

# **GADD GENEALOGY**

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# *PREFACE*

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For several years I have been gathering information with reference to the Gadd family and since I find no genealogy of the family has been published, I have decided to preserve in book form the information which I have for the benefit of future generations.

Most members of the family have rendered all assistance possible for which I extend my sincere thanks. Some few failed to respond to my letters requesting information. This is by no means a complete sketch of the entire family which is sparsely scattered throughout the United States, but I have made the portion hereinafter set forth as complete as possible, but it may develop that there are some few errors.

The purpose has not been so much to set forth achievements or failures of members of the family, but rather to set forth so far as possible the line of descent from the most remotely known ancestor down to the present time, with special attention to male members of the family. May I express the hope that some other member of the family will hereafter, say in fifty or seventy-five years, revise and bring this genealogy down to date.

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## ABBREVIATIONS

The following abbreviations used in this book mean as follows:

- b. — born
- d. — died
- DB — Deed Book
- MR — Marriage Record
- ? — Questionable, not verified
- WB — Will Book

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## FIGURES

The figure 1 before a name means the beginning of that line or the most remotely known ancestor. The figure 2 means children of 1. The figure 3 means children of 2 and grand children of 1, and so on.

## GADD GENEALOGY

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The ancestors of the Gadd family in the United States came from England and Scotland, and the name in England and in this country was spelled Gad until about 1800, when the spelling gradually changed to Gadd. The family name appears quite common around Bristol, Blagdon and Manchester and they are sparsely scattered throughout England and Scotland. There are twelve of the name in London who have telephones. C. J. Gadd of London has written a number of religious books. George Gadd of England was a near golf professional a few years ago. The Right Reverend Monsignor Cannon, Charles Joseph Gadd, who died in 1907, had for many years been Vicar General to the Bishop of Salford. There is a tradition handed down that the first high hat ever worn by the King of England was made by a hat manufacturer by the name of Gad in Manchester.

As to the origin of the name it has been suggested that it probably comes down from the seventh son of Jacob. "And Leah said, a troop cometh, and she called his name Gad." Gen. 30-11. Following the biblical history down several centuries later we find them loyal to King David and that they were "Men of war, fit for battle, that could handle shield and Buckler." 1st Chron. 12-8. It is probable that the name Gade, Gaddy, Gaddis, Gaddes, Gedd and Geddes were derived from the original name Gad and the variations in spelling due to the language in different countries.

From where and when they came to England, we know not. The name Gad is quite common in Denmark, also Sweden and in Russia. One line of the family in Denmark has the adoptive name of Gad. Tue Gad of Carlottenlund, Denmark, states that in 1734, a Clergyman by the very common name of Jensen decided to change his name to some biblical name and opened his Bible at Gen. 49-19 and there read, "Gad, a troupe shall overcome him, but he shall overcome at the last." Jensen adopted the name of Gad and passed it on to his twenty-one children who have many descendents in Denmark. Another line of the family in Denmark can be traced back to 1623. It is

possible that members of the family came from England to Denmark while Kanute, the Great, was King of England, as well as Denmark, about 1015 to 1035, or the reverse may have been true, and members of the family come from Denmark to England about this time.

The first settlement in the United States was made in and around Baltimore. William Gadd, Revolutionary soldier, in his application for a pension, No. S 2231, states that he was born in Baltimore county, Maryland, June 30, 1759, and was a son of Absalom Gadd. He later moved to Pennsylvania.

Joseph Gadd settled in North Carolina in 1774.

Elijah, Vize and Ignatious Gadd were early settlers in Pennsylvania. In the last hundred years there have been several members of the family come from England to different parts of the United States.

## REVOLUTIONARY WAR RECORDS

William Gadd and Vize Gadd both served as privates from Bedford County, Pennsylvania, in the War for Independence, as shown by Volume 4 (5th series) page 604, Pennsylvania Archives and other records. William Gadd was granted a pension for his services.

Thomas Gadd and Robert Gadd both served in the Fifth Maryland Regiment, Volume 18, page 536, Maryland Archives, and Washington records. William Gadd served in the Second North Carolina Regiment, Washington records.

## UNITED STATES CENSUS 1790

Until 1850 the United States Census did not give the names of children, but only the name of the head of the family and the number of children under and over sixteen years of age.

The first census in 1790 shows the following with reference to the Gadd family.

1. Thomas Gadd, Queen Annes County, Maryland, one son and two daughters over 16.

2. Thomas Gadd, Talbot County, Maryland, one son and one daughter over 16.

3. Agnicious Gadd, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, one son under 16, and one son and three daughters over 16.

4. William Gadd, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, three sons under 16 and two sons and two daughters over 16.

5. Joseph Gadd, Richmond County, North Carolina, one daughter over 16.

6. Joseph Gadd, Jr., Richmond County, North Carolina, three sons and five daughters under 16 and one son over 16.

## TOMBSTONE RECORDS

Following is tombstone records of persons by the name of Gadd:

## OAK GROVE CEMETERY, Uniontown, Pennsylvania

Joseph Gadd, b. 1800, d. 1858  
Eleanor Gadd, his wife, b. 1805, d. 1863  
Elmirah H. Gadd, b. 1835, d. 1870  
Sophia Gadd, b. 1826, d. 1896  
William Gadd, b. 1833, d. 1913  
Hannah Gadd, his wife, b. 1832, d. 1913

## MOUNT OLIVET CEMETERY, Baltimore

Charles W. Gadd, d. 1888  
Amanda Gadd, d. 1909  
George Gadd, d. 1914

## BALTIMORE CEMETERY COMPANY, Baltimore

Eliza Gadd, d. 1860  
T. J. Gadd, d. 1873  
Emily Gadd, d. 1865

## LOUDON PARK CEMETERY, Baltimore

Eliza Gadd, d. 1887, age 85  
Elizabeth Gadd, d. 1885, age 72  
Elizabeth L. Gadd, d. 1912, age 45  
Ely Gadd, d. 1918, age 69  
Luther C. Gadd, d. 1874, age 69  
Luther M. Gadd, d. 1887, age 48  
Margaret Gadd, d. 1824, age 75  
Nancy A. Gadd, d. 1917, age 68  
S. B. Gadd, d. 1879, age 26  
Samuel Gadd, d. 1898, age 20  
Samuel H. Gadd, d. 1911, age 62  
Thomas J. Gadd, Sr., d. 1918, age 71  
Thomas J. Gadd, Jr., d. 1934, age 10  
(There are some other infants of  
this name interred in this cemetery)

## GREENWOOD CEMETERY, Zanesville, Ohio

James Gadd, b. 1822, d. 1899  
Sarah Gadd, his wife, b. 1820, d. 1905  
Susannah Gadd, b. 1856, d. 1921  
Bertha M. Gadd, b. 1891, d. 1902.

**VIRGINIA, WEST VIRGINIA AND KENTUCKY LINE**

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**1. THOMAS GADD (son of ----- ?)**

Thomas Gadd and William Warwick Gadd moved from around Uniontown, Penn., to Franklin county, Virginia, in 1792. By deed dated March 29, 1792, DB 2, p. 345, Thomas Gadd purchased 130 acres of land from Luke Stanifer for 12 pounds, and by deed dated Feb. 3, 1794, DB 3, p. 108, he purchased 411 acres from Stanifer for 30 pounds, both tracts of land on Story creek.

**2. WILLIAM WARWICK GADD (son of Thomas)**

William Warwick Gadd was born about 1780 and died in 1870. By deed dated March 1, 1805, DB 5, p. 131, Thomas Gadd conveyed to William Warwick Gadd the 130 acres of land above mentioned on Story creek. In 1831 he purchased 236 acres of land on Story creek. His wife's name was Dicie, and they had the following children, James, Sebert, Armstrong, John S. and Dicie, the latter having married James Cain in Kentucky. By deed dated May 17, 1832, DB 13, p. 332, William Warwick Gadd conveyed to his son, Sebert, all of his lands, 9 head of cattle, 44 hogs, 13 bee stands, 1000 pounds of tobacco and other property, retaining a life estate. In March, 1833, they sold all of their property for \$700 cash, and the entire family (except James) set out over the Boone Trail in an ox wagon for Kentucky and after several weeks journey they arrived in Rockcastle county and purchased lands on Clear creek, where several of their descendents still live.

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**WEST VIRGINIA**

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**3. JAMES GADD (son of William Warwick)**

James Gadd was b. in Franklin county, Virginia, 1808, and d. June 29, 1888, and is buried in Reynolds cemetery two miles northwest of Cowen, West Virginia. He married Rhoda Thornton in 1826, and the tradition is that the reason he did not move to Kentucky with his father and other members of the family was because his wife would not agree to leave her people. He acquired lands in Franklin county and lived there until about 1840, when he sold his lands and moved to Wyoming county, now West Virginia, where he purchased lands and lived until about 1870 when he moved to Webster county. They had the

following children, Andrew P., Sanford, Wilson T., James Jr., Sarah A. and Harriet E.

