terms 1891. Garnett (9-5-1870) m Elizabeth Lenoir Key, who was the dau. of Col. David McKendree Key and sister of Albert Lenoir Key (7-30-1860), Loudon, Tenn., Commodore USN. Faultless in dress, courtly in demeanor, impatient with anything like dishonesty, abundance of physical and moral courage, a gentleman of the old school.

Note: Col. Andrew O'Bierne 1771-1845 ca from Ireland to Monroe Co. in Va. in 1800 and was a member of the 25th and 26th Congresses; m Ellen Keenan. He served in the War of 1812 where he equipped a Regiment at his own expense.

### ANDREWS

Photostatic Copy, Marriage Bond Recorded in Bedford County, Va.

Know all men by these presents that we, Chesley Andrews and Abram Crumpecker are held and firmly bound unto John Floyd Esqr., Governor or Chief Magistrate of the Commonwealth of Virginia and his successors in office in the



just and full sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, current money of Virginia to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and each of our heirs, and sealed and dated this 27th day of December, 1830.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas there is a marriage shortly intended to be had and solemnized between the above bound Chesley Andrews and Frances Crumpecker.

Now, if there shall be no lawful cause to obstruct said marriage, then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force and virtue.

Test;

G. A. Wingfield

Chesley Andrews (Seal)

Abram Crumpecker (Seal)

The clerk of the County Court of Bedford to issue a license to Chesley Andrews to be married to my daughter Frances Crumpecker. Given under my hand this 27th day of December 1830.

Test;

Owen Crumpecker

Abram Crumpecker

Peter Crumpecker

In Bedford County, Va. Chesley Andrews, son of Wm. Thomas was born 1805. He m 1st Frances Crumpecker 1-6-1831, dau. of Peter; Abraham Crumpecker surety, Robert Burwell, Minister. Issue:

Ann

Prince Albert

Frances Catherine

Married 2nd Margaret Mitchell 1851, dau. Daniel, David Mitchell surety.

Issue: Bennett

Thomas

Frances Catherine Andrews m Tazewell Saul 9-14-1833.  
Issue:

William m Elizabeth—

Roberta m John Wigington

Charles m Ann Bowman

Frances m David Bryant

Jubalee m Lulu Turnbull

Creed Thomas m Landonia Flora

Rosalie d at 18

Lelia m Lee Montgomery  
Bedford m ?  
Virginia Ann m Thomas Schuyler  
Gertrude m Wesley Lynch

Creed Thomas m Landonia Flora (dau Peter) Mar. 11,  
1888. Issue:

Lillie Mae 12-31-1888  
Virginia Golden 6-10-1891  
Peter Tazewell 5-29-1893  
Flora Gertrude 4-12-1896  
Reuben Cecil 10-24-1906

Lillie Mae Saul (dau. of Thomas) m Harry Keller Feb.  
2, 1909

Guy Winfield 1910; m Charlotte Cameron 1940  
Esther b 1911  
Ethel b 1913; m Ira Wells 1942  
Elva Marie b 1914; m James Blei 1937  
Clyde b 1918  
Allan b 1924 m Therese Seehuber of Waging Am Sec, Germ.  
Ruby b 1926 m Aloys Meyer 1947  
Virginia Golden b 1891; m 1910 Charles Swisher Trout.  
Gordon LaVerne b 1915; m Erma Lamb Henry 1949  
Edith Lenore 1917-1925  
Kathryn Roberta Irene b 1921; m 1946 Wm. Cole, Madison, Wis.  
Virginia G. Trout m 2nd C. W. Walgreen

Peter Tazewell Saul b 1893; m Mary Sharpe 1913.

Dale Robert b 1914; m Anita Stocking, David City, Nebr.  
Dean Thomas b 1917; d 1959; m Rosalie Ila Hevelone 1940  
Lloyd Peter b 1918; m Vivian Uridil

Flora Gertrude Saul b 1896; m Arthur Orrin Evans July  
5, 1913 at Omaha.

Harriett Pearl b 1915; m John Samuel Morrison III  
Frances Hazel Evans b 1917; m Andrew J. Koenig  
Miland Evans m May — ; live at Battleground, Wash.  
James Edward Evans m Mrs. Alice Pack, R. N.  
Dora Evans m — Julian  
Leonard Lester Evans did not marry.  
George Raymond Evans m Dorothy Drouillard, Grand Portage,

Minn.

Eugene Loyd m Lorraine Stevens.

Reuben Cecil Saul b 1906 m 1st Golda Curtis 1928 (She  
d 1935).

Georgia Ann b 1929; m George Anderson 1950  
Marilyn Darlene b 1930;; m Kieth Wagner, 1950  
Richard Clayton b 1932; m Geraldine Kriebs 1955  
Reuben Cecil Saul m 2nd Pearl Riley 1936.

## SAUL-LYNCH

Gay Gertrude Saul (dau Tazewell) m Wesley Lynch  
(Lived Washington, D. C.)

Albert b 1903; m Olivia Montgomery

Earl b 1906; m Martha Stackpole

Virginia b 1912; m James Fowler

## O'BRIEN-ANDREWS

Thomas Lynch Jr., b 1749 in Prince George Parish, only son of Thomas and Elizabeth, was educated at Eaton and graduated from Cambridge. Signed the Declaration of Independence; d at sea.

Prince Albert Andrews m Belle O'Brien (He was the brother of Frances Catherine)

Issue: Fannie m Wm. Myers

Odessa m Preston McClelland

Issue: Saba, George, Mae, Rachel, James

Albert, Jr. m Lena—

Issue: Dai, Donald, Ethel, Hazel

Hazel m Ray Bott

## OHIO ANDREWS

### Brothers:

Samuel Bird

Simeon

Leonard m Harriett Wheeler

Issue: 1. James Monroe (1844-1919) m Lois Evans d 1893

2. Joseph Bird m Millie Sweet

3. Sanford m Charlotta —

4. Cornelius Curtis did not marry.

Descendants of James Monroe and Lois:

1. Cora m Ernest Carleton

Issue: Grace m Herman Meyers

Ethel m 1st Claude Winchell

2nd Chris Battrup

Leona m Charles Seaton

2. Nora m Arthur Carleton (no issue)

3. Mae deceased as a child

4. Ernest Monroe m Myra Wolverton

Issue: Clifford Andrews

Descendants of Joseph Bird and Millie:

1. Francis Walter m Edna Greenfield

2. Jesse m Lillian — who died early

Sanford and Charlotta had no children.

Cornelius Curtis did not marry

## ANDREWS MARRIAGES

William m 1st Mary—in Eng. She d 1639/40; m 2nd Anna Tapp

John 1680-1754; m 1st Ann Stockdale; 2nd Mary Goffe 1698-1769

Gibaud

Moses 1722-1806 m Lydia Root 1725-1806

John 1720-1750 m Frances Hunter

Nathaniel 1762-1845 m Jerusha Sage 1771-1857

Daniel 1800-1890 m Anna Mackey d 1832  
 John 1749-1817 m Edith Strange  
 Thomas 1728-1815 m Elizabeth Davis  
 Joseph m Anna Maria Binford 1-19-1822. Apt. clk. of 6-18-1831  
 Elizabeth reported m to Robert Hunnicut 11-12-1815  
 John m 1-12-1823 Patsy Arnold; dau. of Ann; Moseby Arnold surety  
 Wm. E. m Frances T. Lee, dau. of Richard H. 10-26-1846  
 Wm. W. m Elizabeth Price, dau of Charles 12-20-1814  
 Note: Ellis Angel m Peggy Wigington, John Wigington, Sr. surety  
 James Garnett Andrews 1798-1873 m Annulet Ball, granddau. of  
 Stephen Ball  
 Note: Col Andrew Bierne 1771-1845 m Ellen Keenan  
 Garnett 1837-1903 m 1867 Rosalie Champe Bierne 1841  
 Garnett 1870 m 10-30-1895 Elizabeth Lenoir Key, b Chattanooga  
 3-30-1876  
 John 1762-1816 m Nancy, dau of John Goode. Had bro. Alexander.  
 Champe Seabury b 1876 m Henriette Korber  
 Andrew Bierne 1878 m Ellen Gray  
 Oliver Burnside 1882 m Stevie Campbell  
 William Lenoir 1751-1839 m 1771 Anne Ballard  
 William Ballard 1775-1852 m Betsey Avery  
 Albert S. 1803-1861 m Catherine Freeling Welcher  
 Chesley 1805 m 1-6-1831 Frances Crumpacker, dau. Peter, Abram  
 Crumpacker, surety  
 Joseph b 11-3-1752 m 5-17-1774 Mabel Roberts  
 Note: Peter Crumpacker m 11-22-1902 Charlotte Roberts, John  
 Roberts, surety  
 Note: Edward Dobyns ca. Va. 1747-1794; m Frances Key  
 Garnett Andrews 1759 m Charlotte Dobyns 10-17-1791; dau. Sophia;  
 Thomas G. Dobyns surety; m by Wm. Leftwich  
 Wm. 1788-1821 m Mary Lee Wilson  
 William ca Dinwiddie Co. 1635; m Avis Garnett  
 William 1758 m Catey Gains 5 July 1794, surety bond, Wm. Andrews  
 and Larkin Smith, Cumberland County.  
 William Gains 1796 m Anne Brooks  
 David b 1760 m 10-29-1787 Elizabeth King  
 David 1893-1843 m Elizabeth Brown  
 James m 1-30-1789 Molly Broaddus, Caroline Co.  
 Lawrence m 12-25-1901 Mary M. Jones. Same Co.  
 Mary H. m 6-21-1843 Wm. B. Bruce  
 James m 12-8-1823 Sara Barbee  
 Catherine Ann m 3-14-1849 Thomas E. Phillips  
 Wm. m 4-16-1828 Mary E. Quarels  
 Note: Sarah aptd. Elder 10-19-1811. Caroline Co. Quaker records.  
 Wm. Capers 1824-1864 m Sara Ann Hightower  
 Thomas 1829-1894 m Caroline Hightower  
 Mary E. 1831-1893 m Capt. J. W. F. Hightower  
 Ann Andrews 1786 m Moseby Arnold. Dau. of Thomas 1761.  
 John 1760 m 1st 1782 Jane Hunnicut. One dau., Jane.  
 m 2nd 1786 Sarah Butler, dau. Joseph and Miriam Butler  
 Lawrence m Mary M. Jones 1801 in Caroline Co.  
 Elizabeth 1793 m Robert Hunnicut 11-12-1815; dau. of John, son of  
 Mark.

John b 1796 (son of John) m Patsy Arnold 2-12-1823. Moseby Arnold surety.

Thomas 1761-1853 m about 1785 Tabitha Lee, dau. Wm. Lee, Bedford Co.

Thomas 1730 m Elizabeth —, Caroline Co.

William 1728 m Frances —. Deeds and certificate on record.

John 1720 m Frances Hunter

Joseph 1750 m Mabel Roberts

Mark 1792 m Sally S. Price 8-22-1822. John A. Price surety.

Rebecca 1784 m 5-4-1819 Richard Lee. Mark Andrews surety.

Wm. W. 1788 m 12-20-1814 Elizabeth Price. John A. Price surety.

William E. m Frances T. Lee 10-26-1846

Chesley 1805; m 1st 1-6-1831 Frances Crumpacker, dau Peter, Abram Crumpacker, surety. Married by Robert Burwell.

Chesley m 2nd 1850 Margaret Mitchell, dau. Daniel, David Mitchell surety.

Wm. Thomas m Elizabeth Catherine Stevenson

David b 1760 m 1787 Elizabeth King

David 1793 m Elizabeth Brown

William 1749 m 1769 Jane Hays; d 1776; b Boston

Wm. 1788-1821 m Mary Lee Wilson

Garnett 1759 m Charlotte Dobyns

Note: Edward Dobyns 1747-1794 ca from England to Culpepper Co., Va. Served in the American Revolution. Settled in Mason County, Kentucky; m Frances Key.

## Chapter VII



### Lee

## Background Data

**I**N 1200 A. D., a doughty Norman knight built himself a house in a meadow under a hill, near Coton Hall, in Shropshire, the western part of what is now the Midlands.

Since lea means meadow, he named his house "Lea Under Pimhill" and took the descriptive name of Reyner de Lea.

Then in the 17th century, a descendant, Richard Lee, went to live at Nordley Regis, north of Coton Hall. His son, also named Richard, studied law in London, then emigrated to Virginia to become Law Clerk to the new Governor, Sir Thomas Wyatt.

In honor of the Lees, the country around Kingsnordley has been set aside and named "Lee Country." And fair and lovely country it is, well worth a visit even if one does not claim kinship with the family of Robert E. Lee and the dashing General "Light Horse" Harry Lee.

Shropshire is rich in beauty, in legend and in history. Its country town, Shrewsbury, set in a great bend of the Severn River, 156 miles from London, abounds in ancient and magnificent architecture, including an ancient castle of red sand stone.

Set on a hill, the castle was built by Robert de Montgomery and added to by King Edward I in the 13th century. Nearby stands the house where Henry Richmond, soon to become Henry VIII, stayed in 1486 before the historic battle of Bosworth.

Near Coton Hall, a solitary hill rises above the plains. This is Wrekin, a hill, geologists claim to be the oldest in the land. Houseman wrote of it in his "Shropshire Lad" poems.

In all, Shropshire is an area of wooded hills, gentle dales and wonderful stands of ancient oak, pine, maple, that

guard carpets of velvety green turf. Castles, manors, abbeys and beautiful old farmhouses add interest to the scene.

