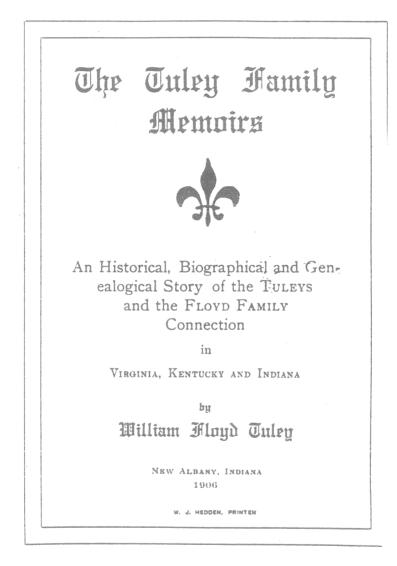


WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY



EXPLANATORY

The idea throughout this book is a family tree, to designate seven generations. The first generation is the trunk; second, forks; third, limbs; fourth, branches; fifth, twigs; sixth, buds; seventh, fruit. The letter b. is for born, d. dead or died, div. divorced; m. married, '03 means 1803. etc. Before 1800 the full year is given and after 1899 the full year is given. The use of the maiden name of the wives in all cases is to prevent confusion as to which Mary or Elizabeth or Jane is under discussion. In every case a Tuley or descendent of a Tuley is placed first in the marriage relation.

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INTRODUCTION

This little volume is a brief history of the Virginia branch of the Tuley family who came to Kentucky and Indiana about 1779 along with their connections, Col John Floyd and other children of Col. William Floyd of Amherst Co., Va. No one, unless he has attempted it can realize the difficulties encountered in an effort to trace the history of a large family, especially the genealogical part of the work. It requires a great deal of research among court records, which are frequently very badly written, often not indexed, until your patience is worn to an edge. Then, reading badly worn letters on tombstones is not a very pleasing occupation if extended over a wide territory or continued for long periods of time. Then again, after writing to, and waiting many months for an answer from a correspondent, in the hope you will be able to connect a link or unravel a tangle, you discover the writer knows nothing about the case in point, but has a theory that explodes all your calculations at one fell swoop. How to get out of such a dilemma is trying on the nerves, wearing upon the temper, and not at all conducive to pious thoughts.

Fortunately the writer of this history, although having many vexatious delays, had the cordial co-operation of the late Judge M. F. Tuley of Chicago. who of all others inspired the work. The writer is also indebted to Dr. Henry E. Tuley of Louisville who sent a number of manuscripts gathered by his father, Enos S. Tuley during his lifetime; to Squire George W. Tuley and Miss Hattie Tuley of this City, Seth W. Tuley of Washington City, Thomas J. Tuley of Chicago, Miss

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Alice Tuley of Cincinnati, George Floyd Tuley of Sedalia, Mo., and Mrs. Susan Floyd Gunter of Louisville. The manuscript has been curefully prepared and if there are any errors in the genealogy it is not for any lack of effort to record the facts as communic ited, secured from official records or after exhaustive search through histories and genealogical books. Those who have failed to respond for correct and complete data may find a few inaccuracies in their family line. If so, they can charge up the fault to their own neglect or lack of interest.

In years to come this record will be of incalculable advantage to the coming generations of Tuleys and their lineal descendents.

This book is for the sole use and benefit of the Tuleys and their connections herein named, and if found worthy of a place in their homes, the object of the writer will have been attained.

Your Kinsman

New Albany, Ind., 1906

WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY

HISTORY OF THE TULEY FAMILY

The Tuley family's ancestors came to this Country about two hundred and fifty years ago. They were French Huguenots, rather descendents of those of that faith who fled to England after the St. Bartholomew Massacre in 1572. Three brothers named Tule' landed in South Carolina during the last quarter of the 17th. Century. One of these went to Louisiana, another up into New York State, and a third, Peter, located in Powhatten County, Va. This Peter is supposed to be the progenitor of the Virginia branch of the family, however a record of the Old Bristow Parish Churchyard at Williamsburg, Va. shows that a Mr. Tuley (christian name not given) was buried there in 1663. In 1729 one Thomas Tuley was married at Burlington, New Jersey, to Mary Scott, a native of England, and from a family of high repute. Whether or not this Thomas was a descendent of Peter, the grandson of the Tuley buried at Williamsburg. or a descendent of the brother that went from South Carolina to New York, is a question difficult of solution.

Thomas Tuley had several children, but I have not been able to secure the names of but three, viz. Mary, Ann, and Jonathan. The latter married, in 1758, Martha Browne; their issue being three sons and one daughter, viz. Thomas, John, Joseph, and Mary.

Joseph emigrated from New Jersey to Clark Co., Va. where he married, in 1787, Nancy Brownlee. He was the founder of the noted estate in that county known as the Tuleyries, which for half a century was the wonder and admiration of the Old Dominion. Here Joseph Tuley and his wife dispensed hospitality in princely style.

The children of Jo-eph Tuley and Nancy Brownlee were Balinda, who married Charles Strother of Virgina, brother of Mildred Strother who married Wyatt P. Tuley; Sarah who married Major Wright, a prominent lawyer of Missouri; Mary who marrie: Henry Mitchell, and Joseph Tuley who married Mrs. Mary Jackson, widow of Dr. Thomas Jackson, U. S. N. Joseph Tuley, known as the Colonel, had no children He succeeded his father, in the management of the estate at the Tulevries, and at his death in 1830, his nieces, Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Balinda Boyce, resided there many years. The latter died a few years Desc-indents of Joseph Taley, Mary Tuley Jackson and ago. Fanny Archer Jackson resile in Washington City, and Miss Mary E. Mitchell a great grand daughter of Joseph Tuley resides at Staunton, Va. To the latter the writer of this book is indebted for much valuable information, in reference to the ancestry of Joseph Tuley. She is firmly of the opinion that Joseph and Charles Tuley were own cousins; that Jonathan was the latter's brother, and that they emigrated from New Jersey to Virginia in their young manhood. If this supposition is correct, Thomas Tuley and Mary Scott were the parents of Charles Tuley. Which is correct, I am unable to determine, so I leave the question, as to whether Peter Tuley, the Tuley buried at Williamsburg, or Thomas Tuley is the real progenitor of Charles Tuley, to the Tuleys and their descendents, still above ground, for futu e determination

Whether or not the Tuleys, (pronounced Twu-ley not Tooley) brought from over the sea a coat of arms is immaterial, at anyrate no Lion, rampant; Bear, couchant; Tiger or Leopard, passant; Elk, trippant; or Eigle, pendant; has appeared as the armorial bearing of the family, but it is strongly asserted that the Tuleys had a cost of arms in France.

Many years ago, the late Judge Murray F. Tuley of Chicago, visited South Carolina to investigate the orignal line. He also visited the Tuleyries in Virginia, and having seen in the novel,

"Eben Holden," a mention of Tuley lake and Tuley creek in the Adirondack Mountain region went thither. While there he fished for trout and incidently, made search of the records to find out about the Tuleys, but only learned that a family of that name had resided there many years before, and was the possessor of large landed property, but that the family had long since died, or those left of it, had removed to the west.



CHARLES TULEY'S LINE

III.

The head of the family so far as this volume goes, was a native of Farquier Co., Va., where he was born about the year 1747. About 1769 he married Elizabeth Floyd, daughter of Col. William Floyd of Amherst County, Va. and sister of Col. John Floyd, the distinguished surveyor, hunter, indian fighter legislator and lawgiver of Kentucky in its early settlement. At what time Charles came to Kentucky is not definitely known, but in all probability he came with Col. John Floyd's company consisting of his wife and nearly all his brothers and sisters, in 1779. The records show that Elizabeth Floyd did not come to Kentucky until the fall of 1783, six months after her brother, Col. John Floyd, was killed by the Indians. She brought with her seven children, all born in Virginia, and these children became the pioneer inhabitants, of Jefferson Co, Ky. and Clark and Floyd Counties, Indiana.

The family of Charles Tuley in those early days lived in and about the stockades at Floyd's Fork or in the fort near Twelfth street, Louisville, ever on the alert for the approach of hostile Indians, who could easily cross the river and steal upon them unawares. The suffering, anxiety, and privations of those early days must have been racking to the settlers, for behind every tree and along every by-path lurked a savage whose pitiless soul was bent upon massacre. Those of us who today reside in comfortable homes, enjoying the luxuries of field and garden, should remember that we owe a debt of gratitude to our ancestors for their great pioneer work of civilization.

There is a legend of the family that Charles was killed by Indians, at or near the fort at Louisville. This story probably arose from a statement in Collins' history of Kentucky which says that when John Floyd was ambushed one or two of his brothers-in-law were also shot. At the time of his death Charles Floyd and Alexander Breckenridge were with the Colonel when the former, abandoning his horse and jumping up behind the Colonel bore him in his arms to their home five miles away where he died that night.

Where or when Charles Tuley died is not definitely known but he must have been alive late in the year 1786, as his last will and testament was probated in the Jefferson County Court in in the spring of 1787. In all probability his remains were buried at or near Floyd's Fork or at the old burying grounds at Middletown.

One of the legends of the family is to the effect that Chinles was a man of commanding presence, possessed of fine education and the courage of the early frontiersmen that made him and them ready and willing to undergo any hardship to conquer the great Northwest. His close association with men like John Floyd, Alex Breckenridge and George Regers Clark shows him to have been a leading spirit among the pioneers of Kentucky.

THE WILL OF CHARLES TULEY

Was admitted to probate in the county court at Louisville March 6th. 1787, and is recorded in minute book No. 1, page 10. The will is very short, not giving the names of wife or any of the children. It advises that the estate, including slaves, be kept together for the use and benefit of his wife and children. John Tuley, Jr. and Alex Breckenridge are named as executors. Tuley, Jr. qualified but no record of his report of settlement, could be found.

On page 23 of minute book No. 3 was found, under date 1791, the application of William F. Tuley and Sarah Tuley, minor children of Charles Tuley to have Elizabeth Floyd Tuley appointed their guardian. The same entry sets forth that she was also appointed guardian of Wyatt P. Tuley, Mary Tuley, Robert Tuley and Jane Tuley, other orphan children of Charles Tuley deceased. John Tuley, Jr. and Alex Breckenridge were the sureties for the guardianship.

It will be seen that Charles P. Tuley, who is in the list as the eldest son of Charles Tuley does not appear in the record, he doubtless having attained full age at that time.

JOHN TULEY, JR. executor of the last will of Charles Tuley was in all probability a nephew or a cousin of Charles. A John Tuley, son of Jonathan, elsewhere mentioned, disappeared from Virginia in early manhood, and was never heard from. In corresponding with relatives in that state, they express the belief that John Tuley, Jr. is the missing man. It may be possible that this is the correct solution. There is a possibility that he was a brother of Charles and a son of Thomas who married Mary Scott. At any rate he must have been a near relative of Charles, else he would not have selected him as executor. John's name is not found, in the records of Jefferson County, Ky. after 1792.