#### 4. HARRIET ELIZABETH GADD

(Daughter of James)

Harriet E. Gadd was born in Franklin County, Virginia, in 1835, and died in Huntsville, Alabama, in 1911. She moved to Wyoming County, West Virginia, with her parents in 1843, and was married to Alfred W. Lane on March 8, 1855. He was a widower, son of Alex Lane, of North Carolina. They had one son, Joseph Lane. Alfred W. Lane disappeared and was never heard of again. The Civil War came on and she and her mother moved to Washington County, Virginia, to be near relatives.

About 1862 Harriet E. married Robert Johnson of Washington County, Virginia, and they had one son, Robert E. Lee Johnson. Robert Johnson was a soldier in the Confederate army and was killed in battle.

About 1866 Harriet E. married Preston Kendrick of Washington County, and they had three daughters, Almedia, who married Frank Barber and lives at Oilton, Oklahoma; Martelia, who married Charles Pettyjohn and Amanda, who married Joseph Sharrett.

#### 5. JOSEPH LANE (son of Harriet E. Gadd)

Joseph Lane was born in Wyoming County, West Virginia, and moved with his mother to Washington County, Virginia, as above stated, where he lived until 1893, when he moved to Missouri. There he married Louisia Barker Barbe whom he had known in Virginia, and they had the following children: Cora, who married William Williams and lives at Rockville, Missouri, Fannie, who married Ed Branninger and they live at Gashland, Missouri, P. J. Lane, Phoenix, Arizona, Mary Pearl Lane, who married W. B. Cross and lives in Kansas City, Ruth Lane and John Daniel Lane also of Kansas City.

#### 5. ROBERT E. LEE JOHNSON

(son of Harriet E. Gadd)

Robert E. Lee Johnson was born in Washington County, Virginia, October 13, 1863, and died there November 18, 1930. He married Mollie E. Martin who is still living. They had the following children: Clarence C., now deceased, Minnie Lee, who married Clarence Sharrett, Della W., who married Albert Couch, Bertha B., who married Clarence Tate, Margia, who married Charles Cole, Robert T., Garnett M., Herbert F and Emory K.

## 4. JAMES GADD, Jr. (son of James)

He was born in 1829 and died 1894. He moved to Boone County, West Virginia and married Lucy Neuby. They had children: William F., Addie and Allie and three other children who died in infancy. Allie married Sim Toney and they had two children, Cecil and Bessie. Addie married Henry Belcher and they had children: Nora, Ella, Anna, Lessie, Thelma, Herbert and Robert.

## 5. WILLIAM F. GADD (son of James, Jr.)

He was born about 1865 and has lived in Boone County all his life. He married Hettie Snodgrass and they had one daughter, Julia, who married Jack Washburn.

## 4. SARAH A. GADD (Daughter of James)

She was b. March 9, 1837 and d. December 2, 1919. She married Wyatt Ballard Shannon on May 19, 1853. He was b. December 16, 1831 and d. August 19, 1900. They lived in Wyoming County, West Virginia, and he was a farmer and hotel proprietor at Oceana. They had the following children: V. B. H. Shannon, Haven R. C. Shannon and Wyatt A. C. Shannon, all of whom died in infancy. They had other children, Jasper James, Lightburn Layne, Richard Averall, Ulysses Grant, Laura Ann, Vida Bell and May. Lightburn Layne Shannon has held several official positions in Wyoming County, and his son, C. V. Shannon, was Clerk of the County Court from 1935 to 1939.

## 4. WILSON T. GADD (son of James)

He was b. 1830 and d. in 1893. He married Alice Mullens and moved to Webster County, West Virginia, in 1872, where he was engaged in farming. They had children: Leander J., Caszander L. and Myles B.

## 5. LEANDER J. GADD (son of Wilson T.)

Leander J. Gadd was born September 19, 1856 and died in Webster County, West Virginia, April 16, 1934. He was a farmer and married Almira Susan Bailey and they had the following children: William W., Susan Lilly, Noah Washington, Stuart Franklin, all deceased, and Barbara Ellen, George Price and Almeda Jane, living. Barbara Ellen Gadd was born February 1, 1887, and married Manning Wright who is a merchant at Arcola, West Virginia. They have a daughter, Anna M. Wright, who is a teacher in the public schools. Almeda Jane Gadd married Arch Weese and they live at Shreve, Ohio.

6. GEORGE PRICE GADD (son of Leander J.)

He was born February 15, 1897, and married Flossie Sparks and is a farmer at Marcus, West Virginia. They have children: William D. J., Ralph Austin, Lloyd Dale and Harold Burton.

5. CASZANDER L. GADD (son of Wilson T.)

He was born in 1858 and died in 1900. He married Mary F. Weese, was a farmer and lived in Webster County. They had the following children: Rosa A., married Edward Collins, Adeline, married Henry Baker, Ella, married J. W. Clay, Harman L. and William H. all now deceased, and John W., Milton C. and Sanford S. Living.

6. JOHN W. GADD (son of Caszander L.)

He was born in 1885, lives at Duo, West Virginia, and is a locomotive engineer. He first married Alice McKinney and they had the following children: Earl W., deceased, Claude, Hayden and Clyde W. He then married Vera M. Whanger and they have children: Maxine, Mary and Wayne.

7. CLAUDE GADD (son of John W.)

He married Lillie Hart and they have children: Edward E., John Paul, Billie, Clarence and Mary A.

6. MILTON C. GADD (son of Caszander L.)

He lives at Rainelle, West Virginia, and is a locomotive engineer. He married Catherine Guinn and they have children: Esther, Virginia, Pearl, James, William and Madge.

6. SANFORD S. GADD (son of Caszander L.)

He lives in Charleston, West Virginia, and is a foreman in one of the chemical plants. He married Amanda Cales and they have children: Harold, Basil, Charles and Reba.

5. MILES B. GADD (son of Wilson T.)

He was born about 1860 and lives at Cowen, West Virginia, and has been a farmer all his life. He first married Virginia Weese and they had two children: Leander D. who lives at Webster Springs and Arminta who married Henry Baker. He then married Maggie Gray and they had one son, Charles Gadd, who lives at Cowen.

4. SANFORD GADD (son of James)

Sanford Gadd was b. about 1830 and was killed at the Battle of New Market, Virginia, May 15, 1864. He first married Peninah Peters in Monroe County, West Virginia, about 1856,

and they had one daughter, Sarah E. Gadd who married Andrew Kemper Harvey in Wyoming County, West Virginia, January 6, 1872, and they moved to Clay County, West Virginia. He then married Ellen Boyer in Monroe County, West Virginia, a short time before he enlisted in the army and one son was born, Andrew. Sanford Gadd and his brother Andrew P. were together in the battle of New Market, and in previous battles, and Andrew P. Gadd in relating his war experiences always referred to New Market with pathos in his voice. He related how he and his brother Sanford, on the night before the battle, were discussing the beauty of the country and the spring time, and were wondering if their wives had planted their corn, and how they were getting along, and then Sanford said, "Andrew, I have a premonition that one of us will be killed tomorrow, and I don't know which one, but this is our last night together, one of us will go tomorrow," and when the battle was over, it was Sanford that had made the supreme sacrifice.

#### 5. ANDREW GADD (son of Sanford)

He was born in Monroe County, West Virginia, in 1863, and died at Fredericktown, Ohio, in 1936. He was first married to Georgia Ann Wilkinson and they had children: Sanford Gadd, Mrs. Houston Williams, Echols Gadd and Powell Gadd, all in or near Fredericktown, Ohio, and Dennis Gadd and Mrs. Alfred Masters, Earlhurst, Virginia. Then Andrew Gadd married Allie Carr and they had children: Alfred Gadd, Fredericktown, Ohio and Mrs. Paul Carhart, Danville, Ohio, and Rosso Gadd, now deceased.

#### 4. ANDREW POWHATAN GADD (son of James)

He was b. in Franklin County, Virginia, September 25, 1828, and moved with his father to Wyoming County, now West Virginia, in 1843, and died in Mercer County, West Virginia, on March 30, 1909. He married Delilah Ferguson on February 23, 1851, and from the date of his marriage until his death he lived on a farm near Flat Top, in Mercer County, West Virginia. He served in the Confederate Army, and was Second Lieutenant in Co. F., 151 Virginia Militia (Vol. 20, P. 265, Confederate records, Richmond). He was in the battle of Cedar Creek, New Market, Fredericksburg and other battles. His brother, Sanford Gadd, was killed in the battle of New Market. They had the following children: Electra A. Gadd, who married Adam Harvey, Milicent, who married John Cooper, Mary A. Gadd, who married Charles Sneed, Rhoda E. Gadd, who married Barnett Sneed, Victoria M. Gadd, who married Albert Bonham, and Eliza J. Gadd, who married Columbus C. Farley, Powell W.

Gadd, William Harrison Gadd, Joseph B. Gadd, Andrew Jackson Gadd, and John Q. Gadd, the latter having died when he was about sixteen years of age.

5. POWELL W. GADD (son of Andrew P.)

He was b. September 15, 1853, and married Emma Martin and lived in Summers County, West Virginia. He d. about 1935. They had children: Rebecca, Mahalia, Stella, Mary, George, Clowney and Noah. Noah Gadd married a Gore and lives near Hinton, West Virginia.