— Temple Manning

Charles Lee 1731-1782, British-American soldier, b at Dernhill, Cheshire, England. He entered the British army at an early age and saw service in America under Braddock in the Fort Dequesne expedition. Later he migrated to America on the eve of the Revolutionary War where he joined the Patriots' Party. In 1775 he was appointed by Congress to the second major-generalship, in the Continental Army, ranking next to Washington. Captured by the British early in 1776, he was in danger of being transported to England as a deserter, when the intervention of Washington secured his exchange as an ordinary prisoner of war. It was said in some quarters that he had gone into the American Army deliberately in order to betray it. If that were true, and I doubt it, then he used extremely poor reasoning. But later he retired to his estate in the Shenandoah Valley, Virginia.

Henry Lee 1756-1818, b near Dumfries, Va., American soldier and statesman served under Gen. Washington and became famous as "Light Horse Harry" for his frequent successes as an outpost leader. After leaving the army because of ill health, he was a member of the Continental Congress (1786-88) and supported the Federal Constitution 1788; was Governor of Virginia (1793-95) and served in Congress (1799-1801). He wrote *Memoirs of the War in the Southern Department*, 1812; was the father of Robert Edward Lee, the Confederate General.

Charles Lee 1758-1815, Attorney-General under President Washington, was born at Leesylvania, Va. He practiced law in Westmoreland County and was a representative of the general assembly in Va. After the death of Attorney-General Bradford, Aug. 23, 1795, President Washington appointed him to that post in his Cabinet on Dec. 10, 1795 and he continued in that position up to the very last month of President Adams' administration, when he resigned and was succeeded by Theophilus Parsons.

Francis Lightfoot 1734-1797, b Stratford, Virginia, American patriot and signer of the Declaration of Independence, served in the house of Burgesses and was elected to the Continental Congress 1775, a position he held for three years. He took part in the debates on the Treaty of Peace with Great Britain, insisting on the maintenance of American rights in the Newfoundland fisheries and Mississippi navigation.

Arthur 1740-92, b Stratford, Westmoreland County Virginia. In 1766 he took up the study of law and interested himself in politics. As secret agent of Congress in London, he entered into negotiations with various European governments, and helped conclude the Treaty with France. Member of the Virginian Assembly 1781, and of the Continental Congress 1782-85, he was appointed to treat with the tribes of the North West 1784. He was one of the American Representatives in Europe during the Revolutionary War. Lived at Loudon, Va.

Richard Henry 1732-94, was a patriot of the American Revolution, born Stratford, Westmoreland County, Va. Entering the House of Burgesses, he made his debut as an orator in a motion proposing restrictions on the importation of slaves. A member of the first and second Continental Congress, he initiated the movement which culminated in the Declaration of Independence, which he signed. In the debates on the constitution he opposed the Federal views, but nevertheless supported Washington's Administration.

Robert Edward Lee, 1807-70, born at Stratford, Westmoreland County, Va., lost his father when he was eleven years of age and at eighteen he entered West Point, where he graduated second in his class in 1829 and received a second lieutenant's commission in the Engineers. In 1832 he married Mary Custis, daughter of George Washington Parke Custis, adopted son of Gen. George Washington, and grandson of his wife by her first marriage.

He became 1st Lieutenant in 1836 and Captain in 1838. He was severely wounded at Chapultepec and for meritorious service received his third brevet promotion in rank. Colonel Lee was in command of the Department of Texas in 1860 but was recalled when war seemed imminent between the slave and free states. President Lincoln offered him the field command of the Federal Forces, but he declined and sent his resignation to General Scott, Apr. 22, three days after Virginia had seceded from the Union. On that day he became commander-in-chief of the military and naval forces of Virginia. The way he fought and the battles he fought belong rather to a history of the war than to a biography. However he lost and surrendered an army of over 27,000 men to Gen. Grant at Appomattox Court House on Apr. 9, 1865, and the four-year war was practically ended.

After the close of the war, although deprived of his former property at Arlington on the Potomac, and the White House on the Pamunky, he declined many proffered offers of



pecuniary aid and accepted the presidency of Washington College, since called the Washington and Lee University, at Lexington, Va. General Lee had three sons and four daughters. The eldest son, George Washington Custis Lee, graduated at the head of his class at West Point in 1854, resigned as first lieutenant in the United States army in 1861 and was an aide-de-camp to Jefferson Davis 1861-63; major general of a division of the army of northern Virginia in 1864, and successor to his father as president of Washington and Lee University in 1871. William Henry Fitzhugh Lee, the second son, was major-general of cavalry in the Confederate army and afterward a member of Congress. Captain Robert E. Lee of the Confederate cavalry was the third son.

A book, *Lee the American*, was written by Gamaliel Bradford, 1912.

And a book by Douglas Southall Freeman, *R. E. Lee* (4 vols., 1935)

### LEE MARRIAGES

Some of these marriages were found in the Handbook of the Institute of American Genealogy, Chicago, available in most libraries.

Stephen 1613-1713 ca. Pawtuxet; m Sarah Smith 1629-1713

Stephen 1654-1720 of R. I.; m 1688 Mary Sheldon 1660-1735

John m Joan, dau. of Thomas Vincent

Edward 1707-1775 m 1729 Hannah Sheldon

Edward 1759-1842 m 1781 Mercy Phettiplace b 1746, dau. Sam; drummer Am. Rev. Went to Little Falls, N. Y.

David 1791-1880, Herkimer, N. Y.; m 1815 Alpha Seaward; Drummer War 1812

David Seaward 1824-1922, Afton, Iowa, body guard to Z. Taylor. m 1st Hattie M. Pierce; m 2nd Margaret Vieth 1867

### QUAKER RECORDS

Richard Henry Lee m 1769 Ann Gaskin Pinchard, Dumfries

Richard m 5-24-1819 Rebecca Andrews, dau. Thomas, Mark Andrews Surety.

Beverly m 10-27-1799 Rebecca Lee, dau. Wm. Lee, Garnett Lee surety m by Alderson Weeks.

Garnett m 1st 6-13-1814 Polly Robinson, dau. Mary; m by Charles Price; m 2nd 4-14-1820 Alvira Thorp; Howel Lewis, surety

Wiatt Lee m 1-12-1821 Amelia Lee; Mark Andrews surety, consent of Garnett Lee.

Francis L. Lee m 8-28-1804 Sally Moorman, Thomas Watson, surety, consent of Nancy Moorman.

Francis Lee m Nancy Bowcock, Elijah Bowcock surety.

Joseph Linsey Lee 1840 m 1861 Emma James b 1845 Franklin Co., Va.

John Lee m 9-11-1824 Mary C. E. Manson, James L. Claytor,  
 surety  
 Richard Alexander Lee 1814-1899 m 1835 Mary Jane Shumaker 1821-  
 1912. He was the son of Beverly and Rebecca  
 Ann Lee, dau. Wm. m Nathaniel Price.  
 Edw. Price Lee m 1851 Apphia Arnold, dau. Ann; d 1863  
 Moseby Arnold Lee 1865; m 1888 Anna Elizabeth Jones  
 Henry Lee, brother of Richard Henry, m Lucy Grimes (Lowland  
 Beauty)

### LEE MARRIAGES

Ann Lee, dau, of Richard Henry, m Dr. Walter Jones, and their  
 dau. Virginia m Dr. Thomas Miller  
 Sally Lee, dau, of Maj. John m John J. Crittenden  
 Richard Lee, son of Wm., m Miss Letitia Corbin  
 Samuel Y. Lee m Margaret Mitchell  
 Elizabeth Lee m Zachery Taylor 1707-1768  
 Col. Richard Taylor 1744-1829 m Sarah Dabney Strother. Col. Am.  
 Rev.  
 John Lee m 1769 Tabitha—(parents of Beverly)  
 Richard H. Lee had dau. Frances T. Lee who m Wm. E. Andrews  
 10-26-1846

### BEDFORD COUNTY

10-26-1829 William m Mary B. Adams. Samuel Adams, surety  
 11-30-1840 William H. m Adeline S. Jones, dau. Capt. Henry; Edwin  
 J. Jones surety  
 12-5-1840 Richard m Almary C. Arnold, Moseby Arnold, surety  
 11-27-1843 Burwell m Elizabeth Purcell, dau. Thomas, David W.  
 Quarels, surety  
 9-19-1948 Lafayette m Amanda H. Cofer, consent of Henry Jones,  
 guardian  
 5-9-1787 John W. Wigington m Marget McGeorge, consent of  
 Thomas Overstreet, hatter, guardian; Joseph Drury, surety; m by James  
 Mitchell.  
 5-24-1819 Richard m Rebecca Andrews, Mark Andrews, surety;  
 dau. Thomas.

### WAR RECORDS

Wm. Lee 1734-1802 served as a private in Capt. Wm. McKee's Co.  
 from Amherst, Capt. Cobb's Co., Militia 1781 for the aid of Southern  
 States. Died in Bedford County. Married Ava Noel.  
 John Lee 1748-1818, commissioned Ensign 1775 First Va. Reg. Died  
 Campbell County; m Tabitha. They were the parents of Beverly Lee  
 who m Rebecca Lee, 1799. Their son, Richard Alexander m Mary Jane  
 Shumaker (1821-1912).

### LEE NOTES

Col. Richard Lee came from Eng. 1641 to York Co., Va., was  
 Burgess, Councilor, Sac. of State under Sir Wm. Berkley, and Justice  
 m Anne —.  
 Col. Richard Lee 1647-1711, Councilor, Burgess, m Letitia Corbin.  
 Henry Lee 1729-1787, Justice, Burgess, member Convention 1774-  
 76; m Lucy, dau, Charles Grymes.

Richard Bland 1761-1827 m Elizabeth Collins.  
 Zacheus Collins Lee 1805-1859 m Martha Ann Jenkins, desc.  
 Thomas Jenkins, Charles Co., Md., who ca 1670.  
 Richard Henry Lee m Isabella George 1849-1892; dau. of Wm.  
 Hutton Wilson, son of John, who ca from Ireland to Baltimore.  
 Richard Henry Lee m Mary Warner  
 Robert Edward Lee 1807-1890; Gen. in the Civil War.  
 Thomas Lee 1710-1769 b Barbados, ca Charleston, S. C.; m Mary  
 Giles 1732.

William Lee 1734-1802 m Ava Noel. Served as private in  
 Capt. McKee's Co.; Capt. Cobb's county militia 1781 for the Aid  
 of Southern States. He d in Bedford Co., Va. John Lee 1748-  
 1818, Ensign 1775, 1st Va. Reg. Died in Campbell County, Va.

The Lee and Andrews families lived in Cumberland and  
 Bedford as well as other counties and intermarried. Therefore  
 notes on the Lee Family are included in this report. William  
 Lee and his wife Ava had these children mentioned in his  
 will which was written 6-8-1799 and probated in Bedford  
 County 9-26-1803:

Tabitha, who m Thomas Andrews about 1783.  
 John b 1769 who had son Alexander  
 Garnett who m 1st Polly Robinson; 2nd Alvira Thorp  
 Rebecca who m Beverly Lee; had dau. Nancy T. Lee, son Richard  
 Ava, who m William Hicks  
 Wm. Jr. had sons Richard and John, dau. Nancy  
 Ann who m Nathaniel Price  
 Richard Lee who m Rebecca Andrews.

Division of his property among his children is shown in a sep-  
 arate document.

A photostat of the will of William Lee was furnished by the Clerk  
 of the Circuit Court, H. P. Scott, given on Pg. 34 of Book 5, of Bedford  
 County and is beautifully done.

### WILL OF WILLIAM LEE

In the name of God Amen, I, William Lee, of the County  
 of Bedford, and the Parish of , being in perfect health of  
 body and of sound mind and memory, Thanks be to Almighty  
 God, for the same. And calling to mind the uncertainty of life,  
 do make my last will and testament in manner and form fol-  
 lowing (To wit). First and principally, I recommend my soul  
 into the hands of Almighty God, who gave it, hoping to re-  
 ceive perfect consummation and and a joyful resurrection  
 with the Just at the last day. My body, I commit to the earth,  
 to be decently buried by Executors hereafter named. And as  
 touching such worldly Estate as it hath pleased Almighty  
 God to bestow upon me, I give and dispose of as followeth: I  
 first and foremost desire that all my just and lawful debts be

paid and discharged — I first lend unto my beloved wife Ava Lee, all my Estate both real and personal until my youngest child becomes of age or married. Then I desire that there be a division of my Estate. First, reserving to my wife Ava Lee, during her natural life, three Negro women, —, one negro man named — and one negro boy named —; and the plantation where I now live with 2 horses and 6 head of cattle, 2 feather beds and their furniture, one third part of other household and kitchen furniture, she taking her choice and after her death, the whole of that part of the Estate to be equally divided amongst all my children then surviving.