Trunk and Forks of the Tuley Tree

CHARLES TULEY of Farquier Co., Va., later of Jefferson Co., Ky. was married to Elizabeth Floyd, daughter of Col. William Floyd and Abadiah Davis of Amherst Co., Va. about the year 1769. They are regarded as the trunk of the tree. From this union the following children were born;

Forks, 1. *CHARLES PRESTON TULEY, b. about 1771, m. 1793 Elizal eth Murray of Louisville. He died at Springville Clark Co., Ind. in '02.

[•] It will be observed that the name Preston frequently occurs in the Tuley line. It would indicate that a Preston had married a Tuley, but this is not the case. The Floyd family in Virginia where socially and in a business way very intimate with the family of Col. William Preston. Elizabeth Floyd probably named her sons Charles and Wyatt in honor of Wm. Preston by adding Preston, to their christian names. It is a little singular that in the line of Wm. Floyd Tuley the family name, Bell, was not given to a single descendent.

2. WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY, b. 1773, d. 1818, m. July 4, 1798 Jane Bell, daughter of William Bell, of Louisville.

3. SARAH TULEY, b. 1774, d. '42 at Newburn, Ill., m. 1793 Rev. Jacob Lurton at Louisville.

4. WYATT PRESTON TULEY, b. 1776. d. '27, m. '01, Mildred Strother of Virginia, who died in '20. In '22 he married Jane Warner in New Albany.

5. MARY TULEY, b. 1777, m. 1800 Benjamin Chambers in Louisville. Could find no trace of descendents.

6. ROBERT TULEY; have no records of himself or family, if he had one. He may have been legislated out of Jefferson Co. on its subdivision.

7. JANE TULEY; have no traces of her out side the record of the court of guardianship. Judge M. F. Tuley says that he once visited Grandma Jane Bell, and there was an old maid, Jane Tuley, living with her. This may have been the above named lady.



JUDGE CHARLES P. TULEY'S LINE

CHARLES PRESTON TULEY, first son of Charles Tuley, came to Indiana in 1800 and was appointed by Gov. Harrison as one of the seven judges of the court of Quarter Sessions which met and organized at Springville, Clark Co. in April 1801. His brother William Floyd Tuley, the same day was appointed constable of Springville township. The former did not serve long as the court records show that he died in 1802, Where the remains are builed, is not known to the writer.

Children of Charles Preston Tuley and Elizabeth Murray of Jefferson County, Ky, later of Clark County, Indiana

Limbs. I. CAPT. ENOS TULEY, of Jeffersonville, b. about 1796, d. 1852, married Ann Mosley in 1820; no issue.

2. COURTNEY M. TULEY, b. in 1799, m. in 1822 Priseilla P. Buckner, daughter of Thomas Buckner of Louisville. He died in 1831

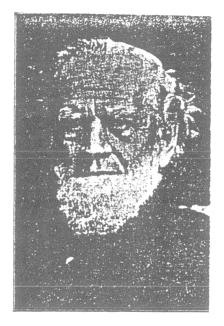
3. JOHN TULEY, Died a bachelor.

CAPTAIN ENOS TULEY, son of Chas. P. was many years a resident of Jeffersonville. He was a Falls pilot for years and a well to do and influential man. He died in 1852, leaving a widow but no children.

COURTNEY MELMOUTH TULEY resided in Louisville nearly all his life which terminated in 1831, the remains being interred in the old cemetery on 16th. and Jefferson Street. He was the father of the late Judge Murray Floyd Tuley of Chicago. His willow, *Priscilla Pendleton Buckner subsequently married Col. Richard J. Hamilton of Chicago: no issue by the last marriage.

*Mrs. Kate Edmonson Tuley edited "Reminiscences of the Buckner family of Kentucky" from which it apears that Priseilla Pendleton, daughter of Thomas Buckner, who was the mother of Judge Muray F. Tuley was an elder sister of Eliza, .uckner, the latter being the mother of Mrs. Tuley

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JUDGE MURRAY FLOYD TULEY

Children of C. M. Tuley and Priscilla Buckner.

Branches. J. VIRGINIA TOLEY, b. 1825, married Carlton B. Holland, of New York.

2. JUDGE MURRAY FLOYD TULEY, b. 1827, d. 1905, married Catherine Edmonson of Missouri, no issue.

3. THEODORE TULEY, d. in 1901.

4. ISADORE TULEY, twin of Theodore, married Charles B. Clark, both dead, no issue.

Children of Virginia Tuley and C. B. Holland.

Twigs, I. DORA HOLLAND, died young.

2. KATE HOLLAND, married Judge J. J. Egan of St. Paul.

3. IRENE HOLLAND married E. B. Mawson of New York.

Children of Kate Holland and Judge Egan, of New York.

Buds. I. FLOYD EGAN.

2. CARLTON EGAN.

3. FRANK EGAN.

JUDGE MURRAY FLOYD TULEY, a grandson of Judge Charles Preston Tuley and son of Courtney M. Tuley was born in Louisville in 1827. He began the study of law under his stepfather, Hon. Richard J. Hamilton at Chicago in 1844. When the Mexican war broke out, he joined the army as Lieutenaut in the fifth Illinois Volunteers, and at its close established himself at Sante Fe, New Mexico, where he practiced law, became Attorney General and subsequently member of the Legislature of the Territory. In 1854 he returned to Chicago where he soon took a front rank at the bar, was Corporation Counsel and elected Alderman. In 1879 he was elected Circuit Judge of Cook County and was re-elected every six years thereafter by an overwhelming vote, death only, which occured December 25, 1905, being able to compass his defeat.

Judge Tuley during his long service as presiding judge was regarded as the chancellor of the court. He was noted as

the great equity judge, his sense of justice in the equality of men before the law, influencing him to regard the rights of the humblest citizen as great as that of the most powerful litigant. In such cases his great analytical mind found the center of the tangle and rendered a righteous decision, regardless of the mere technicalities of the law.

As a man Judge Tuley was held in the highest esteem by every class of people. He was modest and unassuming, yet bore himself with the dignity that became his position in society. In his home he was a gentle, loving and devoted husband, a kindly neighbor and a fast friend to those with whom he was intimate.

Judge Tuley held his right of citizenship in high esteem, devoting much of his time, not required in the duties of his office, to civic reform. His impress is upon many of the laws of Illinois, made better by his touch, and Chicago is largely indebted to him for many civil ordinances he drafted. His lecture "Maxims of Equity" delivered before the Illinois State Bar Association of which he was President, is a masterly exposition of the principles governing equity proceedings.

Chicago held Judge Tuley in such high esteem that three memorial services were held, Mayor Dunne pronouncing an eulogy at the one held at Abraham Lincoln Center and also the large meeting holden in the Auditorium, Rev. Jenkins Lloyd Jones, Wm. Kent, S. S. Gregory, Sigamund Zeisler, Mr. Erskin, N. C. Phelps and Miss Jane Adams, of Hull House Settlement, all eloquent speakers, refered to deceased as the first citizen of Chicago. At the Auditorium high tribute was paid by Mayor Dunne. Judges Joseph E. Gray and Francis Adams, John W. Eckert, Arthur J. Eddy, L. L. Mills, Thomas I. Kidd and others. the address filling eighteen columns of the Chicago Unity. From the unstinted praise these men gave of the personality of Judge Tuley, it is not surprising that Mayer Dunne should say that "His name and his memory will live in the history of Chicago and in the hearts of Chicago's citizens, when the names of its greatest financiers, its greatest merchant princes and its greatest captains of industry will be lost in oblivion."

WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY'S LINE

WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY, second son of Charles and Elizabeth Floyd Tuley, was born in Virginia in 1773. He came with his mother and family to Kentucky to join her husband in the fall of 1783, and took up their residence at or near the stockade at Floyd's Fork, about 16 miles east of Louisville. Here she underwent the trials and tribulations of frontier life in rearing her family, and keeping watch against the approach of the savage. Tradition says that she was a very tall, dark complexioned woman, a person of rare intelligence and tact.

The early life of William Floyd Tuley is little known. I have as a memento his license to marry Jane Bell, a woman of prominence at that time, issued by J. W. Gwarthney, clerk of the Jefferson County, Ky. court. This bears date June 30th. 1798, and on the back is registered the fact that the ceremony- was pronounced July 4.

After the marriage the couple settled on a farm near Middletown where they remained until 1800, when they removed to Springville, Clark, Co. Indiana Territory, then the county seat, but long since extinct. In April 1801 he was appointed constable of Springville township, and Charles Floyd, a kinsman was appointed constable of Clarksville township. At that time Clark County including all the territory now embraced in the counties of Clark, Jefferson, Jennings, Scott, Washington, Orange, Harrison and Floyd. The extent of territory over which these high constables were compelled to range in those early times, furnished ample opportunity for adventure and hair raising by the Indians, but if they made any narrow escapes a record of the facts have failed to come down to this generation.

In 1802 Gov. William Henry Harrison commissioned W. F. Tuley as Leiutenant of the Militia for Clark County. I have the commission, endorsed on the back by Col. Bartholmoew Major Marston G. Clark and Capt. Davis Floyd, together with a roster of Capt. Floyd's company.

In 1806 Grandfather sold out his land near Marysville, Clark County, and returned with his family to the farm near Middletown, where they pursued the even tenor of their way, until 1811 when Tecumseh threatened Indiana, then he eulisted in Capt. Funk's company of mounted men at Louisville, marched through the wilds of Indiana to Tippacanoe battle ground in 1811, where he fought on the left flank under Gen. Wells until the enemy was routed. Tuley was wounded in the engagement, and his death in 1818 was largely attributed to the sufferings and privations he underwent in that campaign. He was a very athletic man in his younger days, it being said that he could lay his hand on a rider of a rail fence and spring over it without the least trouble. Opposite this page will be found a picture of, W. F. Tuley taken from a life sized painting owned by my father and descending to me as the oldest son and namesake.

The remains of Grandfather lie entombed at Middletown, Ky. where also lie buried two children, and his mother Elizabeth Floyd who died in 1833, and Grandmother Jane Bell who died while on a visit to New Albany friends in 1847. Although the latter had been a resident of Louisville many years the remains were taken to the old cemetery at Middletown. It was a hot Sunday in July and I, then a small boy, rode on the front seat of the carriage occupied by my fathers family. I shall ever remember that mournful day. Upon the arrival of the cortege at Middletown the entire population had gathered at the cemetary to honor one whom they had known in life as a friend and neighbor of former years, one they had learned to love for her many womanly virtues. If ever a woman was truly loved and mourned, that woman was Jane Bell Tuley.

Children of William Floyd Tuley and Jane Bell

Limbs. *Col. PRESTON FLOYD TULEY, b. 1800, d. '51, m. '24 Mary C. Woodruff Paxson, b. '03, d. '72.

"The wives of Col. Preston F. Tuley and John W. Tuley were sisters, daughters of Judge Seth Woodruff one of the earliest settlers of New Albany The children of the two families were therefore double cousins. The elder, Mrs. Paxson; was the widow of Capt. Charles Paxson when she married Col. Tuley.



WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY

FROM A PORTRAIT PAINTED BY NORRISON IN 1840, FOR HIS SON, MILO DAVIS TULEY. NOW OWNED BY WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY. THE LATTEN'S SON.

2. JOHN WESLEY TULEY b. '02 d. '50, m. '26 Phoebe H. Woodruff b. '09 d. '72:

3. Infant son, died of croup.

4. MILO DAVIS TULEY b. 06 d. '52, m. '35 *Elizabeth Betterton of Cumberland, Md. b. '15 d. '84:

5. VICTOR MONROE TULEY b. '08, d. '88, m. '32 Mary L. Flickner, b. '13 d. '92

6. CYNTHIA TULEY, b. '09 d. '17 from broken back when an infant.

7. HELEN MARIA TULEY, b. '11 d. '69, m. '30 James Crook b. '03 d. '70.

8. CHARLES VOLNEY TULEY, b. '12, d. '63, m. Hannah E. Horner; two children died in infancy.

9. JULIA ANN TULEY, b. '13, d. '92, m. '48 Allen E. Taylor, d., no issue.

10. DB. GEORGE R. C. TULEY, b. '15, d. '64, m. at Edgefield Tenn.; settled at Pine Bluff, Arkansas; one girl who married in Mississippi.

11. MARY JANE TULEY, b. '17, d. '49, m. '47 William Brown, a cousin. They went to Texas where Brown was killed by Indians. A few days after giving birth to twins, Mrs. Brown died. The twins also died.

The Tuleys were enterprising men in New Albany. Early in the third decade of the last century P. F., J. W., and M. D., Tuley erected a large brick building, then the largest in the city, at West Main and Fourth Street, in which they carried on for years a wholesale grocery and produce business. An old settler informed the writer that he had frequently seen loaded wagons in line half a mile long, waiting their turn to unload at the Tuley store. This produce was loaded into flatboats and taken to New Orleans, each of the brothers taking turn as captain in charge of the broadhorns.

Col. Preston F. was the politician of the family. He was Colonel of the militia, held the office of sheriff, and served in the State Legislature.

*Elizabeth Betterton was the daughter of Benjamin and Margaret Betterton of Bngland who came to this country about the time of the Rev. olution. Betterton was employed many years in the army and navy departments at Washington City.

Jонм W. Тики vas а very quiet and unassuming man possessing a fund of humor that rendered him very compannonable. He died in California, the result of a railroad accident. Mitto Davis Tuker was a great lover of Shakespeare and

ecould quote almost any passage. He was a fine reader and a could quote almost any passage. He was a fine reader and a thoroughly well read man. He was fond of military life, being a member of the Washington Guards under command of Cap. Joelyn, and was regarded as one among the best shots at target practice in the city,

VICTOR M. TULEY WAS MANY YEARS A Prominent builder in New Albany, and later operated a hemp rope factory, where the hickory mill now stands. He removed with his family to western Missouri in 1846, residing on his farm near Independence until his death at the age of 80 years.

CHARLES V. TULEY WAS MANY 76815 A MERCHART IN this city, but finally went to Missouri where he died.

DR. GEORGE R. C. TULEY GRAduated at the medical college at Louisville, after which he settled at Pine Bluff, Ark. During the Civil War he was surgeon on the staff of one of the confederate generals, rendering fine service. He died at Liberty, Mo. a few years after the war closed.

Children of P. F. Tuley and Mary C. W. Paxson

В vanches, I. Сог. WILLIAM WOODRUFF TULEY, b. '25, d. 1902, m. '56 Charlott Riddle, d. 1902.

2. GEORGE WASHINGTON TULET, D. ¹27, m. ¹53 Kate Evans, d. ¹⁷⁰; m. ¹⁷² Harriet Compton d. ¹⁷⁷. 3. EDWARD PRESTON TULET, D. ¹²⁹, d. ¹⁸⁹, m. ¹⁵³ Julia Orme

d. '68; m. '69 Mary H. Anderson, no issue by latter.

4. Сная. Рахзом Тогет, d. '77, a bachelor.

5. ВЕИЛ. FRANKLIN TULET, D. '33, d. '84, m. '55 Esther Sherrer, d. '78.

6. LUCETTA B. TULEY, died in infancy. 7. Рансиль Бискиев Тилет, b. 37, d. 72, m. '61 Col.

Thos. D. Sedgwick, d. 8. Бетн WoodRuff Tuler, b. '42, m. '66 Nathalie Peters of Кеntucky, b. '42.

P. '50, d. 83; m. '99 Anna Titer b. '70.



WILLIAM WOODRUFF TULEY 1825-1903

Col. WILLIAM W. TULEY, was in the Mexican War, and during the Civil War was a general of the militia of Indiana, doing service on the border. Heserved many years as cityclerk of New Albany and also as county clerk. In 1880 he was a member of the State Legislature. For over twenty-five years he practiced law and was master in chancery in the Floyd Circuit Court. His handsome residence on Silver Hills was the headquarters for the Tuley families, all being accorded a hearty and hospitable welcome by the Colonel and his wife. Many happy reunions were held there and especially large were the gatheing on Sundays in the beautiful summer time.

SQUIRE GEORGE W. TULEY is the distinguished agricultural, horticultural, and floricultural authority of the family. He has reduced to a science the theory that "blessed is the man who can make two blades of grass grow, where only one grew before." He is still rising at 4, o'clock daily, having a contract to inhale all the surplus ozone on the Silver Hills where his surburban home is located. The Squire seems to delight in the beauties, and relates with much gusto many legends and hunting adventures of the Silver Hills. So greatly has he become attached to the locality that he recently erected a handsome mausaleum on the brow of the hill overlooking the city, where he expects his remains will be entombed when "life's fitful fever is o'er'.

EDWARD PRESTON TULEY, third son of Col. P. F. Tuley went to Shephardsyille, Ky. when a boy and learned the saddlery and harness business. He married there Julia Orme, by whom he reared a goodly family. After the Civil War he returned to New Albany and established a Saddlery house, which he conducted until the time of his death.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TULEY, was a steamboat joiner many years but subsequently became Deputy County Clerk, serving in that capacity a number of years. He was a jolly good fellow, numbering his friends by the hundreds.

SETH W. TULEY, was a soldier in the Civil War and was adjutant on the staff of Gen. Chas. Cruft, of the army of the Cumberland. He was a good soldier and a competent officer, never shirking any duty, however difficult or dangerous. After the close of the the war he engaged in the insurance business but subsequently went to Washington city where he obtained a place in the Post Office Department, which he still continues to fill satisfactorily.

ROWEN BOONE TULEY, son of S. W. Tuley is a chip off the old block. He was private secretary to Senator Blackburn of Kentucky for years, then accepted a like position with Senator Squires. For the past several years he has been one of the chief clerks in the Rural Delivery Division of the general Post Office Department.

THOMAS J. TULEY, studied law and moved to Logansport, Ind. where he was city attorney several years. A few years ago he removed to Chicago, and was in the office of the Sheriff of Cook County, but is now assistant corporation council of Chicago. Thomas claims to have possession of his grandfathers sword, also a bowl from which, in the language of the possesser, his grandpa "lapped his liquor or pounded his corn while hunting redskins."

COL. THOMAS D. SEDGWICK, who married Priscilla B. Tuley was Commander of the second U. S. C. Volunteers during the Civil War and did fine service. During the latter part of the war he commanded a brigade. After the death of his wife he married a second time in Washington City, the latter wife still surviving his death which occured about ten years ago.

The two sons of the above, Thomas D. Sedgwick, Jr. and Charles Stdgwick are prosperous business men. The former is now located at Los Angeles, Cal. and the latter resides at Cumberland, Md. from which point he travels for a large Philadelphia house.

Child of Col. W. W. Tuley and Charlotte Riddle

Twig. WILLIAM ADDISON TULEY, b. '57, m. 1905 Josephine Mary Horuby at Fort Worth, Texas.

WILLIAM A. TULEY, is a prominent man in northern Texas, where for many years he was engaged as General Passenger Agent of trunk line railroads. He is now in business at Stevensville, Texas.

Children of G. W. Tuley and Kate Evans

- 1. PRESTON FLOYD TULEY, b. '55, d. '89.
- 2. GEORGE W. TULEY, Jr. d. '63.
- 3. (By second wife Compton,) HARHIET TULEY, b. '74.

Children of E. P. Tuley and Julia Orme

Twigs, J. MARY TULEY, d.

2. LILLIAN M. TULEY, b. '57, m. '81 Chas. Hill, d. 1905.

3. WILLIAM PRESTON TULEY, b. '58, m. '83 Ella S. Logan b. '60, d. '96; m. '98 Sarah J. Musset, b. '72.

5. GEORGE F. TULEY, d.

6. LOTTIE R. TULEY, d.

7. CHARLES P. TULEY, b. '67 unmarried.

8. JESSE JONES TULEY, m. '94 Carrie Denn, div; m. '99, Etta Ruby.

WILLIAM PRESTON TULEY is a successful farmer, business man and late engaged in the banking business at New Haven, near Carmi, Ill., where he resided many years. He is now President of the First National Bank at New Haven.

JESSE J. TULEY resides at St. Louis, having charge as conductor of one of the Trunk Line passenger trains.

Children of Lillian Tuley and Charles Hill Springfield, Mo.

Buds, J. JULIA HILL, b. '83.

2. LILLIAN HILL, b. '89.

3. CLINTON HILL, b. '92.

Children of W. P. Tuley and Ella Logan New Haven, Ill.

Buds, I. EDITH FAY TULEY, b. '85. d. '86.

2. LUCY TULEY, d. '87.

3. MATHEW S. TULEY, b. '88.

By Second Wife

4. MARY E. TULEY, b. 1902.

5. WILLIAM ROBERT TULEY, b. 1904.

Children of Sallie Tuley and Judge Clements Union Co., Ky.

Buds, J. BALDWIN CLEMENTS, b. '86.

2. TULEY CLEMENTS, b. '88.

3. LILLIAN CLEMENTS, b. '89.

4. LUCY CLEMENTS, b. '92.

5. CLARENCE CLEMENTS, b. '94.

6. EARL CLEMENTS, b. '96.

Children of Jesse J. Tuley and Carrie Denny. div. St. Louis, Mo.

Buds, 1. Edward Tuley b. '95.

By Etta Ruby

2. Baby TULEY, d.

Children of B. F. Tuley and Esther Sherrer

Twigs. J. IDA TULEY, d.

2. EDWARD TULEY, d.

3. ALICE TULEY, d.

4. EDITH TULEY, m. '94 Michael Thornton

5. THOMAS WOODRUFF TULEY, m. '82 Elizabath

Beckwinner

6. BENJAMIN TULEY, d. age 21.

7. MARY TULEY, d.

3. NELLIE TOLEY, m. 1902 Harry Shaney, she dying 1903 without issue.

THOMAS W. TULEY, son of B. F. Tuley, resides at Cincinnati and is leading sketch artist in the largest job printing house of that place. His work is of a high character. His drughter Alice and son Benjamin, are also skilled artists with pen and brush.