5. WILLIAM HARRISON GADD

(son of Andrew P.)

He was b. Feb. 17, 1855 and d. Oct. 10, 1926. He married Lurinda E. Wood in 1873 and lived on a farm near Camp Creek, Mercer County, West Virginia. They had the following children, Joseph Hayden, Andrew Elbert, Gilbert S., Isaac A., Daniel P., George and Eliza J. Eliza J. Gadd married J. Q. Farley and they live in Beckley, W. Va., and have several sons and daughters. After the death of his first wife William H. married Catherine Akers-Mooney and they had one daughter, Zanzie, who married Frank Eads.

6. JOSEPH HAYDEN GADD (son of William H.)

He was b. March 7, 1875, was educated in the public schools, Athens State Normal and West Virginia University. He taught school a few years, served two terms as County Superintendent of Schools, two terms as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney and was Federal Prohibition Director for the State of West Virginia from 1923 to 1927. He was admitted to the bar in 1908, and has been actively engaged in the practice of law at Princeton, West Virginia, except for the four years he was in the government service. He was married to Minnie Dell Peters on July 27, 1898, and they have three children, Leslie E., Cyrus H. and Ruby E.

7. LESLIE EARL GADD (son of Joseph Hayden)

He was born May 15, 1899, and married Della Doyle in 1922 and they have one son, Leslie Earl, Jr., born October 7, 1925. They live in Princeton, West Virginia, and he is engaged in the real estate business and his wife is Superintendent of a hospital.

7. CYRUS H. GADD (son of Joseph Hayden)

He was born October 17, 1901 and married Wayne Welton in 1928. He was admitted to the bar in 1928 and has since

been actively engaged in the practice of his profession in Charleston, West Virginia. They have one daughter, Anne Welton, born May 25, 1931.

7. RUBY ELIZABETH GADD

(daughter of Joseph Hayden)

She was born March 18, 1906, and graduated at the Athens State Normal School, also studied music at Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, and taught school and music. She married James Marvin Marshall, October 14, 1933, and they have one son, Keith M. Marshall, born June 11, 1936. They live in Princeton, West Virginia, where her husband is employed in the clerical department of the Virginian Railway Company.

6. DANIEL PIERCE GADD (son of William H.)

Was b. July 24, 1885, married Maude Mae Meadows, April 14, 1909, lives at Beckley, West Virginia. Children: Nannie Ellen, b. March 28, 1911, William Pierce, Daniel Preston, b. March 1, 1921, Janice Joyce, b. April 29, 1923, Royal Forrest b. June 24, 1925.

7. WILLIAM PIERCE GADD (son of Daniel Pierce)

He was b. July 16, 1915, and married Lela Margaret Duffield and lives at Richwood, West Virginia. Children: William Duffield, b. February 9, 1935, and Richard Dow, b. February 20, 1938.

. GEORGE GADD (son of William H.)

Was b. March 26, 1890, married Stacy Brammer and lives at Beckley, West Virginia, children: Leona Gadd-Kirk, Lillian Beatrice and Glendon. Glendon Gadd was b. February 9, 1923.

6. ANDREW ELBERT GADD (son of William H.)

Was b. 1879 and d. 1938. Married Nona Lilly and had three daughters, Edith, Marie and Juanita. He lived in Princeton, West Virginia, and was a railway conductor.

6. ISAAC AMOS GADD (son of William H.)

He was born October 8, 1886 and married Bessie Johnson and lives at Matoaka, West Virginia. They have children: May Gadd-Gartland, Lola-Gadd-Helmendollar, Ruby Gadd-Bailey, Carrie Gadd-Patterson, Iva Gadd and Isaac A. Jr., the latter having been b. February 4, 1924.

6. GILBERT S. GADD (son of William H.)

He married Saphronia Godfrey and lives in Princeton, West

Virginia, where he is engaged in the real estate business. They have children: Luther Elmer, Hector, Gilbert Jr., Euna and Effie May.

5. ANDREW JACKSON GADD (son of Andrew P.)

He was b. October 6, 1869 and d. July 21, 1908. He married Mary Ann Waddell and they lived in Charleston. They had children: Lundy J., Edward H., Pearlle H., Earl W. and Bennie, the latter having married Frank Raines and lives at Buffalo, West Virginia.

.6 LUNDY JOHN GADD (son of Andrew J.)

He was b. January 23, 1891, lives in Charleston and is foreman of American Fork & Hoe Co. He married Vada Cart on November 27, 1912. They have three children: Violet, b. September 23, 1913, who is a student in West Virginia University. Harold Gadd, b. August 18, 1918, and is a clerk in the office of American Fork & Hoe Co., and a daughter, Rosemond Gadd.

6. EDWARD HOWARD GADD (son of Andrew J.)

He married Flora Guthrie and lives near Charleston. They have children: Howard, Joe, Jimmie and Margaret.

6. PEARLIE (PHIL) H. GADD (son of Andrew J.)

He married Louise Horton and they live in Catlettsburg, Kentucky, and have children: Ralph, Virginia, May and Phillip.

6. EARL WILLIAM GADD (son of Andrew J.)

He was b. July 22, 1901, and married Clyda Thaxton, December 30, 1922. They live in Charleston and have children: William Earl, b. March 17, 1930 and Mary Catherine, b. August 4, 1927.

5. JOSEPH B. GADD (son of Andrew P.)

He was b. July 5, 1857 and lives near Flat Top, West Virginia. He married Emma Howell and they had two daughters, Bertie, now deceased, and Zella, who married Charles Clark.

## KENTUCKY LINE

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3. JOHN S. GADD (son of William Warwick)  
(see Va.-West Va. Line)

John S. Gadd was born in Franklin County, Virginia, March 10th, 1820, and moved to Rockcastle County, Kentucky, in 1833 and settled on Clear Creek. He first married Jane Guinn and they had the following children: Vealia, Tazewell, Andrew P. and Dicie. Then he married Polly Abner and they had the following children: Armp, Elizabeth, Sebert, Henry, John S., Elisha, Charlie, Mary Jane and William. He was a miller and farmer and died July 28, 1889.

4. WILLIAM GADD (son of John S.)

William Gadd married Elizabeth Roberts and is still living near Berea, Kentucky. They had the following children: Emma, married R. G. Scherr, Willie, married L. Z. McQueen, John, married Nancy Coghill, Henry, married Virginia Chastine, Reuben, married Zelpha Cummins, Huston, married Gillispie, Oscar, married Bell Horan, Yetta, married Foster Hale, Bessie, married Monroe Shumaker, Robert, single.

4. TAZEWELL GADD (son of John S.)

Tazewell Gadd married Katie Todd and they had the following children: John, Martha, Hannah, William, Armp, Harrison, James and Mary.

5. ARMP GADD (son of Tazewell)

Armp Gadd married and had two sons, twins, Willie and John. (See later.)

4. JOHN S. GADD, JR. (son of John S.)

John S. Gadd, Jr., married Loutitia Croucher and they had two daughters, twins, Loutitia and Recie May, and these two twin girls married Willie and John Gadd, twins, sons of Armp above mentioned, and live near Conway, Kentucky.

4. HENRY GADD (son of John S.)

He married Bell Ballington and they had two sons, Charlie and Ruford who live at Martinsville, Indiana.

4. SEBERT GADD (son of John S.)

He married Belle Pennington and they had the following children: John, Mattie, Polly, Butler, Henry and James E.

## 4. ARMP GADD (son of John S.)

He married Bluford Abner and they had the following children: Elizabeth, John, Anna, Sebert, Reuben, Albert, Jack, Margaret and Janie.

## 4. ANDREW P. GADD (son of John S.)

He married Nan Johnston and they had the following children: John, Walter, Roy, Alph, Sis and Bess.

## 4. ELIZABETH GADD (daughter of John S.)

She married R. J. Abner and they are both eighty years of age and live on the old home place of her father on Clear Creek. They have never had any children of their own but have raised nine children, among the number being the two twins girls, Loutitia and Recie May, above mentioned.

## 4. CHARLIE GADD (son of John S.)

He married Lizzie Evans and nothing is known of their children.

## 4. ELISHA GADD (son of John S.)

No children.

## 3. ARMSTRONG GADD (son of William Warwick)

Armstrong Gadd was born in Franklin County, Virginia, about 1815, and moved to Rockcastle County, Kentucky, with his father and other members of the family in 1833. He married Susan Ramble and they had the following children: Middleton, who married Alestock, nothing known as to children. Lewis, nothing known as to family, Henry, never married, lives at Covington, Kentucky. Anse, left no children.

## 3. SEBERT GADD (son of William Warwick)

He was the oldest son and born in Franklin County, Virginia, and moved to Rockcastle County, Kentucky, in 1833, with his father and the other members of the family. He married Katie Altish and died about 1890. They had the following children: James, Oma, John S. and Armstrong.

## 4. JAMES GADD (son of Sebert)

He married Dicie Martin, July 22, 1858, and they had the following children: Harrison, Major, Elizabeth and Lizzie.

## 4. JOHN S. GADD (son of Sebert)

He married Murray and had one son, Ebb Gadd, who lives in Dayton, Ohio.