Item: I give unto Thomas Andrews and my daughter, Tabitha, his wife, one Negro woman named —, and all her increase that is now and in the said Thomas Andrews' possession, and all her future increase; also one feather bed and furniture and sundry other things necessary for housekeeping and more that they have and have had in their possession. I give it to them and their heirs forever. — Item: I give unto my son Alexander Lee one feather bed and furniture with a horse and sundry other things necessary for Housekeeping, that he has had and is now in his possession; I give it to him and his heirs forever. Item: I give unto my son John Lee, one feather bed and furniture, with sundry other things necessary for Housekeeping, that he has had and is now in his possession. I give it to him and to his heirs forever. Further, I desire that there be paid to my son, John Lee, twenty-four pounds cash to furnish him with a horse which money is to be paid out of my estate. My further desire is that all my other children, (namely) Garnett Lee, Rebecca Lee, Ave Lee, Wm. Lee, Richard Lee and Ann Lee, that there be paid to each of them thirty pounds cash, and also to be furnished each of them with good feather bed and furniture apiece. — My further desire is that there be paid out of moneys arriving from the sales of my estate to my children (viz. to each of them hereafter named) Alexander Lee, John Lee, Garnett Lee, Rebecca Lee, Ava Lee, William Lee, Richard Lee and Ann Lee, the just and full sum of one hundred and thirty pounds good and lawful money of Virginia — I further desire that if there is any surplus left after paying of the above legacies, that it be equally divided between the whole of my children (here he names them all again) Lastly, I constitute and appoint my son-in-law, Thomas Andrews and my sons, Alexander Lee, John Lee and Garnett Lee Executors to this my last Will and Testament, hereby making all other wills whatsoever made by me heretofore made (void) and appointing this to be my last Will and

Testament in manner and form a . In Testimony hereof  
I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Eighth day of June  
in the year of Our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred  
and ninety nine.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged  
in the presence of  
Roger Williams  
John Lee  
Beverly Lee

William Lee (Sealed)

Codicil:— My desire is that the part of  
my estate allotted in the foregoing will to  
my daughter, Rebecca, be vested in my  
above Executors in trust for use of my  
said daughter during her life and after  
her Death, to her children, if any. If none  
to her brothers and sisters equally.

(Signed and sealed)

23 July, 1803. Wm. Lee

### LEE NOTES

Maj. John Lee went from Virginia to Johnston Co.  
N. C. and had a large landed estate about 1746, which passed  
to his heirs, one of them, Addison Green Lee, of Raleigh, N. C.  
He enlisted at 17 and was at Yorktown. He m Elizabeth Bell;  
rec'd 5,000 A of land for service in the Am. Rev. His dau.  
Sally, m John J. Crittenden.

Thomas Ludwell Lee served as a member of the Con-  
ventions of 1775 and was on the Committee of Safety.

### WILL OF RICHARD LEE

In the Name of God, Amen. I, Richard Lee of the  
County of Bedford, being of sound mind, and in my usual  
health, but mindful of the uncertainty of life and certainty of  
Death, do make this my last Will and Testament, in manner  
and form, to wit:—

In the first place I commend my Soul to God, and my  
Body to the Earth, to be decently buried by my Executors  
herein after named. And as to such worldly Estate as I may  
seized or possessed of, make the following disposition—

It is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid.  
After the payment of my just debts, I lend to my beloved wife,  
Tabitha—Lee, during her life, or so long as she may remain  
my widow, all my Estate, both real and personal, of whatso-  
ever nature or kind, to be freely used by her for her com-  
fortable maintenance and support until her Death or mar-  
riage; desiring that she shall enjoy and cultivate my lands, with-

out impeachments of waste, and kill and use the stock at her discretion.

I realse to my nephew, Alexander Lee, son of my brother, John, the debt he owes me with its interest—

After the death or marriage of my wife, I will and desire that all my Estate, both real and personal which I may not otherwise have disposed of, by deed or otherwise be divided into two equal parts; and that one part, or half thereof, be divided into four equal parts; one part whereof I lend to Garnett Lee during his Life, and at his Death to be equally divided amongst his children; one other part thereof I lend to Tabitha Andrews, during her Life and at her Death, to be equally divided abongst her children; one other part thereof to Richard Lee, son of William, during his Life, and at his Death, to be equally divided amongst his children; and the other part thereof, to Nancy Lee, daughter of William Lee during her Life, and at her Death to be equally divided amongst her children.

It is my will and desire, that the remaining part, or half of my Estate, be divided into five equal parts; one part whereof I lend to John Lee, son of William, during his life and at his Death, to be equally divided amongst his children; one other part thereof, I lend to Rebecca Lee, wife of Beverly Lee during her Life, and at her Death to be equally divided amongst her children; one other part thereof I lend to Avy or Evy Hicks, wife of William Hicks, during her life, and at her Death to be equally divided amongst her children; one other part thereof I lend to Elizabeth Fowler, during her Life and at her Death to be equally divided amongst her children; and the other part thereof I lend to Patsy Arnold during her Life, and at her Death to be equally divided amongst her children.

It is my further will and desire that if I have heretofore executed, or shall hereafter execute any Deed, or Deeds, which may not be deemed valid in law to effect the object, intended to be accomplished thereby, that for the purpose of accomplishing the object thereby intended to be attained, such Deed or Deeds shall be considered as incorporated with and sanctioned thereby, in the same manner as if a special provision were herein made to the same effect.

I hereby revoke all other wills heretofore made by me, and appoint my friends, Edward Watts and John Dabney Executors of this my last Will and Testament—In Testimony

whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Affixed my Seal this  
22nd Day of December 1811.

Signed, sealed, acknowledged,  
& published by Richard Lee as his  
last Will and Testament before us  
who attest the same in his presence.  
Christopher Anthony, Jr.  
Rodiwick Teli ferro

Richard Lee (Sealed)

The Executors named in the will refused to accept the  
burden of the Execution of this will, Courts having met 23  
Aug. 1814 and again 24 Apr. 1815 in this regard. Tabitha Lee  
made oath and obtained Certificate for obtaining Letters of  
Administration. Teste, S. Steptoe. Photostatic copy furnished by  
H. P. Scott, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Bedford County.  
Will Book 4, pg. 169

## Chapter VIII



### Saul

**F**ROM THE "Confession" of St. Patrick of Irish fame, now regarded as authentic by scholars, we know that he was born at Bannaven in Britain. His father was \*Calpurnius a Roman platoon leader, stationed there. The Roman legions never did get to Ireland, but Patrick did. At the age of 16 he was taken to Ireland by Irish pirates and was a slave to Nilchu, a Druid High Priest, where he tended his flocks in the Slemish Mountains in County Antrim for 6 years. He finally escaped and fled back to his home, but being a Roman Catholic, his concern for the Irish children, finally took him back to Erin. With the blessing of Pope Celestine I, he returned in the year 432 as a missionary. This was 14 years after his escape.

Skirting Dublin, which was not to be founded yet for another 400 years, he and his party put in at Skerries for supplies. In the morning the goat he had trained to carry water was gone and one of history's longest feuds began. Without his goat, he continued north and landed at *Saul*, in County Down. He died in 461. This is the first mention of the name Saul in western Europe to be found by this writer.

*\* Calpurnius is the name of one of the old plebian clans in Rome, one of the family names being Piso. Calpurnia Piso was the wife of Julius Caesar.*

*Note: Roman Emperor Claudius subdued the Britons in 43 A. D. and the 300 years occupation began.*

### SAUL BACKGROUND

Arthur Saul, cannon of Gloucester, of Gloucestershire origin, d 1585. Was admitted a demy of Magdalen College, Oxford in 1554/5. He graduated B.A. in 1546 and M.A. in 1548/9. Fellow of Magdalen from 1546-53 (Bloxam, Registers of Magdalen iv.99) In Oct. of the latter year he was expelled at Bishop Gardiner's visitation and under Queen Mary was an exile and



in 1554 was at Strausburg with Alexander Nowell and others. Under Queen Elizabeth, Saul was installed canon of Salisbury in 1559, of Bristol in 1559 and Gloucester on June 3, 1565. He was successively rector of Porlock, Somerset, Uby, Somerset 1565, Deynton, Gloucestershire 1566, Berkeley, Gloucestershire 1575.

He subscribed to the canons of 1562, was a member of convocation but displayed a strong puritan leaning. In 1565 he was appointed by Bentham, Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry, to visit the diocese of Gloucester. Saul died 1585.

Arthur Saul, son, was described as a gentleman in April 1571, when he addressed to the houses of Parliament a "Treatise showing the Advantage of the use of the \*Arquebus over the bow in Warfare." In 1617 he was a pensioner at Newgate and made a deposition concerning his employment by Sec. Winwood and the Archbishop of Canterbury to report what English were at Douay. He was author of "The Famous Game of Chesse play truly discovered and all doubts resolved, so that by reading this small book, thou shalt profit more than the playing of a thousand mates", London 1614, Svo; augmented editions in 1620, 40, 72. The book was dedicated to Lucy Russell. Countess of Bedford.

\* *Arquebus was the earliest type of military pistol with 4 chambers and is said to have been the property of Henry VIII. It belonged to the early part of the 16th century and had a barrel 2 ft. 9 in. long and the chamber 7½ in., the bore being about ½ inch.*

Tazewell Saul, descendant of William Saul and Experience Quincy, m in Franklin County, Virginia, 9-14-1853, Frances Catherine Andrews. At the beginning of the War between the States he had large holdings of land in that State. Not so at the close of the war, having lost practically all his material wealth. He retained the most valuable possession of all, his pride in accomplishment and taught that to his children. He had this issue:

William m Elizabeth —  
 Roberta m John Wigington  
 Charles m Ann Bowman  
 Frances m David Bryant  
 Jubah Lee m Lulu Turnbull  
 Thomas m Landonia Flora  
 Rosa Lee died at 18  
 Lelia m Lee Montgomery  
 Bedford m ?  
 Virginia m Thomas Schuyler  
 Gertrude m Wesley Lynch

1. Roberta and John Wigington issue:
2. Harry m Lillie Peters, dau. of Henry D, in 1901

- Issue: Mildred, Berneice, Gerald, Chester, Wilford
- 2. Robert m Anna Turgoose
- Issue: Gladys, Ruby, William, Albert, Lester, Henry
- 2. Emma m 1st Robert Ferguson
- Issue: Helen, Russell, Forrest
- 2. Emma m 2nd, Joseph Johnson
- Issue: Maxine
- 2. Omar m Mattie Sink
- Issue: Lester, John, Ruby, Edith, Wilma, Dorothy
- 2. George m Ora Scott
- Issue: Floyd (d) , Thelma, Mozell
- 2. Margaret m Frank Sumner
- Issue: Leslie, William, Roland, Frank, Jr., Alta Mae
- 2. Clarence m Glenna Hickman
- Issue: Dorothy, 2 sons; Glenn C., 2 dau., 1 son
- 2. Lelia m 1st William McIntosh (d)
- Issue: James, Ivan (d)
- 2. Lelia m 2nd William Lee
- 2. Fred m Martha S —
- Issue: Douglas, Fred, Jr., Richard (Dicky) , Betty Lou
- 1. Charles R. Saul 1857-1944 m Martha Ann Bowman 1858-1951 (moved to Ohio)
  - 2. Wm. Tazewell 1880-1953 m 1906 Flora Macy — Conover, Ohio
    - 3. Cecil Saul m Jean Darvis
    - 3. Marie Saul m 1st Kenneth Curtis, dec'd; 2nd Richard Barton
    - 3. Margaret Saul m 1st Lee Miles; m 2nd Walter Whitney
    - 3. Virgil Saul m Pauline Byrd
    - 3. Ernest Saul m Catherine Gustin
    - 3. Evelyn Saul m Herman Williams
    - 3. Woodrow Saul m Jewell Eastridge
    - 3. Virginia Saul m Nelson Prince
    - 3. Paul Saul d Feb. 26, 1945
    - 3. Nancy Saul m H-----
    - 3. Richard Saul m -----
  - 2. Nettie May Saul 1882-1960 m John Rudisill 1905-1952; Troy, Ohio
    - 3. George W. Rudisill b 1908; m Ellen Hershey
    - 3. Pearl May Rudisill b 1910; d 1917
    - 3. Ray B. Rudisill b 1912; m 1934 Ruth Blackburn
    - 3. Ruth Ann Rudisill b 1917; m 1958 Charles Cooke
  - 2. David Cline Saul 1884-1949; m 1st Lucille Correy who d 1928
    - 3. Alberta Saul m Earl Ross
    - 3. Ann Saul m Charles Barnes
  - 2. David Cline Saul m 2nd Hazel Ross Brubaker
  - 2. Albert James Saul b 1885; m Sue Smith
    - 3. Oneita Saul m Vincent Staub
  - 2. Mary Maud Saul b 1887; m 1908 Sidney Plunket, Troy, Ohio
    - 3. Garland Plunkett 1911-1949; m 1933 Opal Baldwin
    - 3. Merle Plunkett b 1915; m 1939 Bettie Gochenour
    - 3. Wilfred Plunkett b 1920; m 1954 Virigina DeBord
    - 3. Wugene Plunkett 1921-1923
- 2. Charles Thomas Saul b 1889; m 1st Bessie Penny, d 1912