Children of Edith Tuley and Michael Thornton

Buds, I. TULEY; 2. NELLIE; 3. CHARLES; 4. BABY; 5. ROBERT L; 6. VIRGINIA M. THORNTON. All died in infancy.

Children of T. W. Tuley and E. Beckwinner

7. Alice C.; 2. Benjamin D.; 3. Edwin D.; 4. Thomas W. Jr.; 5. Edith R.; 6. Frank R.; 7. Esther E.; 8. Paul A. Tuley.

Children of Priscilla B. Tuley and Col. T. D. Sedgwick New Albany, Ind.

Twigs, 1. THOMAS D. SEDGWICK, Jr. m. Pearl Burgett of Hernando, Miss. No issue. Now reside at Los Angeles, Cal.

2. CHARLES TOLEY SEDOWICK, M. 1902 Mary Virginia Miller of Honey Grove, Texas.

3. Rose Duncan Sedgwick, m. '92 J. P. Brucker of Louisville.

Child of Charles Sedgwick and M. V. Miller Cumberland, Md,

Buds, J. PRISCILLA SEDGWICK, b. 1904.

Children of Rose Sedgwick and J. P. Brucker of Louisville

J. WILLIAM TULEY BRUCKER. b. '92.

2. Sedgwick Brucker b. 96

Children of S. W. Tuley and *Nathalie Peters ... Washington City

Twigs, I. ROWAN BOONE TULEY, b. '67, m. Gertrude F. Lowney.

2. FANNY TULEY, b. '69.

3. BLANCHE TULEY, b. '71, d. '94.

Children of R. B. Tuley and Gertrude Lowney Washington City

Buds, 1. FRANCES TULEY, b. '97. 2. ELIZABETH FLOYD TULEY, b. 1903.

> Children of Thomas J. Tuley and Margaret Rush Logansport, now Chicago

Twigs, MARY AGNES TULEY, b. '80, m. 1904 Dr. E. M. Bice of Edinburg, Ind. One child d. in a few days

2. (By Anna Titer) MURRAY F. TULEY.

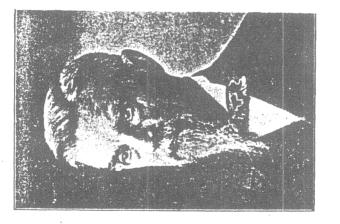
3. HABOLD RAYMOND TULEY

Children of John Wesley Tuley and Phoebe H. Woodruff New Albany, Ind.

Branches, I. JOHN W. TULEY, b. '27, d. '56, m. '53, Martha Armstrong, no issue.

2. SALLIE W. TULEY. d. '61, m. '55 Gorham Tufts, d. no issue.

^aThe lineage of the Peters family of Woodford Co., Ky, goes back to and beyond the ancestors of the famous Capt. Ashby of Revolutionary fame.



ENOS BETH TULEY 1836-1901 3. MILTON B. TULEY, b. '31, d. '67.

4. HENRY TULEY, b. '33, d. '45.

5. ENOS SETH TULEY, b. 36, d. 1901, m. Mary Eliza Speed, daughter of Philip Speed of Louisville.

6. MARY C. TULEY, b. '38, d. ,57.

7. HENRY I. TULEY, b. '41, d. '63.

S. ROBERT S. TULEY, b. '43, d. '53.

9. Albert L. Tuley, b. '44, d. '70.

ENOS SETH TULEY was in early life a clerk in the post office at New Albany, but removed to Louisville about 1857 taking a position in the post office of that city. By his sheer force of character he soon rose to the place of assistant postmaster and for many years was actual postmaster. So careful and painstaking was his work, that he retained his position no matter which party was in power. After retiring from the post office he became secretary of a large insurance corporation which position he held at his death. Enos was a quiet unassuming gentleman, thoroughly upright and courteous, a delightful and sympathetic companion and devoted friend.

Children of E. S. Tuley and Mary Eliza Speed Louisville, Ky.

Twigs, 1. Philip Speed Toley, b. '68' m. 1901 Lida Swope, b. 75.

2. DR. HENRY ENOS TOLEY, b. '70, m. '94 ETHEL Northrup Brown Englebach b. '67.

3. THOMAS SPEED TULEY, b.,76.

4. MARY ELIZA TULEY, d. aged 2.

5. EMMA KEATS TULEY, d. aged 4.

Children of P. S. Tuley and Lida Swope Louisville Ky.

Buds, J. PHILIP S. TULEY Jr.

Children of Dr. H. E. Tuley and E. N. B. Englebach Louisville, Ky.

Buds, J. CHARLES BROWN TULEY, b. '97. 2. MARY SPEED TULEY, b. 1901.

PHILIP S. TULEY, and THOMAS S. TULEY, are young men of fine address and are making a success in life in manufacturing and commercial pursuits. Philip is president and Thomas is secretary of the Louisville Cotton Mill Co.

DR. HENRY ENOS TULEY, although a young man is rapidly forging his way to the front as a successful medical practitioner. He is a public spirited citizen, taking an active interest in civic affairs of Louisville, not however neglecting the important duties devolving upon all true men to relieve suffering wherever and whenever found. These young men are worthy sons of a noble sire.

DR. HENRY and THOMAS are members of Louisville Commandery No. 1 Knights Templar, and are also Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Children of Milo D. Tuley and Elizabeth Betterton

Branches, J. WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY, b. '36, m. '62, *Mary G. Knepfly, b. '42.

2. MARGARET ELLEN TULEY, b. '38, d. 68, m. '57, †Josiah Gwin, b. '34, d. 1901

3. ARABELLA J, died in infancy.

4. MARION A. TULEY, b.'41, d. '77, m.'63 Jordan S.

McRea, d. '87.

5. EUDORA JANE, died in infancy.

6. WALTER WOODBURY TULEY, b. '45, d. '64.

7. CHARLES MILO TULEY, b. '48, d. '75.

S. LIZZIE J. 9. MILO D. both died in infancy.

*Mary G. Knepfly was a daughter of the late John Knepfly of Dallas, Texas, iormerly of New Albany.

†Mr. Gwin married a second time, Miss Eliza Ruckle, a most excellent woman who stillsurvives.

WILLIAM FLOYD TULEY, eldest son of M. D. Tuley, began his career on the river about the time Mark Twain was learning piloting. His uncle Capt. Israel C. Woodruff, one among the best pilots on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, was his instructor, and within three years Tuley was a full fledged pilot, serving thereafter a number of years in that capacity on some of the palatial steamers plying between Louisville and New Orleans. On the breaking out of the Civil War he was appointed master and pilot in the Mississippi Squadron, serving under Admirals Foote, Davis, Porter and Farragut. He participated in the engagements at Island No. 10, Plum Point, Memphis, St. Charles, up White river, Haines' Bluff, Vicksburg, Grand Gulf, Pt. Hudson and Alexandria. He took the gunboat Essex past the batteries at Vicksburg in 1862, and was at the wheel of that gunboat when she destroyed the Confederate ram, Arkansas, above Baton Rouge. He was also at the wheel of the Benton, leading Admiral Porter's fleet when it ran the batteries at Vicksburg in 1863, to attack Grand Gulf and ferry Grant's army across the river to attact Vicksburg.

After the war Mr. Tuley became city editor of the New Albany Commercial after which he served in like capacity on the Ledger until 1872, when he became Indiana editor of the Louisville Commercial, serving about twenty years on the last named journal. Mr. Tuley is past Commander of the New Albany Commandery, Knights Templar, and also passed the chairs in other Masonic bodies. The frontispiece is a fair likeness of the above.

WALTER WOODBURY TULEY, second son of M. D. Tuley, was a promising young man at the opening of the Civil War. A few weeks after entering the quartermasters department at Cairo, Ill., he was taken ill of typhoid fever and died. Charles Milo, a younger brother was a prosperous young business man when he died in 1875.

Children of W. F. Tuley and Mary G. Knep/ly

Twigs, J. WALTER FLOYD TULEY, b. '64.

- 2. Rose JULIA TULEY, b. '65, m. '89 Charles Earl Currie
- 3. LAWRENCE KNEPFLY TULEY, b. 81.

Children of Rose J. Tuley and Chas. Earl Currie Louisville, Ky.

Buds, 1. MARGARET FLOYD CURRIE, b. '90.

- 2. HARRY SHERMAN CUBRIE, b, '94.
- 3. GEORGE EARL CURRIE, b. '96.
- 4. FLOYD TULEY CURRIE, b. '98.

WALTER FLOYD TULEY is the oldest son of W. F. Tuley. He was educated in the New Albany public schools, reared in a journalistic atmosphere, and was first employed on the reportorial staff of the Louisville Post, which he left to assume a stage career. Being a lover of Shakespeare, he devoted the first four years to acting, his specialty being comedy roles, his greatest success being "Pecks Bad Boy."

It was at this time he assumed the nome de theatre "Walter Floyd" to please his parents, who at that time were opposed to his chosen calling. He finally drifted into managerial work and was business manager for the late Madam Jaunesheck during the heighth of her career. At her suggestion he decided to devote his talents to advance work, in which field he has been eminently successful, having risen to the front rank in that important branch of his profession. During the season of 1905 he was the resident manager of the Duquesne Theatre at Pittsburg. His present home is in New York City, where he was recently made a life member of the Scottish Rite bodies of that city.

LAWRENCE KNEPFLY TULEY, younger brother of Walter, is a graduate of Indiana University at Bloomington, also a graduate of the New Albany Business College. Like Walter he is

fond of travel, especially delights in sea going. He took great interest while at college in athletic sports and the work of the Greek society of Phi Delta Theta of which he was secretary. He is now employed in the office of the Trafic manager of the Southern Railway Co., Columbia Building, Louisville Ky.

CHARLES EARL CURRIE, of Louisville, married Rose Julia, only daughter of W. F. Tuley, was a son of the late Col. George E. Currie of Dayton, Ky. second in command in Col. Elliot's Ram fleet in the Civil War. Mr. Currie is a prominent business man being a large importer and exporter, having interests in Louiville and Pensacola, Fla. Ten years ago he visited Denmark in the interest of the Louisville Board of Trade, securing fine results. Mr. Currie found such favor with King Christian that he was chosen Danish Consul for Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, with orders to report direct to Denmark and not through the Consul General at New York. A few years ago the king decorated Mr. Currie with the knighthood of Daneborg, one of the oldest and most exclusive orders in Denmark.

Children of M. E. Tuley and Josiah Gwin New Albany, Ind,

Twigs, I. FLOYD TULEY GWIN, b. '59, m. Tobitha B. Butler in Texas, no issue.

2. FRANK GWIN, b. '61, m. '87, Marcia Carbee, d. of Terre Haute, m. '92, Martha Heth

3. MILO GWIN, d. in infancy.

4. EMILY GWIN, b. ,66, m. ,90, G. W. Carbee of Terre Haute.

Children of Frank Gwin and M. Carbee ' New Albany, Ind.

Buds, I. AGNES H. GWIN

2. (By M. Heth) ELIZABETH GWIN

3. FRANK L. GWIN

The two latter dying in infancy

Children of Emily Gwin and G. W. Carbee Terre Haute

Huils, 1. MARCIA CARBEE, d. 2. G. W. CARBEE, Jr.