## 4. OMA GADD (daughter of Sebert)

She married James Croucher and they left some children.

NORTH CAROLINA LINE

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## 1. JOSEPH GADD, SR.

On July 23rd, 1774, Deed Book D., page 84, Richmond County, North Carolina a grant of 640 acres of land on Dry Creek was made to Joseph Gadd (Gad) which is the first record of the family in this state. The tradition of the family is that he came from England, although it is possible that he came down from Pennsylvania or Maryland as about this time a number of people were drifting down towards the South, and the name of Joseph was a very common name in Pennsylvania. By deed dated September 24, 1792, Deed Book C, page 127, Joseph Gad, Sr., conveyed to Joseph Gad, Jr., 140 acres of this land. By deed dated August 22, 1795, Deed Book C, page 473, Joseph Gad, planter, conveyed to Jesse Moore, planter, 500 acres of this land which was on Dry Creek of the Great Pee Dee River.

## 2. JOSEPH GADD, JR. (son of Joseph, Sr.)

Joseph Gadd, Jr., bought and sold quite a lot of land on the waters of the Great Pee Dee River. He made conveyances to William Gadd, Major Gadd and James Gadd, who are believed to have been his sons, but William may have been his brother, since he received several grants of land himself from the State, and traded quite a lot in lands. The name here, as elsewhere in the country, was spelled Gad until along about 1800, when they began to spell it Gadd.

The United States census of 1790 shows Joseph Gadd, Sr., as a resident of Richmond County with one daughter, and also Joseph Gadd, Jr., a resident of the same county, with four sons and five daughters. The records of Richmond county show that Joseph Gadd, Jr., and Elizabeth Jones were married on September 6, 1792, with William Love as surety on the marriage bond. This appears to have been his second marriage.

The records of Montgomery County, North Carolina, show that Mastin Gadd conveyed to Pinkney Gadd his interest in the dower land of his mother Elizabeth by deed dated November 12, 1853, Deed Book 17, page 396, which establishes the fact that Mastin and Pinkney were brothers and sons of Joseph and Elizabeth, also, Washington, Joseph and Thomas appear to have been sons of Joseph, Jr. and Elizabeth. The two Josephs, Mastin, Pinkney, Washington, William, Major and James Gadd bought and sold quite a lot of lands on Dry Branch and Cheeks creek of the Great Pee Dee River near the line of Richmond and Montgomery counties. By deed dated December

29, 1856, Deed Book, 19, page 7, Montgomery county, Mastin Gadd sold all his lands to Miles Ussery for \$800 and moved to Northern Mississippi. (See Mississippi Line.) About the same time Washington, Pinkney and Joseph is reported to have moved to Arkansas and nothing is known as to their descendents.

### MISSISSIPPI LINE

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#### 3. MASTEN GADD (son of Joseph, Jr.)

Masten Gadd was born in Richmond County, North Carolina, in March, 1817, and married Emma Caple. He moved to Northern Mississippi in 1857, and they had the following children: Masten Wesley, T. M., P. C., Bill, John, Oliver, Annie, Edd and Ham. Nothing is known as to the descendents of John, Oliver, Edd and Ham. Annie married a Whittington.

#### 4. P. C. GADD (son of Masten)

P. C. Gadd served in the Confederate army and then run a hotel at Hickory Flat for many years. He had one son, John, now deceased, who left no descendents.

#### 4. MASTEN W. GADD (son of Masten)

He lived in Menton County, Mississippi, and had the following children: Walter D., Gilbert, Nadine, Elzine, Laws, William B., Sadie, Beatrice, Alice, Chester and Judge.

#### 4. BILL GADD (son of Masten)

He lived in Northern Mississippi and had the following children: Willie, Onie, Herstine, Masten, John T., Alvie, Oliver, Floyd and Bertie.

#### 4. T. M. GADD (son of Masten)

T. M. Gadd was born in 1863 and lives at Blue Mountain, Mississippi. He has the following children: Jim, Wess, Pearl and T. M., Jr. (See North Carolina line as to Masten Gadd.)

## TENNESSEE LINE

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### 1. THOMAS GADD

Thomas Gadd was born about 1790 in Richmond County, North Carolina, and settled near Tellico Plains, Monroe County, Tennessee, about 1825. He is believed to have been a son of Joseph Gadd, Jr., of Richmond County, North Carolina, however this has not been verified, but apparently he was a descendent of Joseph Gadd, Sr., of North Carolina. Thomas Gadd was a farmer and has many descendents in Tennessee. He had children: Amos, who died unmarried, Jane, who married William Hicks, Betsey Ann, twin sister to Jane, married Leondias Moses, Martha, married a Brannon, Daniel C., William and Ansel.

### 2. DANIEL C. GADD (son of Thomas)

Daniel C. Gadd was born in 1828 and died in 1885. He was a farmer and lived in McMinn County. He married \_\_\_\_\_ and they had the following children: John D., Andy, Sarah E., Charles F. and Florence.

### 3. CHARLES F. GADD (son of Daniel C.)

Charles Franklin Gadd was born September 15, 1865, and lives in Chattanooga. He has the following children: John Leslie, age 51 who lives in Pittsburgh, Daniel L. age 43, Pittsburgh, Robert Luther, age 49, Chattanooga, Charles L., age 45, Pittsburgh, Dollie (Kimbrell) Chattanooga, George B., age 38, Pittsburgh, Ira F., age 36, Chattanooga, Raymond, age 34, High Point, N. C., Charles F., Jr., age 28, California, Zon Z., age 26, Denver, Colorado, Sophia, age 24, Texarkana, Texas, Pearl L.

### 2. WILLIAM GADD (son of Thomas)

William Gadd was born in 1831 and lived most of his life in Hamilton County, Tennessee, where he was a farmer and carpenter. He had children, Mary, who married Frank Winchester, Sarah, who married Carol Grayson, Belle, who married Mike Scrudder and a son, John H. Gadd.

### 3. JOHN H. GADD (son of William)

John H. Gadd married Agnes Rodgers and lived all his life in Hamilton County, Tennessee. He was elected and served as justice of the peace in his county from 1879 to 1891, then again from 1906 to 1912, and took an active part in the affairs of his county. He had children: Emma, Rhoda, Boce, Leona,

Jack, Richard, William, Calvin and Ansel.

2. ANSEL GADD (son of Thomas)

Ansel Gadd was born in 1833 and lived a while in Monroe County then moved to Bledsoe County. He had two sons, Jethro and John Dallas. Jethro had a daughter, Maggie, who married James Keedy and lives in Hamilton County.

3. JOHN DALLAS GADD (son of Ansel)

John Dallas Gadd lived in Rhea County, Tennessee, and had the following children, John, Ansel Monroe, Mary, Billie, Ruth, Floyd, Dow, Dora, Henegar and Walter. Ansel Monroe Gadd has a son, Ira Gadd, who lives in Nashville.

## MARYLAND AND OHIO LINE

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1. WILLIAM GADD (Soldier of the Revolution)

William Gadd was born in Baltimore County, Maryland, June 30, 1759, and died in Monroe County, Ohio, February 14, 1835. He married Nancy Drake in Maryland and moved to Bedford County, Pennsylvania and served in the War for Independence as a private in the Bedford county militia and after the war rendered frontier service. In 1832 he was granted a pension for his services, No. S-2231, in which he stated the date and place of his birth as above and that he was a son of Absalom Gadd. The census of 1790 shows him to have been a resident of Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania, and that he had five sons and two daughters. It is known that David, Joseph and Giles were his sons (see Ohio) and it is believed that Broad and Nathan Gadd were his sons. It appears that he had three daughters, Nancy Gadd-Smith, Malinda Gadd-Wood and Ruth Gadd-Wood. It is believed that the first settlement in this country by the family was made in and around Baltimore, and that soon afterwards a settlement was made in Pennsylvania, probably by very close relatives of those in Maryland, since Agnicious Gadd was a resident of Bedford County, Pennsylvania, in 1790 when William Gadd also lived there. Elijah Gadd, an early settler in Pennsylvania, may have been a brother of William, since he had a son, Absalom, and the father of William was Absalom. The names William, Joseph, Thomas, James and Elijah have been very common names in the family. William Gadd has many descendents from Ohio to California, particularly in Iowa.

## OHIO LINE

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### 2. DAVID GADD (son of William)

David Gadd was born November 10, 1786, and died at Zanesville, Ohio, May 14, 1847. The name of his first wife is unknown and they had the following children: Nancy, born in 1808, Mary Ann, born in 1811, Margery, born in 1813, and Thomas born in 1817, and all lived in Ohio.

David Gadd then married Elizabeth Truax, and they had the following children: Samuel born June 30, 1820, Joseph born June 17, 1822, Elizabeth born July 20, 1824, William born October 15, 1826, Enoch Thomas born January 19, 1829, Lydia born March 19, 1831, Jane born February 21, 1833, Malinda born July 19, 1835, Benjamin Truax born September 7, 1837, Mary Caroline born January 11, 1840, John Nelson born February 14, 1842, and David B., born May 14, 1845. David B. Gadd died in infancy.