3. Hilda Saul m Joe Vent
2. Charles Thomas Saul m 1922 Muriel Noe — Troy, Ohio
  3. Harriet Saul m Robert Downey
2. Terry Price Saul 1892-1957; m Cora Brown — Troy, Ohio
  3. Robert Allen Saul 1914-1950; m Florence Fries
2. Marvin Early Saul 1895-1951; m 1st Hazel Ridenor
  3. Floyd Saul m 1st Janice Falknor; 2nd Helen Cameron
  3. Doris Saul m Richard Landrey
2. Marvin Early Saul m 2nd Alma Downey
2. Susan Myrtle Saul b 1896; m 1918 Merle Snell — W. Wilton, Ohio
  3. Mary Virginia b 1921; m Roger Biser
  3. Galen Kieth Saul 1924-1944
2. Ethel Saul 1903-1932; m 1920 John Mason
  3. Bettie Mason b & d 1921
  3. John Mason b 1925
  3. Jackie Mason b 1929
  3. Jill Mason 1929; d 6 mo. after birth
1. Creed Thomas Saul 1863-1946; m Landonia Flora 1863-1927
2. Lillie Mae b 12-31-1888; m Harry Keller 2-3-1909
  3. Guy Winfield Keller 1910; m Charlotte Cameron 1940
    4. Harry b 1943
    4. Gene b 1946
  3. Esther Belle Keller b 1911
  3. Ethel Clarice b 1913; m Ira Wells 1942
    4. Nancy Lee b 1943
  3. Elva Marie 1914; m James Blei 1937
    4. Merline James b 1939; m Dawn Gonyea 1958
      5. Richard James b 1959
      5. Lisa Ann b 1960
    4. Sharon Lynn b 1944
    4. Patricia Sue b 1947
  3. Clyde Everett b 1918
  3. Allan Edward b 1924; m Therese Seehuber of Waging Am See, Germ.
    4. Therese Irene b 1950 in Germany
  3. Ruby Lucille b 1926; m 1947 Aloys Meyer
    4. James Robert b 1950
    4. Kathryn Ann b 1951
2. Virginia Golden Saul b June 10, 1891; m Charles Swisher Trout
  3. Gordon LaVerne Trout b 1915; m Erma Lamb Henry 1949
    4. Gordon LaVerne, Jr. b 1950
    4. Deborah Ann b 1951
    4. Gail Letha b 1952
      - Artis Carol Henry b 1942 (adopted)
  3. Edith Lenore (1917-1925)
  3. Kathryn Irene Trout b 1921; m 1946 William Cole, Madison, Wis.
    4. Christopher Charles Cole b 1947
2. Peter Tazewell Saul b 1893; m Mary Sharpe 1913
  3. Dale Robert b 1914; m Anita Stocking 1938
    4. Betty Jeanne b 1943; m Paul McKeighan 1961
  3. Dean Thomas b 1917; m Rosalie Ila Hevelone 1940
    4. Sammy Dean b 1942
    4. David Lee b 1946

4. Tommy Lee b 1948
4. Brenda Kay b 1953
3. Lloyd Peter b 1918; m Vivian Uridil
  4. Dianne Marie b 1941; m George White 1959
  5. Brent b 1959
2. Flora Gertrude Saul b 4-12-1896; m Arthur Orrin Evans, July 5, 1913, Omaha
  3. Harriet Pearl b 11-7-1915; m John Samuel Morrison II
    4. John Samuel Morrison III b 3-11-1937; m Carol Lewis 10-19-1959 (Served 4 years with U.S. Airforce; 2 years with U.S. Marines)
    4. Thomas Adam Morrison b 7-19-1939; single; Served with U.S. Marines
    4. Stella Pearl Morrison b 1-1-1941; d 1943
  - Harriet m 2nd Mads Fristrup
    4. Thora Madeline Fristrup b 1-31-1944
    4. Marie Kathleen Fristrup b 7-31-1945
    4. Flora Gertrude Fristrup b 7-19-1948
    4. Arthur August Fristrup b 9-5-1949
    4. Clara Josephine Fristrup b 12-1-1950

The last three children perished in a home fire at Canton, Ohio, Dec. 10, 1951. Harriett now m to Chris Pappas and lives in Canton.

- 3. Frances Hazel Evans m R. B. Oberg
  4. Roberta Marie Oberg b 1936; m Richard Buckavitch 1955
  5. Rhonda
    4. Patricia Anne Oberg b 1938; m John Banklin
    4. Margaret Iris Oberg b 1941; m James Hill; 3 children
    4. Dora Oberg b 1943; single; works for a Congressman, Washington, D.C.
    4. Edith Oberg b 1945, lives with Patricia at Silver Bay, Minn.
    4. Leroy Oberg b 1949 lives Grand Portage, Minn.
  4. Andrea Jean Koenig b 1958
- 3. Miland Robert Evans and wife May live at Battleground, Washington
  4. Roberta Marie Evans b 1947 at Portland, Oregon
- 4. Hazel Mae Evans b 1949
 

Miland served 4 years with the U.S. Navy during World War II, European Theatre.
- 3. James Edward Evans m Mrs. Alice Peck, a nurse from St. Louis, Mo. No children. He served with the U.S. Navy in the South Pacific Theatre during World War II; is a disabled veteran, lives Mineral Center, Minn.
- 3. Dora Gertrude Evans m Elvert Julian Braham, Minn.
  4. Valarie Julian b 1949
  4. Barbara Julian b 1951
- 3. Leonard Lester Evans b 6-4-1923, Minn.; single
- 3. George Raymond Evans b 1-28-1925; m Dorothy Drouillard, Grand Portage
  4. Ricky Evans b 1950
  4. Jerry Evans b 1953

4. Gloria Lynn Evans b 1956
4. Brenda Faye Evans b 1958
- George is Deputy Sheriff for Eastern Cook County.
3. Eugene Lloyd m Lorraine Stevens, have three daughters. His wife d in Apr. 1961 and he intended joining American forces in Cuba. He served with the U.S. Army of Occupation in Germany. Home at Gardena, Calif.
3. Laura Anna Evans b 6-14-1927; m Ernest Gucene, Yates Center, Kans.
4. Cheryl Gucene b 8-9-1950
4. Sheila Gucene b 4-25-1953

## EVANS

Miland Evans, father of Arthur Orrin, was b at Terre Haute, Indiana. He and his wife Sarah Matilda Duncan, who was born across the river in Illinois, met when their parents were in the same wagon train coming to Nebraska. They were married soon after reaching Octavia, and had 5 children. Miland's mother was widowed and remarried George Crum-packer. They then moved to Oklahoma, where George was in early oil field development. Miland's brother, James and Edward, were also connected with the oil business. Edward later became a banker. The Evans family opened the Evans Fine Leather Works in Oklahoma. Another brother, Samuel and his family lived in the sandhill country of Nebraska; the sons were teachers in that area, one of them named Claudius Evans. Another brother, John Evans remained in Octavia and m Miss Ayrhart, had 2 children. The children of Miland Evans and his wife Sarah were Arthur, Mabel, Frances, Samuel and Sarah. All are deceased with the exception of Arthur and Sarah.

(This report was furnished by Harriett Pearl Evans)

2. Reuben Cecil Saul b 10-24-1906 m 1st 2-6-1928 Golda Curtis 1904-1935
  3. Georgia Anne b 6-29-1929; m George Anderson 1-27-1950
    4. George Ralph b 6-19-1959
  3. Marilyn Darlene b 10-18-1930; m Keith Wagner 1950
    4. Kristi Lyn b 7-23-1957 (adopted)
  3. Richard Clayton b 2-20-1932; m 3-13-1955 Geraldine Keiebs
    4. Reuben Cecil II b 2-15-1957
    4. Ryan Creed b 12-7-1958
    4. Russell Clayton b 2-6-1961
  3. James Thomas b 5-15-1934; d 8-23-1935
 

He and his mother were fatally burned in a home explosion.
2. Reuben Cecil m 2nd Pearl Riley 4-20-1936.
 

Reuben lived in Omaha for many years, an employ of the U. S. Government, now lives, Norwalk, Calif.

## SAUL-LYNCH

Gay Gertrude, youngest dau. of Tazewell Saul, m Wesley Lynch and lived in Washington, D.C. Their children:

Albert b 1903; m Olivia Montgomery  
Earl b 1906; m Martha Stackpole  
Virginia b 1912; m James Fowler

### OTHER SAUL MARRIAGES

Albert Saul m Martha Williams Oct. 5, 1846  
Creed Saul m Sophronia Holburt Feb. 3, 1845  
Dr. James Saul m Esther Gibson Mar. 6, 1821  
James D. Saul m Mary Willis Aug. 23, 1849  
James D. Saul m Docia Brammer Sept. 23, 1839  
John Saul m Ann Brammer Jan. 1, 1849  
John H. Saul m Elzira Sink Feb. 7, 1848  
John Saul m Anne Luke Sept. 15, 1804  
Samuel Saul Jr. m Polly Baker Mar. 5, 1810, Franklin Co.  
Samuel Saul to Sibbinia Kingery Oct. 16, 1843  
Tazewell Saul m Catherine Andrews Sept. 14, 1853  
Thomas Saul m Jerusha Teazel Nov. 27, 1839  
Wm. L. Saul m Mary Kingery Aug. 4, 1853  
Samuel Saul m Hannah Haley Dec. 11, 1784, Campbell Co.; Fleming  
Branch surety  
H. L. Saul 1888-1935 m 1908 Berta May Flora 1888-1934  
DeMoss Henry Saul m 1917 Ada Ann Flora, Roanoke, Va.  
Issue: Berneice Mae, Galen D., 1924, Geneva Susan 1926, Bobby  
Lee 1931, James Edwin 1920  
Berneice Mae 1918 m 1939 Walter Lynn O'Donnell  
Emily m 1911 Benjamin Ralph Flora, Callaway, Va.  
Rosa Saul m 1912 Andrew Cline Flora 1888, son of Jacob 1846,  
Boone Mill, Va.

## *Chapter IX*

# ROBERTS

**J**ONATHAN ROBERTS 1598-1659 m 1624 Lucretia Oldham.

Col. St. Leger Codd Roberts, grandson of Sir Warham, 1450-1532, Bishop of Canterbury, and chancellor of Oxford University, member of the Virginia Company and of Royal descent, came from England to Virginia, moved to Maryland; married Ann Bennett Bland, dau. of Richard Bennett, Colonial Governor of Maryland and widow of Gov. Bland.

Capt. St. Leger 1676-1731; m Mary Hansen

St. Leger d 1806; server in the American Revolution: m Anna Barcalow

John 1795: ca 1815; m Barbara Castner 1799-1876

Clarissa 1817-61; m 1841 Eber Taylor 1811-1886

Edward bap. 1747, soldier in American Revolution; m Hannah Avery, a desc. of Capt. James Avery.

Edward b 1781; m Lucinda Stewart

Charles Roberts m Hannah White, Philadelphia

William Charles, b near Aberystwyth, Wales, son of Charles Cross Roberts and Magdalene Evans, farmers. Came to N.Y. during cholera epidemic in New York; lost both parents and two of the children. He was the oldest of six and worked for a leather manufacturer in Elizabeth, N.J. He became a Presbyterian minister and had his first pastorate at Wilmington, Del. He m Mary Louise Fuller.

Wm. Milnor Roberts 1810-1881, son of Thomas Pascal and Mary Louise Baker, Welsh Quaker descent. The family came to America with William Penn. He became an engineer.

Pierre Roberts 1680-1752, early settler Windsor, Conn.

John 1708-1763 m Mary Allyn

James 1803-1837 m Margaret Moore

John Roberts 1697-1780 m 1725 Katherine Roberts 1702-1781

Henry 1671-1732/33, member Pennsylvania Assembly, m 1st Mary Taylor; established "Clifton Hall."

Henry Lewis Roberts d 1688; m Margaret Proutherin

John Roberts ca from Wales to Montgomery Co. Pennsylvania 1683; m Gainor Hugh

Hugh Roberts ca England 1683, to Merion Twsp. lived with his widowed mother who d 1699; a Quaker, he was a member of the Provincial Council of Pennsylvania; m 1st Jane Evan; m 2nd Elizabeth John.

Jonathan Roberts 1771-1854, son of Jonathan and Anna Thomas, desc. of John Roberts, a Welsh Friend, who came to Pennsylvania with Wm. Penn.

## BEDFORD COUNTY MARRIAGE BONDS

### Roberts

8-23-1785 Leonard m Nancy Riley, Domnick Walsh surety

2-16-1806 Willie m Polly Craine, John Roberts surety

12-19-1802 John m Alice Hughes, Ben Hughes surety

1-9-1813 Philip m Nancy Tracy, John Tracy surety  
 3-15-1815 John m Mary Burnett, dau. Edmond, Jacob Wood-  
 ford, surety; m by Wm. Leftwich  
 12-18-1822 Benjamin m Susannah Grissom Thomas Grissom surety  
 1-24-1825 Elliott m Ann Anderson, John Pate surety  
 2-27-1852 Jesse m Kalista Creasy, Thomas Creasy surety  
 12-19-1845 Richard m Susan Ann Marsh, dau. Peter, James E.  
 Marsh, surety  
 12-11-1848 Pleasant m Martha H. Noell, dau. Susan, Wm. E. Noell  
 surety; m by Wm. H. Matthews  
 James Roberts m 1779 Nancy McKelvey b 1755  
 Charlotte Roberts b 1782 m 1802 Peter Crumpacker  
 John 1784-1841 m 1806 Naomi Ley 1785-1858  
 James E. 1807-1890 m 1830 Sallie M. Cox 1807-1846  
 Payton 1839-1908 m Lizzie Cox b 1841  
 John Roberts 1747-1837, Conn., trumpeter in Capt. Eli Butler's Co.  
 He m 1783 Susan Magness  
 Susan Roberts 1793-1856 m Charles Smith 1792-1858.  
 Wm. R. Smith m 1815 Amanda Wright

### Quaker Records

12-27-1839 Chesley Andrews m Frances Crumpacker, dau. Peter,  
 Abram, surety  
 1-21-1851 Chesley m 2nd Margaret Mitchell, dau. Daniel; David  
 Mitchell, surety  
 11-22-1802 Peter Crumpacker m Charlotte Roberts, John Roberts,  
 surety  
 6-3-1816 Joel Crumpacker m Judith Roberts, Wm. Woodford  
 surety; m by Peyton Welsh  
 11-24-1817 Owen Crumpacker m Hannah Woodford, Thomas Wood-  
 ford, surety, m by Peyton Welsh  
 12-19-1802 John Roberts m Alice Hughes, Ben Hughes surety  
 2-19-1787 Nathaniel Strange m Elizabeth Moorman, dau. Clark,  
 Benj. Faris, surety

### FAIRFAX MM

John, son of Richard and Mary Roberts of Frederick Co., Md. m  
 2-1-1788 at Fairfax MH, Rebekah Scott, dau. Jacob and Elizabeth Scott,  
 the former, deceased, of Loudon Co. Va. Rebeckah (Scott) Roberts w John  
 "rem with h" gct Creek MM.