> Child of M. A. Tuley and J. S. McRae New Albany, Ind.

7. ELIZABETH B. MORAE, b. '71, m. '91 Frederick M. Whyte of Baltimore, Md.

Children of E. B. McRae and F. M. Whyte Tarrytown, N. Y.

Buds, 1. MARION WHYTE, b. '94.

2. BEATRICE WHYTE, b. '99.

3. ELIZABETH WHYTE, b. 1906.

Children of Victor. M. Tuley and M. L. Flickner of Missouri

Branches, 1. Twins not named.

3. MARION "FRANCIS TULEY, b. '35, m. '66 Marcella Georgiana Stewart, b. '45, d. '76, m. '79 Mrs. Lee H. Saxon b. '57, div., m. Margaretta Green, div., m. '94 Elizabeth Shafer Sutton. 4. WYATT WALCOT TULEY, b. '38, d. 1905.

5. LAURA JANE TULEY, d.

6. MARY ELIZABETH TULEY, d.

7. CHARLES VOLNEY TULEY, d.

8. NANCY ISABELL TULEY, m. Samuel Procter d.

9. Thomas Benton Tuley, b. '51, d. '90, m. 78 Lena Alice

19. George Floyd Tuley, b. '55, m. '79 Frances May Horr.

FRANCIS M. TULEY of San Jose, California, has the distinction of being the champion marrying man of the family, he having had four matrimonial events credited on account. Fortunately he only had one wife on hand at a time.

GEORGE FLOYD TULEY of Sedalia, Mo., has been mail clerk on the M. K. & T. railroad from Hannibal, Mo. and Dennison, Texas, for over twenty years. He stands high with the Postoffice Department and receives a top notch salary. He has an interesting family, three grown sons all well educated.

> Children of F. M. Tuley and Georgiana Stewart Grenada, Miss, now San Jose, Cal.

Twigs, I. LELIA LENA TULEY, b. '69, d.

2. EUGENE VICTOR TULEY, d. '73.

3. WALTER A. TULEY, b. '72, m. '96 Augusta Leonore Hermichael of Mississippi d. 1904; m. second wife, 1906 Carolyn Olive Snedeker at Antilope, Texas.

4. WILLIAM LEMAR TULEY, b. '74, m. '99 Lillian Harris, b. '73; no issue.

5. MAY BELLE TULEY, b. '76, d. same year.

6. (By Mrs. Saxon) JOHN POWELL TULEY, b. '82, Dallas, Texas.

- 7. GRACE TULEY, b. '84, d. 1904, at Dallas.

Child of W. A. Tuley and A. L. Hermchael Dallas, Texas

Bud, 1. HOMER ATWOOD TULEY, b. '97.

Children of T. B. Tuley and Sena Alice Tuley

Twigs. 1. JESSIE FRANCES TOLEY. b. '74, m. '96 William Maxwell.

- 2. George Clement Tuley, b. '76' d.
- 3. MARY MAGDALINE TCLEY, b. '81, m. '99 Chas. H. Riley
- 4. ANNA MYRTLE TULEY, b. '83, m. 1902 Alva I. Wells."
- 5. ELLA LEACH TULEY, ' b. '87.

Children of Nancy I. Tuley and Samuel Proctor

Twigs, J. VICTOR CHARLES PROCTOR, M. Catherine Phoebe Elliott of Montana.

2. MOLLIE PROCTOR, m. '87 William Reynolds, div., m. '94 — Grosstete, no issue.

3. EFFIE MAY Proctor.

Children of V. C. Proctor and Catherine P. Elliot Montana

Buds, 1. ELLA MAY PROCTOR, m. '89 Leander Elliott, d., m. 1901 F. J. Wilson One Chlld by first marriage Effie MAY PROCTOR.

Children of George Floyd Tuley and Frances Horr Sedalia, Mo,

Twigs, J. FLOYD TAYLOR TULEY, b. '80.

- 2. WILLIAM SELDON TULEY, b. '82.
- 3. ERNEST VICTOR TULEY, b. '85.

Children of Helen M. Tuley and James Crook New Albany, Ind.

Branches, I. ELIZABETH CROOK, d. '87, m. George Huff, b. '27.

2. EDWIN CROOK, b. '33, d. 1905, m. Elizabeth Robinson d. m. Bettie Daniels.

3. MARY VIRGINIA CROOK, m. Philip Franck.

EDWIN CROOK was a brick mason working many years under his father who was a large building contractor. He moved to Illinois in early manhood where he married his first wife. He then went to Owensboro, Ky. where he married a second time. Here he engaged in contract work, erecting many large buildings. He was many years chief of police of Owensboro, but lost his eyesight and was compelled to retire. The last three years of his life he was totally blind. His death occured in 1905.

. Children of Elizabeth Crook and George Huff Galesburg, Ill.

Twigs, I. BENJAMIN HUFF.

2. HELEN HUFF, m. '72 Theodore Salveter.

Children of Ed. Crook and E. Robinson Owensboro, Ky.

J. JAMES W. CROOK, d. m. one child, Dorothy.

2. CHARLES CROOK, m. no issue.

3. GEORGE CROOK.

4. VICTOR CROOK, m. two children.

- 5. (By second w. Daniel) DAISY CROOK, b. '78, m. '91
- 6. ALLEN CROOK, m. wife d. no issue. [T. J. Lea.

7. LEROY CROOK.

- 8. Seth P. Crook.
- 9. CLIFTON CROOK, m. 1905 Alice Pruitt at Shreveport, La.
- 10. EUNICE CROOK.
- 11. MAYBELLE CROOK.

12. RUTH CROOK.

Children of Daisy Crook and T. J. Lea Owensboro, Ky,

Buds, I. ELZIE LEA.

2. DAISY LEA.

3. DUVAL LEA, died in infancy.

Son of Helen Huff and T. Salvetor

J. THEODORE SALVETOR JR.

Children of Mary Virginia Crook and Philip Franck New Albany, Ind.

Twigs, 1. HELEN FRANCE, b. '58, d. '85, m. Alonzo Harrell, b. '57, d. '86 no issue.

J. PHILIP FRANCE, Jr. b. '61, m. Stella Struble.

Children of P. Franck and Stella Struble McAllister, Oklahoma

Buds, I. PHILIP FRANCE, b. '89.

2. LLOYD FRANCE, b. '90.

3. HELEN FRANCE, d.

VI.

SARAH TULEY'S FAMILY LINE

SARAH TULEY, third child of Charles Tuley and Elizabeth Floyd, was married in Louisville in 1793 to Reverend Jacob Lurton, a presiding elder in the M. E. Church. The history of the Lurtons is rather fragmentary owing to the lapse of time and the loss of a parchment book giving the history of the family back to feudal times in England. In this book it is said, was recorded the births, intermarriages and deaths of dukes and lords, some of whom intermarried with the Lurtons. This book recorded that after the downfall of Ireland that Henry Lurton of England was granted a large estate in Rosscommon Co., Ireland where he built Rockingham Castle. Henry Lurton was the progenitor of the Lurtons of Kentucky, Illinois and Tennessee.

JACOB LURTON, DR. WILLIAM LURTON and JAMES LURTON of England were brothers. The former was the father of the Kentucky and Jersey Co., Ill. Lurtons, and the second of the Jacksonville, Ill. Lurtons. Horace H.Lurton, Judge of the 6th. Circuit of the U. S. Court of Appeals, Nashville Tenn., was a grandson of Dr. William Lurton. Judge Lurton's father was Dr. Lycurgus Leonidas Lurton of Scott Co., Ky. who is buried at Clarkesville Tenn.

However it is the direct descendents of Sarah Tuley and Jacob Lurton we are in search of. Their children are:

7. HENRY LURTON who had two children, Joseph Lurton of Tuscunbia, Mo., and Margaret Decanches of Sarcoxy, Mo.

2. ELIZABETH LURTON, m. — Wilkins, Madison Co. Ill., one son Lemuel Wilkins.

3. AMERICA LURTON, who married ——— Noble, has no issue alive.

4. JACOB LURTON, Jr., was the father of Nelson M. Lurton of Newburn, Jersey Co., Ill. The latter is now 76 years old.

Jacob Lurton has six other children. Nelson M. Lurton had five. Jacob Jr. died in Jersey Co., Ill. in 1896 aged 91 years.

5. DR. TURNER R. LURTON who married Mahala Findley, daughter of John Findley who came to Kentucky with Col. John Floyd, was an eminent yellow fever physician, serving muny years in the Howard Association in New Orleans, dying there in 1879. This leaves three other children, Charlton, Caroline and Emaline of which we have no account.

Children of Dr. T. R. Lurton and M. Findley

- 1. MARY E. LURTON.
- 2. CHARLES FLOYD LURTON.
- 3. AMELIA LURTON.
- 4. HUMPHREY LURTON, died young.
- 5. JAMES WALTER LURTON OF Pensacola, Fla.

MARY. M. 1854 Frank B. Lindley in New Albany; he dying within two years. In 1859 she married James H. Hammond of Louisville. By the latter she had two children, Clarence B. Hammond bachelor; Lillian Hammond d. who married McGill Robinson. By him she had three children, Ethel Lee, Floyd Mc Jill and Alice Lurton Robinson.

AMELIA LURTON, m. N. R. Webb of Peters & Webb music house, Louisville.

Children of Amelia Lurton and N. R. Webb Louisville, Ky.

- 1. MARY IOLINE WEBB.
- 2. IDA FORCE WEBB.
- 3. EDITH ANITA WEBB, d.
- 4. JOHN LAWRENCE WEBB, d.
- 5. ELISHA WARFIELD WEBB, m. Adel Metcalf,
- 6. EUGENIA BADGER WEBB, m. Frank Peters, N. Y. City.
- 7. W. N. WEBB, Jr.

- 8. MANLEY TELLOW WEBB.
- 9. JOSEPH BERTRAM WEBB, m. Margaret Mason.
- 10. DAVID THOMAS WEBB.

Children of E. W. Webb and Adel Metcalf

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- J. WARFIELD WEBB.
- 2. Nelson Webb.

JAMES WALTER LURTON now of Pensacola, Fla. m. Ida Cornell, from whom he was divorced. His second wife was Aline ———. James Walter Lurton Jr. by the first wife and two sons by the second wife constitute the family.

CHARLES FLOYD LURTON WAS married and a prominent citizen of Comisky, Ind. where he did a large business. He left only an adopted son as his heir.

WYATT PRESTON TULEY'S LINE

WVATT PRESTON TULEY, fourth child of Charles Tuley was a pioneer settler of Clark Co., Indiana. He was many years a magistrate of that county and when Floyd County was separated from Clark and Harrison, was appointed one of the commissioners to run the boundary lines. He subsequently took up his residence in New Albany where he was engaged in mercantile pursuits until his death in 1827. His first wife was drowned in the Ohio river above Jeffersonville. His second wife survived him many years

Children of Wyatt P. Tuley and Mildred Strother New Albany, Ind.

Limbs, .1 MARGARET TULEY, b. '01, d. m. Morgan Campbell, d.