### 3. SAMUEL GADD (son of David)

He was a carpenter and lived at Highmore, North Dakota. He served in the Union army during the Civil War. He had three sons, James, Jasper and William and two daughters, Elizabeth and Clara.

### 3. DR. JOSEPH GADD (son of David)

Joseph Gadd was born in Perry County, Ohio, June 17, 1822, and died in Iowa September 23, 1887. He married Susannah Rush February 5, 1843, and studied medicine and was admitted to practice in Ohio in 1852, then in 1854 he moved to Ottumwa, Iowa, and was actively engaged in the practice of medicine for thirty-three years in Ottumwa, Davenport and other places in the state. They had the following children: George W., Mary Jane, Elizabeth Agnes, Joseph Patton, Anna Jane, David Isaiah, Nathan Thomas, Joseph Paul, Kate Flora and James C. D. R. George W., Mary Jane, Elizabeth Agnes and Joshua Patton died unmarried.

### 3. ELIZABETH GADD (daughter of David)

She married Daniel Parsons and lived in Ohio and they had children, Glenn, Jennie and Alice.

### 3. WILLIAM GADD (son of David)

He married Manerva Thomas and was a farmer and lived near Ottumwa, Iowa, and they had children: Edgar, Bell Eva and May.

## 3. ENOCH THOMAS GADD (son of David)

He married Sarah Hartzel and was engaged in the real estate business in Davenport, Iowa, and left children: William, Lesley, Fred, Talbert, George and Alice.

## 3. LYDIA GADD (daughter of David)

She married Daniel Lowrey and lived in Davenport and had children Sarah Elizabeth, William Patton and Benjamin.

## 3. MALINDA GADD (daughter of David)

She married James Rush and they lived at Aurora, Nebraska, and had the following children: Ethyelda, who married M. F. Stanley, an attorney, Gertrude, who married Fred L. Sumpter, an attorney, Oscar, who married Valley Jones, Otto, who married Dora Cunningham.

## 3. DR. BENJAMIN GADD (son of David)

He married Jennie Coats, was a physician and practiced his profession at Mitchellville, Iowa, for many years. They had two sons, Dr. Edson E. and Harry Gadd. Dr. Edson E. Gadd is located in Des Moines.

## 3. MARY CAROLINE GADD (daughter of David)

She married John Langfitt and lived at Greenfield, Iowa, and among their children were Addie, Elizabeth, Carrie and Alice.

## 3. JANE GADD (daughter of David)

She married Daniel Mitchell and lived in Ohio, they had children: Ben, Macon, Lola, Grace and Kate, all of whom lived in Ohio.

## 3. JOHN NELSON GADD (son of David)

He married Ena Cherry and lived in Des Moines where he was engaged in the Nursery business. They left one son, Charles Gadd who lives in Des Moines.

## 4. ANNA JANE GADD (daughter of Dr. Joseph).

She was born June 24, 1852, in Perry County, Ohio, and moved with her father to Iowa in 1854. She married August Rostenbach who is now deceased. They had no children. Mrs. Rostenbach when a young girl would accompany her father on many occasions on a horse over bad roads and in zero weather to help him administer to the sick and the dying, during the period following the Civil War, and they never refused to help those who could not pay. She lives in Buffalo, Iowa, and is

now 87 years of age and in good health and has devoted a great part of her life in trying to help those in distress.

4. NATHAN THOMAS GADD (son of Dr. Joseph)

He married Sarah Miller and lived at Broken Bow, Nebraska, where he was admitted to practice law in 1879, and was actively engaged in his profession until the time of his death in 1933. He was a well known attorney and a highly respected citizen. They had two sons, Charles B. Gadd, Lake Stern, Washington, and Joseph Raymond (Ray) Gadd, Portland, Oregon, and one daughter in South Orange, New Jersey.

4. JOSEPH PAUL GADD (son of Dr. Joseph)

He was born September 17, 1859, and married Eda M. Appel, March 26, 1885. She was born May 1, 1863, and died March 16, 1919. They had the following children: Inez and Hazel A. Hazel A. Gadd was born November 14, 1891, and married A. H. Wyatt, September 2, 1917, and they have one daughter, Florence L., born July 2, 1920. They live in Joplin, Missouri. Mrs. Wyatt is a D. A. R. on the William Gadd line.

4. KATE FLORA GADD (daughter of Dr. Joseph)

She married James C. Myers and they live in Buffalo, Iowa and have two sons, Joseph C. and James R.

4. JAMES C. D. R. GADD (son of Dr. Joseph)

He married Nancy Jane Flater and they live at Woodward, Iowa, and have children: Joseph Lewis, Mary Jane, Susannah, Helen Belle, Birdelia Agatha and Anner Kate Irene.

2. JOSEPH GADD (son of William, the Soldier)

Joseph Gadd moved to Monroe County, Ohio, with his brother, Giles, and together with their brother, David, they bought and sold lands in part as follows: In Monroe County, Ohio, David Luther conveyed 40 acres to Giles Gadd, March 1, 1837, DB 3, p. 358. Giles Gadd and Elizabeth, his wife, conveyed land to David Ring, Aug. 21, 1843, DB. p. 218. Joseph Gadd and Martha, his wife, conveyed lots to Giles Gadd, Oct. 20, 1836, DB. E, p. 306. In Belmont County, Ohio, Jonathan Ellis conveyed lot in St. Clairsville to David Gadd, Feb. 11, 1816, DB. F, p. 370. David Gadd and Sarah, his wife, conveyed lots in St. Clairsville to Joseph Gadd, June 28, 1817, DB. G, p. 216. Joseph Gadd and Rachel, his wife, conveyed lots in St. Clairsville to Barnard Elrick, Aug. 8, 1818, DB. G, p. 363. James Smith conveyed land to John Gadd,

May 1, 1829, DB. N, p. 3. Nothing definitely is known of the descendents of Joseph Gadd.

2. GILES GADD (son of William, the soldier)

Giles Gadd moved from Pennsylvania to Monroe County, Ohio. His wife's name was Elizabeth. They had two sons, John and Stephen. John moved to Wetzel County, West Virginia, in 1873, which see for his descendents. (3) Stephen lived in Monroe County and had one son, Leander. Giles Gadd had one daughter, Elizabeth, who married \_\_\_\_\_ Walton, and they had three children, John, Lina Hardy and Ella Butt.

4. LEANDER GADD (son of Stephen)

He was b. July 31, 1864, and d. March 22, 1928. He married Francis Catherine Workman in Wetzel County, West Virginia, October 29, 1885, MR 3, p. 121. They had the following children: Cliff I. Gadd, b. Oct. 15, 1886, married and lives in Zanesville. (5) Minnie Gadd, b. Nov. 11, 1888, married August Poehlman and lives in Woodsville. They have two daughters, (6) Helen Marie and (6) Mary Elizabeth. (5) Charles Gadd, b. July 26, 1891, married Edna Brown and lives in Detroit. They have one daughter, (6) Gloria Joan. (5) Ernest Guy Gadd, b. July 26, 1894, married Edna Whitlock and lives in Detroit. They have children (6) Richard, Robert and Eleanor G. (5) Clarence E. Gadd, b. July 30, 1896, married Thelma Mercer and live in Zanesville, they have children (6) Roger and June.

## WEST VIRGINIA—WETZEL COUNTY LINE

### 3. JOHN W. GADD (son of Giles—see Ohio)

John W. Gadd was born about 1840 and married Mildred A. Workman. He moved from Monroe County, Ohio, to Wetzel County, West Virginia, in 1873, where he purchased 129 acres of land from John W. Fisher, March 5, 1874, DB34, p. 5. They had children: Charles, Isaac W., William, Giles, J. Hudd and Lillie C. Lillie C. Gadd married William S. Morgan, March 25, 1893, MR 6, p. 321. The family lived near Reader, West Virginia.

### 4. CHARLES GADD (son of John W.)

He was born in 1860 and first married Emma J. Windham in 1883, then married Lucy E. Higgins in 1897. Children: Laura M., who married James L. Moore, Louisa, who married John Miller, Ellen J., Edna M., Winnie, Lena Hattie and Harry L., who was born August 17, 1898. Charles Gadd died March 24, 1932.

### 4. ISAAC W. GADD (son of John W.)

He was born in 1871 and died November 13, 1936. He first married Arizona Fisher in 1896 and then married Jennie Higgins, August 3, 1901, and to this marriage was born the following children, Josie V., Virgie and Harvey Lee (5) Harvey Lee Gadd married Mary \_\_\_\_\_, and they have one son, (6) William Lee Gadd, born February 25, 1934.

### 4. J. HUDD GADD (son of John W.)

He died in 1938 at the age of about 75 years and was never married. He devised his property, WB 8-327, to his nephews, Lee and Archie Gadd, sons of his brother William and he mentions in his will that he was a brother to Charles.

The records of Wetzel County show the following additional information:

## BIRTHS

Laura M. Gadd born February 24, 1886. Louisa Gadd born July 5, 1888. John Gadd, son of Giles and Ocie, born April 1, 1893. Friend Gadd, son of Charles and Eva May, born October 11, 1895. Ellen J. Gadd born September 11, 1901. Josie V. Gadd, born March 6, 1902. Virgie Gadd, born July \_\_\_\_\_, 1903, Edna M. Gadd, born August 28, 1907. Harvey Lee Gadd, born March 5, 1908. Winnie Gadd, born July 8, 1910.