### SOUTH RIVER MM

12-20-1761 John Roberts m Rachel Taborer, Bedford MM; m  
 2-20-1762  
 1-29-1789 Enoch Roberts m Matilda Lynch, Campbell Co.; public  
 meeting at South River

Children: John b 1789; d 1790  
 John 2nd, b 5-10-1791; d 11-16-1813  
 Samuel b 10-2-1793  
 William b 2-28-1796  
 Maryann b 11-28-1798

George Roberts and wife Louisa J. Roberts, had 3 minor children;  
 Alice, Bessie and Mabel Arbutus; and adult children, Sarah and Spencer.  
 Mabel Arbutus b 1-10-1888 m Lawrence H. Taylor, son of Henry Madison  
 Taylor and wife Margaret E. Haley



## Chapter X

# SCHUYLER

## Background

**P**HILIP PIETERSE VAN SCHUYLER 1628-1683 ca from Holland to Rensselaerwyck, New York 1650. Settled at Beverwyck (Albany); general merchant, trader and dealer in land; commissary at Ft. Orange 1665, a magistrate there for many years; commander of Albany 1678; Vice Dir. under Govs. Stuyvesant and Nicolls 1767. He had the first commission of Capt. at Albany 1667, at Schenectady 1669; in 1662, with others he laid out "new Village" at Esopus (Kingston); m 1650 Margarita 1628-1711, dau. Brant Arentse Van Schlictenhorst, 1st resident director of Rensselaerwyck, 1646.

David Pierterse Van Schuyler came in 1650 also. Later on in 1719, Philip J. lived at Rhinebeck, New York. And mere mention of these early settlers:

Neeltje Bennet was baptized 1741; God parents, Jeeroonimus and Neeltje Hoogelandt.

Yan Van der bylt m Margaret Hoogelant.

Killian Van Renslaar m 1-17-1741/2 Ariaantje Schuyler of Albany Co. Married with license.

Jacob Lansingh of Albany, gent. m Catherina Schuyler; married with license.

A dau. of Timothy Edwards, (2nd Wm. W. and grandson Wm. Henry) m Jacob Rutzen Schuyler, a descendant of Peiterse Schuyler, the colonist from Holland. And their dau. Susannah Edwards Schuyler m Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University.

Johannes Schuyler J M of Nassau m Anna Veeder J D of Schdy.

John Remington Schuyler 1617-1667 ca England to Rowley, Mass.; m 1637, Elizabeth—

Thomas Schuyler 1638-1721 m Mehitabel Walker in 1658

John 1661-1723 m 1687 Margaret Scott

John 1692-1772 m 1722 Mercy Jones b 1694

Seth 1726-1806 m 1734 Elizabeth Ball, bapt. 1731; d 1774

Shadrach 1760-1846 m Experience Granger, 1767-1843, dau. Abner

David W. 1796-1834 m Esther Rutgers Low 1798-1834

Cyrus Kingsbury 1830-1899 m 1855 Helen E. Matteson

William Ridge 1851-1925 m Hannah Williams 1850-1930

Thomas David b 1872 m Virginia Ann Saul b 1874

Issue: Blanche b 1894 m 1st John Bewich; one dau. Jean. Jean has one dau.; m 2nd Louis Kirchner 1942. He d 4-16-1961

Maude b 1896 m 1915 Joseph Forsyth

Issue: Joseph, Virginia, David, Naomi, Nancy. Joseph lost his life in a submarine.

Hazel b 1898- and d 5-3-1959; m 1st Warren Donaldson; one son, Warren, Jr. He has 2 children.

Grace b 1901 m Ray Johnsons (Lost her only son). She d 12-16-1961  
 Alda b 1903 m Albert Janek; one dau. Jane  
 Odessa b 1906 m James Thompson; Issue, James III, Thomas, Susanne, Robert.  
 Vivian b 1909 Harry Olson; one dau. Odessa  
 Jackson b 1911 m Mildred Balbach  
 Issue: Marcia, Virginia, Thomas  
 William b 1918 m June Barnes  
 Issue: Bonnie, Bruce

Philip John 1733-1804, eminent American soldier and Statesman, b Albany, New York. Raised a Company and fought at Lake George (1775) and rendered other services during the French and Indian War. He was a member of the Colonial Assembly from 1708 and was a delegate to the Continental Congress of 1775, which appointed him one of the 4 Major Generals. Washington gave him the northern part of New York and he was preparing to invade Canada, when ill health compelled him to hand the command over to Gen. Montgomery. He still retained the general direction of officers from Albany. In Dec. 1776 he and troops joined Washington at Morristown, N.J. After further services he resigned 1779. Although continually subject to criticism from his New England opponents, he was absolved of charges at a court martial and his conduct highly commended. He would not accept a command again although he remained one of Washington's friends and advisors. Besides acting as Commissioner for Indian Affairs, and making treaties with the Six Nations he sat in Congress (1777-81 and State Senator for 13 years, between 1780 and 1797; a United States Senator (1789-91 & 1797-98) and Surveyor Gen. for the State from 1782. With Hamilton (who married his daughter, Elizabeth) and John Hay he shared the leadership of the Federal Party in New York. While serving in the State Senate, he helped codify the New York laws and ardently advocated the building of the State canals. Throughout his public career he was conspicuous for his great abilities, his staunch patriotism and his unselfish devotion to duty. He is named in American Military and Naval leaders of the past.

#### VAN TASSEL

Not connected with the Schuylers, but of the Dutch settlement up the Hudson River, is Mrs. Alice Jane Rowell who was born at Tarrytown, New York. She came with her family to Saunders County, Nebr., in 1883; m to Graham A. Rowell June 17, 1884, at Wahoo, Nebraska. They came to Lincoln, Nebraska, in 1912. She d 4-17-1946.

Mrs. Rowell was a member of the Van Tassel family, and her mother Katherine Van Tassel was the namesake of Katrina Van Tassel, who spurned Ichabod Crane, immortalized in Washington Irving's "Legend of Sleepy Hollow". As a result Mrs. Rowell's portrait was hung in the Philipse manor in Tarrytown, one of the oldest manor houses on this continent. The portrait was hung at the time the manor was restored to the original design of 1683, through funds contributed by John D. Rockefeller, Jr. in order that it might serve as a museum for the preservation of the rich lore of the countryside.

Born in the year of Washington Irving's death, Alice Jane played as a child in the locality where it is said the headless horseman rode at night, and she attended the little Dutch Church which Washington Irving made famous. She has three daughters, Mrs. Lillian Gracy of Rogers, Ark.; Mrs. Carrie Witzel of David City, Nebraska, and Mrs. Hazel Johnson of Lincoln, Nebraska.

Alice Jane had a sister Anna, who married Bill Angevine at Tarrytown, N.Y. Also a sister, Alida, who m Elmer Slagle, who ran a river boat on the Hudson; a brother, Hiram who m Rachel —, at Tarrytown. Mrs. Rowell's father and 7 brothers all served in the Civil war at one time and all came through unharmed. Alice Jane was born a Rowell, a step cousin, of the man who later became her husband. Her mother was a Van Tassel.

## Chapter XI



### Montgomery Background

**M**AJ GEN. RICHARD MONTGOMERY 1736-1775, b Co. Dublin, Ireland, who entered the British Army in 1756, saw service at Louisburg, Lake Champlain and Montreal and was brevetted. He left the British Army in 1772 and settled in New York. At the outbreak of the Colonial troubles, he volunteered for service, and was sent with Gen. Schuyler on the Canadian Expedition in 1775. He effected a junction with Arnold at Point aux Trembles and in the attack was killed at the head of his troops. A memorial was erected by Congress in St. Paul's Church, N. Y. He had an estate on the Hudson River, m the dau. of Robert R. Livingston.

John Berrien 1794-1873, American Naval Officer b at Allentown, N.J.; joined the navy in 1812, took part in the capture of the British fleet on Lake Erie 1813; assisted in the blockade of Mackinaw 1814; fought in the Algerine War 1815 and was promoted Commander 1839. Served in the Mexican War and was in command of the Pacific Squadron 1859-62. Was made Rear-admiral, retired list 1866. Mentioned with others in American Military and Naval Leaders of the Past.

Wm. Montgomery and Sons, merchants, lived in Scottish Caroline County, Va. and were from Glasgow or Aberdeen. Had a ship "Christian", — Stanley, Master, trans-Atlantic from 1730 to 1745. Later on Montgomery & Co. owned the "Beverly", 1760-1775; James Campbell and John Scott, seamen.

Another daughter of Gov. Livingston m John Jay, son of Peter Jay wealthy merchant and French Huguenot, graduate of Kings College, was first Justice of U. S. Supreme Court.

#### MONTGOMERY MARRIAGES

Michael Montgomery m 1876 Elizabeth Peters 1837-1920, Boone Mill, Va.

Ida Elizabeth 1868-1919; m Henry Reece. They had 7 children.

Joel Montgomery 1869; m Elizabeth Reece; 6 children.

Henry Montgomery m Emma Reece; 2 daughters.

Riley Montgomery 1873 married and had one son.  
 Mary Ellen Montgomery 1876 m 1895 Elmer S. Flory 1872, Lawrence, Kans.  
 Julia Montgomery Flora (widow of Abram I. Flora) m Franklin P. Flora b 1872.  
 Owen Montgomery m Mary Catherine Flora b 1852, Trotwood, Ohio.  
 C. W. Montgomery 1853 m Elizabeth Flora 1855.  
 Jennie Montgomery m Charles O. Flora.  
 Samuel Montgomery m 1st — Bowman; 2nd — Ikenberry.  
 Thomas F. Montgomery 1876; m 1900 Sallie Bowman.  
 Vinnie Pearl Montgomery 1903 m Clyde Givens.  
 Jesse Carl Montgomery 1906; m 1941 Ann Morgan, Pulaski, Va.  
 Elsie Marie Montgomery 1908; m 1931 John Cline Layman, Ag. Teacher, Brownsburg, Va.  
 Charles Daniel Montgomery 1910; m 1940 Thelma Akers, Boone Mill, Va.  
 Ava Hannah Montgomery 1913 m 1933 Elmer David Naff b 1911, Boone Mill, Va.  
 Berneice Elizabeth Montgomery 1916; m 1939 Cyrus S. Hoy.  
 Rosa Bell Montgomery m B. T. Flora.  
 Lura Amanda Montgomery m Walter Laprad, Roanoke, Va.  
 Zada Montgomery m Cleveland Bowman.  
 Cephas Montgomery m Ellie Gibson who ca from Texas.  
 John Dexter Montgomery m 1920 Kate Givens from Monroe Co., Va.  
 Riley Benjamin Montgomery m Lucy Catherine Walker of Middlesex Co., Va.  
 Riley Benjamin, Jr. m Effie Hodge.  
 Sallie Montgomery m Lewis Laprad.  
 Abraham Montgomery 1859-1893 m Julia Montgomery, dau. of Joel, 1860.  
 Creed Montgomery m Edna Mason.  
 Etta Montgomery m W. D. Hancock.  
 Andrew Montgomery, son of Samuel, m Sallie Peters 1821.  
 Owen Montgomery m 1st Catherine Flora; 2nd Lydia Denlinger.  
 Albert Montgomery m Leona Ullery, Dayton, Ohio.  
 Mary Elizabeth Montgomery m James Harman.  
 Bertha Montgomery m Charles Floth.  
 Riley Montgomery m Rebecca Lesh. Lived in Indiana. Minister.  
 David Montgomery m Parenthia Montgomery, daug. of Joel. Minister.  
 John Montgomery m Cora Kingery.  
 Charles m Leah Brubaker.  
 Walter Montgomery m Bessie Kennett.  
 Joel Montgomery m Annie Jamison.  
 Amos Montgomery m Effie Flora.  
 Mary Montgomery m Charles Peters.  
 Mary Magdalene m Henry Peters. Lived near Goshen, Ind.  
 A. Z. Montgomery m 1907 Ida Peters b 1885.  
 Riley Montgomery m Rebecca J. Lesh, Flora, Ind.  
 Nellie Montgomery m A. D. Crume (deceased).  
 Zora Montgomery m Mike Allen.  
 Opal Montgomery m Ross Long. Tucumcari, New Mexico.  
 Cletus Montgomery m Dewey Zinn.