2. DR. CHARLES STROTHER TULEY, b. '03, d. '44, m. '29, Susan Adams b. 1797, d. '86.

- 3. BENJAMIN S. TULEY, b. '05, d. '43, bachelor.
- 4. ELIZABETH TULEY, b. '11. m. '30 Nathaniel R. Wicks, d.
- 5. MARY (POLLY) TULEY, m. Mr. Strain, d. removed to

Oregon.

6. JULIA ANN TULEY, b. '20, d. '69, m. Charles R. Minor who died in 1904. No issue by second wife Warner.

DB. CHARLES STROTHEB TULEY, came here from Rockville, Indiana, about 1832 and engaged in mercantile buisness with his brother Benjamin. Their residence was two miles below the city in what is now known as the Hanlon place. Benjamin held several public offices and served in the legislature. He came within one vote of being elected Leiutenant Governor of the state in 1840.

Children of Dr. Chas. S. Tuley and Susan Adams

Branches, J. CHARLES PRESTON TULEY, b. '30, d. '99, m.

'55 Mary T. McCrea; m. '61, Ada Worley Mason.

2. MARY E. TULEY, b. '31, d. '53.

3. LYDIA ANN TULEY, b. '33, d. '59.

4. STROTHER B. TULEY, b. '35 and STROTHER B. TULEY 2nd. b. '38 both died young.

CHARLES PRESTON TULEY, son of Dr. Chas. S. Tuley attained considerable prominence in Indiana. He was many years engaged in mercantile and manufacturing business in Bloomington and Indianapolis. He was a leading Odd Fellow and Knights of Pythias and a very zealous advocate of temperance, morally and politically. He died at Indianapolis in 1899 and was buried at Bloomington.

Children of C. P. Tuley and Mary T. McCrea

Twigs, J. ANN MARY TULEY, b. '57, m. Jas. B. Posey of New Orleans, d; one child James Malcom Posey.

2. ELLA LYDIA TULEY, b. '60, m. '91 Frank H. Scott of Massachucetts, d. 1905; one son Francis Tuley Scott, no issue by second wife, Addie Worley Mason.

Children of Mary (Polly) Tuley and Strain

1. Anna Strain.

2. JULIA STRAIN.

Children of Elizabeth Tuley and Nathaniel R. Wicks, Bloomington, Ind.

Limbs, J. BENJ. STROTHER WICKS, died young.

- 2. RAYMOND LEWIS WICKS, died young,
- 3. MARY ELIZABETH WICKS, m. '54 William Thomas
- 4. CHARLES PLATT WICKS, died young. [Brodix, d.
- 5. CAROLINE JULIA WICKS, d.
- 6. WYATT W. WICKS, m. Sallie McFeteredge, d. 1905.
- 7. PRISCILLA WICKS, m. Samuel Shelper, d.

Branches, 7. CHARLES RAYMOND BRODIX, m. Josephine Weedman.

- 2. CAROLINE N. BRODIX, m. '82 Henry T. Simmons.
- 3. EDWIN S. BRODIX, In. Nellie Coffin, one son, Wyatt

Coffin Brodix.

4. MARY ELIZABETH BRODIX, m. '92 Albert V. Ferris, one son, Frank Brodix Ferris

5. FRANKLIN T. BBODIX.

Children of C. R. Brodix and Josephine Weedman

Twigs, 1. JOHN WEEDMAN BRODIX.

- 2. CHARLES R. BRODIX.
- 3. MERCEDES BRODIX, died young
- 4. THOMAS BRODIX.
- 5. JOSEPHINE BRODIX.

Children of Caroline N. Brodix and H. T. Simmons Bloomington, Ill.

Twigs, J. CAROLINE ETHEL SIMMONS.

- 2. THOMAS WYATT SIMMONS.
- 3. HARRY BRODIX SIMMONS.
- 4. RICHARD B. SIMMONS.
- 5. Alfred B. Simmons.
- 6. EDWIN JAMES SIMMONS.

Children of Priscilla Wicks and Samuel Shelper Bloomington, Ind.

Phoigs. 1. Eva Shelper, m. William I. Fee, two children. 2. MABEL SHELPER.

3. ARTHOR SHELPER, dead.

Children of Julia A. Tuley and C. R. Minor New Albany, Ind.

Branches, J. MARY MINOR, married three times, Benj. Wolfe, Alex. Robinson, and Edward Fugit.

- 2. ZERELDA MINOR, d. in infancy.
- 3. ROBERT HILDRED MINOR, m. Mary McCulloch.
- 4. CHARLES MINOR, d. '74.
- 5. WILLIAM STEWART MINOR, d. '63.
- 6. BENJAMIN MINOR, m. Laura Howard, two children.
- 7. MINNIE MINOR, m. '87 L. W. Allen.

Children of Wyatt Wicks and Sallie McFeteredge Bloomington, Ind.

- 7. GRACE WICKS, m. Cunningham, one child, Dorothy.
- 2. BLANCHE M. WICKS, m. Kirkwood Meyers, one child d.

Children of Mary Minor by Wolfe, Robinson and Fugit

7. JULIA WOLFE, m. Harry Friend, children, Isaac, Mary and Earl.

2. LORENA ROBINSON, m. James Applegate, no issue.

3. MABELLE FUGIT, d., m. John Eicholz, no issue.

4. MARY GRACE FUGIT, m. Charles Martin, child, Karl Martin, b. '99.

Children of R. H. Minor and Mary McCulloch New Albany, Ind.

- J. MARY MINOR, m. Charles Dent Kelso.
- 2. HATTIE MINOR, m. Harry Hopkins.
- 3. ROBERT MCCULLOCH MINOR, m. Jennie Sowle.

Children of Chas. S. Minor and Laura Howard .

- 1. CHAS. HERMAN MINOR, m. one child.
- 2. WILLIAM HOWARD MINOR.

Children of Minnie Minor and L. W. Allen

- 1. LEWIS W. ALLEN.
- 2. JULIA TULEY ALLEN.
- 3. CHAS. M. ALLEN.
- 4. HELEN E. ALLEN.

Children of Mary Minor and C. D. Kelso

- 7. ROBERT KELSO.
- 2. JEAN KELSO.
- 3. RICHARD KELSO.
- 4. FRANCES KELSO.
- 5. RUSSELL MINOR KELSO.

Child of Hattie Minor and H. Hopkins

1. MARTHA EALNOR HOPKINS.

Children of R. McC. Minor and Jennie Sowle

- 7. CHARLES R. MINOR.
- 2. HUMPHRY SOWLE MINOR.
- 3. JOHN HILLAIRD MINOR.



COL. JOSEPH TULEY OF THE TULEYALES 1706-1860

VIII.

Joseph Tuley's Ancestors and Descendents

JOSEPH TULEY, son of Jonathan Tuley, resided at Millwood, Clark Co, Va., where he owned a handsome landed estate, known as the Tuleyries. This noted estate dates back previous to 1787. After the death of Joseph in 1825, his son, Col. Joseph Tuley, succeeded to the property, erecting thereon a magnificent mansion, the structure being of stone, faced with marble, surrounded by massive porches, supported by Corinthian columns forty feet in heighth. The appointments of the mansion were in keeping with the structure, and the entertainment of those gathered within its walls was the very best the market afforded and skilled cookery could devise.

MARY W. JACKSON, the beautiful wife of Col. Tuley, was a woman of rare accomplishments and learning. Her personality was as refined as "earthly tabernacle" could be made, which combined with her charming manners contributed greatly to her popularity. During the administration of Jackson, Van Buren and Tyler she was recognized as one of the court beauties of the Capital, her portrait adorning one of the pages known as "The Court Beauties of Washington," a book now very rare.

At a noted ball given by President Tyler at the close of his administration in 1845, to which the President elect, Polk, was invited, Mrs. Tuley attended wearing the robe shown in her picture which appears elsewhere.

THOMAS TULEY, born about 1709, m. at Burlington, New Jersey, Mary Scott. Their children so far as given, were Mary, Ann, and Jonathan.

JONATHAN TULEY, died in 1768, m. 1758 Martha Browne. Their children were John, Thomas, Joseph, and Mary. The first mentioned, John, disappeared from home and was never heard from but was supposed to have come to Kentucky.

JOSEPH TULEY, b. 1764, d. 1825, m. Nancy Brownlee in 1787. He moved to Virginia when a young man and consequently was the head of his branch of the Tuley family in the old Dominion. His children were:

J. MARY TULEY, who m. Henry Mitchell.

2. BALINDA TULEY, who m. Charles Strother. They had a large family, many of their descendents now residing in

Louisiana.

3. Col. JOSEPH TULEY, b. 1796, d. 1860, m. Mary Jackson, widow of Dr. Jackson, U. S. N. No issue.

4. SARAH TULEY, m. Maj. Urial Wright of St. Louis Mo.

Among the children of Mary Tuley was Joseph Tuley Mitchell who married in 1838 Sarah Nicholson Campbell. Their children were:

J. JOSEPH TULEY MITCHELL who m. Bettie W. Young.

2. FRANCES ANN MITCHELL who m. R. L. B. Loraine.

3. EDNA MOORE MITCHELL who m. first, Aug. W. Greene. 2nd. Rev. Alfred W. Anson, son of the late Cannon Frederick Anson of Windsor, Eng., Chaplain to the late Queen.

4. ARCHER THOMAS MITCHELL, died unmarried.

5. WILLIAM CAMPBELL MITCHELL, m. Lamar Renner.

6. MARY E. MITCHELL who still resides at Hillcrest, near Staunton, Va.

MARY ARCHER, daughter of Henry Mitchell and Mary Tuley m. 1839. Hall Neilson. A daughter, Mary Tuley Neilson, m. Rev. Augustus Jackson of Washington City. Mrs. Jackson and her daughter, Fanny Archer Jackson, still reside at the Capital. Another daughter, Mary Rowan Jackson, m. William Kearfott of New Jersey. The latter has two children, Thornton Campbell Kearfott and Mary Tuley Kearfott. The first named, Mrs. Mary R. Kearfott was elected at the last congress of D. A. R. a Vice-President General.



MRS. JOSEPH TULEY

OF THE TULEVALES

* MRS. JOSEPH TULEY THOMAS, was Belinda Jane Mitchell, who murried Henry Mitchell; grand-daughter of Mary Tuley, daughter of Joseph Tuley; great grand-daughter of Jonathan Tuley, and niece of Col. Joseph Tuley.

Children of Belinda Jane Mitchell and Joseph Tuley Thomas

1. CHARLES MITCHELL THOMAS (Rear Admiral U. S. N.)m. Ruth Simpson, daughter of Edward Simpson, Rear Admiral U. S. N.

Issue: 1. EMILY THOMAS, m. Henry Yarnell, Lieutenant

U.S. N.