Archie D. Gadd, son of William and Jennie, born June 17, 1911. Lena Hattie Gadd, born May 13, 1914. Lucy Gadd, daughter of Albert R. and Delia E., born March 24, 1920.

## MARRIAGES

Lawrence Oliver Gadd married Hazel B. Rogers, April 8, 1915, MR 16-542.

Friend Gadd married Leona Butler, August 1, 1917, MR 17-534.

Albert R. Gadd married Delphia Whitman, October 28, 1919, MR 19-7.

Josie V. Gadd married B. R. McAllister, March 4, 1922, MR 20-118.

Edna Opal Gadd married O. L. Terrill, June 30, 1930, MR 23-310.

Roxie Gadd married Bert Day, June 6, 1936, MR 25-432.

### 1. BROAD C. GADD

Broad C. Gadd was b. in 1792 and d. in 1855, and is believed to have been a son of William Gadd the Revolutionary soldier. He enlisted as a soldier at Wheeling on September 10, 1813, and served in the army until April 2, 1814, and in 1851 he was allowed a grant of land, probably near Zanesville, Ohio, see warrant 19204. He was first married to Mary Moore, then on December 25, 1825, was married to Francis Zane, a widow, at Zanesville, Ohio, whose maiden name was Whittaker. His widow, Francis Gadd made application in 1855 for a grant of land by reason of his service in the army, and it appears that she was granted 80 acres of land.

### 2. JAMES GADD (son of Broad C.)

James Gadd was b. August 29, 1822, and d. February 12, 1889. He married Sarah Layne. They are both buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Zanesville. They had the following children: Rowena, who married George Lynn, Sarah, who married Will Bonham, Hannah, who married Jack Dowell, Isabell and Matilda not married, Amanda, who married Peter Dorsen, Fannie, who married George Cole, Thomas George, Bradford, Winfield Scott, and James Gadd. George and Bradford died without any children.

### 3. WINFIELD SCOTT GADD (son of James)

He was b. May 18, 1858, and d. November 13, 1938, and was a farmer and lived near Dresden, Ohio. He married Anna Kinney and they had the following children: Hattie, who mar-

ried John King, Ada, who married Ira Thomas, Adosia, who married Willis Harlen, Dorothy, who married Thomas Wholly, Elymus Gadd and Clawson Gadd.

4. ELYMUS GADD (son of Winfield Scott)

He was b. in 1884, and lives near Dresden, Ohio. He married Maude King, and they have the following children: Irene, Anna, Albert W., Lester and Ivan.

5. ALBERT W. GADD (son of Elymus)

He was b. March 1, 1908, and lives at Zanesville, Ohio. He married Cecil Garner, and they have children: Evelyn, DeWitt and Rolland.

5. LESTER GADD (son of Elymus)

He was b. February 27, 1906, and lives near Dresden, Ohio. He married Ruth Arter, and they have children: Mary Louise, Maxine and Lester Jr.

5. IVAN GADD (son of Elymus)

He was b. April 24, 1914, and lives in Zanesville, Ohio, and married Jane Barnes.

4. CLAWSON GADD (son of Winfield Scott)

He was b. April 23, 1892, and lives near Zanesville, Ohio. He married Dora E. Cooper, and they have one daughter, Eloise Gadd, single.

3. THOMAS GADD (son of James)

Thomas Gadd married Susanna Campbell and they have the following children: Everett, Adelbert, Paul and Fred.

3. JAMES GADD (son of James)

James Gadd, Jr., lives in Los Angeles, California, and is not married.

1. NATHAN GADD

Nathan Gadd was a brother of Broad C. Gadd, and lived near Zanesville. He had children: Owen, Hiram, Nathan, Elijah, John, Ruth, who married \_\_\_\_\_ James and Emma, who married Charles Ewing.

The records in Zanesville show that Elijah died May 7, 1914, and that Susannah Gadd was his admx. By deed dated Sept. 29, 1862, DB 22, p. 318, Nathan Gadd conveyed to Broad C. Gadd 71 acres of land.

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SOUTH CAROLINA LINE

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## 1. WILLIAM GADD (England)

William Gadd was a native of Taunton, England, and married a Wademan and they had children: Robert, William, Charles and John.

## 2. ROBERT GADD (son of William)

He was born in Taunton, England, about 1840 and came to South Carolina and enlisted in the Confederate Army at the beginning of the war and was Captain of his company in Col. Bryce's regiment. He married Nancy Ann Carpenter at Walhalla, S. C., May 1, 1871, and they had children: William Carpenter Gadd, Robert W. Gadd, Nellie Gilmore Gadd and Lue Ella Gadd, all believed to be still living, and John, Charles, Thomas Lee and Annie Lee, deceased. William Gadd, Sr., and his son William, above mentioned, also came from England to South Carolina about 1872, but nothing is known as to descendants of William, Jr.

## 3. WILLIAM CARPENTER GADD (son of Robert)

He was born at Lexington, S. C., April 14, 1872, and lives at Charlotte, N. C. He first married Minnie L. Linker and they had children: Lizzie Lee, Wade Haskell, Robert Henry, Bessie and Willie Belle, the latter having died in infancy. He then married Willie Belle Russell and they have children: William Thomas, Charles Wearn, George Ann and Virginia Erwin. Nothing is known as to descendants, if any, of Robert W. Gadd, brother of William Carpenter Gadd.

## MICHIGAN LINE

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### 1. CHARLES GADD

Charles Gadd was born in Somerset Shire, England, August 15, 1818. He married Elizabeth Gregory and came to America in 1842 and went to Michigan and settled near Saline in Washtenaw County, where he lived until his death on October 27, 1915. He was a successful farmer and to this union were born three children: John, Sarah and William H. After the death of his first wife in 1851, he married Clarrissa Linden in 1852 and they had four children: Florence, Angie, George and Charles L.

### 2. JOHN GADD (son of Charles, Sr.)

John Gadd was born September 24, 1842, and died an accidental death when he fell at a barn raising February 25, 1864.

### 2. SARAH GADD (daughter of Charles, Sr.)

Sarah Gadd was born April 12, 1846, and died about 1928. She married Lester Dewey and there were two children: Angie and Charles. Angie Dewey married J. Riston Potts. Charles had two children but Angie had none. Sarah lived in the vicinity of Orion, Michigan.

### 2. WILLIAM H. GADD (son of Charles, Sr.)

William H. Gadd was born November 29, 1848, and died in 1933. He married Essie Poucher but no children survive the union. William always lived on his farm north of Clinton, Michigan. He was married a second time but no children were born to the union.

### 2. FLORENCE GADD (daughter of Charles, Sr.)

Florence Gadd was born October 20, 1852, and is still living. She was married to Mark Conklin and there were three daughters. Phoebe the oldest married Beecher Harwood, there was one child. Tillie, married \_\_\_\_\_ Felch and Mable the youngest married Jack Gallon. No children to the last two unions.

### 2. ANGIE GADD (daughter of Charles, Sr.)

Angie Gadd was born October 4, 1856, and is still living. She was married to Charles Woods and there were four children as follows: Clarence, Clara, Erma all married and have children, and one son, George deceased.

2. GEORGE GADD (son of Charles, Sr.)

George Gadd was born October 24, 1862, and died in 1905. He was married and there are two children, Harry and Marion. Harry is married, but no children. Marion is single.

2. CHARLES L. GADD, JR. (son of Charles, Sr.)

Charles L. Gadd, Jr., was born October 12, 1867, and is still living. May 1, 1887, he was married to Mary Tate and they live near Clinton, Michigan. There are three children, Raymond Dwight Gadd, Clifford M., and Cynthia Clarissa.

3. RAYMOND D. GADD (son of Charles L.)

Raymond D. Gadd was born near Clinton, Michigan, May 6, 1889, and married Ida Mae Zimmerman in 1911. There was one daughter, Ethelyn Mae, born December 20, 1911, and who married James Keegan, and they have three children: Jimmie, Garry and Patricia. On May 29, 1922, Raymond married Elizabeth Law Wetmore, and there is one child, Dwight Raymond Gadd, born June 12, 1925.

3. CLIFFORD M. GADD (son of Charles L.)

Clifford M. Gadd was born May 14, 1894, and married Josephine Smyth and two children were born to the union, Jack and DeWayne. Then he married Lydia VanArnum and there are two children, Barry and Beverley.

3. CYNTHIA C. GADD (daughter of Charles L.)

Cynthia was born March 17, 1898, and married Forrest Harrison. There are two children, Charles and Junior.

## MARYLAND LINE

## 1. THOMAS GADD

This Thomas Gadd was a tailor, and in business for many years at 31 Henrietta Street, Baltimore, where he died about 1860. He married \_\_\_\_\_ Jump, and they had children: Abraham J., Frank, Alexander and Luther H. Luther H. Gadd was Clerk of the Court of Caroline County for several years and later Deputy Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Maryland. He and Frank left no children.