Ruth Montgomery m Owen Sheagley.  
 Sorry not to have the dates of these marriages.  
 Joel Montgomery b 1869; m Elizabeth Reece; 6 children.  
 Mary Ellen Montgomery b 1872, m 1895 Elmer S. Flory b 1872. Children: Riley W., Harvey W., Henry D., Alma Marie, Arley O., and Susannah N. who m James Montgomery 1835.  
 John Montgomery m 1831 Rebecca Naff.  
 Clara Montgomery m 1909 Willie Doris Flora b 1891.  
 Harry Montgomery 1891 m 1920 Lenore Catherine Bowman 1895.  
 Operates Nursery Boone Mill, Va.  
 Zaida Montgomery m 1885 Cleveland Bowman.  
 Thomas Montgomery m Sallie Bowman.  
 Berkley Thomas Flora, son of Joel H., 1879; m Rosa Bell Montgomery 1880; m by her father, Rev. C. W. Montgomery. He was on the State Board of Agriculture, a dairy farmer and fruit grower, at Boone Mill, Va.  
 Levi W. Flora 1854-1924; m 1879 Katie Montgomery, dau. of Andrew, and granddaughter of Samuel; moved to Kansas from Franklin Co. Va. He m 2nd Clara Landis b 1869.  
 Mary Ellen Montgomery b 1876; m 1895 Elmer S. Flory b 1872. Issue: Riley W., Harvey W., Henry D., Alma Marie, Arley O.  
 James Montgomery m 8-27-1835 Sussanah N—.  
 Effie Montgomery m 1917 Cornelius J. Flora b 1880.  
 Sarah Montgomery 1852-1881 m John N. Flora 1843-1888.  
 Jennie L. Montgomery 1874 m 1892 Charles O. Flora 1871. One adopted daughter, Ruth Elizabeth 1908 m 1927 Wilson Randolph Abshire 1905.  
 Lee Montgomery was the son of Joel and the grandson of Samuel Montgomery.  
 1. Lee Montgomery (1-26-1869—4-22-1956) m Lelia Maude Saul (6-19-1869—1-3-1949) and lived at Boone Mill, Va. Issue:  
     2. Edgar Lee (8-25-1889—10-1-1957) m Grace Terry  
         3. Rachel  
         3. Frank  
         3. Kathryn  
     2. Harry b 8-27-1891; m Lenora Bowman b 7-15-1895  
         3. Ina Geneva b 10-5-1921 m 3-29-1935 Raymond Paul Wood  
             4. Two children  
                 3. Erma Janelle b 8-9-1924 m 5-14-1948 Omer P. King  
                 3. James Harry b 4-16-1932; m and has several children  
     2. Nellie Maude Montgomery b 4-5-1898; m Parker Peters  
         3. Lee Thomas Peters b 12-2-1923; m Rachel Wray  
             4. James Lee Peters b 2-7-1949  
     2. Melva Grace Montgomery b 3-4-1908  
     2. Maggie Lee Montgomery b 5-8-1905  
         Melva Grace and Maggie Lee live in Roanoke, Va.

## Chapter XII



### Tazewell

**S**IR THOMAS LITTLETON 1402-1481, English jurist, b at Franklin House, near Bromsgrove, Worcestershire. He was recorder of Coventry in 1450; in 1466, Judge of Common Pleas; and in 1475, a Knight of the Bath. His reputation rests on his work on Tenures, which treats of the English law relating to rights over land, and was the first scientific attempt to classify the subject.

James Tazewell of Somersetshire, Eng. had a son William, born at Lymington, that County, July 17, 1690, who came from England to Northampton County and then to Accomac County in 1715. He married Sophia, daughter of Henry and Gertrude Harmonson. Gertrude was the daughter of Col. Southey Littleton. (Col. Southey Littleton was the descendant of Nathaniel Littleton, who descended from Sir Thomas Littleton, author of Tenures.)

Nathaniel had been Sheriff of Accomac Co. in 1636. The line of descent exhibits a procession of lawyers and court officers that imposed almost a hereditary compulsion on the careers of those who followed.

Their children: John, who became clerk of the Conventions in 1775-76. He married the daughter of Col. John Bolling of Cobbs. Littleton of Brunswick County married Mary, daughter of Col. Joseph Gray of Southampton County. They had daughters, Gertrude and Anne. Gertrude m James Saul, son of William Saul and his wife Experience Quincy.

Littleton Tazewell and wife had a son Henry b 11-15-1753 who d 1-24-1799. In 1774 he m Dorothy, dau. of Benjamin Waller. He was a member of the Conventions of 1774, 1775, 1776, from Brunswick. Removed to Williamsburg before 1784. Was a practicing lawyer in Brunswick County. Had a son, Littleton Waller Tazewell.

He filled many important offices and was Governor of Virginia. Many certificates of allowances for military land

bounty were signed by Gov. Lit. Tazewell. His education at William and Mary was finished in 1770, then he studied in the office of his Uncle John Tazewell and was later a judge in the General Court and was elected to the General Assembly. He died of pleurisy at Philadelphia and was buried in Christ Church yard. He was never defeated in a political contest and was probably the most popular Virginian of his day. He was gifted and genial, maintained a dignity that impressed without offending.

His ambition was cloaked in dedication to public service. He achieved at an early age an impressive series of political and judicial honors. He married Anne Stratton Nivison.

### MARRIAGES AND DESCENT

Sir Thomas Littleton, Eng., author of Tenures  
Nathaniel Littleton, Sheriff of Accomac Co. 1636  
Col. Southey Littleton m Gertrude—  
Gertrude Littleton m Henry Harmonson  
Sophia Harmonson m William Tazewell of Eng.

Issue: John m dau. of Col. John Bolling

Littleton m Mary Gray, dau. of Col. Joseph Gray

Issue: Anne

Gertrude m James Saul, son of Wm.

Henry m Jan. 1774 Elizabeth Waller

Note: William Saul m Experience Quincy and James was their son.

Henry (son of Littleton Tazewell and Mary Gray) 1753-1799; m Jan. 1774 Elizabeth Waller. Their son, Littleton Waller Tazewell, (12-17-1774—5-6-1860); m Anne Stratton Nivison. He lived to be 86.



### Chapter XIII



### Starkey

**J**OHNS STARKEY of Longwood House in Huddersfield, England, bap. 23 Oct. 1608. He purchased lands at Brockholes in Ovendon 1671. Succeeded by his eldest son, John, bap. 16. Jan. 1641; m Anne —; d 1702, leaving eldest son, heir. He also left other children. John with a brother, sold Brockholes estate.

John, bap. 7 Feb. 1675 m Alice Drake, 7 May 1697; had an only son John Starkey of Marsh in Huddersfield, bap. 1 Dec. 1701; m Martha —; d 10 June 1782, leaving several sons and daughters. Eldest, John, of Littleton, Liversedge Co., York; Bap. 12 June 1734. He m 26 May 1760, Martha, daughter of Collingwood; d 1764 leaving an only son, John of Wheat-house, Huddersfield and Heaton Lodge, bap. 17 June, 1762. He m 26 Mar. 1787, Abigail, daughter of William Dewhurst of Warley Co., York; d 24 May 1813, leaving a second son John of Spring Lodge, Huddersfield Co., York; b 7 Apr. 1792; m 14 Jan. 1835, Sarah Anne, eldest dau. of Joseph Armitage of Milnsbridge House; d 13 Dec. 1856 with other issue.

### STARKEY MARRIAGE BONDS

Anne Starkey m 4-8-1822 Henry Stover b 1798; Jesse Starkey surety; Va.

William 1742-1788 m 1764 Sarah Martin 1745-1833, Attebury, Mass.

Joseph Timothy 1739-1817; m Rachel Bushnell; b & d in Essex, Conn.; Commander 1779 Company of Militia, New Haven

William 1839-1899 m Italy Ramsdell b 1843

Joseph 1755-1823 enlisted 1775 Militia of N. H., Capt. Capen-son's Co.; b Attebury, Mass.; d Swansey, N. H

Henry 1795-1886; m Lucy Woodward 1797-1876

Peter Starkey 1750-1821; m Lona Grosvenor; b Swansey, N. H.; Pvt. Capt. Samuel Wright's Co.

Otis Starkey m Desire Peters

Lewis Franklin Starkey m Olivia Patrick

Henry Mitchell Starkey m Ellen J. Taylor Hittell.

Note: Elizabeth Starkey was listed as a passenger on a British boat to Va. 1641.

Note: John Starkey had land in Montgomery Twsp., Philadelphia Co., 1734, 200 A.

## *Chapter XIV*

### COLE-EDWARDS

**J**AMES COLE was an original settler at Hartford and in the first land division in 1639, drew 10 A. A weaver by trade, he was married in London, before coming to America. His wife, Ann Edwards, was said to be the widow of the Rev. Richard Edwards of London, who died there. She had one son by Mr. Edwards, who was named William (1620-1685) and who was twelve, when he accompanied his mother and stepfather to America. Later m Agnes, widow of Wm. Spencer.

This boy became the ancestor of Rev. Timothy Edwards; J. Edwards, D.D.; Jonathan, Pres. of a college in New Jersey; Jonathan, Pres. of a college at Schenectady, N. Y.; of George Edwards; of the Hon. Daniel Edwards; of the Hon. Pierpont Edwards; of Judge Edwards of N. Y.; of Rev. Timothy Dwight Edwards, D.D., late Pres. of Yale; of Hon. Theodore and many others. He probably had more famous descendants than any other Englishman who settled in Connecticut.

Ann, wife of James Cole, d 2-20-1678/9, and gave her house to her son, William Edwards during his and his wife's lifetime; at their death their interest to be vested in her grandson, Richard and his heirs forever.

James and Ann Cole had a son John and other children. James d 1652. Other Coles who came: John aged 40, came in the Confidence of London to New England 4-24-1638. Clement Cole aged 30 came in the Susan and Ellen 1635. Isaac Cole, carpenter, and wife Joan, came in the Hercules, to Sandwich in 1634 with their two children. George Cole of Lynn removed to Sandwich and d 1653. Isaac of Charleston free in 1638; d 1674.

Timothy Edwards, b Northampton, Mass. 1738, d 1813; m 9-25-1760 Rhoda Ogden, dau. of Judge Robert Ogden II and his wife Phoebe Hatfield. He had many trials and responsibilities. At the time his parents d he became guardian of his younger brothers and sisters, also for two young children of his sister, Esther, widow of Aaron Burr, who were aged 2 and 4.

When he m. in 1760 a wife who lacked 3 days being 18, he started a home in Stockbridge and took them all into his family. Most troublesome of all were his young brother, Pierpont and his nephew Aaron Burr. During the 28 years of their marriage, they became the parents of 15 children, 12 grew to

maturity and married. They became the forebears of over 2,000 descendants.

Timothy Edwards belonged to the silk stocking aristocracy of New England; born into it at Northampton. Graduated from the College of New Jersey; married into a leading family of New Jersey, he became a member of the Colonial Council, a Judge and prominent figure in the Commonwealth. He was not a far distant neighbor of the Livingstons, Van Rensselaers, Schuylers and other manorial families on the Hudson and seems to have been on intimate terms with them. In later generations his descendants intermarried with all these families.

The first 12 years of Timothy's life was spent in Northampton, the most cultured and important town in Mass. Bay Colony outside of Boston. He was educated by his parents at first and when he was 12 they moved to Stockbridge, a frontier settlement, consisting of only 12 white families and many Indians. He was tutored by his father and attended the mission school there for 3 years. In 1753 he matriculated at the College of New Jersey, then called Nassau Hall, located, in Newark, and presided over by the Rev. Aaron Burr, who married his sister Esther Edwards the previous year. While he was there living in the Burr home, the institution was moved to Princeton. He was graduated in 1757, A. B. That autumn Aaron Burr died and Jonathan Edwards was called to the presidency of the college, only to die himself in a few months.

Timothy gave so much to the Revolutionary War that his wealth was consumed. Rhoda, his wife was one of 22 children.

## EDWARDS

Jonathan Edwards, the elder, 1703-1758, American Divine and Metaphysician born East Windsor, Conn. of Puritan ancestry, his great grandfather having been among the settlers at Hartford in 1640. He was the only son in a family of 11 children. Tutored at home, he began the study of Latin at the age of six and had a good knowledge of Latin, Greek and Hebrew before entering Yale college one month before he was thirteen. He graduated at the head of his class with highest honors in 1720. He studied Divinity at Yale and tutored until 1726. Ordained in 1727 in the pastorate of the Congregational Church at Northampton, Mass., he served with his grandfather, the Rev. Solomon Stoddard. Married the same year to Sarah Pierpont, daughter of the Rev. James Pierpont of New Haven, Conn. After his grandfather's death he continued in the pastorate of the Church. He had strong Calvinistic views. In 1734 he held

a great revival with 300 being converted. In 1740, the English Evangelist, George Whitefield, visited Northampton and a far reaching Revival began. About 50,000 were converted and 150 new churches formed.

Later he became so vehement against what was known as the half-way Covenant by which persons who were not "regenerate" were allowed to partake of the Lord's Supper and to many privileges of the Church as a means of Grace. He was so against these practices that he was dismissed from the church in 1751 and became pastor of a small Congregational Church at Stockbridge, Mass., and missionary to the Housatonic Indians there, preaching to them through an interpreter. It was here that his important works were written. He became noted as a preacher, scholar, and theologian through the colonies and in England.

Elected President of Princeton College in New Jersey, 9-26-1757, he moved there in January 1758. He was inaugurated 1-16-1758. Five weeks later he died as the result of inoculation for small-pox. A few days later his wife and daughter, Esther, who was the widow of his predecessor, President Burr, died from the same cause.

Among his children were sons, Timothy, 1738; Robert 1743; Johnathan (the younger), 1745; Thomas, 1747; Pierpont, 1750. Born Northampton, Mass.

Pierpont graduated from Princeton in 1768 and was admitted to the bar beginning his practice in New Haven, Conn. in 1771. He served in the Revolutionary Army. In 1787-88 was a member of the Continental Congress. Later he became U. S. Judge for Conn. He founded the Toleration Party in Conn. and his energy in this cause made him hated by Colonists. After the treason of Benedict Arnold, he became administrator of his estate.