2. SAMUEL BROWN THOMAS, Lieutenant U. S. N.

3. RUTH THOMAS.

2. ELIZABETH ARCHER THOMAS, m. George DeBeuneville Keim *Issue: I.* GEORGE deBeuneville Keim.

2. LILLIE THOMAS Keim.

3. EUGENIA BELINDA THOMAS, m. Frank Stephen Pleasonton, son of General Augustus Pleasonton.

Issue: I. LILLIE THOMAS PLEASONTON, m. Raymond deSeize

2. FRANK RODNEY PLEASONTON.

3. Eugene Stephen Pleasonton.

4. Edith Clementine Pleasonton.

HALL N. JACKSON, No. 36 W. Sixth Street, Cincinnali. Stuart Wells Jackson, a Yale graduate, and Reginald Heber Jackson, a broker in New York City, are sons of Mrs. Mary Tuley Jackson, of Washington City. The two first named have interesting families.

RODNEY AND EUGENE PLEASONTON, sons of Belinda Thomas and Stephen F. Pleasanton, are Harvard students.

CAPT. JOSEPH TULEY MITCHELL, of Roanoke, Va., has three children: Archer Mitchell whom. Margaret Callum: El-anor Mitchell, who m. Dr. Richard W. Frey of Roanoke; and Belinda Tuley Mitchell, a young lady.

WILLIAM CAMPBELL MITCHELL, who m. Laura Rennie of Richmond, Va., has four children; Ellen Douglas Mitchell, Ethel Warren Mitchell, Florence Thomas Mitchell, and Norman Tuley Mitchell, all of whom reside at Hillcrest, near Staunton, Va.

*This page was delayed matter, inserted after the book had gone to press. Elsewhere in this line some of the names appear, but not so complete as this page gives it. On page 58 minth line from the bottom, eliminate, "and Mary Tuley," as she is mentioned in the line below. On page 58 is a mix up of marriages under the head of Joseph Tuley Mitchell. Edmonia Lee, m. R. L. B. Lorraine; Frances Ann, m. Dr. H. C. Perron, Edna More, should read Elma More.

MARY FRANCES MITCHELL, who married Thomas Johnson of Illinois, had a son, Edward Johnson and a daughter, Mary Lee Johnson.

ARCHER THOMAS MITCHELL, entered the Confederate army at the age of sixteen, giving up his life for the cause he espoused at the early age of 19.

MARY ARCHER MITCHELL, who m. Hall Neilson were the parents of Mary Tuley Nielson, who married Rev. Augustus

Jackson.

THOMAS HALL NEILSON M. Kate Bartan, daughter of Judge Bartan of Philadelphia, Pa.

Issue: I. SARAH FRANCES NEILSON M. Dr. Stuart Wells of the U. S. N. no issue.

GEORGE H. MITCHELL m. 1839 Eliza Neilson Campbell. Their daughter Frances married out west and her daughter Fanny Tippett is a widow residing in Texas. The latter has five children, Charles, Philip, Edward, Thomas and Fanny.

BALINDA JEAN MITCHELL m. 1844 Joseph Tuley Thomas of Philadelphia. They were third cousins.

EDMONIA LEE who m. R. L. B. Lorraine of Richmond, Va., has five children; Ned M. Lorraine m. Susie Elain; Marie L. Lorraine m. William Colvin; Edmonia Lee Lorraine, Cameron R. Lorraine , and Grace N. Lorraine, are unmarried.

FRANCES ANN MILCHELL who m. Henry Perron of Nelson Co. Va., died in 1877. Their daughter Belle m. Charles Wright of the same County. The latter has four children; Perron Gilmer Wright, Mary Mitchell Wright, Eleanor Wright, and Tuley Allen Wright.

ELMA MORE MITCHELL who m. twice, had five children; Frances W. Greene who m. A. W. Barr; Joseph Campbell Greene, Mary Newport Greene, Hilda Vernon Anson and Edith Vernon Anson.

THOMAS JACKSON, U. S. A. who resided many years at the Tuleyries, left no children.

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SARAH TELEY and Maj. Wright had a daughter, Balinda Wright, who m. N. L. Boyse of Louisville, Ky. Mrs. Boyse resided many years at the Tuleyries before her death in 1903. The latter left two sons, Uriel Thuxton Boyse and Lawrence Wright Boyse.

BALINDA STROTHER MITCHELL, a descendent of Joseph Tuley m. William A. Gill of Columbus, O. Their daughters, Lillie Thomas Gill, m. Earl Clark Derby, and Frances Eugenia Gill, m. Theodore Smith, all of Columbus, O.

Rear Admiral C. M. Thomas, U. S. N., is a lineal descendent of Joseph Tuley; also George DeBeinville Keim of Edgewater Park, New Jersey, point to him as ancestor. The latter has two children, Geo. DeBeinville Jr. and Miss Lillie Thomas Keim.

Other descendents of *Joseph Tuley intermarried with the Simpsons, of Virginia, Thomas' and Pleasentons, of Pennsylvania and the Johnsons; of Illinois.

There is a Joseph Tuley, a wealthy farmer in Michigan, who in all probability is a descendent of some ancestor of the Virginia Joseph Tuley.

*The list of names of the descendents of the above is very voluminous if brought down to the present day: Those of the family now living who are fortunate enough to secure a copy of this book can easily trace their ancestry back to the fountain head.

OTHER TULEYS OF COMMON ANCESTRY

There reside in Spencer County, Indiana, at or near Gentryville a large family of Tuleys, descendents of a *John Tuley who left Grayson Co., Ky. in 1828, settling near Gentryville. The chi'dren of this John Tuley were. William, James, John, Samuel Elizabeth, Margaret, Martha, Mary, Jane and America. At this time all are dead except Martha, Mary and America and they are widows. However the sons and daughters of the children of John Tuley are quite numerous in Spencer Co. 'I opened correspondence with members of this family to trace their genealogy, but could not ascertain the parentage of John Tuley. I thought that possibly this *John was a son of Robert Tuley, or maybe John Tuley, Jr. who is recorded as the executor of Charles Tuley in 1787, but as yet no light has been shed to clear up the mystery.

As a matter of interest I will append the data I have of John Tuley's family.

ELIZABETH TULEY married Benj. Hesson, 9 children, among them Rachael Bryant.

MARGARET TULEY married Silas Brown.

MARTHA TULEY married Levi Hale of Kentucky.

MARY TULEY married Wyatt Crooks.

JANE TULEY married Silas Bridges.

AMERICA TULEY married Melton Hesson.

ROBERT TULEY grandson of John Tuley of Gentryville is still living at that place. He has three grown sons, Raleigh B. Tuley, engaged in railroad work at DeSoto, Mo., Virgil Tuley and Adelbert Tuley of Gentryville.

There are families of Tuleys in Michigan, Tennessee, Hamilton, Ohio, Indianapolis, Columbus, Ind., San Jose, California and Central City, Ky., not mentioned in this book. as their genealogical lines could not be traced to Charles Tuley.

^{*}This John Tuley may be the son of the missing John Tuley who disappeared from Virginia. The Spencer County family claim their ancestor came from Virginia, first to Tennessee thence to Kentucky and finally the above named John went to Spencer County, Indiana. There is little doubt in the minds of many of the members of the family that the Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana Tuleys have a common ancestor.

THE TULEY WOMEN

Χ.

It would not be proper to omit some mention of the female members of the family both of the blood and by marriage, but where there were and are so many really good women, all, at least nearly all, having during life, had their full say, brief mention at this time is pardonable. Among them none were so brave as Elizabeth Floyd; none more kindly than Jane Bell; none more serious than Mildred Strother; none so stately as Priscilla Buckner; none more generous than Julia Ann Taylor; none more gentle than Helen Maria Crook; none more lovely than Mary Brown and Mary Jackson; none more motherly than M. C. Paxson, Phoebe H. Woodruff, Elizabeth Betterton and Mary L. Flickner; none more companionable than Kate Edmondson, and none more spirited than Julia A. Minor. Those who succeed them are morally, physically and intellectually the equal of any family in the land, and in communities where they collectively or severally reside, they are esteemed for their many womanly virtues, and social qualities. Very few divorces appear on the records anywhere, which fact speaks volumes for the agreeableness of the Tuley women, or in thunder tones of the meekness and forbearance of the Tuley men. Whichever horn of the dilemma the reader hitches to, will be safe anchorage for further debate. If the person is female and a Tuley by blood or marriage she will at once claim all the virtues. If male in the same relation he will sing low upon the question, if anyof the women happen to be near, or have their ear trumpets ready for adjustment.

The Fruit of this Tuley tree "Seventh Generation," are too small, green, perchance knotty,or mayhap wormy,to figure largely with the public, consequently I will leave them to work out their own salvation and to the tender mercy of the future historian and genealogical biographer.

THE FLOYD FAMILY CONNECTION

As the wife of Charles Tuley wasa Floyd the record of that family is briefly given in this volume.

The ancestors of Col. WILLIAM FLOYD were of Welch parentage, coming to Virginia late in the 17th century, settling on the eastern shore. Col. William Floyd had two brothers, one named John who went north, but if he ever had a family it is not known, and a younger brother Charles who went south was the father of John Floyd of Darian, Georgia.

About 1745*William Floyd, accompanied by a family named Davis. also of Welch parentage, went to the eastern shore, thence to Amherst Co., Va., where the elder Davis had accumulated large landed property, trading with the Catawba Indians. The elder Davis had married a †half breed Indian girl by whom she had daughters and a son named Robert. Two of the daughters married; one a Mr. Venable, the other Gen. Evan Shelby of Marylaud, who moved to Natchez, Miss Abediah Davis, daughter of Robert, married William Floyd about 1747. By this union twelve children were born to wit.

1. Mrs. Powell of Lynchburg, Va.

2. ELIZABETH FLOYD who married Charles Tuley of Farquier Co., Va. in 1769.

3. †Col. John Flord, was born in 1751 and was married.

*Col. William Floyd, died in 1778 at his home in Virginia. He should not be confounded with Gen. William Floyd, of Long Island, New York, as a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

†The mother of Robert Davis, grandmother of Abediah Davis, was a lineal descendent of Opechancanough, brother of Powhattan, emperor of twenty tribes of Indians in Virginia in 1607 when Jamestown was settled. Opechancanough succeeded as emperor of these tribes after the death of Powhattan.

‡Col. R. T. Durrett, the will known historian of Louisville, said to the writer that he regarded Col. John Floyd as next to George Rogers Clark, the greatest man known in Kentucky in the early times. Had not his life been cut off in early manhood he would have made a high mark in the affairs of that state.

at the age of 18 to Miss Burwell who died within a year leaving an infant daughter, Mourning, who married Col. John Stewart of Georgia. In 1779 he married *Jane Buchanan by whom was born 7. William Preston Floyd, 2. Major George R. C. Floyd, Commander of the regulars at Tippecanoe. The latter married Maria Maupin at Louisville in 1806, and Sallie Fontaine in 1810. 3. John Floyd born April 24, 1783, twelve days after his (ather, Col. Floyd was killed by the Indians near Louisville. This youngest son John studied medicine in Pennsylvania, afterwards settled in Virginia and became governor in 1828. He married Letitia Preston, daughter of Col. William Preston, who bore him twelve children. Gov. Floyd died in 1837 and his widow in 1852.