In the census of 1790 there was a Thomas Gadd in Queen Anne's County and a Thomas Gadd in Talbot County, each with one son, and the Thomas Gadd in Talbot County is believed to have been a son of Thomas Gadd in Queen Anne's County. One Thomas Gadd served in the Revolutionary war from Maryland, and it is believed to have been Thomas in Queen Anne's County. The Thomas Gadd above is believed to have been a son of one or the other of these men.

## 2. ALEXANDER GADD (son of Thomas)

He married Ella I. Tester (or Jester) July 14, 1868, in Talbot County. They had three children: Herbert, now deceased, who left no children, Frank, who lives in the west, and Elizabeth, who married \_\_\_\_\_ Hopkins, and lives at Cordova, Maryland.

## 2. ABRAHAM J. GADD (son of Thomas)

Abraham J. Gadd was b. about 1833 and d. in 1918. He first married Mary Ellen Dixon and they had two sons, A. Sydney Gadd and David L. Gadd, then he married Elizabeth H. Morgan and they had children, Robert F. and Luther Lay. He lived near Centerville and bought and sold quite a lot of real estate. (3) David L. Gadd was born 1864 and died in 1898. He never married.

## 3. A. SYDNEY GADD (son of Abraham J.)

A. Sydney Gadd was b. 1861 and married Margaret Taylor and lives in Queen Anne's County. They have children: A. Sydney, Jr., John D. and Margaret Taylor. Margaret Taylor Gadd was born 1908 and is married to John M. Ashley and they have children: John M., Jr., Sydney G. and Mary Dixon.

## 4. A. SYDNEY GADD, JR. (son of A. Sydney, Sr.)

A. Sydney Gadd, Jr., was b. 1898 and married Ruth Branner and they have children: Margaret Ruth, Ann Branner and

Janet Denwood. They live in Centerville and he is Clerk of the Circuit Court of Queen Anne's County.

4. JOHN D. GADD (son of A. Sydney, Sr.)

John D. Gadd was born in 1902 and lives at Towson, where he is a veterinary surgeon. He married Mary Stuart Yorke and they have one daughter, Mary Stuart Gadd.

3. ROBERT F. GADD (son of Abraham J.)

Robert F. Gadd was b. about 1873 and lives at Hartford, Connecticut. He married Katherine P. Legg and they have two sons, Robert and Frank, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Catherine.

3. LUTHER LAY GADD (son of Abraham J.)

Luther Lay Gadd was b. 1876 and lives in Queen Anne's County. He married Vera Damon and they have one son, Luther Damon Gadd. In 1929 he purchased "Readbourne" on Chester River, an old estate comprising about 500 acres of fine farming lands. Standing on an eminence overlooking the river is a fine old colonial mansion built in 1732 from brick imported from England, and the grounds around the mansion and down to the river are beautifully landscaped, and this estate is one of the show places of Maryland and has been featured in Country Life and other magazines. He farms on an extensive scale and specializes in thorough-bred cattle, and is interested in several business enterprises.

1. ROBERT GADD

This Robert Gadd was probably a son or grand son of Robert Gadd who was a soldier in the Revolutionary War from Maryland. He was a sailor on the battleship Columbia, and lived in Queen Anne's County. He married Sarah Gray and had two sons, George W. Gadd who died unmarried and John David Gadd.

2. JOHN DAVID GADD (son of Robert)

John David Gadd was b. in 1855 and d. 1889, and is buried in Annapolis. He married Amanda Parker and lived in Queen Anne's County, and had two daughters, Addie and Grace. Addie married John Savage and had two children who died in infancy. Grace married Charles Hamilton and lives at Joilet, Illinois.

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DEED RECORDS, QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY, MD.

By contract dated July 15, 1795, DB-STW 3, p. 370,

Francis Canadine leased to Thomas Gad 235 acres of land on Corsica Creek.

By deed dated August 24, 1796, and recorded in DB-STW 4, p. 61, Elizabeth Nicholson conveyed to Thomas Gad, Lot No. 34 in Centerville.

By deed dated June 16, 1795, DB-STW 3, p. 342, Thomas Gadd conveyed to William Scott a lot in Centerville.

By deed dated October 1, 1837, DB-JT 2, p. 327, Thomas Brown conveyed to Thomas Gad 251 acres of land.

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## PENNSYLVANIA LINE

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### 1. ELIJAH GADD

Elijah Gadd was born in Scotland in 1746, and came to Pennsylvania probably about 1788. He had four sons, Absalom, Thomas, Joseph and Elijah. Nothing is known as to descendents of Absalom.

### 2. THOMAS GADD (son of Elijah)

Thomas Gadd was born July 1, 1780, and married Abigel Johnston of New Jersey and moved to Morristown, Indiana, about 1823, where he died November 9, 1848. They had four sons and nine daughters, the sons being John, William J., Absalom and Uzal. John married and died in Kansas. Uzal married and lived in Indianapolis. Absalom never married.

### 3. WILLIAM J. GADD (son of Thomas)

William J. Gadd was born September 29, 1819, and died October 31, 1870. He married Nancy Ann Hill and lived at Morristown, Indiana. They had sons, Joel and George W., and probably other children.

### 4. GEORGE W. GADD (son of William J.)

George W. Gadd was born December 24, 1843, and died at Indianapolis, December 8, 1900. He married Eliza J. Robert-

son of Shelbyville, Indiana, and they had two children, Frank R. and -----.

5. FRANK R. GADD (son of George W.)

Frank R. Gadd was born August 24, 1868, and lives in Memphis, Tennessee. He married Eloise Griffith at Worthington, Indiana, February 15, 1888, then married Pauline Gannan at St. Louis, May 21, 1917.

4. WILLIAM THOMAS GADD (son of William J.?)

He was born about 1828 and died in 1907, at Washburn, Mo. He is believed to have been a son of William J. Gadd, or he may have been a son of Uzal Gadd, however, it is practically certain that he was descended from Thomas Gadd (son of Elijah 1) who settled in Indiana about 1823. He had one son, John Henry Gadd, and four daughters, Sarah, Mary, Laura and Eller.

5. JOHN HENRY GADD (son of William Thomas)

He was born 1851 in Indiana and died in Los Angeles 1918. He had three sons, William Alford, Charles and Claude, the two latter now deceased.

6. WILLIAM ALFORD GADD (son of John Henry)

He was born January 29, 1875, at Golden, Mo., and now lives in Los Angeles. He has children, Garland, Milford, Frank and Mary Gadd-Worthington, all married and living in Los Angeles. Milford has two daughters and Mary one daughter.

2. JOSEPH GADD (son of Elijah 1)

Joseph Gadd was b. in 1773 and d. in 1852. He married Sarah Stephens, daughter of Isaiah Stephens, and was a farmer and merchant in Fayette County. They had children: Isaiah, Elijah, William, James, Joseph and Catherine, who married Houston Todd. Sarah (Stephens) Gadd, his wife, left a Will, WB 4, p. 397, (1863) in which she devised to her son, Joseph, the farm formerly owned by her father, Isaiah Stephens, in Redstone Township. She gave her bank stock to her son, James, and all other personal property to be divided between her sons, Joseph and James

3. ISAIAH GADD (son of Joseph 1)

Isaiah Gadd was b. January 3, 1798, and d. August 14, 1846. He married Lydia Mercer and settled at Newcomers-town, Ohio, and they had a son, John Vincent Gadd, b. Feb. 14, 1860, and other descendents in and around Newcomerstown.

## 3. JOSEPH GADD (son of Joseph 1)

He was b. Aug. 30, 1800, and d. Aug. 24, 1858. He married Eleanor Stevens and was Clerk of the Court and held other public offices in Fayette County, Pennsylvania. An old newspaper clipping of 1858 speaks of him in the highest terms as one of the best known citizens of the county at the time of his death. They had the following children: Eliza, married William A. Donoldson, Sophia, b. 1826, d. 1896, merchant, never married, Priscilla, b. 1832, d. 1836, Elvira Gadd, b. 1836, d. 1870, and Elijah.

## 4. ELIJAH GADD (son of above Joseph II)

He was b. Feb. 1828, and d. at Bowling Green, Kentucky, Oct. 25, 1887. He served in the Union army from Pennsylvania, and was discharged at the close of the war at Bowling Green, where he married Almirah E. Saunders, and lived at Bowling Green until his death. He received a pension for his services in the Union army. They had two children, William W., who died in infancy and Joseph Edwin.

## 5. JOSEPH EDWIN GADD

(son of Elijah) (Ky.)

He was born May 19, 1877, and lives in Bowling Green, Kentucky. He married Minnie C. Manar and they have the following children: (6) Dorothy Mae, who married W. Neel Jackson, (6) Mary Agnes, who is Clerk for Kentucky Power Company, (6) Joseph C., who married Pauline Burns, and they have one son (7) William Floyd, (6) Charles M. Gadd, who has just completed the law course at University of Kentucky.

## 3. JAMES GADD (son of Joseph 1)

James Gadd was b. about 1810, and d. in 1880. He married Hannah Fout and lived in Fayette County, and they had children: Stephen, Joseph, Phillip, James, Mary, Jane, Lucretia and Hannah. Nothing is known definitely of his children except Phillip.