Jonathan (the Younger) graduated from Princeton in 1765. As his father had done, he studied theology and tutored at Princeton 1767-1769. Was ordained a minister in 1769 at White Haven, Conn. and was there for 26 years. Like his father, he was finally dismissed because of his dislike of the "Half-way Covenant" on 5-19-1795. He became pastor in Colebrook (1796-98) and became President of Union College, Schenectady, N. Y. (1799-1801) where he was very successful as President and teacher. Noted as a theologian and philosopher, he was a Calvinist, but with considerable moderation of his father's views.

## EDWARDS-TROUT

Robert and Thomas Edwards, who were Tories, were granted a vast tract of land which comprised Dutchess County and one other by Geo. III. Another version is that it was farther south, where the city of New York is located and that Trinity Church is one of the important buildings which was built after the land was leased for 99 years. After the lease expired an effort was made by descendants to regain the land and litigation was started. Nothing came of it. Although many gave funds for this purpose, it was finally dropped as hopeless, because of the complexity of the situation.

Robert Edward's son, Martin George, fathered this branch of the family. After the war he removed to Virginia, where he died. His twin brother William, 9-28-1770, d 1851, probably at Elizabethtown, N. J. where he had gone and had become proficient in leatherwork.

Martin G. Edwards b (9-28-1770) m (10-18-1808) d (1-28-1845)  
Frances Stogdale b (1-25-1790) m (10-18-1808) d (12-26-1874)

Their children were:

Jane b 9-25-1809 m Flemene Edwards 4-10-1823  
William b 12-10-1811 d the last day of Feb. 1848  
Sarah b 2-18-1814 m Sierous Andrews 10-20-1833  
Mary Ann b 6-7-1816 m Matthew Hart 4-4-1843  
Robert b 6-6-1818 m Ann Guitzuinger 4-18-1844  
George b 10-31-1820 d the fourth day of Nov. 1865.  
Henry b 6-18-1822  
Frances A. b 8-15-1825 m David S. Trout 2-20-1845  
James b 10-14-1828

Note: From the Kingston Parish record, Rockingham County, Va., Thomas Whiting Edwards and Mrs. Mary Perrit were married Dec. 25, 1776. Thomas Dudley and Mrs. Mary Curtis were married May 13, 1775. Wm. Todd Dudley and Mary Muscow Jones married June 10, 1775.

## A FEW NOTES ON THE TROUT FAMILY

In 1754 George Trout settled on land afterward acquired by James Craig in Augusta Co., Virginia.

Nicholas K. Trout 3-25-1752 signed the will of Jacob Harnsberger in Rockingham Co., Virginia. In the same county:

Michael Trout m Hannah Thompson 10-6-1805  
Polly Trout m 11-21-1805 Byrd Hawkins  
George Trout m 3-16-1809 Polly (Mary) Miller  
Elizabeth Trout m 3-17-1811 Michael Miller  
Catherine Trout m 1813 George Stoner  
Alexander Trout m 3-30-1815 Mary Ann Armentrout  
Hannah Trout m 3-18-1818 William Hinkle

Michael Trout owned land 1789, Militia Dist. 6; 170 A, gave 1 tithable and 8 horses. Vollentine Trout, Capt. Trumboe's Co. No. 10, gave 1 tithable and 4 horses.

George and Mary Miller Trout, parents of Michael, (Rader Church Records) m in Rockingham Co. Moved to Roanoke Co., Va. in 1814 as did Michael and Elizabeth Trout Miller. Their sons John Trout and Jacob Miller contributed largely to building Roanoke College.

John, son of George and Mary, born Rockingham Co. 1813 m Eliza Jane Shaver. He died in Roanoke a very prominent man. Had children, Henry and Mary Susan, both of Roanoke.

Michael Miller was a Tory and George Trout a Whig; both Lutherans; lived  $\frac{1}{2}$  mi. apart; built substantial brick houses now standing. There is a Trout Hall and a Miller Hall on Roanoke College campus.

Michael Trout's will dated 4-12-1819 mentions children; George, Catherine, Elizabeth, Jacob, Michael, Hannah. George Trout son, and Samuel Yount, son-in-law, exrs.

David Trout b 1820 m Frances Edwards and lived at Troutville, Va. Just north of Roanoke, where he was a black smith and singer.

David S. Trout and Frances A. Edwards were m Feb. 20th 1845. Their children were:

John Newton b 4-27-1846  
James W. b 8-17-1847  
Mary Frances b 6-13-1849  
George F. b 12-19-1850  
Samuel A. b 2-15-1853  
Charles L. b 9-14-1854  
Sarah Catherine b 11-23-1856  
Lucy Alice b 1-24-1859  
Elizabeth Ann b 6-13-1861  
David H. b 10-5-1862  
Rosa N. b 9-3-1864  
Archibald b 7-20-1867  
Edward M. b 9-7-1868  
Robert W. b 9-7-1868  
Etta Eveline b 8-18-1871

John Newton Trout (4-27-1846) m (12-25-1867) Emma Henrietta Van Blaw (10-4-1846). Their children were:

Lumina b 4-26-1869 m John Gaylor 10-15-1890  
Anna b 1-19-1873 m Edward G. Ming 11-4-1892  
Nord Pearley b 11-9-1880 m Blanche Kayton 3-16-1905  
Emma Blondelle b 2-12-1885 m Harvey Hammer 12-1-1903  
Charles S. b 4-30-1890 m Virginia G. Saul 1-1-1910

The children of John and Lumina Gaylor:

Arlene who m Alton Robinson  
Esther who m Levere Steward

The Gaylors went to Thermopolis soon after they were married, both being teachers, and the two daughters still live in the state of Wyoming.

The children of Edward G. and Anna Ming:

Ralph who married Florence Dady—3 dau.  
Pearl who m Rev. Willard Kratzer

The children of Nord P. and Blanche Trout were:

Emma who m George Taylor  
Lester who m Berneice —  
Harold who became a minister and removed to S. D.

This family lived in Burt Co. Nebraska and then went to Gordon, Nebraska.

The children of Harvey and Emma Hammer were:

Blanche  
Isa  
Jesse  
Henrietta  
Blondelle  
Howard  
Leone  
Olive  
Alton

Charles S. Trout m Virginia Golden Saul 1-1-1910. Their children were:

Gordon LaVerne b 1-9-1915 m Erma Lamb Henry (widow)  
4-14-1949  
Edith Lenore b 2-12-1917; passed away Sept. 28, 1925, aged 8  
Kathryn Roberta Irene b 3-5-1921 m Wm. C. Cole 7-29-1946

Gordon LaVerne and Erma Trout have these children:

Gordon LaVerne, Jr. b 1-3-1950  
Deborah Ann b 10-31-1951  
Gail Letha b 12-6-1952

Kathryn Irene Trout m William Christopher Cole of Madison, Wisc. July 28, 1946. They had only one son until he passed away July 29th, 1952.

Charles Christopher b 5-24-1947

## BURR

The Burr Family was mentioned in the foregoing Edwards story. The Rev. Aaron Burr, son of Daniel, b Fair-



field 1-4-1716 and d 9-24-1757; a graduate of Yale 1735, minister first at Newark until appointed Pres. of Princeton College; m Esther Edwards, dau of the Rev. Jonathan. Had a daughter who m the Hon. Tapping Reeve of Litchfield; one son, Aaron Burr Reeve. Rev. Burr had one son, Col. Aaron Burr, former Vice President of the United States. Col. Aaron Burr had one daughter who m a Mr. Alston, of South Carolina. She was lost at sea when on the way to New York to see her father after his return from Europe.

## Chapter XV



Cary

### Background

**W**ILLIAM CARY, Lord Mayor of Bristol, Eng. had a son and his son John Cary came to America and received a 3,000 A grant of land in Westmoreland Co., Va., 1654. Colonel was the title he brought with him and Major the one he earned. His tombstone at Cary's Quarters in Warwick bears the Coat or Arms of his family. He m Alice, daughter of Henry Hobson, alderman of Bristol, and had 4 sons and 3 daughters. One son, Col. Myles or Miles m the dau. of William Willson of Hampton.

The immigrant claims as ancestor, Sir. William Cary, who fell at Tewksbury 1471. Son, Sir Thomas m the grand-daughter of Duke of Somerset; their son, Sir William m Mary, sister of Anne Boleyn, queen. Henry Cary, their son, was Lord Hunsdon, the "honest Courtier" of Queen Elizabeth's reign.

Lucius Cary, second Viscount Falkland (1610-1643) succeeded his father in the title in 1633. He entered Parliament in 1640, became Sec. of State 1642, was killed in the battle of Newburg in the Civil War.

Robert, 1st Earl of Monmouth, English soldier, served against the Spanish Armada, took part in the siege of Rouen and under Elizabeth was warden of the border marches. Born Robert Carey or Cary he was created Earl of Monmouth by Charles I in 1626.

The Carys formerly held 2 Earldoms, Monmouth and Dover and the Barony of Hunsdon. Henry Cary born 1622 was the first Viscount Falkland. John Cary's name appears in Plymouth records in 1634, the year of his arrival. He was the first teacher of latin in Plymouth Colony. He m Elizabeth Godfrey and they had 12 children. One daughter m for her second husband, Miles Standish. General Grant traced back to this

family. Samuel Cary m Deliverance Grant. However, the Grants were of Scottish descent.

Archbald Cary, (1730-1786) an American patriot, was b in Virginia. He was a member for several years of the House of Burgesses, where he was conspicuous as an opponent of the arbitrary measures of the British ministry. He was member of the Committee of Correspondence in 1773, and in 1776, as a delegate to the famous Virginia Convention, introduced the resolution by which the Virginia delegates in the Continental Congress were instructed to propose a declaration of independence. He was president of the Virginia Senate from the organization of the State government to his death.

Wife of the 8th Lord Fairfax was Elizabeth, of the Miles Cary line. Since the first, members of the family have answered their country's call in every war. Characteristics of the family are patriotic self devotion and singlemindedness. What has been said of one might also be said of many of the family—a friend to Truth of soul sincere, in action faithful and in honor clear.

Henry Francis Cary was buried in Westminster Abbey and was noted for his translation of Dante. Another Henry was a poet and musician and was author of "God Save the King." The family motto: Virtue excerptae—"Conspicuous for bravery" or "by valor Gained." The Coat of Arms is blazoned: Argent on a bend, sable, three roses of the field, leaves vert. The Crest: a swan wings elevated, proper.

Myles of Virginia had a different motto; two mottoes are blazoned on his Coat of Arms; "Comme je trouve" and "Sine Deo carco." Hope and joy are symbolized by the roses of the Cary's and the motto, Virtue Excerptae is that they were bestowed upon Sir Robert Cary by Henry V in 1413 for valor displayed on the battlefield.

*Let each one who bears the Cary name  
Remember whence his shield and motto came.  
All that the family have by valor gained  
Must by the sons be valiently maintained.  
Then take the shield; go forward to the fight;  
Guard well the roses, may their silvery light  
Shine on brave deeds, performed for truth and right.*

Myles 1620-1667 and James 1640 settled in Warwick Co., Va.; was a Col. and Luet. 1658-1667; Burgess 1659-63;; member Council 1663-67; m before 1646, Ann, dau. Capt. Thomas Taylor

(The Cary and Lee families intermarried)

## Chapter XVI



### Lincoln

## Background

**S**AINTE HUGH 1135-1200, English Clergyman, Bishop of Lincoln was born at Avalon, Bergundy, about 1135. His father was Lord of Avalon, but renounced the World when Hugh was 8 years old, and took his son with him into a monastery near Grenoble. In 1160 Hugh became a Carthusian monk and his election as Bishop of Lincoln took place in 1186. When he died his tomb in Lincoln Cathedral became a place of pilgrimage. He is revered by the Carthusian Order on November 17.

The Carthusian monastic order owes its origin to St. Bruno, who retired in 1086 with six companions to the solitude of La Chartreuse near Grenoble, where they built hermitages, wore rude garments and lived upon vegetables and coarse bread.

After 1170 when the order received papal approbation, it extended rapidly. It dates from 1180 in England, where the name of Chartreuse Houses was corrupted into Charter Houses. The Order is now conducted under the rules approved in 1682 by Pope Innocent XI. The Carthusians were divided into two classes, fathers and lay brothers. Each father occupied a separate cell, with a bed of straw, a pillow, a woolen coverlet and the means of manual labor or of writing. They left their cells only on special occasions. Flesh and wine were forbidden and the rule of unbroken silence was enforced.

The order at one time counted 16 provinces and boasted of the most magnificent convents in the world, as La Grande Chartreuse in France and in Italy the Certose di Pavia, 18 miles south of Milan. The buildings of the former date from 1676 and of the latter from 1396.

When the monasteries were suppressed under Henry VIII, there were nine Carthusian monasteries in England. Today there is one, near Steyning, 8 miles from Brighton.

Note: Lincoln's Inn, one of the four London Courts, was

so called because in the reign of Edward II its buildings belonged to the Earl of Lincoln.

A short history of the Lincoln Family is included because they were friends and neighbors of the Andrews who came to Hingham, Mass. Bay Colony from Eng. 1635. The Lincolns first went to Salem, then to Hingham. Samuel 1622-1690, who with his wife, Martha Lewis, had 11 children, was the ancestor of Thomas Lincoln, father of Abraham, 16th President of the United States.

Benjamin Lincoln 1733-1810, American General, born at Hingham, Mass. took part in the siege of Yorktown and was deputed to receive Cornwallis' sword. He was Secretary of War from 1781 to 1784. In 1786-87 he commanded the Massachusetts forces engaged in the suppression of Shay's Rebellion and in 1788-89 was Lieutenant-Governor of the State.