4. CHARLES FLOYD was probably married in Virginia. He was the father of Judge Davis Floyd, who figured so prominently in the territorial history of Indiana. Another son of Charles was Serge ant Charles Floyd with the Lewis and Clark Expedition, dying at Sioux City, Iowa, in 1803, and over whose remains, a monument 102 feet high was erected by-the government and the Floyd Monument Association, Gabriel Floyd who lived in Clarke Co. Ind. was also a son of Charles. Of his daughters, Elizabeth married in 1813, Churchell Myrtle: Jane B., married in 1815 George Rogers; and Mary Floyd married in 1822 William Perkins, all in Louisville.

5. ROBERT FLOYD'S marriage is not recorded in Louisville. His daughter Elizabeth married in 1790, Thos. M. Winn.

6. ISHAM FLOYD who was a soldier with Gen. G. R. Clark was killed by the Indians on the west bank of the Ohio river in 1787. He was not married.

^{*}The widow of Col. John Floyd married Capt. Alex Breekenridge, who with Charles Floyd was with the Colonel when ambushed by Indians April 12, 1783. James D. Breekenridge, a noted attorney of Louisville was one of their sons.

- 7. JEMIMA FLOYD LEMASTER.
- 8. Abediah Floyd Sturgeis.
- 9. MRS. DRAKE.
- 10. MRS. PRYOR.
- 11. Mrs. Anderson.

12. NATHANIEL FLOYD, who was a soldier under Jackson at New Orleans, died in 1840. Nathaniel married Mollie Thomas in 1793. His daughter, Abediah Davis, married, J. Richard Merriwether. 2. Henry Weaver of Ohio; Sallie P., married Thomas Beeler in 1812; Mary W., married James John in 1816; and ANN ELIZA FLOYD, George W. Bowling in 1829. From Abediah Davis Floyd and Henry Weaver descended Mrs. Susan Floyd Gunter of Louisville, and her two children Ernest and Carrie Gunter.

Among the descendents of Ann Eliza Floyd Bowling was J.W. Bowling. His children were Mrs. Pearl Bowling McCandless, and Mrs. Blanche Bowling Morrison of Louisville, Mrs. Mary Bowling Campbell of Jellico, Tenn., and R. E. Bowling of Meridian, Miss. Mrs. McCandless has two interesting children, Miss Mary Mar McCandless, just out of High School, and Martha an infant child.

MRS. EMAX GARVIN HARLOW, Sixth Street, Louisville, is also a great grand-daughter of Nat. Floyd, her mother being Mrs. Mary Jane Bowling of Hart Co., Ky. Mrs. Harlow has three children, viz, Edna, Nora, and Floyd Preston Harlow.

JAMES MATT BOWLING, another grandson of N. Floyd, was killed in the Confederate Army at Bull Run.



COL, JOHN FLOYD TAKEN FROM AN OLD PICTURE IN COL. R. T. DURRETT'S LIBRARY AT LOUISVILLE, KY. COL. JOHN FLOYD. Those familiar with the early history of Kentucky know of Col. John Floyd. He came to that state from Virginia, in 1774 as a surveyor in the Elkhorn district. In 1776 he went with Daniel Boone and a small company to rescue Jemima, daughter of Boone and the Misses Calloway, who were captured by the Indians at Boonseboro. The party came upon the Indians about forty miles from the fort, killed several of them and returned with the captives to the fort.

Shortly after this adventure Floyd returned to Virginia and was given charge of the privateer Phoenix, sent out to prey upon British commerce. The gallant Floyd sailed to the West Indies where he found rich spoil. On his return he was captured by an English man-of-war off the Bahama islands and taken to England where he was incarcerated in prison a year, finally escaping through the aid of the jailer's wife. He then made his way to France and through Dr. Franklin, then Minister from the United States, secured means to return home. Owing to his long absence, no tidings having reached his family or friends of the capture of the Phoenix by the English navy, the relatives concluded that the vessel had been destroyed and that Floyd was long since dead. Fortunately he returned in time to claim his promised bride, Jane Buchanan, who was on the eve of marrying a relative.

In 1779 Col. Floyd determined to return to Kentucky and make it his permanent home. He was accompanied by his wife and all his brothers and sisters and their families, except Elizabeth Floyd Tuley who remained in Virginia until 1783. and Mrs. Powell who never left that state. The new comers settled at Floyd's Fork of Salt river. History gives an interesting account of his life as an Indian fighter, legislator and law giver.

*His tragic death occured April 12, 1787 at the hands of

^{*}Ex-Mayor George D. Todd of Louisville has a number of letters written by John Floyd to his kindsman Lt. Todd who was closely associated with Floyd in early Kentucky history. These letters reveal the intrepid character of Floyd, showing that he would have attained to great distinction had his life been spared. The picture of Col. Floyd in this volume was taken from an old crayon owned by Col. R. T. Durrett of Louisville, the only picture extant of Floyd

the Indians who ambushed him on returning home from the salt wells. A few years ago a monument was erected over his grave a few miles from Louisville, near Floyd's Station.

THE WILL OF COL. JOHN FLOYD

Although Col. John Floyd was killed April 12,1783 his will was not probated in Jefferson County, Ky., until* 1794. He gave all his lands on the north side of Beargrass Creek to his wife, Jane Floyd. To his son, William Preston, he gave two thousand acres on the south side of the creek. To his daughter Mourning and his son, George R. C., a tract of four thousand acres in Fayette County. To his unborn infant, who proved to be Gov John Floyd of Virginia, he gave fourteen hundred acres on Harrod's Creek. He directed that the property be kept together and be given to the children as they came of age, including a division of the slaves. To his brother Isham he gave twohundred acres at Floyd's Fork. To his brothers Robert and Charles he gave four hundred acres in any part they might select on condition that they complete all his surveys and secure patents on all his lands. He makes provision for them to receive an equitable division of the surveying fees.

JUDGE DAVIS FLOYD, who was a very prominent leader in the affairs of Indiana, when first organized as a territory, was a son of Charles Floyd. In 1794 he was married at Louisville to Susana Lewis, and at least one son was born to them, named Lewis, who resided at Jeffersonville many years.

Judge Floyd came to Indiana about 1801, settling at Clarksville. He operated a ferry between that town and Shippingport, was a licensed falls pilot, captain of a mialitia company, surveyor, recorder of deeds, a trustee of Jeffersonville and filled other minor offices. He was a member of the first constitutional convention in the territory and opposed to slavery in every way. He was at the organization of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Indiana at Corydon and for many years was Grand Secretary of that body.

*This delay in probating the will was for the purpose of securing the complete survey of the lands he had secured from the Virginia government.

When Floyd County was formed out of Clark and Harrison in 1819. Davis Floyd, for whom the County was named, became the first judge. Although the Judge was mixed up in the alleged Aaron Burr conspiracy, it did not seem to affect his popularity or usefulness. When General Jackson became President he appointed the Judge as land commissioner of Florida. He died in that state about 1830. His will was probated in Harrison County, Ind.

JUDGE FLOYD, although opposed to slavery, was a man who liked official pomp and attention. He had a negro servant with the high sounding name to Pompey, but the Judge called him Pottowatamie. He never traveled without his black attendant. One day while traveling in the wilds of Indiana he was thrown from his horse while crossing a swollen creek. The Judge called lustily for Pompey to come quick to the rescue, else he would drown, to which the servant responded, but it was a fierce struggle to save the portly Judge from a watery grave. Thereafter Pottowatamie not only shared his master's confidence but his good red liquor.

MAJOR GEORGE ROGERS CLARK FLOYD, second son of Col. John Floyd, distinguished himself as a soldier, commanding the regulars at the battle of Tippacanoe. At the hour the Indians under Tecumseh made the attack upon General Harrison's camp, Major Floyd was asleep. The yells of the savages awakened him and seizing his horse he mounted and rode into the fight, clothed only in his night dress. A soldier seeing his white clothes fluttering in the breeze, seized a cloak which he threw about the form of the Major, rendering his person a less conspicuous mark. Owing to the rigor of that campaign the health of Major Floyd declined, he dying at his home near Cheerokee Park, Louisville, in 1821.

It is recorded in history that when the injured leg of Gen. George Rogers Clark was amputated at Clarksville, Indiana,

that his namesake, Major Floyd beat the drum and played on the fife while the sawbones were working with handsaw and cleaver in removing the Generals leg.

MAJOR G. R. C. FLOYD was the only son of John Floyd who did not go back to Virginia. His residence was near Cherokee Park. He had one son, John, by his first wife who went to Iowa. One daughter, Jane, by the second wife married James C. Penn. father of Col. Geo. Floyd Penn of New Albany and another daughter was the first wife of Edward Ford of Allegheny, Penn., formerly of this city.

The family of Governor John Floyd of Virginia and Letitia Floyd were twelve in number, the most noted being Gen. John B. Floyd, Governor of Virginia in 1850 and Buchanan's Secretary of War; Col.Benj. Rush Floyd, a lawyer of ability, who married Nancy Smith Matthews; Letitia Preston Floyd, who married William Lewis; Lavalette Floyd, who married Geo. F. Holmes of Durham, England, forty years professor of history in the University of Virginia; Nickettie Floyd, who married John W. Johnston, U. S. senator from Virginia, his home being Abington. Schuyler Crosby, at one time Assistant Postmaster General and Foreign Minister, was a grandson of Governor Floyd.

NECKETTIE FLOYD, now a very old lady resides at Lynch burg, Va. Her son Dr. George B. Johnson also resides there. Col. Nat Floyd and Nick Floyd descendants of Gov. John Floyd, live at Lynchburg.

MRS. ISABEL HOLMES PERKINSON, of Charlottesville, Va., is a daughter of Lavalette Floyd who married Prof. Holmes.

Among the unplaced Floyds is Woodfolk Floyd, who married Mary Fields in Louisville in 1824, and Margaret, daughter of Abraham Floyd, who married Thos. Wilson in 1829, and Lieut. Henry C. Floyd who served under Gen. Clark.

In conclusion I would like to make a suggestion to the younger generation who may follow the example set by their parents. If a copy of this book is in your possession you can easily keep up the record of your own immediate family by adding some blank leaves of paper, on which you can indite marriages, births, deaths or any change in the family line, referring to the page where your genealogical line begins or ends. The importance of keeping a complete and full record of families cannot be estimated by anyone until he or she undertakes the work of genealogical research.

THE END

Addenda

On page V. Table of Contents, an error occured in printing the number. The second VIII (eight)should be 1X and the two sections following should be X and XI. In the list of Portraits, the names of Joseph Tuley and Mrs. Joseph Tuley were committed, owing to the fact they were received after the first half of the book had been printed.

On page 31 will be found the name of William A. Tuley. After this book went to press the stork winged its flight into his dovecot leaving William A. Bayard Tuley safely housed on August 24th, 1906.

On page 45 is an error in placing the motherhood of the second wife Daniels at the fifth child instead of the fourth. Also Maybelle Crooke should read Maymelle.

On page 48 under the name Dr. T. R. Lurton, an error occurs in placing the names of Charlton, Caroline, and Emeline in connection with T. R. Lurton, when in fact they were the children of Rev. Jacob Lurton,