## 4. PHILLIP GADD (son of James )

Phillip Gadd was b. Nov. 13, 1838, and d. Sept. 22, 1927. He married Martha Thomas and moved to Ohio in 1863, and served from that time until close of the war in the Union army. He moved to Iowa in 1871, and lived at Spirit Lake until his death. They had children: Hannah E., Joshua S., Clara, Joel P., William S., Neomi, Grace, Jessie T. and Jonas. Hannah

E., married E. L. Bishoff, Grace, married Robert Muir, Jessie T., married Elzora Emrick, lives in Spirit Lake and has no children. William lives in Lincoln, Arkansas, and has no children, Joel lives at Clark, Colorado, and has a daughter, Pansy, and one son, Lester, who is married and lives in Seattle, Washington. Joshua lives in Phillipsburg, Kansas, and has four daughters, Eula, Vivian, Mildred and Lucile.

3. ELIJAH GADD (son of Joseph 1)

Elijah Gadd was b. in 1796 and d. in 1862. He married Mary Haney and lived in Fayette County. They had the following children: Stephen I., Joseph, Aaron, William, Sarah, who married William Nicholson and Lewis, who died when young.

4. STEPHEN I. GADD (son of Elijah)

He was b. March 7, 1824 and d. in 1914. He was a farmer and blacksmith and lived in Fayette County. He first married Elizabeth Bolinger and then married Mary A. Moss. They had children: Sarah (Reynolds), Mary (Ball), Curt, never married, Jennie, Stephen, Jr., who lives in Uniontown, Ellen, Caroline, John and Frank.

4. JOSEPH GADD (son of Elijah)

He lived in Fayette County and married \_\_\_\_\_, and they had children: Albert, Samuel, William, Elijah, Edward, Howard, Maude and Malissa.

4. AARON GADD (son of Elijah)

He was b. in 1835 and d. Aug. 23, 1889. He married Mariah Knotts, and they had the following children: Lewis C. Gadd, Crate C., who lived in Jefferson County and left children and was a prosperous farmer and business man, Louise who married Sabastian Eberly, Elizabeth who married Isaac Hughes, Sarah who married Charles Clark and (5) Ella M., who married W. D. Queer. W. D. Queer and wife live in Mount Pleasant, Pa., and have the following children: (6) Viola, who married Thomas Hyde and they have one son, (7) Cpencer Hyde. (6) Clark Queer who married Bess Swartz. He is postmaster of Mount Pleasant and editor of the Mount Pleasant Journal. (6) Marie Queer who married Joseph Hixon and they have children, (7) Jean, William and Sally Ann. (6) Ruth, who died in 1924 at the age of 27. (6) Armead, who is a teacher in the public schools of Mount Pleasant and (6) Frank, who works with his brother in the Journal office.

## 5. LEWIS CLARK GADD (son of Aaron)

Lewis C. Gadd was born 186.... and married Mary E. Williams and lived in Fayette County. They had one son, (6) Charles E. Gadd who married Ruth M. Gillis and they have one son, (7) Robert C. Gadd. Charles E. Gadd lives at Greensburg and is Deputy Treasurer of Westmoreland County.

## 4. WILLIAM GADD (son of Elijah II)

William Gadd was b. in 1833 and d. in 1913. He married Hannah R. Frost and they had children: Maggie, Lewis, Annie E. and Leva, the latter married ..... Keener, and lives in Uniontown. William Gadd and wife are both buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Uniontown.

**RECORDS, FAYETTE COUNTY, PENN.**

By deed dated April 23, 1819, DB. P., p. 58, Catherine Stephens, widow of Isaiah Stephens, Joseph Gadd and Sarah, his wife, the latter a daughter of Isaiah Stephens, conveyed certain lands to John Wood.

By deed dated April 11, 1839, DB. Y, p. 21, Elijah Gadd and Theodosia, his wife, conveyed lands to James Douglas.

By deed dated June 12, 1869, DB. 23, p. 235, Stephen I. Gadd and Aaron Gadd conveyed their interest in the farm of their father, Elijah, to their brother William, subject to the life estate of their mother, Mary (Haney) Gadd.

Sarah (Stephens) Gadd by will dated Feb. 9, 1863, WB. 4, p. 397, devised a farm in Redstone township to her son, Joseph, and her bank stock to her son, James, and the balance of her personal property to be equally divided between her sons, Joseph and James.

Sophia Gadd by will dated July 10, 1894, WB. 10, p. 9, bequeathed all her silver to her nephew, Joseph E. Gadd, Bowling Green, Kentucky, a son of her brother, Elijah.

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## 1. BENJAMIN GADD

Benjamin Gadd was born at Blagdon, England, June 30, 1839, and married Harriet Brown on April 10, 1870, and came to Dyersville, Iowa, in 1873. He died at Lincoln, Nebraska, May 18, 1907. They had children, Arthur Benjamin, John, Samuel James and William Henry. Samuel James Gadd was born February 1, 1877, and lives at Dyersville but has no children. William Henry Gadd was born November 6, 1882, and lives at Dyersville. John Gadd was born November 13, 1872, and died December 27, 1903, without descendents.

## 2. ARTHUR BENJAMIN GADD (son of Benjamin)

Arthur Benjamin Gadd was born at Bristol, England, August 15, 1871, and came to Dyersville, Iowa, with his parents in 1873. He married Ella Fowler and they live in Lincoln, Nebraska, and they have one daughter, Arthella, who married Blanchard Anderson, and they have one son, Allen Lee, now five years old.

## 1. RICHARD GADD

He lived in England and died about 1874, and had children, Frederick, Annie, George, Henry and John Phillip.

## 2. JOHN PHILLIP GADD (son of Richard)

He was b. 1824, and d. 1908, and lived in England. He had children: Richard, Phillip, Henry, Charles, Lawrence, John James, Mary, Annie and Florence, most of whom lived in England. Charles Gadd is connected with the London police force. Lawrence Gadd lives in Chicago.

## 3. JOHN JAMES GADD (son of John Phillip Gadd)

John James Gadd was b. Dec. 27, 1873, in England and came to the United States in 1906. He married Antonice Petrick in 1908, and they live in Hardisty, Alberta, Canada. They have the following children. John James Gadd, Jr., b. 1908, and lives in Chicago, Roy Frederick Gadd b. Nov. 22, 1909, and lives in Chicago. Phillip Steven Gadd b. 1911, and lives in London, England. Andre Gadd b. 1919, and lives in Alberta, Canada. Daughters, Metzie and Madeline.

### SHORT AND INCOMPLETE SKETCHES

James Gadd was born in Sampson County, N. C., probably about 1840, and had three brothers, William, Robert and Dave. They are believed to be descendents of Joseph Gadd, who was the first of the name to settle in North Carolina about 1774.

James Gadd had three sons, W. W. Gadd, born September 13, 1867, and P. F. Gadd, b. 1869, and J. E. Gadd, b. about 1875, and one daughter, Mrs. C. R. Upchurch of Greenville, South Carolina, and two daughters, deceased, Mollie, who married Bill Usery and Lizzie, unmarried.

W. W. Gadd has a son, Benjamin H. Gadd, b. July, 1889, and lives at New London, North Carolina.

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George P. Gadd lived in New York City in 1919. He was born in Manchester, England, and came to the United States in about 1880. He had one daughter, Marion Jeanette, who married Ensign Frank E. Webb, April 23, 1919.

There was a Doctor Gadd in Philadelphia for many years, who was born in Manchester, England.

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Roy Hayden Gadd was b. Feb. 9, 1899, and is a descendent of Leander J. Gadd of West Virginia. He married Gertrude Weese and they live in Akron, Ohio. They have children: Roy Keith Gadd, b. March 27, 1928, Evelyn Alice, b. Oct. 16, 1933, and Edward Gadd, b. Nov. 19, 1935.

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On September 7, 1799, \_\_\_\_\_ Gadd and \_\_\_\_\_ Swearington were married in Ohio County, West Virginia, MR 1, p. 137. Their given names illegible. William Gadd (soldier) stated in his application for a pension that he had lived in Ohio County before he moved to Monroe County, Ohio. Broad Gadd enlisted in the army from Ohio County in 1813, which indicates that he may have been a son of William.

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Arthur B. Gadd, Benj. R. Gadd and Harry J. Gadd live in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Henry P. Gadd lives in Dallas, Texas.

Melvin R. Gadd lives in Salt Lake City, Utah.

F. M. Gadd lived at Albany, Mo., in 1894.

Laurence A. Gadd, John J. Gadd, Richard Gadd and Helen Gadd live in Chicago.

Carl Gadd, Lula, Mary, Sandy, Varnisha and William Gadd live in Cincinnati.

Charles A. Gadd, Charles W., Guy E., Harry L., Henry, Henry N., James D., Lott, Paul D., Peola W., Richard F., Vernon T. and William S. Gadd live in Detroit.

Albert W. Gadd, Alf L., Alonzo H., Bert, Charles, Clarence E., Clawson, Clifford, Everett S. Harris, Henry and Thomas Gadd live in and around Zanesville, Ohio.