Joseph Crosby Lincoln 1870, American author, was born at Brewster, Mass. His stories, collectively, form a series of entertaining sketches of Cape Cod Life.

Thomas 1778-1851, father of Abraham, was a carpenter and married Nancy Hanks June 12, 1806. She was the natural daughter of Nancy Hanks and her husband, whose ancestor, Thomas Hanks, came from England to Virginia in 1644. Abe had one sister, Sarah, two years older, who died in 1821. He also had a brother Thomas, who died in Infancy. His mother died Oct. 5, 1818. His father then married Mrs. Sarah Bush Johnson in 1819. She had a very favorable influence upon Abe.

Abraham Lincoln 1809-1863 m Mary Todd 1818-1882, dau. of Robert Smith Todd, a pioneer. Her half-sister, Emily Todd, m Brig. Gen. Ben Hardin Helm of the Confederate Army who was killed at Chicamauga. The Lincolns were m in Springfield, Ill., Nov. 4, 1842. Of the Lincoln children, Edward Baker died in 1850; William Wallace in 1862; Tad (Thomas) in 1871. Robert Todd b Aug., 1843 in Springfield, studied law at Harvard, served in the Civil War, was Sec. of War in President Garfield's Cabinet, minister to Great Britain and President of the Palace Car Co. He m Mary Harlan, dau. of Sen. James Harlan, Iowa. She d in 1937. Their children since deceased were Abraham who d at 17; Mrs. Chas. Isham; Mrs. Robt. J. Randolph. Robert Lincoln d at Manchester, Vt., July 26, 1926 and was buried at Arlington National Cemetery. He gave the Library of Congress 18,350 Lincoln letters and documents, which were opened to the public July 26, 1947. Mrs. Robert Lincoln gave the Library the Bible on which President Lincoln took the oath of office and the Lincoln family Bible. Her estate was estimated at \$3,000,000.

## *Chapter XVII*

### JACKSON

**E**DWARD JACKSON 1602-81 ca England to Newtown, Mass. 1643; Freeman 1645; purchased a farm of 500 A from Gov. Bradstreet; selectman; dep. Gen. Court 18 sessions; went to the aid of Apostle Eliot in Evangelization of the Indians; gave 400 A to Harvard College; m Frances —; m 2nd 1649 Elizabeth, dau. of John Newgate and widow of John Oliver.

Andrew Jackson, seventh President of the United States, originally Jeffersonian - Republican was born in the Waxhaws Dist. of New Lancaster Co., South Carolina, March 15, 1767, the posthumous son of Andrew Jackson, who ca from County Antrim, Ireland with his wife Elizabeth Hutchinson, and two sons in 1765. At thirteen he joined the militia in the Revolution and when captured, a British officer struck Andrew with his sword when the boy refused to shine his boots.

He read law in Salisbury, S. C., moved to Nashville, Tenn. speculated in land, married and raised cotton at the Hermitage, originally a log house. In 1796 he helped draft the Constitution of Tenn. and for one year, occupied its one seat in the National House. He was in the senate in 1797 and again in 1823. He defeated the Creek Indians at Horseshoe Bend, Ala. 1814 and as Maj. Gen. USA, drove the British out of Pensacola. With 6,000 backwoods fighters, he defeated Pakenham's 12,000 British troops at Chalmette, outside of New Orleans, Jan. 8, 1815, losing 7 men to the British loss of 2,000.

On his second try he became President, the West rising to support "Old Hickory" and a liberal land policy. He was a noisy debater and duellist and introduced rotation in office, or the "spoils system." He was suspicious of privilege and ruined the Bank of the United States by depositing federal funds in State banks.

He killed the Congressional caucus for nominating presidential candidates and substituted the National Convention 1832, when he was re-elected with Martin Van Buren, vice president. He reorganized the Republic of Texas 1836. His party took the name of Democrat. He died at the Hermitage June 8, 1845 and is buried there.

Rachel, wife of the Pres. was the daughter of Col. John Donelson, a surveyor of Nashville. She first m Capt. Lewis

Robard. Under the impression that he had obtained a divorce, she m Andrew Jackson, in 1791 in Natches. Robard did not get a divorce until 1793, after which the Jacksons were re-married. She d in 1828 after his election to the presidency and never lived in the White House. Jackson adopted her sister's son and named him Andrew Jackson, Jr. White House hostesses were his wife's niece Emily Donelson and the adopted son's wife.

### JACKSON MARRIAGES

Andrew Jackson m Jan. 1, 1828 Hannah Flora. They lived in Franklin Co. Va.; Most of his relatives lived in Tennessee.

Their son, Daniel Jackson, 1848-1930 m Catherine Bowman 1848-1904. Va.

Issue: Cornelia, John, Hardin, Walter, Rose, Ethel; Harry

Their dau. Miranda lived with her brother Daniel. (dau. of Andrew and Hannah)

Another son, Moses Jackson 1857-1937 m 1876 Sarah Elizabeth Heckman 1857-1937 (dau. of David Painter and Agnes Horn Heckman)

William P. Jackson 1877-1942 m 1911 Amanda Lusk. Buried Magnolia Cemetery, at Beaumont, Texas.

Hannah Agnes Jackson 1879 m William C. Wimmer, Contractor, Roanoke, Va.

Minnie Jackson 1881-1884.

Miranda Mary Virginia Jackson b 1884

Laura Ida Jackson 1886 m 1911 Isaac Walter Avery 1882, Roanoke, Va.

David A. Jackson 1888-1889

Henry E. Jackson 1892 m 1938 Ada C. Tanner

Bessie E. Jackson 1895 m 1917 Chester C. Mitchell, Roanoke, Va.

George L. Jackson 1900-1902

Bettie Jackson 1860 m 1st John W. Jamison

## Chapter XVIII



### Jefferson

**J**OHN JEFFERSON was among the first settlers in Virginia. He lived at Osborne's-on-the-James; was a burgess in 1619.

Peter, a descendant, 1707/8-1757 lived at "Shadwell"; was Adj. Gen. of Virginia; m 1739, Jane, daughter of Isham Randolph of "Dungeness." Thomas 1743-1826, author of the Declaration of Independence and 3rd President, was born at Shadwell. His father Peter, d when he was 14 years of age, leaving him 2750 A of land and his slaves. He was graduated from the College of William and Mary at 20, studied law with George Wythe in Williamsburg, studied the classics in Greek and Latin, played the violin and rode horses. In 1769 he was elected to the House of Burgesses. On Jan. 1, 1772 he m Martha Wayles Skelton 23, the daughter of John Wayles and the widow of Bathurst Skelton. Thomas was 6 feet 2 inches tall; temperate in debate, a diest in religion; activities many, beliefs adamant.

He was sent to France with Benjamin Franklin and John Adams to negotiate treaties of commerce 1784; made minister to France 1785; made treaties with France and Prussia, studied Architecture, gardening and the French Revolution, whose leaders consulted him.

Washington appointed him Sec. of State 1789. Jefferson believed firmly in the consent of the governed as opposed to Executive control as favored by Hamilton, Sec. of the Treasury, which frequently caused conflict.

He became third President, under whom the Louisiana Purchase was consummated in 1803 and the Lewis and Clark Expedition took place. He established the University of Virginia and designed its buildings. After the Library of Congress was burned by the British, he sold the Congress 13,000 volumes for \$23,950. He died the same day as John Adams, July 4, 1826, and was buried at Monticello, which he had designed and



built, and which finally passed into the hands of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation in 1923.

Two of his six children lived to maturity; Martha and Mary. Martha 1772-1836 m in 1790, Thomas Mann Randolph, Jr. Mary (Marie) 1778-1804 married her cousin, J. W. Eppes. Mrs. Jefferson's large farm and slaves became part of the Jefferson holdings. She d Sept. 6, 1782. Martha's dau. Eleanora Randolph m Joseph Coolidge 1798-1879.

## Chapter XIX



Taylor

### Background

**R**OWLAND TAYLOR d 1555; English martyr, born at Rothbury in Northumberland. Cranmer, to whom he was domestic chaplain gave him the rectory of Hadleigh in Suffolk (1544) and he thereafter became archdeacon of Exeter (1551) and a canon of Rochester. Under Queen Mary he was imprisoned as a heretic for more than a twelve month in the King's Bench, and was burned near Hadleigh.

James Taylor 1674-1729 was the ancestor of two United States presidents, James Madison and Zachery Taylor.

Zachery Taylor 1784-1850, 12th president of the United States, born in Orange Co., Va. His family removed to Kentucky, where Zachery worked on a plantation and received an elementary education. At the age of 23 Taylor entered the army and fought against the Indians in the Blackhawk and Seminole wars. Was a Major Gen. in the Mexican War. Distinguished himself by defeating Santa Anna overwhelmingly near the Rio Grande.

Taylor was elected President on the Whig ticket in 1848 and d 16 months after taking office. His administration was beset with the slavery problem that followed the Mexican War.

James Taylor 1674-1729; m — Madison

Zachery Taylor 1707-1768; m Elizabeth Lee

Col. Richard 1744-1829; m Sarah Dabney Strother; Col. Am. Rev.

Zachery Taylor 1784-1850; m 1810 Margaret Smith 1788-1852

Richard Taylor 1826-1879; b New Orleans, became Brig. Gen.

Elizabeth Taylor m W. W. S. Bliss

Ann Taylor m Dr. Robert Wood, Asst. Surgeon General, U.S.A.

Sarah Knox Taylor m Jefferson Davis 1835; d three months later.

James Madison m Eleanor Rose Conway, parents of the president

James Madison 1751-1836; m 9-15-1794 Dorothy Payne Todd (Dolly)

### JOHNSON-TAYLOR-MADISON

James Taylor 1674-1729 was the grandfather of James

Madison, fourth President of the United States. He was the eldest of the 12 children of James Madison and Eleanor Rose Conway, King George Co. Va. James Madison, elected President in 1808 m 9-15-1794 Dorothy Payne Todd, dau. of John Payne, a Virginia Quaker, who lived in Hanover Co., Va. and the widow of John Todd who died in 1793. When her husband became Secretary of State for Thomas Jefferson, she became hostess in the White House, where she presided at the first Inaugural Ball in 1809.

In old age she suffered from the wastefulness of a son. She died 7-12-1849, aged 81, and was buried beside Madison at Montpelier, Va. where they retired in 1817 to the estate built in 1760.

James Taylor was also the ancestor of Richard Taylor, who was the father of the 12th President of the United States, Zachery Taylor. A daughter of Zachery Taylor, Sarah Knox, married Jefferson Davis and died three months later. A son of Zachery, Richard Taylor, served under Stonewall Jackson and became a Confederate General. He died in New York.

Daniel Stover of Carter Co., Tenn. married Mary Johnson, dau. of President Andrew Johnson of Greenville, Tenn. and had three children. After he died, she married W. R. Bacon of Greenville in 1860.

*Note:* Zachery Taylor, 12th president was born in Orange County, Va. where Jacob Stover was the first settler. He was born Nov. 12, 1784, the son of Richard Taylor. Zachery m 1810 Margaret Smith b 1788, dau of a Maryland planter. She d in 1852.

## Chapter XX

### QUINCY

**E**DMUND QUINCY of Wigsthorpe Co., Northampton, England (1559-1627/8) m Oct. 14, 1593, Ann Palmer.

Edmund II of Boston b 5-30-1602, d 1654; lived at Ach-wich estate, named Linsdon. He came to New England in 1628 and again in 1633 on Sept. 4, with John Cotton; m in England 7-14-1623 Judith Pares; d 11-19-1654; both he and his wife were admitted to the church in March 1633.

Edmund III b 1627, only son of Boston, bapt. 3-15-1628 in Eng.; d 1-7-1698; Freeman 1665, Maj. and Lieut. Suffolk Regiment. Representative 1670-73-75-79 and May 1692; m 1st 7-26-1648 Joanne Hoar b 1625, d 5-16-1680), sister of Pres. Hoar of Harvard University; m 2nd 12-8-1680 Elizabeth (Gookin) Eliot, dau. of Hon. Daniel Gookin and widow of John Eliot, Jr. She d 11-30-1700. The last child of first wife, Experience, m about 1675, William Saul.

Josiah (1744-1775) American Patriot, b Boston, Mass. Read law with Oxenbridge Thalcher and was admitted to the bar. Denounced the Stamp Act through the press and at public meetings in Boston and took a strong stand against the exactions of Parliament. In 1770 he and John Adams conducted the defense of British soldiers implicated in the Boston Massacre. He soon saw that war was the only way of settling disputes between Great Britain and the colonists and indicated that independence must be the result. In Sept. he went to England as the agent for the Patriot Party, sailing for home in the spring of 1775, he died on the voyage, on Apr. 26.

Josiah 1772-1824, American lawyer, orator and man of letters, b in Boston; member State Senate, 1804; entered Congress 1805; distinguished himself as a ready, earnest and fervent orator in opposition to the policy of Jefferson and Madison. He was one of the earliest to denounce slavery in Congress; opposed war with England. Disgusted with the triumph of the Republican Party and its advocacy of the War of 1812, he declined to be re-elected to Congress and devoted his attention largely to scientific agriculture. In 1829 he accepted the Presidency of Harvard College, which he held until 1845. Among his published works are the Memoirs of his father; Memoir of John Quincy Adams. His son of the same name was

President of the Mass. State Senate in 1842; Mayor of Boston 1845-49.

Edmund IV, 1808-1877, American author and reformer, the second son of Josiah, President of Harvard, b Boston; devoted himself to literature and was the author of an excellent biography of his father and of a novel "Wensley" in 1854 which won high praise from Whittier, beside contributing to the anti-slavery press.

